The Council on Graduate Studies met at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 16, 2003 in the Arcola/Tuscola Room.

Members present: Dean Augustine, Dr. Shane Miller, Dr. Britto Nathan, Dr. Ruth Hoberman, Dr. Mary Ellen Varble, Dr. Linda Morford, Dr. Mark Voss-Hubbard, Dr. Eric Hake, Dr. Melanie Burns, Ms. Brianne Bolin

Members absent: Dr. Cheryl Noll

Staff present: Mrs. Linda Barter, The Graduate School

Guests present: Mr. Rodney Ranes, Dr. Jill Owen, Dr. Peter Andrews

I. Minutes

The September 2, 2003 Minutes were approved as published.

II. Communications

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III. Executive Actions

Executive Actions were approved as published.


1. We are requesting your executive action to correct the catalog description for SPE 4820.

4820 SPE. Assessment of Young Children (Birth to 8) With Exceptional Learning Needs. (3-1-3) F, S. This course addresses both formal and informal assessment of young children at risk and with exceptional learning needs across severity levels, excluding vision and hearing. Screening, observation strategies, the link between assessment and instruction, and writing formative and summative reports are also addressed. Practica provides observation of preschool screening and administration of norm referenced/criterion referenced assessments. Prerequisites: SPE 3000 and 3220 or permission of the department chairperson. Corequisite: SPE 4720 or permission of the department chairperson. SPE 4820 Short Title: ASSESS 0-8 ELN
IV. Items to be Added to the Agenda

V. Items to be Acted On

Dr. Peter Andrews answered questions for the following items. The Council approved the three items listed below with a requested language change on Item 03-34, clarification of teaching experience requirement.

03-34 Proposed Revision to Math Education Program
03-35 New Course Proposal 5410 MAT
03-36 New Course Proposal 5810 MAT

VI. Committee Reports

VII. Dean’s Report

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NCA Self Study Presentation

Recommendation for Fall 2003 Faculty Marshal – Dr. Robert “Bud” Fischer

Changes in the International Programs Office