



LAKEHEAD UNIVERSITY
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES
ENGLISH
CHANGE REQUEST REPORT

Change Request Tracking Number: 2022-SOC-7931

Title of Change Request: Programs-Major Modification-GR-English-
Program name change

Status of Change Request: In Workflow

Change Request can be split

CHANGE REQUEST CONTENTS

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1.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Creative-Project Option)
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3.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Creative-Project Option)
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5.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Thesis Option)
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CHANGE REQUEST HISTORY

Workflow Stage	Action Type	Action Taken By	Change Made	Action Rationale	Date
Initiator	Approved	Doug Ivison	Yes	Submitted to workflow	06/01/2022, 05:17 PM
Submission Review (Deputy Provost)	Approved	Deputy Provost	No	In correct workflow	06/10/2022, 02:58 PM
Advisory Panel Review	Approved	Administrative Assistant to Provost & VP (Academic)	No	The Advisory Review Panel has no concerns with this request.	08/25/2022, 02:40 PM

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

File Name	Uploaded By	Upload Date	Size
engl major modification ma program name change.docx	Doug Ivison	06/01/2022, 05:16 PM	13.9 KB

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AUDIT TRAIL

File Name	User	Date	Action
engl major modification ma program name change.docx	Doug Ivison	06/01/2022, 05:15 PM	Uploaded
engl major modification ma program name change.docx	Doug Ivison	06/01/2022, 05:15 PM	Deleted
engl major modification ma program name change.docx	Doug Ivison	06/01/2022, 05:16 PM	Uploaded

CHANGE REQUEST COMMENTS

Date	User	Change Request Comment
06/01/2022, 05:14 PM	Doug Ivison	We are changing the name of our graduate programs from MA in English to MA in English and Cultural Studies

1.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Creative-Project Option)
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Justification

Proposed name change better reflects faculty expertise, course offerings, and student research and will hopefully attract more students to our graduate programs.

DEGREE DETAILS**MAJOR MODIFICATION TO A PROGRAM FORM.**

NOTE TO USER about Quality Assurance requirements:

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Select the type of major modification you are making:

- Specialization

- Degree/Major

The following is information that is displayed in the University Calendar

Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies
(Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Creative-Project Option)

Program Requirements:

~~The Creative-Project Program: To fulfill the creative-project option, the student must successfully complete English 5770, five students in the Gender and Women's Studies Specialization must successfully complete Gender and Women's Studies 5101, English and Cultural Studies 5770, three additional half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level, and a creative project of relevance to Gender and Women's Studies, English and Cultural Studies 5821 (9821) (1 FCE), for a total of 4 FCEs.~~

Full-time creative-project students should secure a supervisor and submit a creative-project proposal and writing portfolio to the Graduate Committee no later than two months prior to the beginning of the term in which the creative project will be completed. Students who fail to complete the creative project in one term will be required to drop the creative project and change to the course-work program and complete two half-course (or of the Fall term of their second year for the courses that remain to be taken to complete the requirements for the degree.

Part-time students are ~~expeleted~~ expected to proceed at a slower pace but within the time limits specified in the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study. ~~MA English (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies)~~ The Department offers a Thesis Option, a Research-Project Option and a Course-Work Option leading to the degree of Master of Arts. Students will be able to specialize in Gender and Women's Studies in each of these tracks.

~~To fulfill the Gender and Women's Studies option, the student must successfully complete Gender and Women's Studies 5101 and English 5770, as well as satisfy the following requirements:~~

~~**Creative-Project** students will take three elective half-courses (or the equivalent) in English at the graduate level and write a creative project (1 FCE) of relevance to Gender and Women's Studies, for a total of 4 FCEs.~~

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGLWOME.CR

Calendar Start Term. When 20212023-2224
this change should be displayed in the Calendar:

Calendar End Term. When is No Specified End Date
the last calendar year this should be displayed?:

Faculty or Institution**Unit:**

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate**Total number of credits for the degree:** 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: MA (English w GenderWs) Crea Prand Cultural Studies with Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) Creative Project

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?:

~~Department name change: Major Modification for Women's Studies into the Department of Gender and Women's Studies. There are no resource implications for this change. This is a change in name only. All learning outcomes and resource allocations remain the same. The name change reflects what we are already doing in the program~~To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes.
Note: The Program Requirements description has been edited for clarity and to be more consistent with our other programs.

