Graduate Studies Committee
April 3, 2012

Members Present: S. Fotopoulos, L. Vynhanek, C. Corbett, J. Goodstein, P. David,
GPSA Student Member: A. Kiszonas, S. Wall
Graduate School Staff: P. Sturko, A. Frias

Meeting was called to order with quorum at 3:24 PM.

Action Items
Meeting Minutes for 3/20/12 – Approved

Stergios nominated Prabu David as chair of the GSC committee for 2012-2013. Prabu accepted the nomination. The committee voted in favor of his nomination. Prabu will serve as chair for the following year.

Courses:
Acctg 549: Global Reporting Standards – Approved (as temporary course, to be re-visited in Spring 2013 for a more complete syllabus of course content)
Biol/Math 579: Mathematical Modeling in the Biological and Health Sciences – Approved
ENGR 420/520: Multidisciplinary Engineering Design – Tabled
ENGR 421/521: Multidisciplinary Engineering Design II – Tabled
ENTRP 502: Business Planning – Tabled
FS 538: Physical Properties of Foods – Tabled (Lou will ask for a schedule of topics and the committee will vote via email)

KINES 586: Methods of Health and Physical Education – Approved
PharmSci 582: Advanced Topics in Geriatrics & Geriatric Pharmacotherapy – Tabled
PHRSC 599: Special Projects – Approved

Programs
M.A. Criminal Justice – Approved
Ph.D. Geology – Tabled (Stergios will ask for a list of Geology 500-level courses still available and the committee will vote via email)

Certificates:
Global Animal Health – Tabled

Email Votes
Programs
Ph.D. Geology – Approved on April 6th
(8 members voted in favor, 1 abstain, 3 did not submit a vote)

Courses
FS 538 – Approved on April 12th
(9 members voted in favor, 3 did not submit a vote)

Bylaws
School of Molecular Biosciences – Approved on April 17th with the amendment that the language “Research assistant/associate faculty” be clarified to read “Assistant and Associate Research Faculty”
(10 members voted in favor, 2 did not submit vote)

Meeting Adjourned at 4:30 PM.