FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE
FACULTY BOARD
A meeting of Faculty Board will be held on
Friday, September 24, 20201 at 3:30 p.m.
Zoom Link - **Meeting ID: 875 7512 7003 - Passcode: 942380**

AGENDA

United Way – D. Gordon

1. **Adoption of the Agenda**

2. **Approval of the Minutes**
   The minutes of April 16, 2021 have been posted.

3. **Arts and Science Undergraduate Society Report**

4. **Reports**
   1. Dean's Report
   2. Associate Dean (Teaching and Learning) Report
   3. Associate Dean (Academic) Report

5. **Report of the Nominating Committee –** Appendix A – **for approval**
   J.Hosek will move "that the Faculty of Arts and Science Committee Membership attached be approved."

6. **Curriculum Committee Omnibus Report Part V** – Appendix B – **for approval**
   M. Chen will move "that the Omnibus Report Part V be approved."

7. **Notice of Motion for the new Bachelor of Arts (General/Minor) in Urban Studies** – Appendix C – **for information**

8. **Question Period**

9. **Other Business**

J. Mennell, Secretary
Faculty Board

J. Rose, Chair
Faculty Board

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Appendix A

Faculty of Arts and Science
Report of the Nominating Committee
September, 2021

Terms are generally from September 1st to August 31st annually for a term of three years, unless otherwise indicated.

Curriculum Committee	**Term Ends**
Marc Dignam, Physics (replacing Neal Scott)	2024

COURSE ADDITIONS

Dept	Course Subject	Course Catalogue Number	New Course Units	New Course/Transcript Title	New Course Description	Topics Course	New Course Notes	New Prerequisite	New Corequisite	New Exclusion	New Equivalency	Intended Learning Outcomes / Learning Hours
Life Sciences/DBMS	ANAT	471	3.0	Human Embryology	In ANAT 471, students work individually/collaboratively to explore stages of normal human embryonic and fetal development and how changes in underlying mechanisms link to common congenital or developmental abnormalities. Various assessments include quizzes, a journal club, a PBL investigating a developmental abnormality, a midterm and final exam.	No	None	Level 3 or above and one of [ANAT 100/3.0; ANAT 101/3.0; (ANAT 215/3.0 and ANAT 216/3.0); (ANAT 315/3.0 and ANAT 316/3.0)].	None	None	ANAT 417	120 (48O;72P)

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Philosophy	PHIL	314	3.0	Creativity	This course will be concerned with questions such as these: What is creativity? Is there a general structure to the creative process? In what sense, if any, does creativity involve freedom? Could a computer program be creative? What role, if any, does creativity play in living well, or in moral thought or action? Is there any truth to the popular idea that mental illness is linked to creative genius? Can creativity be measured? Can it be explained? Can it be learned? Can it be taught? Readings will be drawn from philosophy as well as cognitive science.	No	None	Level 3 or above.	None	None	None	120 (36L;84P)

COURSE REVISIONS

Revision Type(s)	Dept	Course Subject	Course Catalogue Number	Course Units	Course Title	Existing Learning Hours	New Learning Hours
Learning Hours	Computing	CISC	497	3.0	Social, Ethical and Legal Issues in Computing	120 (36S;84P)	120 (12L;24S;84P)
Learning Hours	Employment Relations	EMPR	260	3.0	Advancing Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in the Workplace	120 (36L;84P)	120 (72O;48P)
Learning Hours	Global Development Studies	DEVS	352	3.0	Technology and Development	120 (36L;84P)	120 (24L;12T;84P)
Learning Hours	Global Development Studies	DEVS	358	3.0	Non-Governmental Organisations, Policy Making and Development	120 (36L;84P)	120 (24L;12T;84P)
Learning Hours	Film and Media	FILM	339	3.0	Media and Culture at the end of the 20th Century	108 (36L;36O;36P)	108 (36L;24Lb;48P)
Learning Hours	Film and Media	FILM	368	3.0	Animation Theory and Criticism	108 (36L;12Oc;60P)	108 (36L;24Lb;48P)
Learning Hours	French Studies	FREN	360	3.0	Grammaire avancée	120 (36L;84P)	126 (36L;12T;78P)

COURSE REVISIONS - CONTINUED

Revision Type(s)	Dept	Course Subject	Course Catalogue Number	Course Units	Existing Course/Transcript Title	New Course/Transcript Title	Existing Course Description	New Course Description	Existing Prerequisite	New Prerequisite	Existing Exclusion	New Exclusion	Existing Equivalency	New Equivalency
Course Title **Course Description** **Prerequisite**	Economics	ECON	450	3.0	Advanced Econometrics	Topics in Advanced Econometrics	Estimation methods, including least squares and maximum likelihood; specification testing, including t, F, likelihood ratio and Lagrange multiplier tests; serial correlation and heteroskedasticity; dynamic models and simultaneous equation models. Extensive use of calculus and linear algebra. Offered concurrently with ECON 852.	Selected topics in econometric methods and their application. Topics may include machine learning, autoregressive models, vector autoregression, unit roots and cointegration, and both cross-section and panel data estimation techniques. Students are directed to the undergraduate website for a detailed description.	Prerequisite ECON 351/3.0 and ECON 452/3.0 and permission of the Department.	ECON 351/3.0	None	None	None	None

Revision Type(s)	Dept	Course Subject	Course Catalogue Number	Course Units	Existing Course/Transcript Title	Existing Course Description	New Course Description
Course Description	Life Sciences/DBMS	EPID	401	3.0	Biostatistical Data Analysis for Life Science Students	An applied statistics course covering practical topics in tests and confidence intervals for single and multiple samples, ANOVA, linear regression, correlations, methods for categorical data, and nonparametric methods. SPSS package is used in the lab. The course emphasizes analyzing data arising in life sciences using practical statistical methods.	An applied statistics course covering practical topics in tests and confidence intervals for single and multiple samples, ANOVA, linear regression, correlations, methods for categorical data, and nonparametric methods. The lab uses statistical software. The course emphasizes analyzing data arising in life sciences using practical statistical methods.

COURSE DELETIONS

Dept	Course Subject	Course Catalogue Number	Existing Course Units	Existing Course Title
Philosophy	PHIL	442	3.0	Creativity

Respectfully Submitted,

Mark Chen, Chair

ASC Curriculum Committee

Notice of Motion
September 2021 - Faculty Board Meeting

The following Department is proposing the introduction of a new Program, that will be submitted to the relevant review committee for approval. It is intended that this new program will be available for admission in September 2022, as indicated in the proposal.

Department of Geography and Planning

- New - Bachelor of Arts (General/Minor) in **Urban Studies**