

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

MEMORANDUM

S.79-123

To. Senate

From. Senate Committee on
Undergraduate Studies

Subject. Curriculum Changes -
Business Administration &
Economics

Date. November 16, 1979

Action taken by the Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies at its meeting of November 13th, 1979 gives rise to the following motion:

MOTION

That Senate approve and recommend approval to the Board, as set forth in S.79-123, the proposed change in requirements for a Major in the School of Business Administration and Economics.

Note - This proposal acknowledges that the needs of Business Administration and Economics students may be appropriately met through any one of several Mathematics or Philosophy courses or through a specific course in the School.

For Information

Under its delegated authority SCUS approved proposed course changes in the School of Business Administration and Economics as follows:

**ECON/COMM 332-3 Elementary Economic and Business Statistics I,
prerequisite**

ECON 353-5 Title, description

COMM 373-5 Title, description

COMM 436-5 Title, description, prerequisite"



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Chairman

CURRICULUM CHANGES

1980 - 1981

p. 107 Change of Requirements for
Major

FROM: Majors/Honours

Math 100 (if B.C. Grade 12 Math has
not been completed)
Any 100-division course in Economics
or Commerce
Econ 200
Econ 205
Comm 221
Econ/Comm 231
Comm 270

TO: Math 100 (if B.C. Grade 12 Math has
not been completed)
Any 100-division course in Economics
or Commerce
Econ 200
Econ 205
Comm 221
Comm 270
Any one of Econ/Comm 231, Math 101
Math 157 or equivalent, Phil 110 or
Phil 210.

RATIONALE:

The courses listed above in addition to
Econ/Comm 231-3 provide basic materials
which meet the needs of majors in our
Departments.

p. 111 Econ 332-3 Change of
 p. 115 Comm Prerequisites

FROM: Econ 200-3, 205-3, Econ/Comm 231-3
 60 credit hours

To; Econ 200-3 and Econ 205-3; and one
 of Econ/Comm 231-3, Math 101-3,
 Math 157-3 or equivalent, Phil 110-3
 Phil 210-3; 60 credit hours.

RATIONALE:

The courses listed above in addition to
 Econ/Comm 231-3 provide basic materials
 which meet the needs of majors in our
 Departments.

p. 111 Econ 353-5 Change of title
and description

FROM: "Economic History of North America"

"An examination of common and
 contrasting features of economic
 development in Canada and the United
 States from settlement until the
 twentieth century. Emphasis will be
 placed upon the role of staple
 exports, the creation of social over-
 head capital, and the development of
 policies and institutions conducive
 to economic growth."

TO: "Economic History of Canada"

"Analysis of leading issues in
 Canadian Economic History. The
 Historical experience of other areas
 will be examined when useful
 contrasts can be made."

RATIONALE:

To conform to content of course as it is
 actually taught.

p. 116 COMM 373-5 Change of Title & Description

FROM: "Production Management"

"Factory location and layout; product design; production methods; materials handling, control of output, quality, cost, inventories, and production flow; time and motion study and methods of work analysis."

TO: "Operations Management"

"The management of operating systems including: allocation and scheduling of resources; control of costs, inventories, quality, and manpower; design of operating systems including location, layout and manpower; establishment of work methods and standards."

RATIONALE:

While it may seem that the change is cosmetic, this represents a more accurate representation of the kinds of issues we are attempting to cover in this course and would consequently send a more accurate signal out to students. The material treated in this course, particularly in B.C. environment, goes beyond a classification as strictly production issues.

p. 117 COMM 436-5 Change of Title & Description & Pre-requisites

FROM: "Quantitative Methods in Business"

"The application of quantitative methods in the analysis of administration, marketing inventory and production problems."

Prerequisites: ECON/ COMM 333-3. 60 credit hours."

TO: "Management Science"

"The application of Management Science techniques to the analysis of marketing, finance, production, or organizational and administrative problems."

Prerequisites: ECON/COMM 333-3;
COMM 373-5; 60 credit hours."

RATIONALE: The course applies Management
Science techniques to business problems.

NEW COURSE PROPOSAL FORM1. Calendar InformationDepartment: School of Bus. Adm. & Econ.Abbreviation Code Econ/ COMM Course Number: 332 Credit Hours: 3 Vector: _____Title of Course: Elementary Economic and Business Statistics 1

Calendar Description of Course:

An introduction to elementary statistical techniques with emphasis on their application to business and economics. Students will be required to carry out projects of individual interest.

