GAB Agenda

November 13, 2026
9:30–11:30 a.m.
Join Zoom Meeting
Meeting ID: 890 2865 6255

(E=Excused, A=Absent, X=Present, Q=6)

	Brissette, Morgan (Chair) COH, 25-27		Peng, Jifeng (CoEng) 25-27
	Bune, Marissa (At-Large, COH) 25-27		Protasel, Greg (CBPP) 25-27
	Fogle, Keri (SoED) 25-27		Terry, Ruth (LIB) 25-27
	Frye, Jessy (COH) 25-27		Van Tets, Ian (CAS) 25-27
	Ozuru, Yasuhiro (CAS) 25-27		
	Colin McGill (Ex-Officio)		Lindsey Chadwell (Ex-Officio)

1. Call to order
    a. Meeting called to order:
2. Consent agenda
    a. Agenda approval
    b. Summary approval for Oct 23, 2026 (p. 10)
    c. Curriculum items recommended for consent - *none*
        i. Motioned by:
        ii. Seconded by:
3. Reports
    a. Dean of Graduate School
        Colin McGill
    b. GAB Chair's Report
4. Program/Course/Policy Action Request - **Second Readings**

Action*	**Type**	**Course/Program/Policy**	**Initiator**	**Decision**
Chg	Course	CE A646: Biological Treatment Processes **Reference:** CE A446: Biological Treatment Processes	Subhabrata Dev	
Chg	Program	SPEL-MED: Master of Education in Special Education	Keri Fogle	
Chg	Course	EDSE A612: Curriculum and	Keri Fogle	

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		Strategies: Low Incidence		

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5. Program/Course/Policy Action Request - **First Readings**

Action*	Type	Course/Program/Policy	Initiator	Decision
Change	Course	DN A650: The Business of Dietetics	Carrie King	
Chg	Program	EDLD-MED: Master of Education in Educational Leadership (K-6, 7-12 or K-12)	Ginger Blackmon	
Add	Program	TCPR-GRC: Graduate Certficate - Principal Internship (K-8, 7-12, or K-12)	Ginger Blackmon	
Chg	Program	TCPR-GRC: Graduate Certificate in Education Leadership: Principal (K-8, 7-12, or K-12)	Ginger Blackmon	
Chg	Program	INDS-MA: Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies	Colin McGill	In AAC workflow
Chg	Program	INDS-MS: Master of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies	Colin McGill	In AAC workflow
Add	Course	GRS 601: Arctic Security and Strategy	Mary Jo Finney	
Add	Course	GRS A699: Graduate Project/ Thesis	Mary Jo Finney	
Change	Course	PM A601: Project Management Fundamentals **Reference:** PM A401: Project Management Fundamentals	Virginia Groeschel	
Change	Course	PM A641: Lean Six Sigma Green Belt **Reference:** PM A441: Lean Six Sigma Green Belt	Virginia Groeschel	
Chg	Course	PSY A602: Native Ways of Knowing	Sara Buckingham	

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Chg	Course	PSY A611: Ethics and Professional Practice	Sara Buckingham	
Chg	Course	PSY A616: Program Evaluation and Community Consultation I	Sara Buckingham	
Chg	Course	PSY A617: Program Evaluation and Community Consultation II	Sara Buckingham	
Chg	Course	PSY A658: Qualitative Analysis	Sara Buckingham	

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6. New business
7. Standing informational items
    a. UAA Academic Calendar and Other Academic Deadlines
    b. BOR Chapter 10.04. Academic Programs
    c. UAA Academic Catalog
    d. Curriculum Handbook
    e. UAA Curriculum Website
    f. Inactivation List
    g. NWCCU Standards | NWCCU Approved 2027 Standards
8. Informational items
    a. OAA has approved the following administrative changes to the Nursing graduate program courses for FNP and PMHNP programs:

Course	Current	Changes
NSG A660	Course Description Develops advanced skills needed in primary care of pediatric patients and developing families, including advanced history and physical assessment skills for all pediatric age groups. Focuses on the acquisition of skills and diagnostic evaluation methods required for the management of pediatric patients and families. Explores the influence of genetics and genomics on health. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the semester. The amount of didactic content time will average 100	Course Description Develops advanced skills needed in primary care of pediatric patients and developing families, including advanced history and physical assessment skills for all pediatric age groups. Focuses on the acquisition of skills and diagnostic evaluation methods required for the management of pediatric patients and families. Explores the influence of genetics and genomics on health. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the semester. The amount of didactic content time will average 100

