



**GRADUATE COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2011, 1:20 – 2:50 P.M.
DEMPSEY HALL 301**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

APPROVAL ITEMS

- Graduate Council Minutes of September 8, 2011 (*posted to D2L*)
- Student Representative Committee Assignments (*Committee lists and charges posted to D2L*)
 - Executive Committee
 - Curriculum Approval Committee
 - Academic Policies Committee
 - Graduate Studies Initiatives Program Committee

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Executive Committee – New Dean Position Description
- Curriculum Approval Committee
- Distinguished Research Award Review Committee (Greg will discuss info from MAGS)
 - MAGS Distinguished Thesis Nomination Form (*posted to D2L*)
 - MAGS Distinguished Thesis Guidelines (*posted to D2L*)
- Graduate Studies Travel Fund Committee
- Graduate Studies Initiative Program
 - College of Nursing Graduate Education Marketing and Open House proposal, request for \$5799 (*posted to D2L*)

OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDIES REPORT

- Jennifer Kaiser (MPA Program) hired as a STEP Student in Grad Studies Office – will be responsible for coordinating this year's GradSchool Fests.
- Bulletin Updates
- Progress and Challenges from Assistant Vice Chancellor Vande Zande

DEAN-IN-RESIDENCE REPORT