# Minutes
## Graduate Council Curriculum Committee
## February 11, 2026
## 2:30 p.m., Zoom

**Members Present:** Daniel Paulson, Kelly Kibler, Sean Moore, Kevin Brown, Connie Lester, Rich Gause, Susan Dyess, Rohan Jowallah
**Administrators and Guests Present:** Julia Listengarten, Mindi Anderson, Pradeep Bhardwaj, Sarah "Stacy" Barber, Ranetta Guinn, Monique Carter, Mike Borowczak, Enxia Zhang, Candice Bridge, Saima Owens, Patrick LiKamWa, Nicole Dawson, Andrea Borowczak, Brandi Kramer
**Recorder:** Emily Stettner

### Welcome and call to order.
Dr. Daniel Paulson, chair, called the meeting to order at 2:30p.m. and welcomed the Committee and administrators. A quorum was established. The minutes from the January 14, 2026 meeting were reviewed and approved.

### Announcements.
Dr. Julia Listengarten summarized the status of the tabled AI items from the January 14th meeting. The proposals have been reviewed by the Provost's Office. Feedback was provided to the College of Graduate Studies who is working on resolving concerns raised. The agenda items will be added to an upcoming meeting with an exception granted for the proposals to be effective Fall 2026.

### Courses.
See the attached detailed minutes.

### Addition of CECS Systems Verification, Validation, and Test Graduate Certificate.
Dr. Mike Borowczak explained the certificate will meet the current demand for engineers who can verify, validate, and test complex hardware and software systems used in aerospace, defense, energy, and healthcare. The certificate will provide knowledge in digital logic design, embedded systems, formal methods, and system testing. The curriculum uses existing graduate courses. The certificate is 12 credit hours. The certificate addition received unanimous approval. Edit: The name has been updated to "Testing".

### Revision of CECS Electronic Parts Engineering Graduate Certificate.
Dr. Enxia Zhang explained the revision is to the description, prerequisites, required courses, and program details. The program prerequisites were revised to clearly describe the qualifications and skills for applicants. The degree requirements were revised to add courses to the lists of options. The learning outcomes and prerequisite changes were discussed. The program revision received unanimous approval.

**Adjournment.** The meeting adjourned at 2:50p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for February 25, 2026.

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*P= Primary reviewer, S= Secondary reviewer*

# ACTION AGENDA

# 1. College of Health Professions and Sciences

*College of Health Professions and Sciences course addition*

1. PHT 6781 Evidence-based Rehabilitation in Dementia Care *(P= Kibler, S= Dyess) – Approved.*

# 2. College of Engineering and Computer Science

*College of Engineering and Computer Science program addition*

1. Systems Verification, Validation, and Test Graduate Certificate *(P=Olan, S=Brown) –Approved. Name updated to "Testing".*

*College of Engineering and Computer Science program revision*

1. Electronic Parts Engineering Graduate Certificate *(P=Gause, S=Jowallah) – Approved.*
   - Description, prereqs, required courses, details

# 3. College of Sciences

*College of Sciences course addition*

1. CHS 5937 ST: Forensic Toxicology (special topic) *(P=Moore, S= Lester) – Revision of typos needed to syllabus. Approved.*