



LAKEHEAD UNIVERSITY

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES

INDIGENOUS LEARNING

CHANGE REQUEST REPORT

Change Request Tracking Number: 2025-SOC-9144

Title of Change Request: Course-Modification-UG-Indigenous Learning-Minor course change for IL operated INDI 3435/ENST 3435/NORT 3435

Status of Change Request: In Workflow

Change Request can't be split

CHANGE REQUEST CONTENTS

#	Type	Title
1.	New Version of a Course	Contemporary Indigenous Resurgence

**CHANGE REQUEST HISTORY**

Workflow Stage	Action Type	Action Taken By	Change Made	Action Rationale	Date
Initiator	Approved	Indigenous Learning Department	Yes	Submitted to workflow. Please note the "Indigenous Content Requirement (ICR) Submission Form" attached to this request. Miigwech.	10/31/2025, 09:17 AM
Submission Review (Manager of Curriculum Development)	Approved	Submission Review	No	Ok to move forward in workflow. Associated with 2025-SOC-9145, 2025-SCI-9153	11/06/2025, 10:22 AM

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

File Name	Uploaded By	Upload Date	Size
INDI 3435 ICR_SubmissionForm Oct 2025.docx	Indigenous Learning Department	10/31/2025, 09:15 AM	27.5 KB

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AUDIT TRAIL**

File Name	User	Date	Action
INDI 3435 ICR_SubmissionForm Oct 2025.docx	Indigenous Learning Department	10/31/2025, 09:15 AM	Uploaded

**CHANGE REQUEST COMMENTS**

Date	User	Change Request Comment
10/31/2025, 09:13 AM	Indigenous Learning Department	Course change

<b>1.</b>	<b>New Version of a Course</b>	<b>Contemporary Indigenous Resurgence</b>
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**Justification**

• In the last three years we have had several faculty members retire, and the deletions/changes reflect our changing expertise. • Our department has many courses on the books that we are unable to teach on a regular rotational. These changes/deletions help us to make our curriculum/offerings more manageable and less repetitious. For example, several of these courses (INDI 2331, 2317, 3233) are very similar to other courses at the same year level that remain on the books.

**COURSE DETAILS**

**MODIFY COURSE FORM** – The following is information that will be displayed in the University Calendar

**Course Code:** Indigenous Learning 3435 The code is the 'subject' plus the course number (e.g. "Biology 1110").

**Title of Course:** Contemporary Indigenous People and the Land Resurgence

**Course Description:** ~~During the past few years, land ownership has emerged as a central issue in Indigenous Peoples government relations. This course examines some of the main controversies centering on this issue~~ This course reviews Indigenous land dispossession on Abiyala and Turtle Island and examines contemporary Indigenous Environmental Repossession and Indigenous Radical Resurgence projects. In addition to evaluating specialized literature on Anishinaabe Thought, learners will gain experiential knowledge through guided land-based exercises.

**Credit Weight of this Course:** 0.5 Example 0.25, 0.5, 1.0, 1.5 etc

**Offering (Hours of instruction):** 3-0; or 3-0 Example 3-0

**List any prerequisites for this course here:** Indigenous Learning 1100 or permission of the Chair of the Department of Indigenous Learning

**List any corequisites for this course here:**

**List any special notes or restrictions for this course here:** Will appear in the Calendar. For example: A course fee for field activities may be required.

**What is the Grade Scheme?:**

**Is this a Special Topics course?:**

**Is this course cross listed with another? If so, enter the other course code here:** Environmental Studies 3435/Northern Studies 3435

**Course Classification(s):**

- Type A: Humanities
- Type B: Social Sciences

**The following is information for Committee Review**

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**Faculty or Institution Unit:**

- Lakehead University
- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

**Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar:** 20212026-2227

**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