



LAKEHEAD UNIVERSITY

**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES
HISTORY**

CHANGE REQUEST REPORT

Change Request Tracking Number: 2020-SOC-7436

Title of Change Request: Programs-Modification-UG-History

Status of Change Request: In Workflow

Change Request can be split

CHANGE REQUEST CONTENTS

#	Type	Title
1.	New Version of a Degree	Certificate in Public History
2.	New Version of a Degree	Specialization in Public History

CHANGE REQUEST HISTORY

Workflow Stage	Action Type	Action Taken By	Change Made	Action Rationale	Date
Initiator	Approved	Gail Fikis	Yes	Submitted to workflow	08/31/2020, 08:56 AM
Submission Review (Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator)	Approved	Submission Review	No	Okay to move forward in the workflow	08/31/2020, 10:46 AM

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AUDIT TRAIL

None.

CHANGE REQUEST COMMENTS

None.

1.	New Version of a Degree	Certificate in Public History
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DEGREE DETAILS

MODIFY A CERTIFICATE FORM - The following is information that is displayed in the Calendar

Title of Certificate:	Certificate in Public History
Transcript Title:	The Certificate in Public History trains learners to think critically about the public presentation of history and culture. It is designed to give learners a grounding in the fundamentals of the field, preparing them for employment, undertake community-based project, and enable them to pursue graduate study in a number of fields.
Description of Certificate:	
Requirements:	One Year Program Direct entry program. The completion of a 3-YR or 4-YR degree

and/or work experience in a relevant career area

Students must complete the following set of courses:

- (a) History 3830 Introduction to Public History or History/Kinesiology 3318 History of Sport in Canada
- (b) History 4850 Introduction to Museum and Heritage Studies
- (c) History 4851 Introduction to Archival Science
- (d) History 4830 Community Placement, or History 4831 Public History Field School, or History 4832 Digital History
- (e) History 4904 Public History Project or History 4903 Digital History Project

The following is information for Committee Review:

Certificate Code :	CERT.PUBHIST
Faculty or Institution Unit:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lakehead University• Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities
Department Name:	History
Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar:	2016 2021-1722
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.
Academic Level:	Undergraduate
Certificate Type:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Credit Certificate
Learning Outcomes:	Provide an introductory overview to the public history field in its diverse venues and manifestations;• Consider the ways in which historians have engaged various audiences, with particular emphasis on public constructions of history;• Discuss current issues, trends, and theories that continue to change the nature of public history;• Gain a basic understanding of the issues surrounding such public history work as museum exhibits, archives, house and site interpretations, historical societies, historic preservation, and digital projects;• Introduce such public history methodologies as oral history, material culture, and archival documentation that historians use to communicate their work;• Supplement the theoretical component of the program with a variety of assignments that analyze the ways in which public historians carry out their work and their responsibilities.
Include clear rationale for the specific course requirements. If courses are offered by other academic units, attach confirmation of their	Fulfills a niche area not currently served at this level in Ontario/Canada. Provides an option for those working, or seeking to work, in related fields with introductory credentials that will position them for greater employment opportunities at small and mid-level community organizations and give them a competitive edge for graduate level

Confirmation of their support:	and give them a competitive advantage for graduate level success. Provides learners with the essentials to understand and begin their own community-based projects. Include a clear rationale for the proposed certificate program and indicate how this certificate is likely to advance the university's Strategic Plan. Its alignment with the home Academic Unit's or Academic Units' goals/objectives should be included here as well.
Student Enrolment: Indicate who this program is open to and if there are any restrictions:	This certificate is open to new and current Lakehead University students. The completion of a 3-YR or 4-YR degree and/or work experience in a relevant career area .
Is this program offered by other institutions? If yes, and if possible, include weblinks:	Not currently at the undergraduate level at universities. An increasingly popular option in the United States and United Kingdom at the undergraduate level. In Canada, a few programs exist at the graduate level, are offered by professional associations (e.g. OMA), or are post-graduate certification/diplomas offered by colleges that use to be at the undergraduate level. This program takes advantage of a niche do to a vacuum.
Length of the program (e.g., 3-terms): Indicate if there is a maximum time and/or sequencing for students to complete this program:	3-terms
Mode(s) of Delivery. Select all that apply.:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Web streaming • Online • Hybrid/Blended • Videoconference • Seminar • Field school • Independent study
Rationale for Modes of Delivery:	Multifaceted in approach and delivery to reach as many learners as possible. Some courses are discussion, some based on hands-on instruction and site visits, others community placements .
Location and Rationale (e.g. specify on-campus or off-campus):	Thunder Bay. This certificate is possible through current full-time and part-time resources. It utilizes the community resources and Adjunct and Professional Associates of the Department of History (i.e. taught by full-time specialists and part-time museum and archival professionals). Profe
Associated Changes - List all other requests that are associate with this change (enter request number or title):	2015-SOC-5229

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration:

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

	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 same faculty/unit?:	Hopefully increase.
Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:	No.
Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?:	Can be offered utilizing existing full-time faculty loads and currently part-time stipends.
How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?:	Can be offered utilizing existing full-time faculty loads and currently part-time stipends.
What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)? :	No.
Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding:	No.

2.	New Version of a Degree	Specialization in Public History
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DEGREE DETAILS

MODIFY A PROGRAM FORM (less significant changes).

	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

Title of Program:	Specialization in Public History
Program Requirements:	A student may enter the Specialization in Public History prior

to the second, or third year in the HBA History, providing an overall 70% average has been attained in the History courses taken up to that time. To continue in the program, an overall 70% average must be maintained in the History courses. All courses will be chosen in consultation with the Chair of the History Department. Students intending to proceed to graduate work in History are strongly advised to include courses in a second language in the program of study.

- (a) History 2350
- (b) History 3830 or History/Kinesiology 3318
- (c) History 4850 and History 4851
- (d) History 4830, or History 4831, or History 4832
- (e) History 4904 or History 4903

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code:	SPEC.PUHI
Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar:	2016 2021-1722
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:	20.00
Transcript Title of Program:	HONOURS BA/ BA4 (HISTORY MAJOR) with SPECIALIZATION IN PUBLIC HISTORY
Degree Type:	HBA
Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?:	<p>For sometime, the Department of History has offered courses that fall under the larger sub-discipline of Public History. Increasingly, students entering university are looking for degrees and course options that have real-world, career opportunities as part of their programs. This has been increasingly apparent at recruiting events such as the Ontario University Fair and in the literature. Being able to complete the HBA / BA4 (History Major) with a Specialization in Public History would create at Lakehead University a unique undergraduate programming option unavailable elsewhere in the province.</p> <p>History 3318 (History of Sport) will serve as a second entry point into the Public History specialization. This course has an experiential learning component and will provide the necessary background for entrance into the fourth-year courses in Public History.</p>
Associated Changes - List all other requests that are	2015-SOC-52292015-SOC-5232

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(enter request number or
title):

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Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?:

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What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?:

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Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding:

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