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NSG A661	Course Description Develops advanced skills needed in primary care of female patients and their families, including history and physical assessment skills for women's health throughout the lifespan. Clinical focus and experience include the acquisition of skills and diagnostic evaluation methods required for the management of women's health and obstetric patients. Explores the influence of genetics and genomics on women's health status. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 100 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students are required to complete 120 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. There will be mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions as scheduled. Registration Restrictions Graduate standing and admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Family	Course Description Develops advanced skills needed in primary care of female patients and their families, including history and physical assessment skills for women's health throughout the lifespan. Clinical focus and experience include the acquisition of skills and diagnostic evaluation methods required for the management of women's health and obstetric patients. Explores the influence of genetics and genomics on women's health status. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 100 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students are required to complete 120 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. ~~There will be mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions as scheduled.~~ Registration Restrictions Graduate standing and admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Family

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	Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner	Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner
NSG A662	Course Description Continues preparation for advanced nursing practice. Concentrates on assessment, diagnosis, evidence-based management, or the referral of clients across the lifespan. Focuses on acute and chronic illnesses in adults but may include care of clients throughout the lifespan. Incorporates the influence of genetics and genomics on health status. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 100 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students taking the course for 5 credits are required to complete 180 clock hours and students taking the course for 6 credits are required to complete 240 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. In addition, students will need to attend mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions scheduled throughout the semester. Registration Restrictions Graduate standing and admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Family Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner and department approval Prerequisites text area NSG A660 with a minimum grade of B and NSG A661 with a minimum grade of B	Course Description Continues preparation for advanced nursing practice. Concentrates on assessment, diagnosis, evidence-based management, or the referral of clients across the lifespan. Focuses on acute and chronic illnesses in adults but may include care of clients throughout the lifespan. Incorporates the influence of genetics and genomics on health status. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 100 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students taking the course for 5 credits are required to complete 180 clock hours and students taking the course for 6 credits are required to complete 240 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. ~~In addition, students will need to attend mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions scheduled throughout the semester.~~ ~~Registration Restrictions~~ Graduate standing and admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Family Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner and department approval Prerequisites text area **NSG A601 with a minimum grade of B and NSG A602 with a minimum grade of B and NSG A610 with a minimum grade of B.**
NSG A663	Prepares students for the family nurse practitioner role. Intensive clinical practicum incorporates professional and practice principles into the primary care role. Focus includes common procedures and diagnostics, as well as the influence of	**Capstone course which prepares** students for the family nurse practitioner role. Intensive clinical practicum incorporates professional and practice principles into the primary care role. Focus includes common procedures and diagnostics, as well as the

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NSG A670	Develops advanced skills required for the psychiatric-mental health nurse practitioner role. Focuses on acquiring knowledge related to assessment, diagnosis, treatment, and evaluation. Emphasizes management of individuals across the lifespan at risk of experiencing mental health problems. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 200 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students taking the course for 6 credits are required to complete 120 clock hours and students taking the course for 7 credits are required to complete 180 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. There will be mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions as scheduled.	Develops advanced skills required for the psychiatric-mental health nurse practitioner role. Focuses on acquiring knowledge related to assessment, diagnosis, treatment, and evaluation. Emphasizes management of individuals across the lifespan at risk of experiencing mental health problems. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 200 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students taking the course for 6 credits are required to complete 120 clock hours and students taking the course for 7 credits are required to complete 180 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. ~~There will be mandatory~~

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NSG A671	Course Description Develops, applies, and adapts advanced skills for practice as a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner caring for families and groups. Focuses on the acquisition of clinical knowledge and skills for evidence-based practice and the promotion of mental health. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 100 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students taking the course for 4 credits are required to complete 120 clock hours and students taking the course for 5 credits are required to complete 180 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. There will be mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions as scheduled. Registration Restrictions Graduate standing and admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner	Course Description Develops, applies, and adapts advanced skills for practice as a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner caring for families and groups. Focuses on the acquisition of clinical knowledge and skills for evidence-based practice and the promotion of mental health. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 100 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students taking the course for 4 credits are required to complete 120 clock hours and students taking the course for 5 credits are required to complete 180 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. ~~There will be mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions as scheduled.~~ Registration Restrictions Graduate standing and admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
NSG A672	Course Description Introduces the consultant/liaison role in organizational settings. Analyzes organizational approaches to plan, implement and evaluate population-focused mental health services. Identifies and evaluates fiscal and social policies, community resources, and research findings. Students will complete	Course Description Introduces the consultant/liaison role in organizational settings. Analyzes organizational approaches to plan, implement and evaluate population-focused mental health services. Identifies and evaluates fiscal and social policies, community resources, and research findings.

