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FROM: Mary Farmer-Kaiser
Dean of the Graduate School

The Graduate Council will meet on Tuesday, April 11, at 2:00 p.m. via Zoom. Attached, you will find the agenda and minutes from our most recent meeting. Past Graduate Council meeting agendas and minutes are available on the Graduate School website at <https://gradschool.louisiana.edu/faculty/graduate-council/graduate-council-minutes-and-agendas>.

For your convenience, all upcoming Graduate Council meeting dates are listed below:

- Tuesday, May 12

C: Department Heads (FYI only)
Graduate Coordinators (FYI only)
Academic Deans (FYI only)
Dr. Jaimie Hebert, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs (FYI only)

GRADUATE COUNCIL

April 7, 2020

AGENDA

1. Call to Order, WelcomeDr. Patricia Lanier
2. Approval of March 10, 2020 Meeting Minutes
3. Announcements:
 - A. Presentation of Applicants to Candidacy
4. Committee reports:
 - A. Student Appeals..... Dr. Yung-Hsing Wu
 - B. Curriculum..... Dr. Sarah Young
 - C. Fellowships.....Dr. Scott France
 - D. Graduate Faculty MembershipDr. Clancy Ratliff
5. Old Business
 - A. Campus Experience Survey Update
6. New Business
 - A. Request for Continuation of Thesis Committee Co-Chair for Departed Faculty Member
 - B. Discussion of COVID-19 Disruption and Graduate Education
 - a. General Updates
 - b. Graduate Student Appreciation Week
 - c. Support for Thesis/Dissertation/Synthesis Project Writers set to graduate in SP2020
 - d. May 2020 Commencement (Hooding and Grand Marshal)
 - e. Official Test Admission Requirements
 - f. International Students
 - g. Extensions (admissions, funding, time, etc.)
 - C. Graduate Council Elections and Annual Meeting of the Graduate Faculty