AGENDA

September 11, 2012 (2:30 – 4:30 p.m.)
Location: Fulton Center, Room 2490

1. Welcome and Introduction of Council Members – Allison (Information)
   a. Introduction of Graduate College Representatives

2. Overview of Graduate Council Responsibilities - Allison (Information)
   a. Curricular Evaluative Review and Input
   b. Graduate Standards and Policy Review
   c. Graduate Education Initiatives

3. Approval of Previous Minutes – April 17, 2012 Meeting - Allison (Action)

4. Consent Agenda Item(s) – Allison (Action)
   a. **Group A:**
      - Proposal to establish a Doctor of Philosophy in International Letters and Cultures degree program in the School of International Letters and Cultures within the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
        *Doctor of Philosophy in International Letters and Cultures (UGC Final Copy)*

   b. **Group B:**
      - Proposal to establish a Transborder Culture, Language and Learning concentration under the Doctor of Philosophy in Transborder Studies degree program in the School of Transborder Studies within the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
        *Transborder Culture, Language and Learning Concentration (UGC Final Copy)*

   c. **Group C:**
      - Proposal to establish a Graduate Certificate in Participatory Governance in the School of Public Affairs within the College of Public Programs
        *Graduate Certificate in Participatory Governance (UGC Final Copy)*
5. University Updates - *(Information)*
   a. International Initiatives – Wertheimer
   b. Block Grants – Webber
   c. Talisma Project – Naig
   d. Higher Learning Commission (HLC) – Allison

6. Roundtable - Council Members *(Information)*