The GPC held its third meeting of fall, 2011 semester at 9AM in the Education Annex room 167 with Susan Ashford presiding.

**Members in attendance:**
Nancy Pencoe – Biology
Barbara Ballentine – Biology
Dean Sullivan – Library
Elizabeth Kramer – Music
Alan Pope – Psychology
Laurie Ware – Nursing
Douglas Turner – RCOB
Myrna Gantner – Academic Affairs
Susan Ashford – Nursing
Louis Howe – Political Science and Planning
Josh Masters – COAH/English and Humanities

**Guests in attendance:**
Hope Udombon – RCOB
Todd Mathers – COSS/Sociology
Andy Nixon – COE/EDSI
Frank Butts – COE/LAI

1. Minutes 9/22/2011
   A) Any Changes, Additions, Modifications
      Action: Approved

2. ITEMS: Course/Program Requests for Additions, Deletion, and Modifications
   A) College of Social Sciences
      1. Sociology Department (Originator: Paul Luken)
         Program Change
            a) Program: Master of Arts with a Major in Sociology
               Request: Modify
               Action: Approved

         Course Changes
            a) SOCI-5132 Human Life Cycle and Cross-Cultures
               Request: Delete
               Action: Approved
2. Action: Approved  Psychology Department  (Originator: Kareen Malone)

Program Change
a) Program: Doctor of Philosophy with a Major in Psychology: Consciousness and Society
   Request: Modify
   Action: Approved

Course Change
a) PSYC-8007 Foundations of Critical Psychology
   Request: Add
   Action: Approved

B) College of Education
1. Educational Innovations (Originator: June Barry)

Course Change
a) MEDT-7477 Technology for Media Services
   Request: Modify
   Action: Approved

b) MEDT-7478 Automating School Media Center
   Request: Modify

b) SOCI-5153 Women and Aging
   Request: Delete
   Action: Approved

c) SOCI-5182 Aging Families
   Request: Delete
   Action: Approved

d) SOCI-5203 Women in American Society
   Request: Delete
   Action: Approved

e) SOCI-5204 Women in American Society
   Request: Delete

f) Action: Approved  SOCI-5513 Comparative Social Psychology
   Request: Delete

g) Action: Approved  SOCI-5913 Sociology of Everyday Life
   Request: Delete
   Action: Approved

h) SOCI-6241 Legal Theories
   Request: Delete
   Action: Approved

i) SOCI-6250 The Color of Justice
   Request: Delete
   Action: Approved

j) SOCI-6342 Crisis Intervention
   Request: Delete
Action: Tabled due to questions

2. Leadership and Applied Instruction (Originator: Frank Butts)
   Program Change
   a) Program: Master of Education with a Major in Middle Grades Education
      Request: Deactivate
      Action: No action Necessary
   Course Change
   a) SEED-7288 Teaching Internship
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved

3. Doctoral (Originator: Margaret Parrish)
   Program Change
   a) Program: Doctor of Education with a Major in School Improvement
      Request: Modify
      Action: Approved
   Course Changes
   a) EDSI-9923 Leadership for Diversity in the 21st Century
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved
   b) EDSI-9925 Policy Analysis for School Improvement
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved
   c) EDSI-9933 Leadership for Change
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved
   d) EDSI-9963 Action Research for Change I
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved
   e) EDSI-9964 Action Research II
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved
   f) EDSI-9998 Research for Doctoral Dissertation
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved
   g) EDSI-9942 Instructional Leadership that Facilitates School Improvement
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved
   h) EDSI-9943 Models of Professional Development
      Request: Add
      Action: Approved

TABLED ITEM
C. College of Arts and Humanities
1. English and Philosophy Department (Originator – Debra MacComb)
   a) Course: ENGL-5170 Studies in African-American Literature
      Request: Modify
      Action: Tabled – need clarification (we couldn’t determine whether this was a course
      name change). This is both a name change and a content change. “Studies in African
      American Literature” parallels other variable topics courses in the English Curriculum
      (e.g. ENGL 5180, Studies in Regional Literature, or ENGL 5185, Studies in Literature by
      Women); content changes to variable.
      Action: Not approved: Asking for the syllabus to explicitly reflect the difference
      between undergrad and grad level course requirements.

A) OLD BUSINESS Ad-Hoc Committees
   a) New GRE Requirement’s - Josh Master’s
      Report: New GRE Format starts in November. He will keep us posted as new information
      becomes available.
   b) Revision of the Graduate Faculty Appointment Policy - On Hold – Susan Ashford
      Report: Nothing new to report
   c) Update on Revision of Graduate Faculty Handbook (pp. 72 – 81) - Myrna Gantner
      Report: Myrna provided supplementary material for review by the committee (a. draft
      time limits to complete a degree and b. draft academic standards).
   d) Graduate Student Representative – request sent to Rules Committee – Susan Ashford
      Report: Currently working with the rule committee, hopefully we will have something by
      next semester.

B) SACs
   1) Make assignments (see attached assignment sheet)
      Task #1: Nancy Pencoe and Mark Parrish
      Task #2: Alan Pope and Dean Sullivan
      Task #3: Laurie Ware
      Task #4: Doug Turner
      Task #5: Elizabeth Kramer (P2), Barbara Ballentine (P1), Susan Ashford (P3), Susan will
      send out task associated information and deadlines to committee members.
   2) Drafts due December

4. MEETINGS:
   A) Next GPC meeting: December 1, 2011, 9:00 – 11:00am; Ed. Annex; Room 167
   B) Next Senate meeting: November 11, 2011 – 2pm Senate Executive meeting; 3pm Senate
      meeting

5. ADJOURN 10:45AM