

# MEETING MINUTES

DATE: AUGUST 31, 2020

**TIME:** 2:45 PM

## **A**TTENDANCE

**PRESENT:** Aghazadeh (Chair), Cai, Frick, Greckhamer, Hirschheim, Husseneder, Porter, Rohli, Seifried, Spencer (ex-officio), Spivak, Wicks (ex-officio), and Wilks.

**ABSENT:** Corbett, Lee (Ex-Officio), and Sharky.

# **CALL TO ORDER**

Aghazadeh called the meeting to order at 2:45 pm.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

The May meeting minutes were approved unanimously.

#### **R**EPORTS

## **CHAIRS REPORT**

Aghazadeh reported that colleges are currently holding elections to fill vacancies on the Graduate Council. He allowed members (new & existing) to introduce themselves and then introduced the new Vice Provost & Graduate School Dean.

## VICE-PROVOST & DEAN'S REPORT

Spencer introduced himself and welcomed members to the first meeting of the semester. He went on to give an overview of his plans for graduate education at LSU and the role of the Graduate Council.

#### ACADEMIC AFFAIRS' REPORT: No report.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### **ELECTION OF ASSOCIATE CHAIR**

Aghazadeh opened the floor for nominations for new associate chair. No nominations were received and Hirschheim moved to table selecting an associate chair until the next meeting. Porter seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

#### **PRACTICES DOCUMENT**

Wicks asked members to review the document and email any feedback. The document will be discussed at the next meeting.

# **STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**PROMOTION & TENURE:** No report. GRADUATE FACULTY: No report. Awards: No report.

# Meeting Adjourned at 3:15 pm.

Next Meeting: Monday, September 28 at 2 pm.

**APPROVED** 

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LSU GRADUATE COUNCIL

RECORDED BY:

**Rodney Goldsmith** Assistant to the Dean Graduate School

**APPROVED BY:** 

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James Spencer Vice Provost & Dean Graduate School