

**GFEC Meeting Minutes**  
**Monday, November 4, 2024 | 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**

Meeting took place on: [Zoom](#):

Attendees: Teagan Bradway, Kevin Dames, Vince De Turi, Nancy Diller, Laura Gathagan, Jennifer Martin Tse, Peter McGinnis, Kimberly Rombach, Pam Schroder, Jillian Tucker, Carol Van Der Karr, Anna Verwij, Susan Wilson, Lori Reichel

Absent: Keith Newvine, Evan Mills, Christine Uliassi, Chris Badurek

1. Approval of [Minutes from 10/21/2024](#)
  1. Approved
2. Graduate Faculty Application: [Saxena \(History Dept\)](#)
  1. Peter made a motion to discuss and seconded by Teagan
  2. Committee discussion supported eligibility for graduate faculty status.
  3. Dr. Saxena's application for graduate faculty status was approved with none opposed and none abstained
3. Guest, Anne Burns Thomas, Chair, FSA
  1. Recent NY State mandates require Special Education Teachers be certified for Pre-K through 12<sup>th</sup> grade instead of selecting K-6<sup>th</sup> or 7-12<sup>th</sup>.
  2. Thesis option will be removed from the program and substituted with a culminating experience of teaching contact hours (50 hours) with a portfolio due to credit limitations in revised program.
  3. Full time and part time options available for 30 credit program. All courses will be synchronous online.

Meeting adjourned at 9:25 am

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