# GCSU College of Health Science – School of Nursing

## Graduate Committee Meeting Date: January 14, 2019 Time: 10:00 am

Meeting location: Debby MacMillan's office

## ATTENDANCE:

MEMBERS P denotes attendance E excused A absent				
P	Sheryl Winn, chair (SW)	P	Debby MacMillan, Ex Officio (DM)	
P	Dean Baker (DB)	P	Leslie Moore (LM)	
P	Monica Ketchie (MK)	P	Susan Steele (SS) (via WebEx)	
P	Debbie Greene (DG)	P	Paige Alford (PA)	
GUESTS: None				

AGENDA	DISCUSSIONS & CONCLUSIONS with		
TOPIC	ACTION OR RECOMMENDATIONS		
	* Please note that I removed the separate column from this template that used to include information on who was responsible for		
	FOLLOW UP with items. I have instead, highlighted items that require follow up in blue. I think that this now reads better.		
I. Call to order	1. Call to order at 10:14 am by Sheryl Winn		
II. Approval of Agenda	2. A motion was made to approve the agenda by Leslie Moore and seconded by Dean Baker. A vote was held and the motion passed unanimously.		
III. Approval of previous minutes	3. A motion was made to approve the minutes by Leslie Moore and seconded by Dean Baker. A vote was held and the motion passed unanimously.		
IV. Report to	4. Report to EE committee to reflect in minutes each month:		
EE committee			
to reflect in	The Graduate Committee met last Thursday & drafted new MSN program outcomes, Sheryl Winn will take this to NFO in January.		
minutes each month:	<ul> <li>New Midwifery &amp; Women's Health NP programs were approved at the USG level, as of today. The midwifery program requires a separate accreditation process, so we cannot begin recruiting for that program, but we can for the WHNP. It would be possible to begin this program this Summer 2019.</li> <li>Marketing money (\$3,000) for graduate nursing was just given to us, will use to promote NE &amp; WHNP.</li> <li>Paige to put WHNP in newsletter</li> </ul>		
	b. Have all preceptors been reviewed by course faculty and found to be qualified?		
	<ul> <li>New semester begins today: this is a work in progress for all clinical courses.</li> <li>c. Have all currently enrolled students been reviewed and meet qualifications to continue in their programs?</li> <li>Yes. Paige will review Nursing license renewals in Evalue &amp; will send email to all students to remind to renew &amp; upload documentation.</li> </ul>		

### V. New Business

#### 5.Student/Cohort reports

None (one "no report" was submitted from the FNP class of 2019- this is stored in the nursing shared drive with these minutes.)

#### 6.New Business

- a. Petitions: Canady
  - Committee reviewed petition.
  - A motion was made to accept this student back to repeat NRSG 7050 by Leslie Moore and seconded by Dean Baker. A vote was held and the motion passed unanimously.
- b. Turn it In: "Magic number", discuss what is reasonable % for submission.
  - Susan Steele pointed out that faculty can set TurnItIn to detect a certain # of consecutive words, which would kick out references & lower the overall % of similarity. Seven words is recommended by the Vail tutorial.
  - Experiment with new settings and see how this changes: look at it again after this semester & see if we can set a % at that time. Follow up again with this is May to see how this change works. Paige will add to May agenda to review.
  - Susan will send screenshots for a "tutorial" for these settings in TurnItIn & will send out to faculty.
- c. Follow up from MSN curriculum retreat on 1/10/19/ submitting revised MSN outcomes to NFO/determine when they are to become effective.
  - Motion to be presented at 1/25/19 NFO to be effective Summer 2019.
- d. Admissions update:
  - Applicants will be directed to park at Cenntennial, take shuttle to campus, come to 2nd floor of Parks Memorial. Will be greeted by Paige, given paperwork & directed to have a seat in hallway. Interviews will be with faculty members in their offices. Afterwards, they will be given a campus map & directed to library computer lab to complete writing assignment. (Unless we want to email writing assignment and have them complete at home by a certain date/time?)
  - Only 3 DNP applicants currently signed up for interviews- Paige has followed up (3 more have signed up by the typing of these minutes.)
  - Per Sallie: add to interview materials—info about difficulty finding preceptors in Atlanta area/will need to drive/Paige to also add that we cannot pay preceptors
  - Paige has reserved the following rooms for Immersion and Interviews:
    - o MSN/May 14-17/A&S 272, 274, 275
    - o DNP/Aug 20-23/Dohanoo
    - o Interviews: Computer lab 119/ Feb 2, 4 & Mar 11
- e. US News report & follow up
  - Print out criteria & review during grad comm. Paige to bring to next meeting.
- f. Outstanding grad student awards/May
  - How many awards to give?
    - Will decide once applications are submitted. Could give 1 NE student, 1FNP clinical, 1 FNP overall, 1PMH clinical, 1PMH overall, or could do one outstanding from each program + one outstanding MSN overall
    - Paige is contacting students who are eligible.
    - Recognize Dept of Public Health students that will graduate in May at SON celebration—Paige will get this on the program.

### VII. Old Business

None

IX. Next Meeting	Next meeting: Interviews: 2/4 & 2/11—all day Meeting: 2/25/19 @ 10:00 am
X. Adjournment	Adjourned by Sheryl Winn at 11:08 am Approved unanimously

Submitted by Paige Alford on 1/15/19