

#### **Graduate Studies Subcommittee Minutes**

September 25, 2019

**Present:** K. Wilson (Chair); J. Morales-Chicas (Vice Chair); M. Shaverdi (ECST); K. Bezdecny (NSS); M. Minassian (EPC Liaison); S. Baker (Lib & SA); K. Brown (Exec Secretary/Recorder), Veronica Ramirez, Recording Secretary

**Absent:** Richard Dean (A&L); S. Balan (B&E); H. Guo (ECST);

### Call to Order

K. Wilson called the meeting to order at 12:30 p.m.

## **Introductions**

K. Wilson thanked the GSS members for their hard work and dedication to the committee. He welcomed M. Shahverdi from ECST who will be participating in the committee AY 2019-2020.

### **Approval of Agenda**

 GSS reviewed and approved the agenda. MSP

## **Approval of Minutes**

The GSS reviewed and approved the minutes 4/24/19.
MSP

### **Intent to Raise Questions**

None

#### **Announcements**

• None at this time.

### **Curriculum Review**

• None at this time.

## • Overview of GSS Subcommittee Charge

The committee reviewed the GSS Subcommittee charge.

## • Chair & Vice Chair AY 2019-2020:

The Committee The committee nominated and voted in A Avramchuk as the Committee Chair and J Morales-Chicas as the Vice Chair.

M/S/P

#### **Old Business:**

• GA/TA fee waiver: The committee will continue to work on the strategized plan and draft a policy that is aligned with our institutions needs since the GA and TA scope of work varies. The committee will continue to work together on this issue in AY 2019-2020.

## **New Business:**

- Graduate Non Resident Tuition Fee Waiver
- Continuous enrollment policy for Graduate Students
- Repeat Policy for UNIV 9000
- Status of Interdisciplinary Program
- Review Graduate Student Probation and Disqualification Policy
- Review policy related to comprehensive examination as the culminating project
- To establish policies and guidelines for the award of graduate scholarship: Graduate Equity Award; Non-resident Tuition Fee Waiver for Graduate student; Travel Awards; Professional Development Awards RSCA Awards

# Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.