

*Graduate Council*  
**GRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**  
**MINUTES**

Friday, January 24, 2025 • 11:00 a.m.  
Faculty Center

**Members of the Graduate Curriculum Committee Present :**

Robert Wells, chair           Dennis LaJeunesse  
Salih Rakap, chair-elect   Vladislav Maksimov  
Diane Gill                    Melody Patterson Zoch  
Lakshmi Iyer                 Wanda Williams  
Marianne LeGreco

**Members of the Graduate Curriculum Committee Absent:**

Gwen Schug

**Ex Officio & Non-Voting Members Present:**

Greg Bell                    Graduate School  
Jodi Pettazzoni   Office of Assessment, Accreditation, and Academic Program Planning  
Lisa Henline        University Registrar’s Office

**Guests:**

Joy Bhadury                    Nancy Hodges  
Jin Su

**AGENDA ITEMS:**

I. Approval of December 6, 2024 minutes

Motion to approve December 6, 2024 minutes (Iyer, Rakap). Minutes approved.

II. New Business – Courses

**College of Arts and Sciences**

**English**

01.	Course:	ENG 702 Theories, Methods, or Pedagogy: Selected Topics
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, Iyer) Approved pending revision of course description and SLOs		

02.	Course:	ENG 703 Cultural and Historical Change: Selected Topics
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LeGreco, Rakap) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

### **Geography, Environment, and Sustainability**

03.	Course:	GES 601 Research Trends in Geography
	Request:	Update repeat limit
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved		

### **Liberal and Professional Studies**

04.	Course:	MAS 614 Global Arts
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LaJeunesse) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

05.	Course:	MAS 615 The Reel World: Contemporary History on Screen
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LeGreco) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

06.	Course:	MAS 616 Creative Expression—Making Poetry
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LeGreco) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

07.	Course:	MAS 617 Modern China
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LeGreco) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

08.	Course:	MAS 625 Dangerous Minds: Terrorism, Political Violence, and Radical Orthodoxies
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, Iyer) Approved pending revision of course description		

09.	Course:	MAS 626 Ethical Leadership
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LaJeunesse) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

10.	Course:	MAS 627 Simple Living in a Complex Age
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LaJeunesse) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

11.	Course:	MAS 628 Contemporary Warfare
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LaJeunesse) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

12.	Course:	MAS 629 Global and Intercultural Engagement
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LaJeunesse) Approved pending revision of SLOs		

## **College of Visual and Performing Arts**

### **School of Dance**

13.	Course:	DCE 630 Advanced Body Theories and Practices in Dance
	Request:	Update credit hours and SLOs, basic texts, principal topics, and grading scale
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LaJeunesse, Williams) Approved. Feedback provided regarding revising program requirements for Post-Baccalaureate Licensure in Dance.		

14.	Course:	DCE 632 Pilates: Movement Fundamentals for Dancers
	Request:	Revise title (Pilates: Movement Fundamentals); update credit hour structure and CIP code
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LaJeunesse) Approved		

### School of Music

15.	Course:	ENS 672 Latin American Folk Music Ensemble
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LaJeunesse, Williams) Approved pending revision of course description (1 recusal)		

### School of Theatre

16.	Course:	THR 591 Variable Topics in Theatrical Design
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

17.	Course:	THR 592 Variable Topics in Technical Production
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

18.	Course:	THR 614 Collaboration in Theatrical Production
	Request:	Update credit hours and repeat limit; revise course description, prerequisites, and SLOs
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

19.	Course:	THR 646 Costume Crafts
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

20.	Course:	THR 686 Graduate Design for Theatre 1
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

21.	Course:	THR 687 Graduate Design for Theatre 2
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

22.	Course:	THR 688 Graduate Design for Theatre 3
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

## **Bryan School of Business and Economics**

### **Economics**

23.	Course:	ECO 701 Microeconomics I
	Request:	Revise title (Microeconomics) and course description; update prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LeGreco) Approved pending revision of course description. Feedback provided regarding SLO revision. (2 recusals)		

24.	Course:	ECO 702 Macroeconomics
	Request:	Update prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LeGreco, LaJeunesse) Approved (2 recusals)		

25.	Course:	ECO 705 Econometric Methods
	Request:	Update prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LeGreco, LaJeunesse) Approved (2 recusals)		

