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MEMORANDUM

ATTENTION	Senate	DATE	November 9, 2012
FROM	Gordon Myers, Chair	PAGES	1/1
	Senate Committee on		
	Undergraduate Studies		
RE:	Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (SCUS 12-43f (iii))		

For information:

Acting under delegated authority at its meeting of November 8, 2012, SCUS approved the following curriculum revisions effective Summer 2013:

1. Department of French

- (i) Name change for Extended Minor in French to Extended Minor in French Studies
- (ii) Program requirement changes to the Extended Minor in French Studies

1. Department of History

- (i) B-Hum Designation for HIST 115, 214, 231, 277

Senators wishing to consult a more detailed report of curriculum revisions may do so by going to Docushare: <https://docushare.sfu.ca/dsweb/View/Collection-12682>
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MEMO

ATTENTION Paul Budra	TEL
FROM Catherine Black	
RE Name change	
DATE October 22, 2012	TIME

Dear Dr. Budra,

I would like to propose name change for our Extended Minor.

FROM: ~~Extended Minor~~

TO: Extended Minor in French Studies

This name change gives students a better idea of the content of the Extended Minor, i.e. literature, linguistics and culture.

Thank you.

MEMO

ATTENTION Paul Budra

TEL

FROM Catherine Black

RE Calendar Language Change for the Extended Minor in French Studies

DATE October 22, 2012

TIME

Dear Dr. Budra,

I would like to propose a calendar language change for the Extended Minor in French Studies. This calendar language change will clarify to students what they need to take in order to get an Extended Minor in French Studies. It is more explicit than the current calendar description, and it highlights the cultural component (Group C).

FROM: Admission Requirements

Before being formally admitted to the program, students must complete the lower division requirements (see below) with a minimum 2.0 grade or better in each of the specified courses (or equivalents). Students who place in FREN 301W-3 in the placement test will complete only FREN 245 and 275 prior to acceptance in the program. For information about initial FREN course selection, the French language placement test, and FREN course disciplines, visit http://www.sfu.ca/french/programmes/calendar_descriptions/

TO: Program information

For information about course challenge, initial FREN courses, and the French language placement test, visit http://www.sfu.ca/frenc/programmes/calendar_descriptions/

FROM: Program Requirements**Lower-Division Requirements**

Students complete a total of 18 units, including all of

- FREN 221-3 French Writing I*
 - FREN 222-3 French Writing II*
 - FREN 245-3 Introduction to French Literary Studies
 - FREN 275-3 French Linguistics Today
- and one of
- FREN 211-3 Intermediate French II*
 - FREN 212-3 French for Immersion Program Students

and one of

- ~~FREN 215-3 French Pronunciation*~~
- ~~FREN 217-3 French Pronunciation through Drama*~~

*exemption is gained by successful completion of a more advanced French language course.
Lower 200 division language courses may be challenged for credit.

Upper Division Requirements

Students complete a total of 18 units, including

- ~~FREN 301W-3 Advanced French Composition I~~
- and one of the following group 1 courses
- ~~FREN 331-3 Accents of French~~
- ~~FREN 332-3 Social Approaches to the French language~~
- ~~FREN 333-3 The Magic of French Words~~
- ~~FREN 334-3 Topics in French Applied Linguistics~~

and one of the following group 2 courses

- ~~FREN 340-3 Readings In Francophone Literature from Quebec and Canada~~
- ~~FREN 341-3 Readings in French Literature from the Middle Ages to the Eighteenth Century (pre-1789)~~
- ~~FREN 343-3 Reading French as a World literature~~
- ~~FREN 344-3 Readings In French literature after 1789~~

and a further nine units of upper division FREN courses, including at least one course at the 400 division, must be completed.

TO: Program Requirements

Program completion normally takes seven to eight terms

A minimum of 2.0 average (GPA) is calculated on all Simon Fraser University courses that are applied to the minor. Duplicate courses are counted only once.

Depending upon the point of entry, the necessary lower division prerequisites must be fulfilled.

- If grade 12, students must take FREN 210-3 Intermediate French I.
- If A in grade 12, students can take FREN 211-3 Intermediate French II.
- If Immersion, students can choose between FREN 212-3 French for Immersion Students or FREN 211-3 Intermediate French II.
- If you are deemed a "native speaker", or equivalent, you cannot take FREN 215-3 or FREN 217-3 or FREN 300-3; instead you must take one other 300 or 400 level course.
- One of FREN 215-3 Intermediate French: Oral Practice or FREN 217-3 FREN Pronunciation Through Drama or FREN 300-3 Advanced French: Oral Practice
- All of

- FREN 221-3 French Writing I*
- FREN 222-3 French Writing II*
- FREN 245-3 Introduction to French Literary Studies
- FREN 275-3 French Linguistics Today
- FREN 301W-3 Advanced French Composition

- **One of Group A**
- FREN 331-3 Accents of French
- FREN 332-3 Social Approaches to the French language
- FREN 333-3 The Magic of French Words
- FREN 334-3 Topics in French Applied Linguistics

- **One of Group B**
- FREN 340-3 Readings In Francophone Literature from Quebec and Canada
- FREN 341-3 Readings in French Literature from the Middle Ages to the Eighteenth Century (pre-1789)
- FREN 343-3 Reading French as a World literature
- FREN 344-3 Readings In French literature after 1789

- **One of Group C**
- FREN 304-3 Advanced French Grammar
- FREN 307-3 The Right Word: Advanced Vocabulary and Translation
- FREN 330-3 Francophone World
- FREN 352-3 French and Francophone Cultures through Films and /or Media Texts

- **Any two courses at the 400 level**
- FREN 407-3 Language in Translation: A Contextual Approach
- FREN 416-3 Acquisition of French as a Second Language
- FREN 417-3 Topics in the Structure of French
- FREN 420-3 Discourse Analysis of French
- FREN 423-3 Topics in the History of French
- FREN 424-3 Topics in French Linguistics
- FREN 425-3 Topics in the Varieties of French
- FREN 430-3 Topics in Francophone Literature from Québec and Canada
- FREN 440-3 Topics in Genre Studies
- FREN 441-3 Topics in French Literature from the Middle Ages to the Eighteenth Century
- FREN 442-3 Topics in French Literature from 1789 to 1989
- FREN 452-3 Topics in French and Francophone Cultures and Films
- FREN 476-3 Interdisciplinary Approaches In French Literature

Course Exemptions

It is possible to obtain exemption, up to a maximum of 12 units, from the lower division French language courses by being placed in a more advanced French language course (Placement Test). Students who gain, or hope to gain, course exemption should consult the advisor early.

Transfer Credits

Approved credits for French courses completed at another post-secondary institution (subject to University transfer credit regulations) up to a maximum of six units.

Note: A minimum of 15 upper division units is required, 9 of which must be taken within the department.

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ATTENTION Paul Budra, Associate Dean, FASS TEL

FROM SUSAN RHODES, Assistant Director, University Curriculum and
Institutional Liaison

RE B-Hum designation approval

DATE November 7, 2012

TIME 2:54 PM

The University Curriculum Office has approved B-Hum designation for the following Department of History courses, all effective as of the Summer 2013 term:

HIST 115 Introduction to the History of Sexuality – effective May 2013
HIST 214 Quebec Society, Culture and Politics – effective May 2013
HIST 231 History of Africa to the 19th Century – effective May 2013
HIST 277 History of Greek Civilization – effective May 2013