

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT, ACADEMIC

MEMORANDUM

To: Senate

From: D. Gagan, Chair 
Senate Committee on Academic Planning

Subject: Faculty of Arts -
Curriculum revisions

Date: February 11, 1999

For Information:

Acting under delegated authority of Senate, the Senate Graduate Studies Committee approved curriculum revisions in the following Department/Program:

Latin American Studies Program
Department of Psychology

Any Senator wishing to consult the full report of curriculum revisions within the Faculty of Arts should contact Bobbie Grant, Senate Assistant at 291-3168 or e-mail bgrant@sfu.ca

FOR INFORMATION

(SGSC Reference: Meeting November 30, 1998)

(SCAP Reference: SCAP 99 - 6)

a) Latin American Studies Program

Acting under delegated authority, the SGSC approved curriculum revisions as follows:

- i) Change of preamble for the Latin American Studies Program because of the merger of the LAS Program and the Department of Sociology and Anthropology
- ii) Change in admission requirements in that admissions will be conducted on a biennial basis beginning in the 1999 Fall Semester
- iii) Change to the LAS MA course requirements because of the proposed biennial entry system and that LAS 800 is a required course for completion of the program
- iv) Course title change: LAS 815 and 800
- v) Course deletions:
 - LAS 810 – 5 Latin America: Development Theory in Transition
 - LAS 811 – 5 Latin America and US Foreign Policy
 - LAS 812 – 5 Indigenism in Latin America
 - LAS 813 – 5 Agrarian Structure and Political Power
 - LAS 830 – 5 Literature and Ideology
 - LAS 831 – 5 Colonial Discourse
 - LAS 850 – 5 Selected Topics in Latin American Studies
 - LAS 852 – 5 Directed Readings II in Latin American Studies
- vi) New courses:
 - LAS 815 – 5 Latin American Economy and Society
 - LAS 825 – 5 Latin American History and Culture
 - LAS 835 – 5 Latin American Politics and the State"

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(SGSC Reference: Meeting November 30, 1998)

(SCAP Reference: SCAP 99 - 7)

a) Department of Psychology

Acting under delegated authority, the SGSC approved curriculum revisions as follows:

- i) A Joint SFU/UBC Program in Law and Forensic Psychology
- ii) A specialty stream in Child Clinical Psychology
- iii) A reorganization of the general graduate programs to reflect the areas of specialization that have been agreed upon by the Department
- iv) Calendar changes – editorial changes to clarify the Calendar descriptions of all graduate programs in the Department of Psychology