26.	Course:	ECO 745 Advanced Econometric Theory
	Request:	Revise title (Topics in Advanced Econometrics); update prerequisites and basic texts
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LaJeunesse, Rakap) Approved (2 recusals)		

27.	Course:	ECO 748 Research Methods in Applied Economics II
	Request:	Revise title (Research Methods in Applied Economics); update prerequisites and repeat limit
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, Willaism) Approved. Feedback provided regarding SLO revision. (2 recusals)		

## **Management**

28.	Course:	BUS 751 Special Topics in Research Methods
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LaJeunesse, Rakap) Approved (2 recusals)		

## **School of Health and Human Sciences**

### **Genetic Counseling**

29.	Course:	GEN 702 Professional Issues in Genetic Counseling: ELSI & Beyond
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

## **School of Nursing**

30.	Course:	NUR 623 Leading in a Transformative Health System
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

31.	Course:	NUR 624 Project and Change Management
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

32.	Course:	NUR 625 Foundations for Population Health
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs and course description (1 recusal)		

33.	Course:	NUR 626 Quality Improvement in Principles and Practice
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

34.	Course:	NUR 640 Applied Budgeting and Resources Management
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

35.	Course:	NUR 647 Designing Care Delivery Roles and Functions
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

36.	Course:	NUR 648 Science-Based Administrative Practice
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

37.	Course:	NUR 649 Advancing Innovation through Design Thinking
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved (1 recusal)		

38.	Course:	NUR 650 Environment Health Impact on Population Well-being
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

39.	Course:	NUR 654 Practicum in Administrative Practice
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

40.	Course:	NUR 676 Psychopharmacology for Advanced Practice
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending clarification of registration restriction (1 recusal)		

41.	Course:	NUR 677 Assessment & Diagnosis of Psychiatric & Mental Health Disorders Across the Lifespan
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending clarification of registration restriction (1 recusal)		

42.	Course:	NUR 678 Psychotherapy: Theory and Practice for Individuals & Groups
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending clarification of registration restriction (1 recusal)		

43.	Course:	NUR 679 Managing Complex Psychiatric Disorders in Adults & Families
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved (1 recusal)		

44.	Course:	NUR 690 Psychiatric Mental Health Care Clinical
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved (1 recusal)		

45.	Course:	NUR 691 Managing Complex Psychiatric Disorders in Special and Vulnerable Populations
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved (1 recusal)		

46.	Course:	NUR 693 Integrative Psychiatric-Mental Health Clinical
	Request:	New course
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of course description (1 recusal)		

47.	Course:	NUR 790 Directed Research
	Request:	Update prerequisites, SLOs, basic texts, principal topics, and grading scale
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Maksimov) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

### III. New Business – Programs

#### **College of Arts and Sciences**

##### **Biology**

48.	Program:	Environmental Health Sciences, Ph.D. (Key 257)
	Request:	Revise title (Biological Sciences)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LaJeunesse, Zoch) Approved		

##### **Computer Science**

49.	Program:	Computer Science, Ph.D. (Key 639)
	Request:	Change program and credit hour requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved		

##### **English**

50.	Program:	English, M.A. (Key 103)
	Request:	Change program and credit hour requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Tabled to be discussed at a future meeting		

51.	Program:	Creative Writing, M.F.A. (Key 260)
	Request:	Change program and credit hour requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Tabled to be discussed at a future meeting		

52.	Program:	English, Ph.D. (Key 261)
	Request:	Change program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Tabled to be discussed at a future meeting		

53.	Program:	English, M.A. Doctoral Track (Key 431)
	Request:	Change program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved		

### **Geography, Environment, and Sustainability**

54.	Program:	Geography, Ph.D. (Key 318)
	Request:	Change admission, program, and credit hour requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Rakap) Approved pending clarification of repeat language for GES 601		

### **Liberal and Professional Studies**

55.	Program:	Liberal and Interdisciplinary Studies, M.A. (Key 427)
	Request:	Change program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Rakap) Approved		

### **College of Visual and Performing Arts**

#### **School of Art**

56.	Program:	Studio Arts, M.F.A. (Key 276)
	Request:	Change program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, Rakap) Approved		

#### **School of Dance**

57.	Program:	Dance, M.A. (Key 274)
	Request:	Change program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Iyer, LaJeunesse) Approved		