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

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 same faculty/unit?:

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?: See proposal brief. Thank you.No

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?: See proposal brief. Thank you.No

What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?: See proposal brief. Thank you.No

Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding: See proposal brief. Thank you.No

2.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Course-work Option)
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Justification

Proposed name change better reflects faculty expertise, course offerings, and student research and will hopefully attract more students to our graduate programs.

DEGREE DETAILS

MAJOR MODIFICATION TO A PROGRAM FORM.

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- Degree/Major

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Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Course-work Option)

Program Requirements:

To fulfill the courseCourse-work option, the student students must successfully complete English and Cultural Studies 5770 and seven additional half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level for a total of 4 FCEs.

Full-time students who select the course-work stream must have registered by the beginning of the Fall term of their second year for the courses that remain to be taken to complete the requirements for the degree.

Part-time students are expected to proceed at a slower pace but within the time limits specified in the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study.

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGL.CO

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20152023-1624

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution Unit:

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: MA (English and Cultural Studies) Course

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?: We are replacing our current core course, 5790: Theories of Literature, Language and Culture with 5770 Advanced Scholarly Methods. The current course is focused on theory, but we've identified the teaching of research and scholarly methods as a more pressing need for our program, as our incoming students are often lacking in those skills. To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes. Note: There are some minor edits to the Program Requirements description.

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

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Will this program impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?: no

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:

no

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

no

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?:

no impact

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

~~The new course may require some support from Librarians to provide workshops on library resources.~~ none

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

no

3.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Creative-Project Option)
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Justification

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DEGREE DETAILS

MAJOR MODIFICATION TO A PROGRAM FORM.

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- Degree/Major

The following is information that is displayed in the University Calendar

Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Creative-Project Option)

Program Requirements:

~~To fulfill the creative~~ Creative-project option, the student students must successfully complete English and Cultural Studies 5770, five additional half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level, and a creative project, English and Cultural Studies 5821 (9821) (1 FCE) for a total of 4 FCEs.

Full-time creative-project students should secure a supervisor and submit a creative-project proposal and writing portfolio to the Graduate Committee no later than two months prior to the beginning of the term in which the creative project will be completed. Students who fail to

complete the creative project in one term will be required to drop the creative project and change to the course-work program and complete two half-course courses (or of the Fall term of their second year for the courses that remain to be taken to complete the requirements for the degree the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level in the following term.

Part-time students are expected to proceed at a slower pace but within the time limits specified in the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study.

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGL.CR

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20152023-1624

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution

Unit:

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: MA (English and Cultural Studies) Creative PrProject

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?:

~~We are replacing our current core course, 5790: Theories of Literature, Language and Culture with 5770 Advanced Scholarly Methods. The current course is focused on theory, but we've identified the teaching of research and scholarly methods as a more pressing need for our program, as our incoming students are often lacking in those skills. To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes.~~ Note: We also corrected the Program Requirements description and made some minor edits.

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

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Will this program impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?: no

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?: no

Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?: no

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?: no impact

What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?: The new course may require some support from Librarians to provide workshops on library resources. none

Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding: no

4. New Version of a Degree

Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Research-Project Option)

Justification

Proposed name change better reflects faculty expertise, course offerings, and student research and will hopefully attract more students to our graduate programs.

DEGREE DETAILS

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- Degree/Major

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Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Research-Project Option)

Program Requirements:

~~To fulfill the research~~Research-project option, the student students must successfully complete English and Cultural Studies 5770, five additional half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level, and a research project, English and Cultural Studies 5801 (9801) (1 FCE) for a total of 4 FCEs.

Full-time research-project students should secure a supervisor and submit a research-project proposal to the Graduate Committee for its approval no later than two months prior to the beginning of the term in which the research project will be completed. Students who fail to complete the research project in one term will be required to drop the research project and change to the course-work program and complete two half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level in the following term.

Part-time students are expected to proceed at a slower pace but within the time limits specified in the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study.

