Graduate Studies Committee
2005-2006
Annual Report

The Graduate Studies Committee membership was as follows: Ginette Delandshere (Chair), Keith Morran, Trudy Banta, Sasha Barab, Dennis Knapczyk, Richard Lesh, Karen Black, Sheri Anderson, Jesse Goodman， Leonard Burello.

Ex-officio Members were as follows: Rachelle Winkle Wagner (recorder), Jeane Novotny, Mary McMullen, Susan Sloffer

The following proposals were passed:

- Proposal to change the GRE requirement fro the Master's degree applicants in Educational Leadership (passed on 9/6/05): Students with a 3.2 GPA or higher throughout their undergraduate degree are not required to submit GRE scores.
- Proposal for name change: Elementary Certification and Graduate Program (ECGP) to Elementary Transition-to-Teaching (passed 12/1/05)
- Proposal for Interdisciplinary Minor in Gerontology (passed on 2/16/06): This minor is a joint minor between the School of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation (HPER) and the Department of Counseling and Educational Psychology in the School of Education

New Course Requests:

- P674 – Advanced Topical Seminar (passed on 11/3/05)
- P671 – Pro-seminar in Learning Sciences (passed on 11/3/05)
- L409/L509 – Critical issues for the Reading Professional (passed on 3/2/06)
- S501 – Introduction to Teaching in Senior Higher, Junior High, and Middle School (passed on 4/13/06)
- W501 – Integrating Technology and Teaching (passed on 4/13/06)

Course Change Requests:

- P546 – Instructional Strategies for Thinking Collaboration, and Motivation (passed on 11/3/05)
- G647 – Advanced Internship in Counseling (passed on 11/3/05)
- J705 – Seminar: Inquiry in Curriculum and Instruction (passed on 3/2/05)
- A508 – Legal Issues in Education (passed on 4/13/06)

Other issues discussed by the GSC:

- Graduate program review (submitted a letter outlining the program review to David Deleke in the University Graduate School).
- Faculty governance: the service commitments of faculty in the School of Education.