

MEMORANDUM

TO: Ms Karen Roche
University Secretary

FROM: Dr. Wayne Melville
Chair, Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee

SUBJECT: Report of Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee

DATE: 3 October 2012

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The Senate Undergraduate Studies Committee met on October 2, 2012 to review items referred from Senate for the 2013-2014 academic cycle and makes the following recommendations:

A. CURRICULUM/CALENDAR CHANGES REFERRED FROM SENATE MEETING #5-2012 OF MAY 18, 2012, ITEM 6

FACULTY OF NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

(a) Clarification to Open Electives in HBScF (2013-2014)

The Committee recommends approval of the program changes in the HBScF and HBEM to specify that the Fourth Year open electives should be at the third or fourth year level.

B. CURRICULUM/CALENDAR CHANGES REFERRED FROM SENATE MEETING #6-2012 OF SEPTEMBER 14, 2012, ITEM 4

FACULTY OF NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

(a) Addition of a Lab Session to NRMT 2055 (2013-2014)

The Committee recommends approval of the addition of a two-hour laboratory to Natural Resources Management 2055.

(b) Add GEOG 3731 and GEOL 3410 HBScF (2013-2014)

The Committee recommends approval of the addition of Geology 3410 and Geography 3731 as specified elective choices in Third Year of the HBScF Specialization in Forest Health and Protection.

(c) Replace OUTD 3290 with OUTD 2810 in HBEM (2013-2014)

The Committee recommends approval of the replacement of Outdoor Recreation 3290 with 2810 in Third Year of the HBEM Directed Learning Option.

C. OUTSTANDING ITEMS

(a) CURRICULUM/CALENDAR CHANGES REFERRED FROM SENATE MEETING #2-2012 OF FEBRUARY 17, 2012, ITEM 4 – FACULTY OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION – HONOURS BACHELOR OF COMMERCE PRE-LAW/GENERAL MANAGEMENT/LEGAL STUDIES MAJOR (2013-2014)

The Committee is waiting for the Faculty of Business Administration to provide a revised proposal to the Senate Academic Committee for review before it can be forwarded to S USC.

(b) DEPARTMENT OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES (ORILLIA) - Revisions to the Media Studies Major Approved by Senate Executive August 28, 2011

This item was previously reported at the April 13, 2012 Senate meeting; however the Committee is waiting for the Department to finalize proposed revisions to the Media Studies Major programs and courses that were originally approved on August 28, 2011.

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Dr. Wayne Melville, Chair