

Graduate Council
GRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
AGENDA

Friday, April 10, 2026 • 11:00 a.m.
MHRA 2711

Members of the Graduate Curriculum Committee:

Salih Rakap, chair	Vladislav Maksimov
Melody Patterson Zoch, chair elect	Gwen Schug
Dennis LaJeunesse	Jin Su
Jocelyn Smith Lee	Robert Wells
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Ex Officio & Non-Voting Members:

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

AGENDA ITEMS:

- I. Approval of February 6, 2026 minutes
- II. New Business

College of Arts and Sciences

Computer Science

01.	Program:	Computer Science, Ph.D. (Key 639)
	Request:	Change program and credit hour requirements
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2027

English

02.	Course:	ENG 680 Teaching Internships in English
	Request:	Update registration restrictions
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2027

Media Studies

03.	Program:	Emerging Media, M.F.A. (Key 1009)
	Request:	New degree program
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2027

Sociology, Criminology, and Justice Studies

04.	Program:	Criminology and Justice Studies, P.B.C.
	Request:	New P.B.C.
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2027

School of Education**Dean's Office**

05.	Program:	NC TEACH Alternative Licensure, French (K-12) Licensure Area (Key 761)
	Request:	Discontinue program
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2026

06.	Program:	NC TEACH Alternative Licensure, Spanish (K-12) Licensure Area (Key 761)
	Request:	Discontinue program
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2026

07.	Program:	NC TEACH Alternative Licensure, Latin (9-12) Licensure Area (Key 761)
	Request:	Discontinue program
	Eff. Term:	Fall 2026

III. Coding of Repeatable Courses

Suggestions from the Graduate School

1. Dissertation, thesis and independent study courses - mark as unlimited repeats. This would not change registration restrictions or requirement limits, but behind the scenes allows for flexibility when needed without having to apply an exception to the repeat rule. Most courses are already set like this, so it would also apply consistency to all of these course types.
2. Some courses were listed as repeatable in the program requirements but the course itself was not updated. Since the program requirements were approved by GCC, we'd like to apply that approval to the individual courses and update them.
3. Some courses have been used as repeatable for many years in the departments and we're only now realizing due to Degree Works. We've reached out to them and would like a one-time approval to update them without them each having to go through the course revision process.