

TARLETON STATE UNIVERSITY

Graduate Council

Baker, Credence – <i>Chair</i>	Faulkenberry, Thomas	Ryou, Myoung
Shipman, Brandon – <i>ex-officio</i>	Fragoso-Diaz, Gloria	Sanderford, Max
Dunn, Elizabeth – <i>ex-officio</i>	Glassner, Steven	Schuessler, Joseph
Hancock, Michele – <i>ex-officio</i>	Heller, Nathan	Smith, Martha
Becker, Melissa – <i>ex-officio</i>	Kinman, Lea Ann	Stafford, Paul
LaTouche, Jason – <i>ex-officio</i>	Martin, Randy	Tarpley, Rudy
Caudle, Adelaide – <i>ex-officio</i>	Martinson, Brian	Taylor, Diane
Ashton, Triss	Mathewson, Heather	Thomas, Charles
Breeden, Jeff	McPherson, Cynthia	Weber, Mark
Cohen, Galia	Merriman, Julie	Westbrook, Gary
Cook, Scott	Morgan, Ryan	White, Shayne [student]
Cruz, Richard	Pearce, Erin	Wigington, Tiffany
Dobbs, Rhonda	Ross, Sharon	Xu, Jun
Faulkenberry, Eileen		

Minutes from the Meeting of March 16, 2021

Curriculum items submitted for Graduate Council action are available at <https://nextcatalog.tarleton.edu/courseleaf/approve/>. You can view items by logging in using your NTNET username and password.

Present: Baker, Caudle, Cohen, Cruz, Dobbs, E. Faulkenberry, Fragoso-Diaz, Heller, Cassens for Kinman, Martin, Mathewson, McPherson, Merriman, Pearce, Ross, Sanderford, Smith, Stafford, Tarpley, Thomas, Wigington

Absent: Ashton, Breeden, Cook, T. Faulkenberry, Glassner, Martinson, Morgan, Ryou, Schuessler, Weber, Westbrook, White, Xu

Agenda Item 1: Minutes of the February 16, 2021 meeting.

Dr. Heller moved to approve the Feb. minutes, Dr. Stafford seconded, minutes were approved.

Agenda Item 2: Discussion Items

1. Flexible formats for graduate programs
 - a. Graduate programs encouraged to contact Academic Affairs with ideas on future course formats
2. Graduate Faculty: Master's Directive Status / Doctoral Directive Status (*Graduate Faculty Appointment Form reference*)
 - a. New status's were recommended to doctoral programs to help with tracking and align with other system schools