

December 1, 2016

MEMORANDUM

To: University Committee on Graduate Studies
From: University Committee on Graduate Studies Agenda Committee
Subject: Agenda for the Meeting of the University Committee on Graduate Studies on January 9, 2017, 3:00 p.m. 110 Chittenden Hall

AGENDA

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of November 7, 2016 Minutes (Attachment)
3. Remarks from the Chairperson (Hogan)
4. Remarks from the Dean of the Graduate School
5. Remarks from the COGS Representative (Jordan)
6. University Committee on Graduate Studies Subcommittees

**Curriculum and Program Review Committee
Academic Research Policy Subcommittee
Graduate Instruction, Employment, Mentoring Subcommittee**

7. *Request to establish a **Doctor of Philosophy** degree in **Biostatistics** in the Department of epidemiology and biostatistics.
8. *Request to establish in the **College of Communication Arts and Sciences**, in collaboration with the MSU College of Law, a 3+3 Option for selected College of Communication Arts and Science students to earn a baccalaureate degree.
9. *Request to change the requirements for the **Master of Arts** degree in **Education** in the College of Education.
10. *Request for an Extension on the Moratorium on Admission to the **Master of Arts** degree in **Health Professions Education** in the College of Education.

11. *Request to delete the curriculum and degree requirements for the **Master of Arts** degree in **History-Secondary School Teaching** in the Department of History.
12. *Request to establish a **Graduate Certificate in Neuroscience and the Law** in the Program in Neuroscience.
13. Roundtable
14. Adjournment