



UNIVERSITY OF
CALGARY

General Faculties Council
Graduate Academic Program Subcommittee
Agenda

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, 10:00 a.m.
Meeting #91

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Item	Description	Presenter	Materials	Estimated Time
1.	Meeting Opening			10:00
	1.1 Approval of the Agenda	Beattie/Sun	Document	
	1.2 Traditional Land Acknowledgement	Beattie/Sun	Verbal	
	1.3 Remarks of the Co-Chairs	Beattie/Sun	Verbal	
	Action Items			
2.	Approval of the February 12, 2025 Meeting Minutes	Beattie/Sun	Document	10:05
3.	Recommendation of the Revision to Calendar Section <i>Faculty of Graduate Studies Scholarships and Awards</i>	McGrath	Document	10:10
4.	Recommendation of the Revisions to Calendar Section <i>Credentials and Nomenclature</i> for Transdisciplinary Graduate Programs	Osiyevskyy	Document	10:20
5.	Recommendation of the Revisions to Graduate Regulations <i>G.A.3 Graduate Admission Categories</i>	Osiyevskyy	Document	10:30
6.	Recommendation of the Revisions to Calendar Section P.2.5 <i>Graduate Student General Fees</i>	Osiyevskyy	Document	10:40
7.	Approval of the Suspension of Graduate Programs, Faculty of Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Master of Arts (MA) in Music Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Music Master of Fine Arts (MFA) in Art Specializations in Composition, Conducting, Sonic Arts and Music Education within the Master of Music (MMus) Specializations in Directing, Playwriting, Theatre Studies, and Design/Technical within the Master of Fine Arts (MFA) in Drama 	Hughes/ Mac Namara/ Gibbs van Brunschoot	Document	10:45

8.	Approval of the Faculty of Science Additional 2025-2026 Graduate Program Calendar Revisions	MacCallum	Document	11:30
9.	Approval of the Werklund School of Education Additional 2025-2026 Graduate Program Calendar Revisions	Wells (on behalf of Schroeder)	Document	11:35
	Information Items			
10.	Updated Tuition and General Fees for the 2025-2026 Academic Calendar	Dambrowitz	Document	11:40
11.	Program Approvals Status Report	In-package only	Document	-
12.	Other Business	Beattie/Sun	Verbal	11:50
13.	Adjournment Next Meeting: April 9, 2025	Sun	Verbal	12:00

Name	Membership (Appointment Type)	Term	Attendance
Voting Members (Quorum: 6)			
Tara Beattie Co-Chair	Dean and Vice-Provost, Graduate Studies (ex-officio)	N/A	
Qiao Sun Academic Co-Chair	Academic staff member, SSE (appointed by FGS Council; named Academic Co-Chair by GFC EC)	July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2026	
Getachew Assefa	Academic Co-Chair of the Academic Program Subcommittee (ex-officio)	N/A	
Amy Dambrowitz	Registrar (ex-officio)	N/A	Item 10
Jessalynn Keller	Academic staff member and GFC member, ARTS (appointed by GFC EC)	July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2027	
Kimberly Lenters	Academic staff member, WSE (appointed by GFC EC)	July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2026	
Justin MacCallum	Academic staff member, SCIE (appointed by FGS Council)	Nov. 23, 2023 - June 30, 2026	Item 8
Elizabeth Oddone Paolucci	Academic staff member, CSM (appointed by GFC EC)	July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2026	
Oleksiy Osiyevskyy	Associate Dean (Policy and Program Development), FGS (appointed by the FGS)	Jan. 1, 2024 - June 30, 2026	Items 4-6
Alexandria Poppendorf	Vice-President (Academic), GSA (appointed by the GSA)	May 1, 2024 - April 30, 2025	
Non-Voting Members			
Christine Johns	Associate Deputy Provost (ex-officio)	N/A	
Catherine McLeod	Senior Director, Strategic Operations, FGS (ex-officio)	N/A	
Louise Wells	Lead, Graduate Calendar, Policy, and Program Development, (ex-officio)	N/A	Item 9
Michael Wright	Appointed by TUCFA	July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025	
Secretariat Staff			
Courtney McVie	University Secretary		
Michelle Speta	Meeting Secretary		
Vanessa Kozielec	Scribe		
Resource Personnel & Observers			
Elizabeth Pando Burciaga	Program Innovation Partner		
Kelly Hoglund	Senior Specialist, Academic Initiatives		
Kimberley McLeod	Associate Registrar & Director, Systems and Policy		
Janelle Morris	Program Innovation Partner		
Jessica Revington	Program Proposal Assistant		
Kelly Kay Spurlock	Analyst, Planning and Reviews		
Saaka Sulemana Saaka	President, GSA		
Guests			
Dan McGrath	Associate Dean, Scholarships, FGS		Item 3
Safia Nathoo	Manager, Graduate Awards, FGS		Item 3
Erin J. Coburn	Graduate Scholarship Officer, FGS		Item 3
Lisa Hughes	Associate Dean, Graduate, Arts		Item 7
Aoife Mac Namara	Dean, Arts		Item 7
Erin Gibbs van Brunschot	Vice Dean, Arts		Item 7