MEMORANDUM

TO:

Ms Karen Roche

Secretary of Senate

FROM:

Dr. Wayne Melville

Chair, Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee

SUBJECT:

Report of Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee

DATE:

22 August 2011

A. DEFERRED CALENDAR CHANGES REFERRED FROM SENATE MEETING #2011-3 OF APRIL 15, 2011

DEPARTMENT OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

A. Criminology Major and Specialization (2012-2013)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> that Senate <u>approve</u> the Criminology Major, <u>with revisions and clarifications</u>, dated August 17, 2011, as attached. The Committee <u>recommends</u> that Senate <u>approve</u> the Criminology Specialization, <u>with revisions and clarifications</u>, dated August 17, 2011, as attached.

The Regulations portion of the proposal will forwarded to the Regulations Sub-Committee of the Senate Academic Committee for review.

It was noted that the Admission Requirements for the Criminology Major will be the same as for the Interdisciplinary Studies Major.

B. Media Studies Major and Specialization (2012-2013)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> that Senate <u>approve</u> the Media Studies Major, <u>with revisions and clarifications</u>, dated August 19, 2011, as attached. The Committee also <u>recommends</u> that Senate <u>approve</u> the Media Studies Specialization <u>with revisions and clarifications</u>, dated August 19, 2011, as attached.

It was noted that the Admission Requirements for the Media Studies Major will be the same as for the Interdisciplinary Studies Major, except there is no recommended Science, Geography or Mathematics credit, and a portfolio is required.

Dr. Wayne Melville, Chair