**Items Approved**
01. 14-13, HST 4830, Perspectives on Health and Humor, New Course Proposal
02. 14-16, FCS 4926, Public Presentation Techniques, Revised course Proposal
03. 14-17, FCS 5100, Societal Aspects of Aging, New Course Proposal
04. 14-18, FCS 5157, Disordered Eating Behaviors, New course Proposal
05. 14-19, FCS 5158, Implications of Childhood Obesity, New Course Proposal
06. 14-20, FCS 5450, Administration and Supervision in FCS, Revised Course Proposal
07. 14-21, FCS 5901, Statistical Analysis in FCS, Revised Course Proposal
08. 14-22, FCS Proposal for online cohort program

**Items Pending**

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**Council on Graduate Studies**  
**Minutes**  
*March 04, 2014*

The March 04, 2014 meeting of the Council on Graduate Studies held at 2:00 p.m. in 3108 Blair Hall.

**Members Present:** Dr. Wesley Allan, Dr. Michael Menze, Dr. David Boggs, Dr. Chad Carlson, Dr. Jacquelyn Frank, Dr. Matthew Gill, Dr. Newton Key, Ms. Kayla Napue, Dr. Linda Reven

**Members Absent:** Dr. Rebecca Tadlock-Marlo

**Staff Present:** Dean Augustine, Ms. Patti Bailey, Mr. Ben Rienbolt

**Guests:** Dr. Richard Cavanaugh, Dr. Lisa Moyer, Dr. Katherine Shaw

I. Approval of the February 18, 2014 CGS Meeting Minutes.
   Approved by acclamation

II. Communications:

   a) **College Curriculum Committee Minutes:**

   February 10, 2014 - College of Education and Professional Studies Curriculum Committee meeting minutes

   b) **Approved Executive Actions**

   None

III. Items Added to the Agenda (Today):

01. 14-23, Credit Hour Policy Proposal

IV. Items Acted Upon:

01. 14-13, HST 4830, Perspectives on Health and Humor, New Course Proposal; Richard Cavanaugh
presented the course. Council approved unanimously; Effective date – Summer 2014

(3-0-3) HST 4830, Perspectives on Health and Humor,
This course will focus on theoretical and empirical approaches to understanding humor from a holistic health perspective. Discussion of current research findings will be used to illustrate the vital connection between humor and individual well-being. This class will build and expand upon the basic health concept of the holistic health model through the application of strategies designed to integrate humor into the individual's life.

- Item 14-17 taken out of order by request of presenter; approved by council acclamation

02. 14-17, FCS 5100, Societal Aspects of Aging, New Course Proposal; Jacquelyn Frank presented the course. Council approved unanimously; Effective date – Fall 2014
(3-0-3) FCS 5100, Societal Aspects of Aging,
Review of current social gerontological theories and research; consideration of structural aspects of the social order as related to the aging process.

03. 14-16, FCS 4926, Public Presentation Techniques, Revised course Proposal; Katherine Shaw presented the course. Council approved unanimously; Effective date – Spring 2015
(3-0-3) FCS 4926, Public Presentation Techniques,
Development of visual merchandising techniques and materials to present goods and services in relationship to functional and aesthetic concerns.
Prerequisites: FCS 2244 or its equivalent

04. 14-18, FCS 5157, Disordered Eating Behaviors, New Course Proposal; Lisa Moyer presented the course. Council approved unanimously with correction in instructional delivery method; Effective date – Summer 2014
(1-0-1) FCS 5157, Disordered Eating Behaviors
The diagnostic criteria and treatment plans for disordered eating behaviors will be analyzed in the context of the larger family unit. This course is restricted to graduate students enrolled in the MS in FCS graduate online cohort.
Prerequisites: FCS 2100 or its equivalent

05. 14-19, FCS 5158, Implications of Childhood Obesity, New Course Proposal; New Course Proposal; Lisa Moyer presented the course. Council approved unanimously with correction in instructional delivery method; Effective date – Summer 2014
(1-0-1) FCS 5158, Implications of Childhood Obesity,
Investigation of the causes and potential ramifications of childhood obesity in the context of the
family unit. This course is restricted to graduate students enrolled in the MS in FCS graduate online cohort.

Prerequisites: FCS 2100 or its equivalent.

06. 14-20. FCS 5450, Administration and Supervision in FCS, Revised Course Proposal; Lisa Moyer presented the course. Council approved unanimously; Effective date – Summer 2014
(3-0-3) FCS 5450, Administration and Supervision in FCS,
This course will examine management theories, best practices, current trends and issues, ethical issues, communication, public policy, and the hiring process for managing/ supervising non-profit social service agencies in order to help students become effective supervisors in the workplace. This course is restricted to graduate students enrolled in the MS in FCS, MS in Dietetics, or the MA in Gerontology graduate programs.

07. 14-21. FCS 5901, Statistical Analysis in FCS, Revised Course Proposal; Lisa Moyer presented the course. Council approved unanimously; Effective date – Summer 2014
(3-0-3) FCS 5901, Statistical Analysis in FCS,
This course will cover basic statistical concepts in Family and Consumer Sciences where students learn to apply statistics to professional practice and develop a more sophisticated understanding of the research process. This course is restricted to graduate students enrolled in the MS in FCS, MS in Dietetics, or the MA in Gerontology graduate programs.
Prerequisites: Only open to FCS students or with permission of instructor.

08. 14-22. FCS Proposal for online cohort program; Lisa Moyer presented the course. Council approved unanimously with corrections; Effective date – Summer 2014

02 Committee Reports:

Textbook Advisory- Michael Menze; no report
Library Advisory- David Boggs; no report
Academic Technology (ATAC)- Newton Key; no report
President’s Round Table- Dean Augustine; no report
Honorary Degree- Jackie Frank; no report
GSAC- Bill Elliott; committee met; hosted social event 02-14-14, first GSAC scholarship to be offered
CAA Processes Subcommittee- Wesley Allan; no report

03 Other Items:
None

04 Dean’s Report:
Curriculum Approval Processes for Interdisciplinary Programs

Change in Full Time Status for Graduate Student for Financial Aid Purposes

The meeting adjourned at 3:16 pm – Minutes prepared by Ben Rienbolt, Staff

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