

GRADUATE COUNCIL
Agenda
Thursday April 22, 2021

Join Zoom Meeting

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- I. **Approval of previous minutes (March 25, April 8, April 15)**
- II. **Announcements**
 - a. Graduate School updates
- III. **Old Business**
- IV. **New Business**
 - a. **Policy Committee**
 - i. **Maximum Credit Hour Policy** – A motion to create a waiver system for certain programs to increase the maximum number of credits allowed per semester.
 - ii. **Access to applicant demographic data** – A motion to allow graduate admissions committee members to access applicant demographic data
 - iii. **English proficiency policy** – A motion to update the English proficiency standards for graduate admissions. The motion also removes separate standards for graduate assistantships.
 - iv. **Graduate School-wide policy on requirements for application for graduation** – A motion to standardize the benchmark for students to apply for graduation
 - v. **Change the Graduate Mentor Award to include Assistant Professors and Lecturers** – A motion to allow nomination of Assistant Professor and Lecturer for the Graduate Mentor Award
 - vi. **Reapportionment of Graduate Council seats** – Discussion of reapportionment of Graduate Council seats among colleges and the Library.
- V. **Other**
- VI. **Adjourn**

Future Meetings

April 29, 2021