

## **Graduate Council 2019-2020 End-of-Year Report**

During the 2019-2020 academic year, beginning in August 2019 and currently in March 2020, the council has focused on hearing student appeals, reviewing graduate faculty applications, and proposing and revising policy. Our accomplishments perhaps can be best expressed as the following bulleted list:

### Appeals

- Nine admission appeals
- Fourteen time extension appeals
- Fourteen continuance appeals

### Graduate Faculty Applications

- Nineteen teaching affiliate applications
- Four adjunct applications
- Four associate applications
- Eight full applications
- One clinical applications

### Policies

- One new policy proposal
- Six policy revision proposals

In addition to the above, the Council reviewed its data sheet and revised it to clarify rotation procedures and to reflect the VPAA's responsibility to appoint the chair.

The committee's work will continue through its April and May meetings, which will be conducted using Zoom. The current COVID-19 situation should not significantly affect its progress over the remainder of the semester.