

**MINUTES**  
**Faculty of Graduate Studies**  
**Graduate New Programs and Curriculum Committee Meeting**  
**Friday, June 14, 2013; 9:00 – 11:00am**  
**Venue: Room 203, Graduate Student Centre, 6371 Crescent Road**

**Present:** Joy Begley, Jessica Iverson (Minutes), Lindsey Kovacevic, Anthony Lau, Bill Ramey, Clive Roberts (Chair), Susie Stephenson

**Regrets:** Stelvio Bandiera, Shauna Butterwick, Barak Caracheo, Max Read, Allen Sens

**1. Adoption of Agenda**

-Adopted

**2. Minutes of Friday, May 31, 2013 Meeting**

-Approved

**3. Business Arising**

-Further to the May 31, 2013 NPCC meeting, Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy (OSOT) has confirmed that neither RSOT 527 nor RSOT 547 will increase in credit as a result of the change to RSOT 533: *The removed content from RSOT 553 is addressed in RSOT 527 and RSOT 547 already, but using a different approach. Therefore, there is no content and credit hour change for RSOT 527 and RSOT 547, but only changing the pedagogy and methods of evaluation, so that students will relate the skills to both research context and to program development context;* the above information has been added to RSOT 533 proposal form

**4. Resubmitted Proposals**

<b>Faculty of Arts</b> Submitted by Margaret Wright	
SOWK 516 (3) -in the syllabus, explain how the participation grade is assessed for the 20% -for example, what constitutes excellent/good/fair/failing participation? -submit amended syllabus for review by the Chair <b>Action: HOLD</b>	

**5. New Proposals**

<b>Faculty of Education</b> Submitted by Christine Wallsworth	
	Counselling Psychology Master of Education Admission Requirements and Program Requirements -the Committee suggests amending the Admission Requirements entry to clarify what is meant by “learning,” as it relates to a type of course <b>Action: APPROVED</b>  EDST 502 (3/6) c <b>Action: APPROVED</b>

	EDST 578 (3) <b>Action: APPROVED</b>
	EPSE 589 (3-9) d <b>Action: APPROVED</b>
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<b>Faculty of Medicine</b> Submitted by Adrienne Hammond	
	Master of Physical Therapy Program Requirements <b>Action: APPROVED</b>

<b>Faculty of Medicine</b> Submitted by Adrienne Hammond	
<p>Master of Physical Therapy (MPT)/Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Rehabilitation Sciences Dual Degrees Program</p> <p>-considering RHSC 500 and RHSC 502 are requirements of the PhD component of the dual degrees program, the Committee suggests amending the <a href="#">Rehabilitation Sciences</a> Calendar entry to reflect this requirement</p> <p>-add text beneath the table on p. 5 clarifying that students will <i>ideally</i> complete both degrees in 5 years, although the PhD component may take longer than outlined</p> <p>-emphasize <i>why</i> a dual degrees program is needed at UBC; the proposal focuses on the quality of the two existing programs; the Committee suggests highlighting the fact that graduates will become evidence-based practitioners</p> <p><b>Action: APPROVED</b></p>	

**6. Adjournment of Meeting**

**7. Next meeting: September 2013**

\*proposal for Senate Curriculum Sub-Committee of Graduate Programs