

**MINUTES**  
**Graduate Academic Affairs Committee**  
**November 1, 2018**

Attendance: Liu Patokiua, Erin Ward-Ciesielski, Mike Dores, Bob Brinkmann, Daniel Gershman, Monica Conforti, Nick Santanglo

-previous minutes fine

Discussed Honor Code Policy edits

- Bob said reason for it was increase in online cheating sites
- Liu pointed out we should be consistent w formatting

Additions were made to

- Page 1 PRIDE w period
- Page 1 Hofstra's honor code changed to Hofstra University's honor code
- Page 3 #4 "or screen" added to "reading or copying another student's examination sheet or book or screen during an exam"
- Include "assignment" in violations

Discussed director budgets

- Nick discussed possible ways to get grad directors information on where the decisions on scholarship budgets comes from (i.e. data on enrollments, growth, etc...)
- Bob talked about using parts of the spreadsheet they already use to make these decisions and come up with a more digestible format and informative document to help communication with grad directors

Other items

Bob updated us on pathway programs and information sessions as well as INTO negotiations. Monica weighed in on the benefit of having this kind of help with international students and the red tape and resources involved with them.