

The University of Kansas
College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
COMMITTEE ON GRADUATE STUDIES

MINUTES

February 13, 2020, 11:15AM
STRONG HALL – ROOM 210

Members Present: Nazli Avdan, David Brackett, Omar Gudino, Rafael Acosta, Mary Jo Reiff, Margot Versteeg, David Weis

Others in attendance: Kristine Latta (COGA), Rachel Schwien (COGA), Holly Storkel (*ex-officio*),

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Reiff at 11:16 a.m.

Approval of the Minutes

A motion was made and seconded to approve the December 12, 2019, minutes of the Committee on Graduate Studies. The motion was approved unanimously.

Consent Agenda

A motion was made and seconded to approve the items listed on the consent agenda. The motion was approved unanimously.

The consent agenda included the following:

A. Curricular Changes:

Course Changes: HIST 705/GIST 705, HIST 801, HIST 806, HIST 807
HIST 808, HIST 827, HIST 834, HIST 848, HIST 879, HIST 880,
HIST 881, HIST 882, HIST 883, HIST 892,
HIST 895/AMS 835/WGSS 835, HIST 896/WGSS 836/AMS 836,
HIST 897/AMS 837/WGSS 837, HIST 975, HIST 981, HIST 982,
PHSX 793, PHSX 881

Course Deactivation: BIOL 804, HIST 719, HIST 820, HIST 822, HIST 824, HIST 825,
HIST 826, HIST 830, HIST 831, HIST 833, HIST 836, HIST 837,
HIST 844, HIST 900, HIST 910, HIST 913, HIST 914, HIST 918,
HIST 919, HIST 929, HIST 930, HIST 932, HIST 934, HIST 946,
HIST 949, HIST 950, HIST 951, HIST 952, HIST 955, HIST 962,
HIST 964, HIST 965, HIST 971, HIST 973/AMS 973/WGSS 873,
HIST 974

B. Program Changes:

Change to Existing Program: Computational Biology, Ph.D.
Communication Studies, M.A.
Communication Studies, Ph.D

Report of the Program and Curricular Changes (PCC) Subcommittee

(David Brackett, reporting)

A motion was made and seconded to approve the following curricular changes. The motion was approved unanimously.

A. Curricular Changes:

Course Changes: BINF 701, BINF 702, HIST 823, HIST 845, HIST 847, HIST 853,
HIST 856, HIST 857, HIST 858, HIST 859, HIST 890, HIST 891,
HIST 898, HIST 901, HIST 986, PHSX 815/ASTR 815/CHEM 914,
PHSX 917, PHSX 931

New Course:

WGSS 714/POLS 714/GIST 714, WGSS 717, WGSS 811

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

Upcoming Meetings

The next meeting of the Committee on Graduate Studies is **Thursday, February 27, 2020 11:15 a.m., 210 Strong Hall.**

Respectfully submitted by Rachel Schwien, COGA