The Committee on Graduate Studies and Research (CGSR) held its 7th meeting of the 2015-16 academic year on October 14, 2015 in Higgins Labs, room 102.

Present: M. Demetriou (Chair), A. Zeng, S. Hudson (GS), C. Larsen, B. Vernescu (Vice Provost for Research), K. Troy, S. Flavin (ex-officio).
Guests: T. Camesano (Dean of Graduate Studies), Provost Bursten, M. Gennert

1. Professor Demetriou called the meeting to order at 11:05 AM
2. Revisions of motions by RBE were discussed with M. Gennert. These involved changes to the capstone experience, including changing the project requirement from 6 credits to 3.
3. Minutes from CGSR Meeting#6-10/7/2015 were discussed and approved.
4. Professor Demetriou introduced a motion on behalf of AE, to add a course and change what are designated as “core classes.” These were discussed and approved.
5. A motion to change the makeup of CGSR was discussed.
6. Professor Demetriou introduced Provost Bursten to the committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Chris Larsen, CGSR Secretary (B term)