

21 February 2023

**TO:** **Graduate Studies Council Members:** Dawn Anderson, Mohammed Asif, Upul Attanayake, Louann Bierlein Palmer (substitute for Regina Garza Mitchell), Christine Byrd-Jacobs, Carrie Cumming, Jennifer Fiore, Mahamat Abdoulaye Kerim, Rob Lyerla, James Palmitessa, Dianna Sachs, Nicolas Witschi, Marcellis Zondag  
**Advisory Member:** Edwin Martini  
**Ex Officio:** William Rantz

**FROM:** Dawn Anderson, Chair

**Graduate Studies Council**

**AGENDA**

Thursday, 23 February 2023, 3 to 5 p.m.

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Acceptance of the Agenda**
3. **Approval of Minutes**
  - a. Graduate Studies Council – 8 December 2022 Minutes
4. **Reports of Officers**
  - a. Chair Report – Anderson
  - b. Ex Officio Report – Rantz
5. **Reports of University Representatives**
  - a. Graduate College Dean – Byrd-Jacobs
  - b. Merze Tate College Dean – Martini
  - c. Graduate Student Association – Asif
6. **Unfinished Business**
  - a. Awards Committee Assignments – Anderson
    - i. Document Review
    - ii. Committee Report
    - iii. Identify Award Winners
7. **New Business**
  - a. Address Charge #4: Collaborate with the International Education Council and Undergraduate Studies Council to provide recommendations on how to best support faculty in the area of global learning (e.g., global classrooms, virtual study abroad, internationalized curriculum) – Anderson
  - b. Address Charge #6: Examine the utility of a need for institutionalizing the ongoing creation and distribution of an Annual Graduate Studies Data Report, to be delivered to GSC – Anderson
  - c. Address Charge #9: Address any continuing or outstanding issues or initiatives as directed by the Faculty Senate Executive Board, members of the council, faculty, and/or academic administrators – Anderson
8. **Announcements**
9. **Adjournment**

**COUNCILS ONLY:** *Elected members who cannot attend the meeting are asked to send a substitute of their choice who also represents their respective college. Non-elected members are not restricted as to whom they may designate to substitute for them.*