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGL.PR

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20152023-1624

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution

- Unit:**
- Lakehead University
 - Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: MA (English and Cultural Studies) Research Project

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?: ~~We are replacing our current core course, 5790: Theories of Literature, Language and Culture with 5770 Advanced Scholarly Methods. The current course is focused on theory, but we've identified the teaching of research and scholarly methods as a more pressing need for our program, as our~~

~~incoming students are often lacking in those skills.~~To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes.
Note: There are some minor edits to the Program Requirements description.

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

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**Will this program impact
student enrolment in
another program within the
same faculty/unit?:**

no

**Will this program impact
student enrolment in
another program in a
different faculty/unit?:**

no

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

no

**How will this impact
existing teaching loads
within this faculty/unit?:**

no impact

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

~~The new course may require some support from Librarians to
provide workshops on library resources.~~none

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

no

5.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Thesis Option)
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Justification

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DEGREE DETAILS

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- Degree/Major

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Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Thesis Option)

Program Requirements:

~~To fulfill the thesis option, the student~~ Thesis students must successfully complete English and Cultural Studies 5770, three additional half courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level, and a thesis, English and Cultural Studies 5901 (9901) (two FCEs) for a total of 4 FCEs.

Full-time thesis students should observe the following schedule:

1. secure a supervisor by February 1 and submit a thesis proposal, as approved by the supervisor, to the Graduate Committee for its approval no later than by May 1 of the first year in the program;
2. submit the revised version of the thesis proposal, if necessary, as approved by the supervisor, to the Graduate Committee for its approval no later than September 1 of the second year in the program;
3. submit a thesis progress form to the Graduate Committee no later than December 1 of the second year in the program;
4. submit the completed thesis for examination by the internal examiner no later than February 15 of the second year in the program;
5. submit the completed thesis for examination by the external examiner no later than March 1 of the second year in the program.

Part-time students are expected to follow the same process but over a slightly longer time (see Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study).

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGL.TH

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20152023-1624

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution Unit:

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

**Total number of credits
for the degree:** 4.00

**Transcript Title of
Program:** MA (English and Cultural Studies) Thesis

Degree Type: MA

**This major modification
may require a proposal
brief. See link above for
more information. If
applicable, indicate if
your proposal brief is
attached:**

• Yes

**Pedagogical rationale for
this proposal. Why are you
submitting this request?:** ~~We are replacing our current core course, 5790: Theories of Literature, Language and Culture with 5770 Advanced Scholarly Methods. The current course is focused on theory, but we've identified the teaching of research and scholarly methods as a more pressing need for our program, as our incoming students are often lacking in those skills. To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes.~~ Note: We made some minor edits to the Program Description requirements.

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

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration

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**Will this program impact
student enrolment in
another program within the
same faculty/unit?:** no

**Will this program impact
student enrolment in
another program in a
different faculty/unit?:** no

**Will additional resources
be required (space, staff,
equipment, etc.)?:** no

**How will this impact
existing teaching loads
within this faculty/unit?:** no impact

What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?: May require additional support from library staff with regard to library visits or instruction on library facilities and databases. none

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

no

6.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Social Justice Studies) (Course-Work Option)
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Justification

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DEGREE DETAILS

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- Degree/Major

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Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Social Justice Studies) (Course-Work Option)

Program Requirements:

~~To fulfill the requirements of the Course-work students in the Social Justice Studies Specialization, students must successfully complete English and Cultural Studies 5770, Social Justice 5030, 2 FCEs in English and Cultural Studies elective courses at the graduate level, and 1 FCE in Social Justice elective courses at the graduate level, for a total of 4 FCEs.~~

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGLSOCJ.CO

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20202023-2124

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution**Unit:**

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate**Total number of credits for the degree:** 4.00**Transcript Title of Program:** ~~Master of Arts in English~~ (MA (English and Cultural Studies with Specialization in Social Justice Studies) Course**Degree Type:** MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?:

~~English already offers graduate courses cross-listed with Social Justice Studies, and some English faculty members are currently members of the Social Justice Studies MA program. Many of our students are doing work in the area of Social Justice Studies, and would benefit from the opportunity to formally study Social Justice theory in Social Justice 5030 and get a wider background in Social Justice Studies by taking other Social Justice Studies courses. To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes. Note: There are some minor edits to the Program Requirements description.~~

