

Minutes of CGSR Meeting #11 on 12/11/2018

The Committee on Graduate Studies and Research (CGSR) held its 11th meeting of AY '18/'19 on December 11, 2018 (Tuesday) in Salisbury Labs room 305.

Present: S. Scarlata (Co-Chair), S. Johnson, M. Rolle, G. Fischer, B. Choate (GS), B. Vernescu (Vice Provost for Research)

Absent: M. Timko, R. Rao, T. Camesano (Dean of Graduate Studies)

Guests: N/A

Professor Scarlata called the meeting to order at 3:03 PM

1. The minutes of the December 4, 2018 meeting were approved.
2. Prof. Scarlata reviewed an email communication from Registrar S. Miles reminding the committee that this is the first year that the new rules for graduate student academic standing are in effect, and that CGSR needs to be prepared to review any student appeals. The email described the procedure for handling undergraduate petitions through CAO for guidance. For timely review and documentation, graduate student appeals will be reviewed and decisions communicated electronically (using a similar process as for undergraduate appeal review by CAO).
3. Interdisciplinary Program Templates. Final revisions were approved and will be posted on the CGSR page of the Faculty Governance web site.
4. A motion for a dual MS in Management and ME was discussed and approved.
5. Cost centers update. A brief overview of rationale and plan for developing cost centers was provided by Vice Provost for Research, Bogdan Vernescu.

The meeting adjourned at 3:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Marsha Rolle
CGSR secretary (B18)