

Request for Calendar Change Form

Tracking No:
(Senate Secretary's Office
use only)

Date:

To	Secretary of Senate	
From	Name(Dean):	Faculty
	Dr. Gillian Siddall	Social Sciences & Humanities
	Department the change relates to	
	Northern Studies	
	Contact Person	
	M. Beaulieu	

Is the proposed calendar change Undergraduate

Instructions:

1. In all cases please complete and attach section 1 and 2
2. If the calendar change affect other departments/schools/faculties complete and attach section 3
3. If the answer to any of the questions below is yes, explain. Attach separate sheets with reference to the

question

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| 1. Do the proposed changes affect other departments/ schools/faculties in terms of their calendar change? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Is a transition plan needed for student in progress? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Are the proposed changes likely to affect student enrollment in your department/school/faculty? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Are the proposed changes likely to affect student enrollment in other departments/schools/faculties at Lakehead University? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Will the proposed changes require additional teaching space and/or teaching staff and/or equipment and/or other resources? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 6 Will the proposed changes affect existing teaching loads within your department/school/faculty? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. Will the proposed changes increase demand for teaching support services such as the library, computing services and technical staff ? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. Will the proposed change require direct or in-kind support from outside the academic unit? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. Do the proposed changes include change in course(s) which is/are required core course(s) for a major? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 10. Do the proposed changes include a change in course which is service/required course(s) in another program? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 11. Do the proposed changes include change in course(s) which is/are open elective available to any student in any program? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 12. Do the proposed changes include change in course(s) which is/are elective in a major i.e. restricted to students in a major? | Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> | No
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Signatures:	Date approved by faculty council <input type="text"/>
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Description of the Proposed Calendar Change:

A unique opportunity exists at Lakehead University for students enrolling in the Centre for Northern Studies' Interdisciplinary Northern Studies Program. Students can achieve an Honours Bachelor of Arts, an Honours Bachelor of Science, or a Minor in Northern Studies. In addition, students can fulfill requirements for the University of the Arctic's Bachelor of Circumpolar Studies. Lakehead University is known internationally as one of the main centres for northern studies in Canada. Our activities in this area have added a distinct dimension to Lakehead's identity as a university "of the North, in the North." By making a significant commitment and investment in the late 1980s, the University laid the foundation for its present high standing among Northerners.

Over four years you will have the opportunity to take a variety of courses from several offerings in the following disciplines: Anthropology, Biology, Chemistry, Economics, Environmental Studies, Forestry, Geography, Geology, History, Indigenous Learning, Outdoor Parks and Recreation, Political Science, Social Work, Sociology, and Forestry. Distinctive elements of our programs are our partnerships with international organizations such as the University of the Arctic. A vital, and unique, component in the support structure for Northern Studies at Lakehead is the Northern Studies Resource Centre in the Chancellor Paterson Library, developed to be the prime location of relevant resources and data on Northwestern Ontario, the Provincial Norths and the circumpolar world. This is a major community and regional resource with access available to all groups and individuals. Staff in the centre provide a range of services both to the university and to the regional community, including tours of the centre and provision of information on the available resources for northern studies.

A degree in Northern Studies will help prepare students for a variety of public and private sector professional opportunities dealing with local, national, and international environmental issues. Graduates of Northern Studies can expect to find work in northern related agencies of all levels of government: federal, provincial and local. Employment opportunities also exist in northern economic development, social service agencies, resource management, resource exploration and development companies, environmental nongovernmental organizations, northern park management, conservation, journalism, education and health.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

See Requirements for Admission to Undergraduate Degree Programs in the Admission Requirements and Registration section of this Calendar, page 32.

ACADEMIC REGULATIONS

A student may enter, proceed in and graduate from this interdisciplinary program in accordance with stipulations of the University Regulations section (page 45) and the Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities Regulations section (page 226) of this Calendar.

PROGRAMS

Rationale of the Proposed Calendar Change(s):

(Corresponding to Section 2 where required)

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Section 2

Existing Calendar Entries:
(Page reference based on hard copy or URL based on electronic version of calendar)

Proposed Calendar Entries/Addition/ Deletion
-If only addition, specify page number and placement in university calendar
-If only deletion, write Deleted

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Section 3

The Faculty(ies) affected by the proposed calendar change

I have been consulted regarding the attached calendar change and understand the academic and budgetary implication on my Dept./School/Faculty.

I agree to this calendar change proposal

Yes

No

Name:

Faculty:

Date:

Signature of Dean