



LAKEHEAD UNIVERSITY

**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES
OUTDOOR REC~ PARKS & TOURISM**

CHANGE REQUEST REPORT

Change Request Tracking Number: 2019-SOC-7010

Title of Change Request: Course changes in HBOR transfer program

Status of Change Request: In Workflow

Change Request can't be split

CHANGE REQUEST CONTENTS

| # | Type | Title |
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| 1. | New Version of a Degree | Honours Bachelor of Outdoor Recreation - Transfer - Confederation College Tourism-Travel and Eco-Adventure Diploma |

CHANGE REQUEST HISTORY

| Workflow Stage | Action Type | Action Taken By | Change Made | Action Rationale | Date |
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| Initiator | Approved | Annette Graham | Yes | Submitted to workflow | 07/19/2019, 10:49 AM |
| Submission Review (Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator) | Relegated | Submission Review | No | Sending back as per request from initiator | 07/24/2019, 08:57 AM |
| Initiator | Approved | Annette Graham | Yes | submission relegated back to make further change | 07/24/2019, 10:13 AM |
| Submission Review (Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator) | Approved | Submission Review | No | Okay to move forward in the workflow | 07/24/2019, 11:40 AM |
| Dean and Faculty Council Review Stage | Approved | Susan Viitala | No | Approved at SS&H Faculty Council meeting on September 12, 2019. Relegating back to Initiator per the following email request from Annette Graham on October 16, 2019: "I would appreciate having calendar change 2019-SOC-7010 relegated back to me for further updating. ORPT decided to make a change to all programs after I submitted this request." | 09/30/2019, 04:42 PM |
| Senate - Referral Stage | Relegated | Senate Admin | No | | 10/16/2019, 01:29 PM |
| Initiator | Approved | Annette Graham | Yes | HBOR transfer program changes | 10/21/2019, 01:00 PM |

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AUDIT TRAIL

None.

CHANGE REQUEST COMMENTS

| Date | User | Change Request Comment |
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| 07/19/2019, 10:48 AM | Annette Graham | HBOR transfer program changes |

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DEGREE DETAILS

MODIFY A PROGRAM FORM (less significant changes).

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| | NOTE TO USER about this form: |
| | This "Modify a Program" form is used to make less significant modifications to a program. If you plan to make a major modification to a program, please use the form "Major Modification to Program". Visit this link to learn more about Major Modifications |

The following is information that is displayed in the University Calendar

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| Title of Program: | Honours Bachelor of Outdoor Recreation - Transfer - Confederation College Tourism-Travel and Eco-Adventure Diploma |
| Program Requirements: | <p>Year 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) Outdoor Recreation 1010, 1150, 2210, 2350(b) One and one-half FCE open electives(c) One and one-half FCE open electives at second year level or above <p>Year 2:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) Outdoor Recreation 2270, 2511, 2755, 33803370(b) One half FCE elective at second year level or above(c) Two FCE ORPT-electives at third year level(d) One-half FCE elective in Outdoor Recreation at the fourth year level <p>Year 3:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) Outdoor Recreation 3050, 3312, 49204370(b) One FCE open elective at second year level or above(c) Two FCE ORPT electives at fourth year level |

(d) One half FCE in Outdoor Recreation at the third or fourth year level.

Note: The Indigenous Content Requirement is met by taking OUTD 1150.

The following is information for Committee Review

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| Program Code: | HBOR.TRF - Confederation |
| Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: | 20172020-1821 |
| Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: | No Specified End Date Use No Specified End date unless you are removing it from the calendar. |
| Faculty or Institution Unit: | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lakehead University• Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities |
| Academic Level: | Undergraduate |
| Total number of credits for the degree: | 15.00 |
| Transcript Title of Program: | ??? |
| Degree Type: | HBOR |
| Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?: | <p>1. An Introduction & Rationale for the proposed Articulation Agreement between Confederation College Tourism - Travel and Eco-Adventure Diploma to Honours Bachelor in Outdoor Recreation Degree Through multiple consultations, focus groups and interviews with staff and students in Tourism Programs in Ontario (Georgian College, Sault College, Confederation College, Lakehead University's Thunder Bay campus) we have determined that there is an expressed need to develop efficient pathways for Tourism diploma graduates to access and complete Honours Bachelor degree programs. As the Tourism industry grows and evolves, employers, communities and stakeholders require both the practical and vocational skills learned in college settings combined with the critically reflective, research oriented, and theoretical skill sets developed in University. Based on the slow shift towards increased professionalism in the tourism industry, representatives of the aforementioned college tourism programs state there is a need to develop, demonstrate and market multiple educational pathways (i.e. university degrees that have accelerated pathways) and the associated employment opportunities as a component of both degree and diploma programs. Based on consultations with Confederation College Tourism - Travel and Eco-Adventure Program Coordinator Giannina Veltri, students who graduate with a Tourism diploma are increasingly required to obtain a degree</p> |

a tourism diploma are increasingly required to obtain a degree to access the job market in and around Thunder Bay. Giannina has been engaged in the development of this pathway with Lakehead University for the past five years and believes it is in the best interests of employers, post-secondary institutions and students to develop an efficient and formalized pathway for Travel and Tourism diploma graduates, specifically in North-western Ontario, to complete an Honours Bachelor degree in their field of study. This transfer pathway can serve as a template to inform the development of future pathways with Travel and Tourism programs under the same Ontario Ministry of Training, College and Universities program code. In addition, recognizing that an increasing number of Ontario post-secondary students are moving in both directions - from college to university and vice-versa, Confederation College program coordinators and Deans are currently in the process of approving an accelerated one year diploma in Tourism: Travel and Eco-Adventure for graduates of the HBOR degree program. The purpose of developing a two-way path between Confederation College and Lakehead University is to provide an added incentive/credentialing option for potential HBOR students, who are primarily from Southern Ontario, to move to Thunder Bay while also providing a pathway for college diploma graduates from Confederation College to remain in North-western Ontario if and when they seek an Honours Bachelor credential. Students entering this pathway will complete the HBOR degree within three years (15 FCEs). The pathway is outlined by semester in Figure 1 and can be compared to the complete four year HBOR degree outlined in Table 1 (found in Section 4 - Structure). Pathway students cannot enrol in any of our double degrees as they would not be able to meet the degree requirements of the partner degree within the three year program. To complete a double degree, block transfer students in this pathway would need to enrol into one of the existing four year degree programs. OUTD 4920 is being discontinued. The 1 FCE is being replaced by the requirement to take an additional half FCE in Outdoor Recreation at the fourth year level and an additional half FCE in Outdoor Recreation at the third or fourth year level. OUTD 3380 was split into two half courses OUTD 3370 & OUTD 4370.

Associated Changes - List all other requests that are associate with this change (enter request number or title):

none 2019-SOC-7067

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration

NOTE: Complete each section and provide full explanations for both "yes" and "no" answers. This will not be displayed in the calendar but will be used by the Senate Budget Committee when considering approval of this proposal. The creator of this proposal may be asked to attend a committee meeting to discuss this proposal. Contact the Chair of the Senate Budget Committee if you wish to discuss any of the questions below.

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program within the

no

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| same faculty/unit?: | |
| Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?: | no |
| Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?: | The resources required to maintain our traditional course offerings in the HBOR program will remain the same despite potential increased enrollment through the proposed HBOR pathway. no |
| How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?: | n/a |
| What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?: | none |
| Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding: | no |

