MAGS 67th Annual Meeting
Agenda
March 30 – April 1, 2011

Wednesday, March 30, 2011
8:00-5:00 Registration Foyer

8:00-11:30 Coffee/tea by Registration Foyer

9:00-11:30 New Comers Workshop Salon A
Robert Augustine, Eastern Illinois University
Hilary Ratner, Past Chair, Wayne State University

10:00-11:30 Executive Committee Meeting Board Room
William Wiener, MAGS Chair

11:00-1:00 Vendor Check-In and Exhibit Set-up Foyer, 2nd Floor

11:30-1:00 Newcomers and Executive Committee Luncheon Salon A
William Wiener, MAGS Chair

1:00 – 5:00 Vendor Exhibits Open Foyer

1:15-1:30 Welcome and Overview Grand Salon 1/2
William Wiener, MAGS Chair
Carol Shanklin, MAGS Chair-elect

1:30-2:40 Plenary 1: New Pathways for Accreditation Grand Salon 1/2
Moderator: William Wiener, Council of Graduate Schools
Presenter: Dr. Lynn Priddy, Vice-President, Accreditation, Higher Learning Commission

2:45-3:15 Afternoon Break: Networking Foyer

3:30-4:45 Concurrent 1 Assessment of Student Learning Outcomes and Program Quality Salon 3
Anne Kopera, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
Maria Di Stefano, Truman State University

3:30-4:45 Concurrent 2 Career START--A Program for Fostering Student-Directed Professional Development Planning, Salon 4
Rebecca Bryant, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Alexis Thompson, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

3:30-4:45 Concurrent 3 PREP and Career Success: Professional Development Needs of Graduate Students and Post Doctoral Fellows Lobby Salon
Henry (Rique) Campa, III, Michigan State University
Karen Klomparens, Michigan State University
Judith Stoddart, Michigan State University

5:45-6:30 MAGS Reception Networking Foyer

6:30-9:00 MAGS Banquet Grand Salon 1/2
Thesis Award Networking and Thesis Award Presentations
Thursday, March 31, 2011

7:00-5:00  Registration  Foyer

7:00-8:30  Breakfast  Grand Salon 1/2
  7:00  MAGS Committee meetings by Table (Auditing, Membership, Thesis Award, Publications, Teaching Award, ETS Award)

8:00  Networking and Sponsor Presentation

8:45-9:55  Plenary II: Presidential Perspective: Creating Strategic Partnerships and Alliances to Advance Graduate Education,
          Moderator: Carol Shanklin, MAGS, Chair-Elect
          Presenter: Kirk Schultz, President, Kansas State University
          Graduate Deans Response: Lisa Freeman, Northern Illinois University
          David Daleke, Indiana University

10:00-5:00  Vendor Exhibit Tables  Information Exchange  Foyer

10:00-10:25  Morning Break: Networking  Foyer

10:30-11:30  Concurrent 1  Partnership Tips that Work (And Some that Don't)
             Patricia Shaw, University of Wisconsin-Steven Point
             Cathy Scheder, University of Wisconsin-Steven Point

10:30-11:30  Concurrent 2  Professional Science Masters---Approval Process
             Sally K. Francis, Council of Graduate Schools
             Bill Wiener, Council of Graduate Schools

10:30-11:30  Concurrent 3  Creating Effective University and Military Partnership for
             Graduate Programs and Outreach
             Cheryl Polson, Kansas State University
             Chris King, Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth
             Paul Wolf, Air Force Institute of Technology

11:30-1:45  CGS and ETS Award Luncheon  Grand Salon 1/2
             William Wiener, MAGS Chair, Coordinator
             Debra Stewart, President, Council of Graduate Schools

2:00-3:15  Plenary Session III: The Path Forward: The Future of Graduate Education in the United States
           Presenter: Patti McAlister, Council of Graduate Schools
           Graduate Deans Action Plans: Robert Augustine, Eastern Illinois University

3:15-3:45  Afternoon Break--Networking  Foyer
March 4, 2011

4:00-5:00 Concurrent 4  Challenges of Graduate Deans in Smaller Universities and Private Institutions  
Grand Salon 1/2  
James Fuller, Indiana Wesleyan University  
Connie Lightfoot, Taylor University

4:00-5:00 Concurrent 5  The CIRTL Network: Preparing the Future National STEM Faculty  
Salon 3  
Robert Mathieu, University of Wisconsin-Madison  
Karen Klomparens, Michigan State University  
Henry (Rique) Campa, III, Michigan State University

4:00-5:00 Concurrent 6  International Dual Degrees: A Case Study in Establishing Partnerships – Lessons Learned  
Salon 4  
Jackie Huntoon, Michigan Technological University

5:15-6:45 Reception  
Gallerie

Friday, April 1, 2011

7:00-8:30 Breakfast and State Meetings  
Grand Salon 1/2  
7:00-8:00 Illinois State Breakfast  
Salon 4  
Please note: All other state meetings are by table in the Plenary Room

8:00 ETS Presentation  
Grand Salon 1/2

8:00 11:00 Vendor Exhibits  
Foyer

8:30-9:30 Hot Topics 1*  Financial Survival Strategies Including Fund Raising  
Salon 3  
Venkat Allada, Missouri University of Science and Technology  
Karen Klomparens, Michigan State University

8:30-9:30 Hot Topics 2  Effective Recruitment Strategies  
Salon 4  
John Augusto, University of Kansas

9:30-10:30 Hot Topics 3  Use of NRC Data by Research Universities  
Salon 3  
Pat Osmer, The Ohio State University  
John Keller, The University of Iowa

9:30-10:30 Hot Topics 4  Distance Education--Challenges and Opportunities for Graduate Education  
Salon 4  
Bill Graves, Iowa State University

10:30-11:30 Business Meeting  
Grand Salon 1/2  
William Wiener, MARGS Chair

11:30 Meeting Adjourns

11:30-1:00 Executive Committee Meeting  
Salon C, 3rd Flr  
Carol Shanklin, MARGS Chair