

**Winthrop University**  
**Graduate Council Minutes**

January 19, 2007  
208 Thurmond  
2:00 pm

The following members were present: Annie-Laurie Wheat, Chair, Bill Grigsby, Marshall Jones, Sue Peck, Cara Peters, Kelly Richardson, Jean Silagyi-Rebovich and Antje Mays. Laurie Carpenter, Tim Druke, Tim Daugherty and Dave Rankin were present.

1. Council approved the minutes of the November 10th, 2006 meeting.
2. Council approved the following curriculum actions:

**College of Arts and Sciences:**

**Department of Psychology**

**Change:** Catalog Title of **PSYC 520**

**From:** Contemporary Issues in Psychology

**To:** Special Topics in Psychology

**Change:** Catalog Description of PSYC 520

**From:** In-depth consideration of a topic of particular concern within modern psychology. May be offered under various topics.

**To:** In-depth study of a special topic in psychology. May be taken for additional credit under various topics.

**Change:** Hours of PSYC 520

**From:** 3

**To:** 1-3

**Department of Modern Languages**

**SPAN 601:**

**Change:** Catalog Description

**From:** This course is a survey of peninsular Spanish literature for graduate students only.

**To:** Course content will change each time the course is taught, with great authors in different periods emphasized.

**College of Business:**

**Department of Accounting**

**Change:** Title of **ACCT 506**

**From:** Not for Profit Accounting

**To:** Governmental and Not for Profit Accounting

**Change:** Prerequisites for **ACCT 509**

**From:** Grade of C or better in ACCT 306.

**To:** Grade of C or better in ACCT 306 and Acct 303.

**College of Visual and Performing Arts:**

**Department of Music**

**Change:** Title of **MUSA 658** from Winthrop/Carolinas Wind Ensemble (1:2) to Winthrop/Carolinas Wind Orchestra (1:3).

**Change:** Hours of MUSA 658 from 1:2 to 1:3.

**Change:** Title of **MUSA 661** from Rock Hill Chamber Orchestra to Winthrop Chamber Orchestra

3. Council voted to return the following curriculum actions to Teacher Education:
  - Department of Theatre and Dance**
  - Add** Designator for Dance Education: DCED
  - Change DANT 691:** Designator to DCED
  - Change DANT 692:** Designator to DCED
  - Change THRT 691:** Designator to THED
  - Change THRT 692:** Designator to THED
  
4. Council voted to table the following curriculum actions:
  - Change THRT 610:** Course number to **685**
  - Change THRT 611:** Course number to **686**
  
5. Council approved the following Graduate Faculty Nominations:
  - Dr. Leigh Armistead
  - Dr. Adolphus Belk
  - Dr. Eric Birgbauer
  - Dr. Wendy Campbell
  - Dr. Jack DeRochi
  - Dr. Kenneth Gordon
  - Dr. Padmini Patwardhan
  
6. Tim Daugherty, Chair of Faculty Conference, answered questions and overviewed the draft of the new Faculty Conference Bylaws with respect to the Committee on Graduate Instruction
7. Reports: Dave Rankin gave an update on the progress of the Committee on Graduate Studies (Chaired by Boyd and Weikle) and the MASTER'S INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM In Biology: Ecology/Evolution Track for the Peace Corps.
8. New Business
  - There was no new business.

The next meeting will be February 23<sup>rd</sup>.