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MEMORANDUM

ATTENTION	Senate	DATE	March 6, 2015
FROM	Gordon Myers, Chair	PAGES	1/2
RE:	Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies Faculty of Environment (SCUS 1	5-09) ().	414
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For information:

Acting under delegated authority at its meeting of March 5, 2015 SCUS approved the following curriculum revisions effective Fall 2015.

1. Department of Archaeology (SCUS 15-09a)

(i) Credit change for ARCH 201, 272W, 273, 285

(ii) Credit and description change for ARCH 286

- o B-Hum designation
- (iii) Credit change for ARCH 372

(iv) Description and prerequisite change for ARCH 388 and 479

(v) Credit, description and prerequisite change for ARCH 480

(vi) Requirement changes for the Archaeology Honours Program

(vii) Requirement changes to the Archaeology and First Nations Studies Joint Major program

2. Environment Program (SCUS 15-09b)

(i) New Course Proposals:

ENV 302-3, Environmental Practicum I

• ENV 303-3, Environment Practicum II

(ii) Credit and description change to ENV 321(iii) New Course Proposals:

- ENV 402-3, Environment Practicum III
- ENV403-3, Environment Practicum IV
- ENV 404-3, Environment Practicum V

(iv) Requirement changes to the Environmental Literacy Certificate(v) W Designation for ENV 222

3. Department of Geography (SCUS 15-09c)

(i) Description and prerequisite change for GEOG 251

(ii) Lower Division requirement changes to the Physical Geography Major program(iii) WQB Designations for:

- GEOG 213 Q/B-Sci
- GEOG 221 B-Soc
- GEOG 253 B-Sci

4. School of Resource and Environmental Management (SCUS 15-09d)

(i) Credit and description change for REM 321



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ATTENTION	Gordon Myers, Chair, SCUS
FROM	Alex Clapp, Associate Dean (Undergraduate),
RE	Faculty of Environment Curricular Proposals
DATE	February 16, 2015

The following were approved by the Faculty of Environment Undergraduate Curriculum Committee at its meeting of February 4th 2015 and are being forwarded to SCUS for approval.

- a. Archaeology Submissions (FENV 15-1)
 - i. ARCH 201 Course Change (attached)
 - ii. ARCH 272W Course Change (attached)
 - iii. ARCH 273 Course Change (attached)
 - iv. ARCH 285 Course Change (attached)
 - v. ARCH 286 Course Change (attached)
 - vi. ARCH 372 Course Change (attached)
 - vii. ARCH 388 Course Change (attached)
 - viii. ARCH 479 Course Change (attached)
 - ix. ARCH 480 Course Change (attached)
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 - xi. Honors Program Changes (attached)
 - xii. Archaeology and First Nations Joint Major Program Changes (attached)
 - xiii. ARCH 286 B-Hum approval (attached)

b. FENV Submissions (FENV 15-2)

- i. ENV 302 (Co-Op) New Course Proposal (attached)
- ii. ENV 303 (Co-Op) New Course Proposal (attached)
- iii. ENV 321 Course Change Proposal (cross-listed with REM 321 below)(attached)
- iv. ENV 402 (Co-Op) New Course Proposal (attached)
- v. ENV 403 (Co-Op) New Course Proposal (attached)
- vi. ENV 404 (Co-Op) New Course Proposal (attached)
- vii. Certificate in Environmental Literacy Program Changes
- viii. ENV 222 "W" application

- c. Geography Submissions (FENV 15-3)
 - i. GEOG 251 Course Change (attached)
 - ii. Physical Geography Major Program Changes (attached)
 - iii. GEOG 213, GEOG 221 and GEOG 253 WQB approval
- d. REM Submissions (FENV15-4)
 - i. REM 321 Course Change Proposal (attached)

Please place these proposals on the agenda of the March 5th meeting of SCUS.

Thanks,

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGY MEMORANDUM

To: Alex Clapp, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Chair, Faculty of Environment

From: Ross Jamieson, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Chair, Archaeology

Re: Archaeology Undergraduate Program Changes (Effective Fall 2015)

Date: November 27, 2014

The following Archaeology undergraduate program changes are submitted to the Chair of the Faculty of Environment Undergraduate Curriculum Committee for consideration. These were approved by the ARCH UCC on Nov. 20th, 2014. Pending approval, the following changes will be effective Fall term 2015 (1157).

