

**Annual Report
Graduate Curriculum Committee
2001 – 2002**

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The Graduate Curriculum Committee met ten times during the year. The Student Petition Review Subcommittee (Hertel, McIver, Kilroy) met six times during the year.

One Degree program name change was approved:

- Master and Ph.D. in “History of Technology” to “History and Sociology of Technology and Science”

Three new degree programs were approved:

- MS Prosthetics and Orthotics
- MS Information Security
- Master Industrial Design

One dual degree program was approved:

- MS IPST and MS ChE

Three 5-year BS/MS programs were approved:

- Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Science Technology and Culture/Information Design & Technology(LCC)
- Civil and Environmental Engineering

Three Certificate programs approved:

- Modeling and Computer Simulation
- Microelectronics System Packaging (ECE)
- Information Technology for Engineered System

Other actions carried out by the committee include:

- Review of 160 student petitions plus 3 appeals
- Approval of 54 new graduate courses
- Deactivation of 8 graduate courses
- Reviews of 6 Graduate Programs for the Institute Review Committee

The committee devoted 40% of its time to student-related matters, 20% to policy matters, and 40% to new course and program decisions.