### GRADUATE COUNCIL MINUTES Friday, September 8, 2000 - 1:00 PM 302 Tillman

The following members were present: Alan Huston, Chair, Steven Frankforter, Johnny Sanders, Pedro Munoz, Bill Rogers and Peggy Whiting. Sharon B. Johnson was also present. Gloria Kelley and John Olvera were absent. Student representatives from the College of Education, Amelia Few was present. The student representative from the College of Visual and Performing Arts will be appointed soon.

- I. New Graduate Council members were introduced.
- II Council approved the minutes of the March 31 meeting in April 2000.
- III. Council approved the following course and curriculum proposals
  - A. College of Education

Department of Curriculum and Instruction

1. Add: EDCI 642, Teaching Preschool Children with Disabilities:

Developmentally Appropriate Practice, 3 hours

Add: EDCI 644, Behavioral intervention with Students with Autism, 3

hours

Add: EDCI 645, Teaching Preschool Children with Disabilities:

Characteristics of Disabilities and Implications for Learning, 3

hours

Drop: EDMD 510, Books and Other Media for Children, 3 hours

Add: READ 510, Literature for Children, 3 hours

B. College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Political Science

1. Add: PLSC 506, International Political Economy, 3 hours

Department of History

1. Add: HIST 530, World Environmental History, 3 hours

Environmental Science/Studies Program Planning Committee

1. Add: ENVS 510, Special Topics in Environment, 3 hours

### IV Council approved the following for membership in Graduate Faculty Assembly

### A. College of Arts and Sciences

Ronald K. Green, Professor of Social Work JD, University of Tennessee

Susan B Lyman, Associate Professor of Social Work PhD, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State College

Ameda A Manetta, Assistant Professor of Social Work PhD, Virginia Commonwealth University

Janice G Wells, Assistant Professor of Social Work PhD, Florida State University

## B. College of Business

Kelly Hewett, Assistant Professor of Business Administration/Management & Marketing

PhD, University of South Carolina

Vanessa Hill, Assistant Professor of Business Administration/Management & Marketing

PhD, Carnegie Mellon University

# C. College of Education

David H. Vawter, Assistant Professor, Center for Pedagogy PhD, University of Virginia

### V Graduate Faculty Assembly membership was not approved for the following:

Darla Domke-Damonte, Assistant Professor of Business Administration PhD, Florida State University (Coastal Carolina)

Mary Martin, Assistant Professor of Business Administration/Management & Marketing

PhD, University of Nebraska

- VI. Council elected Bill Rogers as Vice Chair of Graduate Council
- VII Council discussed possible updates and revisions to the 'Instructions for the Preparation of a Thesis". Council members were asked to check with the departments in their academic units for concerns. Discussion will continue at the November 10 meeting.
- VIII Council adjourned at 1:45 pm.

Sharon B. Johnson, Secretary