



The Graduate School

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA

GRADUATE COUNCIL AGENDA August 26, 2013

To: Graduate Council

Dr. Paul Solomon, Chair; Drs. Alexander Beecroft, Matt Brown, Nancy Brown, Wayne Carver, David Darmofal, Erik Drasgow, Minuette Floyd, Stacy Fritz, Jerry Hilbish, Michael Hodgson, J. Daniel Jenkins, Thomas Kramer, Julia Lopez-Robertson, DeAnne Messias, Elena Osokina, Tracey Weldon-Stewart, Terrance Weik; Brittany Walter, GSA Representative

CC: President Harris Pastides, Provost Michael Amiridis, Dr. Kristia Finnigan, Deans, Department Chairs, Graduate Directors and Graduate Program Administrators

From: Dr. Lacy Ford, Vice Provost and Dean of Graduate Studies

The Graduate Council will meet on Monday, August 26, 2013 at 2:00pm in the Byrnes Building, Room 311 with the following items on the agenda:

1. **Call to Order and Approval of Agenda** (Paul Solomon)
2. **Report of the Chair** (Paul Solomon)
3. **Report of the Dean of Graduate Studies** (Lacy Ford)
4. **Report of the Secretary of the Graduate Council / Associate Dean** (Murray Mitchell)
5. **Report of the Graduate Student Association Representative** (Brittany Walter)
6. **Report of the Academic Policy and Practices Committee** (TBA)
7. **Report of the 500/600 Level Courses, Distance Education and Special Courses** (Murray Mitchell)

500/600 Level Courses

APPROVED

[MUSC 505 Violin Scales and Technique](#) – New Course Proposal (2)

[Effective Term: Fall 2013]

[SPCH 500 Selected Topics in Speech](#) – Course Change Proposal (COURSE DELETION REQUESTED) (1)

[Effective Term: Maymester 2013]

[SPCH 546 Alternative Voices](#) – Course Change Proposal (COURSE DELETION REQUESTED) (3)

[Effective Term: Maymester 2013]

Distance Education Delivery

APPROVED

[ITEC 770 Health Database Systems](#) (3)

[Effective Term: Fall 2013]

[ITEC 747 Management of Health Information Systems](#) (3)

[Effective Term: Fall 2013]

8. **Fellowships and Scholarships Committee** (TBA)
9. **Report of Science, Math, and Related Professional Programs Committee** (TBA)
10. **Report of the Humanities, Social Sciences, Education, and Related Professional Programs Committee** (TBA)
11. **Report of the Grievances, Appeals and Petitions Committee** (TBA)
12. **Other Committee Reports**
13. **Old Business**
14. **New Business**
15. **Good of the Order**
16. **Adjournment**