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ATTENTION Senate	TEL
FROM Bill Krane, Chair Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies	
CC	
RE Applied Science (SCUS 07-40)	
DATE October 2, 2007	

Action undertaken by the Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies at its meeting held September 11, 2007 gave rise to the following recommendation:

Motion:

"that Senate approve the changes to the admission requirements for the School of Interactive Arts and Technology to remove the existing one science 12 course requirement."

Calendar Changes - School of Interactive Arts and Technology
Marek Hatala, School of Interactive Arts and Technology
July 13th, 2007

SCUS 07-40B

The following changes are proposed to the tables on page 21 of the 2007/08 calendar:

Current	Proposed
<i>Interactive Arts and Technology</i>	<i>Interactive Arts and Technology</i>
Principles of Mathematics 12	Principles of Mathematics 12
One science 12 course	

Rationale

The new criteria match the admission criteria for TechOne. SIAT gets the majority of its students from Tech One, and they are admitted if they meet the new model specified above. The current SIAT direct admission criteria are more specific, in that they include Science12, and as a result, potential SIAT students are not evaluated against the same admission criteria, forcing some of the students to work around the system or to give up on the SIAT program altogether. The proposed change will resolve these issues.