Graduate Council Meeting Thursday, September 22, 2022

Present: <u>Professors:</u> Badovinac, Barragan, Buck, Forbes, Hoffman, Johnson, Legge, O'Shaughnessy, Qian, Van Otterloo; <u>Graduate Students:</u> Cota, Harper, Ismail, States; <u>Graduate</u> <u>College Personnel</u>: Varga, Arbisi-Kelm, McKibben, Teitle, Thein.

Absent: Professors: Beck, Doucette, Paul Hribar Graduate College Personnel: Campo, Danger.

The meeting was called to order by Dean Thein at 08:17 a.m.

1. Welcome, Introductions & Announcements by Dean Thein

- Katie Bottorff is looking for students to speak at the fall commencements. Katie McKibben is looking for young alumni speakers, as well.
- The college is launching a GOLDrush campaign to fund a startup peer mentoring program.
- Nicole States mentioned that GSS had a good kickoff this week and they are seeking to increase membership.
- Jen Teitle reminded the group about the upcoming 3MT contest.
- 2. Minutes of the September 8th, 2022, meeting were approved unanimously.
- **3.** Proposal to change Master's and Doctoral Examination committee voting policy (Varga, 20 minutes). Vibrant discussion and tabled for future consideration.

The meeting adjourned at 8:49 a.m.