

GFEC Minutes
Monday, March 25, 2024 | 9:10 a.m. – 9:35 a.m. through Webex

Attendees: Laura Gathagan (chair), Chris Badurek, Austin Colucci, Kevin Dames, Nancy Diller, Eileen Gravani, Vincent DeTuri, Peter McGinnis, Jennifer Martin Tse, Lori Reichel, Kimberly Rombach, Pam Schroeder, Jillian Tucker, Carol Van Der Karr, Nance Wilson

Absent: Teagan Bradway, Marinda Souva

1. Revisit Graduate Student Travel Funding Application: McDonald (Literacy)
 - We approved McDonald's request for funding at the Feb 24, 2024 meeting in the amount of \$500. We noted that should other expected funding fall short, we might consider increasing the award.
 - The applicant did not receive the expected funding
 - P. Schroeder noted \$3300 total was available for funding.
 - N. Wilson shared that this conference had already happened.
 - P. McGinnis noted that more graduate students may apply and we need to preserve funding for others.
 - Motion to increase funding to a total of \$750 (N. Wilson moved, C. Badurek seconded. Motion passed unanimously.)

2. Graduate Tasks in Curriculog:

New Courses:

- o [HLH 526](#) – Killer Bugs: Vectors of Human Disease
 - Course was provisionally approved (Feb 24, 2024), but SLOs needed adjustment and Biology department need to be contacted as courtesy in case of overlap.
 - Both of these issues were addressed. No motion needed to approve the course.
3. Approval of Minutes from 2/24/24 meeting (approved by all attendees). N. Wilson noted she could not gain access to Teams documents. C. Badurek offered an assist.
 4. Additional Comments:
 - C. Badurek noted that Faculty Senate elections were around the corner and new members are always needed.

P. McGinnis motioned to adjourn

Minutes: written by L. Gathagan