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

2019-SOC-7211

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration

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Will this program impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?:

~~There may be a minor impact on the MA in Social Justice Studies if applicants choose the MA in English with the SJS over the MA in SJS. We expect the impact to be minor, however. There will also be an increase in enrolment in Social Justice 5030 if students take the Specialization, and there may be a slight increase in enrolment in other Social Justice Studies courses. No~~

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:

No

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

No

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?:

No impact

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

7.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Social Justice Studies) (Creative-Project Option)
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Justification

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DEGREE DETAILS

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- Degree/Major

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Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Social Justice Studies) (Creative-Project Option)

Program Requirements:

~~To fulfill the requirements of the Creative-project students in the Social Justice Studies Specialization, students must successfully complete English and Cultural Studies 5770, Social Justice 5030, —2 FCEs in English and Cultural Studies elective courses at the graduate level, and produce a creative project (1 FCE) of relevance to both English and Cultural Studies and Social Justice Studies, for a total of 4 FCEs.~~

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGLSOCJ.CR

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20202023-2124

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution Unit:

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: ~~Master of Arts in English~~ (MA (English and Cultural Studies with Specialization in Social Justice Studies) Creative Project

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?:

~~English already has graduate courses cross-listed with Social Justice Studies, and some English faculty members are members of the Social Justice Studies MA program. Our students are already working in the area of Social Justice Studies, and would benefit from the opportunity to formally study Social Justice theory in Social Justice 5030 and have their worked formally recognized as relevant to Social Justice Studies through participation in the Specialization~~To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes.
Note: There are some minor edits to the Program Requirements description.

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

~~2019-SOC-7211~~

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Will this program impact student enrolment in another program within the

~~It might have a slight impact on the MA in Social Justice Studies if students choose the MA in English with the Specialization in SJS, rather than the MA in SJS. We expect~~

same faculty/unit?: ~~this impact to be minor, however. There will also be a slight increase in Social Justice 5030 if English students pursue the Specialization.~~No

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:

No.

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

No

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?:

No impact

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

8.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Social Justice Studies) (Research-Project Option)
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Justification

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Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Social Justice Studies) (Research-Project Option)

Program Requirements:

~~To fulfill the requirements of the Research-project students in the Social Justice Studies Specialization , students must successfully complete English and Cultural Studies 5770, Social Justice 5030, 2 FCEs in English and Cultural Studies elective courses at the graduate level, and write a research~~

project (1 FCE) on a subject related to both English and Cultural Studies and Social Justice Studies, for a total of 4 FCEs.

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGLSOCJ.PR

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: ~~2020~~2023-2124

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution Unit:

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: ~~Master of Arts in English~~ (MA (English and Cultural Studies with Specialization in Social Justice Studies) Research Project

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?: ~~We offer a number of English graduate courses cross-listed with Social Justice Studies, and some of our faculty are members of the Social Justice Studies graduate program. Some English MA students are already pursuing work relevant to Social Justice Studies. A Specialization would allow students to get a better knowledge of Social Justice theory, and formally acknowledge the Social Justice dimensions of the work that many of our students are already doing~~To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes.
Note: There are some minor edits to the Program Requirements description.

Associated Changes - List all other requests that are associate with this change (enter request number or title): ~~2019-SOC-7211~~

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration

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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?: ~~It could have a small impact on the Social Justice Studies MA program, if some students decide to pursue the MA in English rather than the MA in Social Justice Studies now that they can do the Social Justice Studies Specialization in English. We expect that this will be a small number of students, however. We hope that it will help to attract non-Lakehead students to our MA program. As Social Justice 5030 is required for the Specialization, it may lead to a small increase in enrolment in that course.~~No

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?: No

Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?: No

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?: No impact

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

9.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Course-work Option)
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Justification

Proposed name change better reflects faculty expertise, course offerings, and student research and will hopefully attract more students to our graduate programs.

DEGREE DETAILS

MAJOR MODIFICATION TO A PROGRAM FORM.

NOTE TO USER about Quality Assurance requirements:

Visit this link to learn about the proposal requirements and the process for review and approval for Major Modifications to Programs.

