

**GRADUATE STUDIES COMMITTEE**  
**AGENDA**  
**DECEMBER 9, 2019 @ 3PM**  
**BUILDING 1A, Room 308**

**Graduate Studies Committee:** John Sandler, Jianying Gu, Jonathan Peters, Chandan Acharya, Ming Tang, Bilge Yesil, Xiaowen Zhang, Margaret Berci, Jinyoung Kim, Ruth Powers Silverberg, Greg Seals, Vinay Vaishampayan, Katharine Goodland (Chair), Alfred Levine, Don Selby, Susan Smith-Peter, Maureen Garvey, Marcello Lucia, Greg Phillips, Catherine Paradiso, Wei Zhang, Li Ge, Sandra Hunt, Barbra Teater

**Staff:** Michael Anderson, Susan Massara, Veronica DiMeglio, Sasha Spence

**Ex-Officio:** Susan Holak, Michael Cavagnero, Marcus Tye, Sarolta Takács, Mel Pipe

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1. Approval of the agenda for the December 9<sup>th</sup> GSC meeting.
2. Approval of the minutes from the November 4<sup>th</sup> meeting (attached).
3. Library Committee: Student Representative
4. Closing of MA in Cinema and Media Studies
5. Proposal from the Master of Science in Neuroscience and Developmental Disabilities for:
  - a. Change in existing course: NSM 702 Neurobiology II
  - b. Change in existing course: NSM 706 Research Methods
  - c. Change in existing course: NSM 707 Developmental Neuroscience
  - d. Change in existing course: NSM 708 Behavioral Genetics
  - e. Change in existing course: NSM 709 Foundations of Cognitive Science
  - f. Change in existing course: NSM 712 Neurobiology of Adult Brain Disorders
  - g. Change in existing course: NSM 798 Master's Thesis I
  - h. Change in existing course: NSM 799 Master's Thesis II
  - i. Change in existing degree program: Master of Science in Neuroscience and Developmental Disabilities
6. Proposals from the Department of Nursing for:
  - a. New course: NRS 735 Primary Health Care I
  - b. New course: NRS 736 Primary Health Care II
  - c. New course: NRS 737 Primary Health Care III
  - d. Change in existing degree requirements: MS in Adult-Health Gerontological Nursing: CNS or NP
  - e. Change in existing degree requirements: Post Master's Advanced Certificate Adult Gerontological Nursing: CNS or NP
  - f. Change in existing degree: Adult-Gerontological Health DNP
7. Proposal from the Department of Accounting and Finance for:
  - a. Topics course: FNC 510/810 Blockchain Technologies: From Bitcoin to Hyperledger
8. Proposals from the Department of Educational Studies for:

- a. Change in existing course: EDD 634 Teaching in America: The Lives of Teachers
  - b. Change in existing course: EDD 635 Experimental Philosophy of Education
  - c. Change in existing course: EDD 636 The Good Teacher
  - d. Change in existing course: EDD 637 The Microsociology of Classroom Life
  - e. Change in existing course: EDD 638 The History of Fads and Frills in School
9. Adoption of the University's Guidelines for 4 + 1 Programs
10. Draft recommended changes to CSI Graduate Catalog
11. Old Business
12. New Business