### **School of Music**

58.	Program:	Music Technology, P.B.C. (Key 733)
	Request:	Change program and credit hour requirements; revise SLOs
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved pending revision of SLOs (1 recusal)		

### **School of Theatre**

59.	Program:	Drama, M.F.A. Design Concentration (Key 218)
	Request:	Change program requirements and SLOs
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

### **Bryan School of Business and Economics**

#### **Accounting & Finance**

60.	Program:	Accelerated B.S. to M.S. Accounting (Key 468)
	Request:	Change CIP code; change admission and program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved (2 recusals)		

#### **Consumer, Apparel, and Retail Studies**

61.	Program:	Consumer, Apparel, and Retail Studies, Ph.D. (Key 535)
	Request:	Discontinue program
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LeGreco) Approved (2 recusals)		

#### **Economics**

62.	Program:	Economics, Ph.D. (Key 525)
	Request:	Discontinue program
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LeGreco) Approved (2 recusals)		

#### **Information Systems and Supply Chain Management**

63.	Program:	Information Systems, Ph.D. (Key 521)
	Request:	Discontinue program
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LeGreco) Approved (2 recusals)		

## Management

64.	Program:	Business Administration, Ph.D. (Key 581)
	Request:	Change admission, program, and credit hour requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (LeGreco, Zoch) Approved (2 recusals)		

65.	Program:	Business Administration, Ph.D. Management Concentration (Key 961)
	Request:	New concentration
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved (2 recusals)		

66.	Program:	Business Administration, Ph.D. Information Systems Concentration (Key 967)
	Request:	New concentration
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved (2 recusals)		

67.	Program:	Business Administration, Ph.D. Consumer, Apparel, and Retail Studies Concentration (Key 969)
	Request:	New concentration
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved (2 recusals)		

68.	Program:	Business Administration, Ph.D. Economics Concentration (Key 974)
	Request:	New concentration
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Motion/action: (Rakap, LaJeunesse) Approved (2 recusals)		

## School of Health and Human Sciences

### Community and Therapeutic Recreation

69.	Program:	Parks and Recreation Management, M.S. (Key 337)
	Request:	Change credit hour and program requirements, add online delivery
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

70.	Program:	Parks and Recreation Management, M.S. Community Recreation Management Concentration (Key 338)
	Request:	Change credit hour and program requirements; add online delivery and discontinue campus delivery
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

71.	Program:	Parks and Recreation Management, M.S. Recreational Therapy Concentration (Key 339)
	Request:	Change credit hour and program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

### **Kinesiology**

72.	Program:	Psychosocial Strategies for Physical Activity Promotion, P.B.C. (Key 958)
	Request:	New P.B.C.
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

### **Public Health Education**

73.	Program:	Health and Wellness Coaching, P.B.C. (Key 550)
	Request:	Change program requirements; add online delivery
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Tabled to be discussed at a future meeting		

### **School of Nursing**

74.	Program:	Nursing, Ph.D. (Key 277)
	Request:	Change admission, program, and credit hour requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

75.	Program:	Nursing, M.S.N. Nursing Leadership and Management Concentration. (Key 280)
	Request:	Change program and credit hour requirements; revise SLOs
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

76.	Program:	Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, P.M.C. (Key 977)
	Request:	New P.M.C.
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Moved to electronic review due January 30		

IV. Electronic Review (January 9 – 16, 2025)

Rejected Items

	Program:	Birth-Kindergarten Initial Licensure, P.B.C. (Key 324)
	Request:	Change admissions requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Tabled to be discussed at a future meeting		

	Program:	Kinesiology, M.S. Applied Sport Psychology Concentration (Key 571)
	Request:	Change program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025
Tabled to be discussed at a future meeting		

Approved Items

	Course:	DCE 659 Laban Movement Analysis
	Request:	Revise title (Laban Bartenieff Movement Analysis)
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025

	Course:	CSD 678L Clinical Practice II
	Request:	Update schedule type
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025

	Course:	ENG 622 Internship in English
	Request:	Update ability to be repeated
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025

	Course:	HDF 650 Theory and Research in Early Childhood
	Request:	Update prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025

	Course:	ECO 643 Econometric Methods
	Request:	Update prerequisites
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025

	Program:	Computer Science, M. S. (Key 102)
	Request:	Change program requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2025