Select the type of major modification you are making:

- Specialization
- Degree/Major

The following is information that is displayed in the University Calendar

Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies
(Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Course-work Option)

Program Requirements:

~~The Course-work Program: To fulfill the course-work option, the student must successfully complete English 5770 and seven additional half-courses (or the equivalent) in English at the graduate level for a total of 4 FCEs. Full-time students who select the course-work stream must have registered by the beginning of the Fall term of their second year for the courses that remain to be taken to complete the requirements for the degree. Part-time students are expected to proceed at a slower pace but within the time limits specified in the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study. MA English (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) The Department offers a Thesis Option, a Research Project Option and a Course-Work Option leading to the degree of Master of Arts. Students will be able to specialize in Gender and Women's Studies in each of these tracks. To fulfill the Gender and Women's Studies option, the student Specialization must successfully complete Gender and Women's Studies 5101, English and English Cultural Studies 5770, as well as satisfy the following requirements: Course-work students will take five elective and five additional half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level for a total of 4 FCEs. Two of the major papers written for these graduate course(s) must be focused on a subject related to Gender and Women's Studies. One page proposals must be approved by an English-based Gender and Women's Studies subcommittee of the English and Cultural Studies program no later than six weeks into the term(s).~~

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGLWOME.CO

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20212023-2224

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution

- Unit:**
- Lakehead University
 - Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: MA (English w Gender and Cultural Studies with Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) Course

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if

- Yes

**your proposal brief is
attached:**

**Pedagogical rationale for
this proposal. Why are you
submitting this request?:**

~~Department name change: Major Modification for Women's
Studies into the Department of Gender and Women's Studies.
There are no resource implications for this change. This is
a change in name only. All learning outcomes and resource
allocations remain the same. The name change reflects what
we are already doing in the program~~To better reflect our
course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the
research conducted by our students. To attract students
interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our
learning outcomes.
Note: The Program Requirements description
has also been edited for clarity and to be more consistent
with our other programs.

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

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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
same faculty/unit?:**

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

**Will this program impact
student enrolment in
another program in a
different faculty/unit?:**

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

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

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

**How will this impact
existing teaching loads
within this faculty/unit?:**

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

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

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

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

~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

<p>10. New Version of a Degree</p>	<p>Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Research-Project</p>
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Option)**Justification**

Proposed name change better reflects faculty expertise, course offerings, and student research and will hopefully attract more students to our graduate programs.

DEGREE DETAILS**MAJOR MODIFICATION TO A PROGRAM FORM.**

NOTE TO USER about Quality Assurance requirements:

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Select the type of major
modification you are
making:

- Specialization
- Degree/Major

The following is information that is displayed in the University Calendar

Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies
(Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Research-
Project Option)

Program Requirements:

~~The Research-Project Program: To fulfill the research-project option, the student must successfully complete English 5770, five students in the Gender and Women's Studies Specialization must successfully complete Gender and Women's Studies 5101, English and Cultural Studies 5770, three additional half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level, and a research project, English 5801 (9801) (1 FCE), on a subject related to both English and Cultural Studies and Gender and Women's Studies, for a total of 4 FCEs.~~

Full-time research-project students should secure a supervisor and submit a research-project proposal to the Graduate Committee for its approval no later than two months prior to the beginning of the term in which the research project will be completed. Students who fail to complete the research project in one term will be required to drop the research project and change to the course-work program and complete two half-courses (or the equivalent) in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level in the following term.

Part-time students are expected to proceed at a slower pace but within the time limits specified in the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study. ~~MA English (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) The Department offers a Thesis Option, a Research-Project Option and a Course-Work Option leading to the degree of Master of Arts. Students will be able to specialize in Gender and Women's Studies in each of these tracks.~~

~~To fulfill the Gender and Women's Studies option, the student must successfully complete Gender and Women's Studies 5101 and English 5770, as well as satisfy the following requirements:~~

~~Research-Project~~ students will take three elective half-courses (or the equivalent) in English at the graduate level and write a research project (1 FCE) upon a subject related to both English and Gender and Women's Studies, for a total of 4 FCEs.

