Arkansas Tech University
Graduate Council
Tomlinson 102
April 19, 2011
Agenda
3:00 p.m.

Presiding: Dr. Mary B. Gunter

Call to Order

Jim Ed McGee Award Recognition: Mr. Ronald Hudson

Establish a Quorum

Approval of Minutes from March 15th meeting (See Website)

Graduate Dean Report to Council

Action Items:

Approval of Nominations for Membership on Graduate Faculty (See PDF Attachment)
- Regular Faculty: Dr. Donald M. Gooch, Non-Tenured, Dr. Mildred Gleason, Tenured, Dr. Matt Stephen, Non-Tenured, Dr. Mona Chadwick, Non-Tenured.
- Non-Regular Faculty: Dr. Douglas S. Adams, Adjunct, Ms. Pamela Dixon, Non-Regular.

Request for Course Additions
- SPED 5053: Planning Instruction for Children with Exceptionalities, 4th-12th Grades
- SPED 5063 Supervised Practicum

Proposal for New Program
- Special Education Instructional Specialist (Grade 4-12) Endorsement

Request for Course Deletion
- Please see attachment. Note: We will not delete workshops or independent study courses. All other courses have not been taught in the past ten (10) years.

Other items for discussion:

Adjourn

The Vision of the Graduate College of Arkansas Tech University is to empower students through advanced degrees to meet the demands of a global society through intellectual inquiry, scholarly attainment, artistic endeavors and creative pursuits within and across disciplines.

The Mission of the Graduate College of Arkansas Tech University is to encourage a diversity of ideas in a climate of academic freedom and integrity. Advanced degrees are designed to complement and enhance undergraduate programs. The Graduate College strives as an advocate for graduate study. The Graduate College serves to nurture and preserve academic excellence by taking the lead in shaping policy and assisting faculty in guiding and mentoring graduate students in becoming accomplished and ethical scholars, researchers and practitioners in their discipline.