Graduate Council

February 8, 2017 ~ 2:00-3:00 PM 128 Kidder Hall Agenda

1. Crop Science Graduate Program Review

Continued discussion of the Crop Science graduate program action plan and 10-year review report.

- <u>Newly Revised Action Plan</u>
- Original Action Plan
- <u>Reviewer Report</u>
- 2. Curricular Proposals Ryan Contreras
 - Animal Science MS, PhD
 - o <u>Website</u>
 - o <u>PDF</u>
 - Rangeland Ecology and Management MS, PhD
 - o <u>Website</u>
 - o <u>PDF</u>
- 3. Graduate Catalog Update Jim Coakley

Discussion of an update to the graduate catalog from Jim Coakley (with help from Stephanie Bernell and Rosemary Garagnani). The exam policy for PhD exams allows for a limited number of retakes and outcomes. No similar guidance is provided in the catalog on <u>exam policies for Masters' students</u>. Graduate Council archives from 1980 state that the Council intended to have PhD and Master's exam policies be the <u>same</u>. If--37 years later--we feel the same, we need to get it entered into the catalog.