

BMS Graduate Program Committee Meeting  
February 22, 2022

**Meeting minutes**

Present: Alex Galazyuk, Jesse Young, Jeff Mellott, Priya Raman, Liya Yin, Nona Hose

Absent: Nicole Schapker, Lisa Cooper, Takhar Kasumov

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action
1. Approval of prior meeting minutes	The meeting minutes from the January 2022 meeting were approved.	
2. BMS Program Updates from KSU	<p>Interview weekend will be March 4 and 5 for domestic applicants. It will be held at KSU this year. International interviews will be virtual; domestic interviews will be in-person. If faculty are interested in recruiting a student, contact Donna Warner. Dr. Young will do a presentation for the students regarding opportunities at NEOMED.</p> <p>KSU can accept seven or eight students for the coming year. On the NEOMED side, the program should receive approximately \$180,000 from the cost share model. We should be able to support a couple of students for the coming year. There are several students who have targeted NEOMED faculty in the current pool of students. If a student has identified an advisor at NEOMED we should be able to support them.</p> <p>Dr. Galazyuk pointed out that if a student does not have a NEOMED advisor, then NEOMED should not support them.</p> <p>A new committee is being formed to hire a new director for the BMS program. Dr. Galazyuk will serve on the committee as a NEOMED representative. The committee will make recommendations to the Dean of Arts and Sciences.</p>	
	The meeting was adjourned.	
Agenda items for discussion at future meetings		