

- v) The **BSGS** may at its own discretion invite other persons to attend any of its meetings in an advisory capacity. Such persons shall be listed "in attendance" and shall not have the power to vote.

3.0 GRADUATE FACULTY

All members of full time academic staff who teach graduate courses or supervise graduate research constitute the "Graduate Faculty". Heads of teaching departments must submit to the Chairman, Board School of Graduate Studies Committee, through their respective Deans, lists of their Graduate Faculty which shall be in the schools' approved supervisors register in compliance with these regulations. These lists shall be updated from time to time and at the beginning of every academic year.

3.1 Membership of the Graduate Faculty

Membership of the Graduate Faculty (**GF**) shall normally comprise the following:

- i) Professors.
- ii) Associate Professors.
- iii) Senior Lecturers.
- iv) Lecturers who are Ph.D holders
- v) Holders of M.Med, MDS, Clinical Fellowships or equivalent

3.2. Functions of the Graduate Faculty

Functions of the Graduate Faculty (**GF**) shall normally include the following

- i) Teaching graduate programmes in their areas of expertise on a regular and continuous basis.
- ii) Supervision of graduate students' theses.
- iii) Serving as academic mentors & advisors to graduate students.
- iv) Serving on examination panels for graduate students.
- v) Holding School consultative meetings where necessary
- vi) Coordinating and promoting graduate research activities within the University.

4.0 SCHOOL GRADUATE STUDIES COMMITTEE

There shall be a School Graduate Studies Committee (**SGSC**) in each School to be in-charge of all graduate matters in the School with respect to admission, teaching, supervision, examination and certification.

4.1 Membership of SGSC

Membership of the (**SGSC**) shall normally comprise the following:

- i) All Chairpersons of Departmental Graduate Studies Committees in that School.
- ii) One representative of the Graduate Faculty from each Department.
- iii) The Dean of the school or his/her representative.
- iv) A Chairperson who shall be appointed by the Dean of the school.