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NSG A673	Course Description Capstone course in preparation for the psychiatric mental health practitioner role. The intensive clinical practicum provides context for the integration, synthesis, and application of theory, research, and clinical findings to facilitate mental and functional well-being in individuals, families, and groups throughout the lifespan. Includes a seminar to explore advanced practice issues. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 50 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students are required to complete 270 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. There will be mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions as scheduled. Registration Restrictions	Course Description Capstone course in preparation for the psychiatric mental health practitioner role. The intensive clinical practicum provides context for the integration, synthesis, and application of theory, research, and clinical findings to facilitate mental and functional well-being in individuals, families, and groups throughout the lifespan. Includes a seminar to explore advanced practice issues. Students will complete didactic and clinical components as part of this course. Special Note Didactic: The students will complete asynchronous course material and will meet with the UAA faculty for on campus intensive sessions during the course. The amount of didactic content time will average 50 minutes weekly. Clinical: Students are required to complete 270 clock hours at a practicum location providing direct patient care over the course of the semester. ~~There will be mandatory synchronous remote clinical seminar sessions as scheduled.~~ Registration Restrictions

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	Admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner and graduate standing	Admission to the Master of Science in Nursing Science Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner option or the Graduate Certificate in Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner and graduate standing

9. Consent Agenda

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N/A				

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Motion to adjourn: Adjourned at

Appendix: GAB Summary for Approval (10/23)

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X	Fogle, Keri (SoED) 25-27		Vacant (2 -CAS) 25-27
X	Peng, Jifeng (CoEng) 25-27	X	Marissa Bune (At-Large, COH) 25-27
X	Colin McGill (Ex-Officio)	X	Lindsey Chadwell (Ex-Officio)

1. Call to order
    a. Meeting called to order: 9:32
2. Consent agenda - Approved (*Ruth/Marisa)*
    a. Agenda approval
    b. Summary approval for Oct 9, 2026 (p. 4) and Sept 25, 2026 (p. 7)
    c. Curriculum items recommended for consent - *none*
3. Reports
    a. Dean of Graduate School
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    b. GAB Chair's Report

4. Program/Course/Policy Action Request - **Second Readings**

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Chg	Program	CLCO-PHD: Ph.D. in Clinical-Community Psychology	Sara Buckingham	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth

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Chg	Course	BADA A670: Advanced Business Analytics, Data Science, and Machine Learning *(unstacking)*	Alpana Desai	Approved, move to FS. Greg/Keri
Chg	Program	BISC-MS: Master of Science in Biological Sciences	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A601: Experimental Design and Statistics	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A606: Advanced Analysis and Interpretation	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A661: Molecular Biology **Reference:** BIOL A461: Molecular Biology	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A663: Molecular Biology of Cancer **Reference:** BIOL A463: Molecular Biology of Cancer	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A677: Tundra and Taiga Ecosystems **Reference:** BIOL A477: Tundra and Taiga Ecosystems	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A684: Experiential Learning: Exploration Ecology Field Study **Reference:** BIOL A484: Experiential Learning: Exploration Ecology Field Study	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A690: Selected Topics in Biology **Reference:** BIOL A490: Selected Topics in Biology	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A698: Directed Research	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	BIOL A698A: Non-thesis Capstone Project	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth

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Chg	Course	BIOL A699: Thesis	Khrys Duddleston	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Program	SPEL-MED: Master of Education in Special Education	Keri Fogle	In AAC workflow; approved at 1st reading, move to 2nd. Ruth/Marisa
Chg	Course	EDSE A612: Curriculum and Strategies: Low Incidence	Keri Fogle	Approved at 1st reading, move to 2nd. Ruth/Marisa
Chg	Program	CLIN-MS: Master of Science in Clinical Psychology	Hannah Ekstrom	In AAC workflow; approved, move to FS. Marisa/Keri
Chg	Course	PSY A627: Advanced Clinical Interventions	Hannah Ekstrom	Approved, move to FS Marisa/Keri
Chg	Course	PSY A654: Cultural Considerations in Psychology Practice	Hannah Ekstrom	Approved, move to FS Marisa/Keri
Chg	Course	PSY A670: MS Clinical Internship	Hannah Ekstrom	Approved, move to FS Marisa/Keri
Chg	Course	PSY A684: Clinical Supervision and Consultation	Kevin Tarlow	Approved, move to FS. Keri/Ruth
Chg	Course	PSY A695C: MS Clinical Practicum	Hannah Ekstrom	Approved, move to FS Marisa/Keri

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8. Informational items

9. Consent Agenda

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Motion to adjourn: Adjourned at 11:49