

AGENDA

Meeting of Graduate School
Committee on Academic Staff Issues and Working Group on Leadership Changes
Wednesday, January 29th 2014, 1:00 – 2:00 pm
Wisconsin Energy Institute Bldg Rm 2135

Graduate School Committee on Academic Staff Issues Members:

Judith Bauman, sr. student services coordinator, Graduate School	Moira Harrington, communications manager, Aquatic Sciences Center
Alex Converse, associate scientist, Waisman Center	Julie Karpelenia, assistant dean HR, Graduate School (ex-officio)
Kristin Crosno, associate research specialist, Primate Center	John Richards, sr. informational processing consultant, Ice Cube Research Center
Wayne Feltz, exec director – science, Space Science & Engineering	Julie Schears, sr. outreach specialist, Waisman Center
Jenny Hackel, assistant director, Space Sciences & Engineering	Nicole Schmidt, research program manager II, Waisman Center (vice chair)
Kristin Harmon, sr. admin program specialist, Wisc Institute for Discovery	Thomas Zinnen, outreach program manager III, Biotech Center

Working Group on Leadership Changes in the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research/Dean of the Graduate School:

Susan Babcock, professor, Dept of Materials Science & Engineering	Jan Greenberg, professor, School of Social Work
Mark Cook, professor, Dept of Animal Science	Daniel Kleinman, associate dean, Graduate School
Tim Donohue, professor, Dept. of Botany (chair)	Caroline Levine, professor, Dept of English
Michael Gould, professor, Dept of Oncology	Petra Schroeder, associate dean, Graduate School

Overview of the role and function of GS-CASI (Nicci S.)

Questions for the Working Group

1. What is the current timeline of events? (Moira H.)
 - How will academic staff and governance participate?
2. How does governance fit in the new framework? (e.g., GFEC, GS-APC, GS-CASI) (Alex C.)
 - Who would chair the GS-CASI?
3. What would the revised Organizational Chart look like? (Julie S.)
 - Where do Centers fit in the new framework?
 - What other new positions or additional campus re-organization might be required? (e.g., Associate Vice Chancellors, Office of Federal Relations?)
4. How will the university preserve a close relationship between research and graduate education? (Wayne F.)
 - How would the new leadership structure affect academic staff?
5. What would “success” look like for the new leadership structure (3, 5, 10 years from now)? (Tom Z.)
6. How can GS-CASI serve the Working Group? (Judy B.)

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