

Graduate Group Chairs Meeting
Thursday, May 9, 2019
9:00-10:00 am - SB 250

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AGENDA

1. Updates – Marjorie, Chris, Jesus - 10 min
 - GradSLAM System Finals- tomorrow, watch on livestream
 - Interdisciplinary Small Grants – forming review committee and will make decisions soon
 - GROW timing and getting new students into payroll
 - Dissertation Bootcamp May 28-June 1
 - I plan to bring to Graduate Council – proposal that a co-chair be appointed whenever faculty go on leave – thoughts?
2. Graduate Council Chair’s report – LeRoy Westerling – 5 min
 - GSAR approved
 - Other items
3. Annual Reviews (of programs and chairs) – 5 min
4. Summer Bridge – 5 min
5. Funding – 5 min
 - For planning purposes, assume similar amounts of USAP and operating funds until I tell you otherwise. Will give you final amount of operating funds in summer; USAP is finalized after census in September but you can start spending after July 1
6. Discussion - academic planning process – 15 min
7. Meetings during summer? Longer retreat needed in August? – 5 min
8. Other topics for discussion? – 10 min

THANK YOU!