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGLWOME.PR

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20212023-2224

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution Unit:

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: MA (English w GenderWS) and Cultural Studies with Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) Research Project

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?: ~~Department name change: Major Modification for Women's Studies into the Department of Gender and Women's Studies. There are no resource implications for this change. This is a change in name only. All learning outcomes and resource allocations remain the same. The name change reflects what we are already doing in the program~~To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes.
Note: The Program Requirements description has been edited for clarity and to be more consistent with our other programs.

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

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Will this program impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?: ~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?: ~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?: ~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?: ~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?: ~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding: ~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~No

11.	New Version of a Degree	Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Thesis Option)
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Justification

Proposed name change better reflects faculty expertise, course offerings, and student research and will hopefully attract more students to our graduate programs.

DEGREE DETAILS

MAJOR MODIFICATION TO A PROGRAM FORM.

NOTE TO USER about Quality Assurance requirements:

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Select the type of major modification you are making:

- Specialization
- Degree/Major

The following is information that is displayed in the University Calendar

Title of Program: Master of Arts in English and Cultural Studies
(Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) (Thesis Option)

Program Requirements:

~~The Thesis Program:~~To fulfill the thesis option, the student must successfully complete English 5770, three additional half courses (or the equivalent) in English Thesis students in the Gender and Women's Studies Specialization must successfully complete Gender and Women's Studies 5101, English and Cultural Studies 5770, one additional half-course in English and Cultural Studies at the graduate level, and a thesis, English 5901 (9901) (two FCEs), on a subject related to both English and Cultural Studies and Gender and Women's Studies, for a total of 4 FCEs.

Full-time thesis students should observe the following schedule:

1. secure a supervisor by February 1 and submit a thesis proposal, as approved by the supervisor, to the English and Cultural Studies Graduate Committee for its approval no later than May 1 of the first year in the program;
2. submit the revised version of the thesis proposal, if necessary, as approved by the supervisor, to the English and Cultural Studies Graduate Committee for its approval no later than September 1 of the second year in the program;
3. submit a thesis progress form to the English and Cultural Studies Graduate Committee no later than December 1 of the second year in the program;
4. submit the completed thesis for examination by the internal examiner no later than February 15 of the second year in the program;
5. submit the completed thesis for examination by the external examiner no later than March 1 of the second year in the program.

Part-time students are expected to follow the same process but over a slightly longer time (see Faculty of Graduate Studies, Master's Regulations, Period of Study).~~MA English (Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) The Department offers a Thesis Option, a Research Project Option and a Course-Work Option leading to the degree of Master of Arts. Students will be able to specialize in Gender and Women's Studies in each of these tracks.~~

~~To fulfill the Gender and Women's Studies option, the student must successfully complete Gender and Women's Studies 5101 and English 5770, as well as satisfy the following requirements:~~

~~Thesis students will take an elective half-course in English at the graduate level and write a thesis (2 FCEs) upon a subject related to both English and Gender and Women's Studies, for a total of 4 FCEs.~~

The following is information for Committee Review

Program Code: MA.ENGLWOME.TH

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 20212023-2224

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Faculty or Institution Unit:

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Level: Graduate

Total number of credits for the degree: 4.00

Transcript Title of Program: MA (English w Gender & WS and Cultural Studies with Specialization in Gender and Women's Studies) Thesis

Degree Type: MA

This major modification may require a proposal brief. See link above for more information. If applicable, indicate if your proposal brief is attached:

- Yes

Pedagogical rationale for this proposal. Why are you submitting this request?: ~~Department name change: Major Modification for Women's Studies into the Department of Gender and Women's Studies. There are no resource implications for this change. This is a change in name only. All learning outcomes and resource allocations remain the same. The name change reflects what we are already doing in the program~~ To better reflect our course offerings and faculty expertise, as well as the research conducted by our students. To attract students interested in Cultural Studies. There is no change to our learning outcomes. ~~Note: The Program Requirements description has been edited for clarity and to be more consistent with our other programs.~~

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

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Will this program impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?: ~~See proposal brief. Thank you.~~ No

Will this program impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?:	See proposal brief. Thank you. No
Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc.)?:	See proposal brief. Thank you. No
How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?:	See proposal brief. Thank you. No
What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc.)?:	See proposal brief. Thank you. No
Will this require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding:	See proposal brief. Thank you. No