Nature of Course Lecture/Tutorial

Prerequisites (or special instructions):

ECON 200-3 and 205-3; and any one of ECON/COMM 231-3, MATH 101-3, MATH 157-3 or equivalent, PHIL 110-3, PHIL 110-3; 60 credit hours.

What course (courses), if any, is being dropped from the calendar if this course is approved:

2. Scheduling

How frequently will the course be offered?

Semester in which the course will first be offered?

Which of your present faculty would be available to make the proposed offering possible?

3. Objectives of the Course4. Budgetary and Space Requirements (for information only)

What additional resources will be required in the following areas:

Faculty

Staff

Library

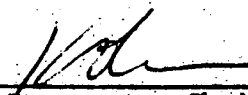
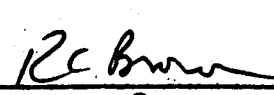
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Space

Equipment

5. Approval

Date: _____


Department Chairman
Dean_____
Chairman, SCUS

NEW COURSE PROPOSAL FORM

Change of Description only

1. Calendar InformationDepartment: School of Bus. Adm. & Econ.Abbreviation Code: ECON Course Number: 353 Credit Hours: 3 Vector: _____Title of Course: Economic History of Canada

Calendar Description of Course: Analysis of leading issues in Canadian Economic History. The Historical experience of other areas will be examined when useful contrasts can be made.

Nature of Course Lecture/Tutorial

Prerequisites (or special instructions):

Econ 152-3, 200-3. 60 credit hours.

What course (courses), if any, is being dropped from the calendar if this course is approved:

2. Scheduling

How frequently will the course be offered?

Semester in which the course will first be offered?

Which of your present faculty would be available to make the proposed offering possible?

3. Objectives of the Course4. Budgetary and Space Requirements (for information only)

What additional resources will be required in the following areas:

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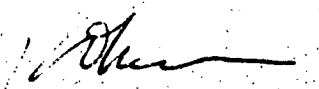
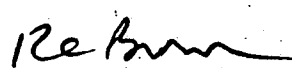
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CHANGE OF TITLE AND DESCRIPTION

SENATE COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

~~NEW~~ COURSE PROPOSAL FORM

Calendar Information

Department School of Bus. Adm. & Econ.

Abbreviation Code: COMM Course Number: 373 Credit Hours: 5 Vector: 3-2-0

Title of Course: Operations Management

Calendar Description of Course:

The management of operating systems including: allocation and scheduling of resources; control of costs, inventories, quality, and manpower design of operating systems including location, layout and manpower; establishment of work methods and standards.

Nature of Course Lecture/Tutorial

Prerequisites (or special instructions):

ECON/COMM 332-3. 60 credit hours.

What course (courses), if any, is being dropped from the calendar if this course is approved:

2. Scheduling

How frequently will the course be offered?

Semester in which the course will first be offered?

Which of your present faculty would be available to make the proposed offering possible?

Objectives of the Course

4. Budgetary and Space Requirements (for information only)

What additional resources will be required in the following areas:

Faculty

Staff

Library

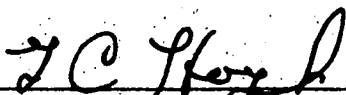
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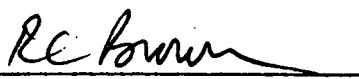
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5. Approval

Date: _____


Department Chairman


Dean

Chairman, SCUS

S 73-34b:- (When completing this form, for instructions see Memorandum SCUS 73-34a. Attach course outline).

~~NEW~~ COURSE PROPOSAL FORM

1. Calendar Information

Department School of Bus. Adm. & Econ.

Abbreviation Code: COMM Course Number: 436 Credit Hours: 5 Vector: 3-0-2

Title of Course: Management Science

Calendar Description of Course:

The application of Management Science techniques to the analysis of marketing, finance, production, or organizational and administrative problems.

Nature of Course Lecture/Tutorial

Prerequisites (or special instructions):

ECON/ COMM 333-3; COMM 373-5; 60 credit hours

What course (courses), if any, is being dropped from the calendar if this course is approved:

2. Scheduling

How frequently will the course be offered?

Semester in which the course will first be offered?

Which of your present faculty would be available to make the proposed offering possible?

3. Objectives of the Course

4. Budgetary and Space Requirements (for information only)

What additional resources will be required in the following areas:

Faculty

Staff

Library

Audio Visual

Space

Equipment

5. Approval

Date: _____



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SCUS 73-34b:- (When completing this form, for instructions see Memorandum SCUS 73-34a. Attach course outline).