University Council on Graduate Study
Agenda

Tuesday, November 9, 2021
3:00-5:00 p.m.

Zoom

*If you are unable to attend this meeting, please send a substitute in your place and notify Jennifer Walker at jlwst88@pitt.edu.

1. Welcome

2. Academic Planning Proposals
   a. Proposal to reorganize the academic structure within the Master degree programs in the Graduate School of Public and International Affairs.
      i. Terminate five existing majors: 1. Energy and Environment 2. Governance and International Public Management 3. Human Security 4. Nongovernmental Organizations and Civil Society 5. Social Policy and 6. Urban Affairs and Planning leading to the Master of International Development (MID) degree.
      ii. Establish a new major in International Development leading to Master of International Development degree AND establish 5 new ARCOs in: 1. Energy and Environment 2. Governance and International Public Management 3. Human Security 4. Nongovernmental Organizations and Civil Society 5. Social Policy and 6. Urban Affairs and Planning
      iii. Terminate three existing majors: 1. Human security 2. Security and Intelligence Studies and 3. International Political Economy leading to the Master of Public and International Affairs (MPIA) degree
      iv. Establish a new major in Public and International Affairs leading to Master of Public and International Affairs (MPIA) degree AND ESTABLISH 3 new ARCOs in: 1. Human security 2. Security and Intelligence Studies and 3. International Political Economy)
      v. Terminate six existing majors: 1. Energy and Environment 2. Governance and International Public Management 3. Policy Research & Analysis 4. Public & nonprofit Management 5. Social Policy and 6. Urban Affairs & Planning leading to the Master of Public Administration (MPA) degree
      vi. GSPIA - Establish a new major in Public Administration leading to Master of Public Administration (MPA) degree AND ESTABLISH 6 new ARCOs in: 1. Energy and Environment 2. Governance and

International Public Management 3. Policy Research & Analysis 4. Public & nonprofit Management 5. Social Policy and 6. Urban Affairs & Planning

3. Policy Review
   a. Graduate Student Researcher Policy
   b. Graduate Student Assistant/Teaching Assistant/Teaching Fellow Policy

4. Announcements