

**GRADUATE COUNCIL MEETING  
MINUTES  
July 11, 2007**

**Present:** Muehsam, Ashorn, Edmonson, Gaillard, Mullings, Price, Smith,  
Tayebi

**I. Approve Minutes**

The minutes of the June 13, 2007 meeting will be reviewed for approval at the next Graduate Council meeting.

**II. Graduate Faculty Status Recommendations**

Per the Graduate Faculty Status Policy, the Council reviewed and made graduate faculty status recommendations for nominations.

Concern regarding the nominee's quality of journals was discussed. The Council was reminded of an on-line program produced by Cabell Publishing, Inc. made available through the University's library. This resource provides publication guidelines and review information to assist professors, graduate students and researchers.

**III. Miscellaneous**

The Second Annual Graduate Student Orientation is set for August 16, 2007 in the Lowman Student Center. The Council was asked to follow-up with their deans and departments for assistance in stimulating new graduate student interest in attending the Orientation.