

# GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES COMMITTEE

## FULL COMMITTEE

### DEFERRAL ADDENDUM

December 12, 2005

#### **PANEL A: HEALTH, NATURAL SCIENCES, AND COMMUNICATION**

*No deferred items.*

#### **PANEL B: SOCIAL SCIENCES, HUMANITIES, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, AND LAW**

##### I. FINE ARTS Req. by Ruth Weisberg

Revise a degree program: Eff. Fall 2006

**Master of Fine Arts** [48 unit program]

Add FA 515 as a requirement; replace FA 560, FA 570 and FA 580 with FA 520.

- **11/14/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED administratively.** When FA 520 is approved, the degree program revision can be approved.
- **DEFERRED.** FA 520 was deferred back to the panel. No response was received.

#### **PANEL C: PHYSICAL SCIENCES, ENGINEERING, FINE ARTS and CINEMA-TELEVISION**

*No deferred items.*

#### **PANEL D: BUSINESS, POLICY, PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT, and EDUCATION**

##### II. MARSHALL SCHOOL OF BUSINESS: Req. by Ravi Kumar

Add a new course: Eff. Spring 2006

GSBA 589 INDUSTRY-BASED BUSINESS THEORY AND PRACTICE (1.5, max 15, FaSp)  
Introductory seminar in the business theories, philosophies, structures and practices of various industries. Open to Marshall master's and doctoral students only.

**NOTE:** The Marshall School of Business requests the ability to add section titles to this course.

- **11/14/05 GPSC MEETING: DEFERRED to panel chair, subject to clarifications:** This course is in a seminar format, meeting once a week (3 hrs) for 7-8 weeks, carrying 1.5 units of credit. The course is designed to familiarize students with business practices unique to certain important industries. This course addresses an important need in the GSBA program. Two pilot versions have already been offered and sample syllabi submitted. The contents are well organized. Requested clarifications are as follows:
  - The proposal indicates that industry experts may be invited to teach. It is not clear from the proposal whether they will be guest lecturers (as in S. Mark Young's syllabus) or they may in some case be instructors of record.
  - The registrar will be asked if a student would be able to enroll in more than one section during the same semester, and if so, if there is a maximum limit.

Also, the panel noticed that the syllabus lacks a statement of information about resources for students with disabilities.

- **APPROVED.** The department provided the following information: “GSBA-589 faculty will be selected and/or hired by academic department chairs and the Vice Dean for Graduate and International Programs, who are currently responsible for overseeing faculty placements. To the extent possible, industry experts will be recruited from among the regular full-time faculty. If necessary or preferable, highly qualified industry experts may be hired to teach on a part-time basis. The qualifications of these experts will be subject to the same scrutiny as are adjunct faculty and part-time lecturers currently.” The registrar was consulted about students enrolling in more than one section of the course during the same semester and indicated that this is acceptable. The department indicated that the maximum limit per semester would be 9 units.