

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

Paper S-125

MEMORANDUM

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Hon degrees

The Secretary and Chairman, Senate
Dean MacKinnon, Faculty of Education
Dean Funt, Faculty of Science

From John Matthews, Dean

Faculty of Arts

Subject Classification of Degrees

Date April 22, 1968

The Faculty of Arts, on April 16, passed the following resolutions:

That the following pattern for the classification of degrees be adopted:

<u>General Degree</u>	<u>Honors Degree</u>	<u>Cumulative G.P.A.</u>
1st class	1st class	at least 3.5
2nd class	2nd class	at least 3.0
pass		at least 2.0

A student in the honors program who fails to qualify for an honors degree can be awarded a general degree, provided that the latter would be determined on the basis of 120 credits, not 132 credits.

A cumulative G.P.A. would be calculated on all courses making up the total credits for the degree.

This pattern of classification gives 5 possible classes of degree.

Faculty also resolved that this proposal be taken as the response of the Faculty of Arts on the question of classification of honors referred to this Faculty by Senate on April 1, also that it be referred to the other faculties.

John Matthews

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Don MacKinnon

Secretary, Senate

From A.R. MacKinnon

Dean of Education

Subject Honors and Honors First Class

Date April 29, 1968

At a meeting of the Faculty of Education on Monday, April 29, 1968,
faculty agreed as follows:

that the criteria as specified for Honors and Honors
First Class in Senate Paper S-118 be maintained.

A.R. MacKinnon

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Paper S-118

To: Senate

From: Registrar

26 March, 1968

Subject: Definition of Requirements for
Honors Degree and First Class Standings

At a March 21st meeting of the three Deans, the Chairman of each Faculty Curriculum Committee and the Registrar, it was agreed that the following criteria would be adopted for the Faculties of Arts, Education and Science:

Honors and Honors First Class

For Honors standing on graduation, a student must normally obtain a cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.0 computed on all courses. Students with a cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.5 in the Honors program computed on all courses will normally be recommended for Honors First Class.


D.A. Meyers
Acting Registrar

(This item returned to Faculties for comment and further report to Senate)