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 April 15, 2024, 3:00-5:00 pm.

This meeting will be held on Zoom:
(https://msu.zoom.us/j/94026811102?pwd=T282azBVRm5TcFpLU1ZIVTdJNm9udz09)

Meeting ID: 940 2681 1102
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AGENDA

1. Approval of Agenda

2. Approval of Minutes from March 18, 2024 (See D2L)

3. Remarks from the Chairperson (Trixie Smith)
   a. Kyonghee Kim from Faculty Senate
   b. Tom Sharkey from University Council

4. Remarks from the Dean of the Graduate School (Pero Dagbovie)

5. Remarks from the COGS Vice President for Internal Affairs (Samara Chamoun)

6. University Committee on Graduate Studies Subcommittee Reports
   a. Academic Research Policy Subcommittee (Tomas Hult)
   b. Graduate Instruction, Employment, & Mentoring Subcommittee (TBD)
   c. Curriculum and Program Review Committee (Tom Sharkey)

7. (4:00 pm) RIO Report—Guests Charles “Lee” Cox and Doug Gage

8. *Request to change the requirement for the Master of Science degree in Basic Medical Science in the College of Osteopathic Medicine.
9. *Request to change the requirements in the Master of Science degree in Computer Science in the Department of Computer Science and Engineering.

10. *Request to change the requirements in the Doctor of Philosophy degree in Computer Science in the Department of Computer Science and Engineering.

11. *Request to delete the curriculum and degree requirements for the Master of Science degree in Foodservice Business Management (Michael L. Minor) in the School of Hospitality Business.

12. *Request to delete the curriculum and degree requirements for the Graduate Specialization in Global Urban Studies in the College of Social Science.

13. *Request for Extension on the Moratorium Granted on Admission to the Master of Science Degree in International Business.


15. *Request to change the requirements for the Graduate Certificate in Nonprofit Leadership, Global Cultures, and Social Enterprise in the Department of Religious Studies.

16. *Request to change the requirements for the Master of Arts degree in Rhetoric and Writing in the Department of Writing, Rhetoric and American Cultures.

17. *Request to change the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree in Rhetoric and Writing in the Department of Writing, Rhetoric and American Cultures.


19. *Request to change the requirements for the Master of Arts degree in Special Education in the Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology and Special Education.

20. *Request to change the name of the Master of Arts degree in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages to Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages and Applied Linguistics in the Department of Linguistics, Languages, and Cultures.

21. *Request to change the requirements for the Master in Urban and Regional Planning degree in Urban and Regional Planning in the School of Planning, Design and Construction.

22. Elections for AY 24-25: Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary

Adjournment

*Action Items
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**Being reviewed by the Curriculum and Program Review Subcommittee for a recommendation to the full committee.**