

# MEMORANDUM

To: Barbara H. Eccles, Secretary of Senate

From: Dr. Michael Stevenson - Chair, Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee

Senate Meeting Date: 21 March 2016

Subject: Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee Report

#### A. CURRICULUM/CALENDAR CHANGES REFERRED FROM SENATE MEETING #1-2016 OF 18 January 2016, ITEM 4.1

The Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee met on 26 February 2016 to review the following items referred from the 18 January 2016 Senate meeting:

# .1 Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Course-Discontinue-UG-English (2015-SOC-5371)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to delete ENGL 1031 from the Calendar.

#### .2 Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Programs-Modification-UG-English-ICR and additional changes (2015-SOC-5401)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to create a new version of three degrees (HBA.ENGL, HBA.ENGLHIST, and HBASC.ENGL).

#### 3. Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Programs-Modifications-UG-English-ICR and corrections (2015-SOC-5402)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to create a new version of five degrees (BABED2.ENGL.IS, HBABED2.ENGL.IS, HBABED2.ENGL.PJ,

HBABED2.ENHI.IS, and HBASBED2.ENGL.PJ). <u>Minor editorial changes</u> were made to the numbering requirements in some of the programs.

# 4. Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Course-Modification-UG-English-Crosslisting with Social Justice Studies (2016-SOC-5534)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to cross-list ENGL 4016 with WOME 4016. <u>Minor editorial changes</u> were made to the prerequisites for the course.

#### 5. Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Course-Discontinuation-UG-English-originally 2015-SOC-5427 (2016-SOC-5569)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to delete ENGL 1238 from the Calendar. The Chair of the Department of English confirmed that a transition plan for students unable to take this course will not be required.

#### 6. Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Programs-Modifications-UG-Music-Changes made for ICR (2015-SOC-5340)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to create a new version of four degrees (HBA.MUSI, HBABED2.MUSI.IS, HBABED2.MUSI.PJ, and HBMUS). <u>Minor editorial changes</u> were made regarding the language of Type A, B, and E courses and other text to be consistent with existing Calendar language. For the HBMUS program, the Indigenous Content Requirement course was moved from being required in first year to second year.

# 7. Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Courses-Modifications-UG-Music-Cross-listing with Social Justice (2015-SOC-5388)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to cross-list MUSI 4301 and MUSI 4315 with Social Justice 5301 and Social Justice 5315. <u>Minor editorial</u> <u>changes</u> were made to the notes and rationales for the courses.

# 8. Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities--Courses-New-UG-Music (2015-SOC-5424)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to create six new Music courses (MUSI 1405, MUSI 1415, MUSI 2405, MUSI 2415, MUSI 3405, and MUSI 4405). <u>Minor editorial changes</u> were made to the descriptions of MUSI 1415 and MUSI 2415, and offering information was added to all five courses.

The Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee met on 4 March 2016 to review the following item referred from the 18 January 2016 Senate meeting:

## 9. Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences--Program-Modifications-UG-Psychology- Indigenous Content (2015-HBS-5454)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to create a new version of a degree (BA.PSYC).

## 10. Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences--Program-Modifications-UG-Psychology- Indigenous Content (2015-HBS-5456)

The Committee <u>recommends</u> approval of this request to create a new version of a degree (HBA.PSYC). <u>Minor editorial changes</u> were made to the notes.

**11.** Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences--Courses-Modifications-UG-Psychology-Changes to name, description and prerequisites (2015-HBS-5508) The Committee recommends approval of this request to create new versions of four existing courses (PSYC 2401, PSYC 3161, PSYC 4032, and PSYC 4033). <u>Minor</u> editorial revisions were made to the descriptions and prerequisites for all courses.

# **B. OUTSTANDING ITEMS**

The Committee continues to address the large number of referrals before it.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Michael Stevenson