Calendar Changes

"To" and "From" content taken from the Spring 2015 calendar.

- ARCH Major, Honours, Minor, Extended Minor, ARCH/ANTH Joint Major, and ARCH/FNST Joint . Major
 - Notation of change in credit hours to required lower division courses. Course change forms with rationale are included.
- **ARCH Honours**
 - o Change to Admission and Minimum Grade Requirements. Before entry to the Honours program, students must have a minimum ARCH GPA of 3.33 and have completed ARCH 372, with a minimum grade of "B". Rationale: Minimum standards for ARCH Honours raised to a B+ admission and B in core course ARCH 372 - Material Culture Analysis - to maintain program integrity and student success.
- **ARCH/FNST** Joint Major
 - o Addition of minimum number of upper division units required. Approval from FNST is included. Rationale: Provides clarification for students in program.

Course Change Forms

- ARCH 201-3 Introduction to Archaeology (Revision: Credit)
- ARCH 272W-3 Archaeology of the Old World (Revision: Credit) .
- ARCH 273-3 Archaeology of the New World (Revision: Credit) .
- ARCH 285-3 Archaeological Science (Revision: Credit) .
- ARCH 286-3 Cultural Heritage Stewardship (Revision: Credit; Description to include B-Hum) •
- ARCH 372-5 Material Culture Analysis (Revision: Vector change to 3 hour lecture / 2 hour Lab)
- ARCH 388-5 Geoarchaeology (Revision: Description; Prerequisite) .
- ARCH 479-3 Directed Readings (Revision: Description; Prerequisite) .
- ARCH 480-5 Directed Laboratory/Library/Field Research (Revision: Credit; Description; Prerequisite) •

Breadth Permanent Designation

The University Curriculum Office has approved Breadth-Humanities designation for ARCH 286 - Cultural Heritage Stewardship in Global Context. The certification approval is attached for permanent designation approval by SCUS.

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1. Calendar Entry Change for Archaeology Honours

Rationale:

Minimum standards for ARCH Honours admission raised to maintain program integrity and student success.

CURRENT	PROPOSED
Admission Requirements	Admission Requirements
Entry into the honours program requires a 3.00 or higher cumulative grade point average (CGPA), and departmental permission. Minimum Grade Requirements	 Prior to application to the honours program, the following is required: <u>A minimum Archaeology GPA of 3.33</u> <u>Completion of ARCH 372, with a grade of B or better</u> <u>A minimum CGPA of 3.00</u>
Students must maintain a 3.00 or higher cumulative grade point average (CGPA) to remain in the program. To satisfy the requirements of an honours degree students must achieve a minimum 3.00 graduation grade point average (GPA). The graduation GPA must be obtained both on the overall course work (CGPA) as well as on the upper division subset of that work (UDGPA).	 <u>Departmental permission to enter program</u> <u>Minimum Grade Requirements</u> <u>To remain in the honours program, the following is required:</u> <u>Maintain a minimum 3.00 CGPA</u> <u>Maintain a minimum 3.00 Archaeology GPA</u>

http://www.sfu.ca/students/calendar/2015/spring/programs/archaeology/honours/bachelor-of-arts.html

2. Calendar Entry Change for Archaeology and First Nations Studies Joint Major

Rationale:

Including minimum number of upper division units required provides clarification for students in program and brings the description in line with other ARCH calendar entries.

CURRENT	PROPOSED
Program Requirements	Program Requirements
Students complete 120 units as specified below. Students may opt for a bachelor of arts degree from either the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences or the Faculty of Environment. Faculty requirements will be governed by the faculty from which the student chooses to complete a degree.	Students complete 120 units, including a minimum of 45 upper division units, as specified below. Students may opt for a bachelor of arts degree from either the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences or the Faculty of Environment. Faculty requirements will be governed by the faculty from which the student chooses to complete a degree.

http://www.sfu.ca/students/calendar/2015/spring/programs/archaeology-and-first-nations-studies/joint-major/bachelor-of-arts.html