THREE CAMPUS GRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE  
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SUMMARY OF APPROVALS

MINOR PROGRAM CHANGES

New Courses

Department of Anthropology
• ANT6010H - Anthropology of Korea: History and Dialogues with Other Disciplines within Korean Studies

Centre for Comparative Literature
• COL5094H - Forms of Critical Writing

Department of Geography
• JPG1672H - Land and Justice

Master of Global Affairs
• GLA1008H - Macroeconomics for Global Affairs
• GLA2000Y - Capstone Seminar
• GLA2001H - Global Capital Markets and Global Strategies
• GLA2002H - Development Policy and Change
• GLA2003H - Global Governance
• GLA2004H - Technology, Innovation and Globalization
• GLA2005H – Negotiating Internationally
• GLA2006H – The Politics of Money and Trade
• GLA2090H – Topics in Global Affairs I
• GLA2091H – Topics in Global Affairs II

Department of Linguistics
• LIN1246H – Advanced Semantics

Department of Physical and Environmental Sciences
• EES1127H - Geomicrobiology and Biogeochemistry

Centre and Department for the Study of Religion
• JRG2050H - Religion, Culture, and Global Politics
• JRP2000H - Religion and Public Policy

Adding Degree Programs to an Existing Collaborative Program

Collaborative Program in Ethnic and Pluralism Studies
• Addition of Master in Public Policy

Admission Requirement Change

Centre for Comparative Literature
• Brief Summary of Proposed Change: Admission “direct-entry” to the PhD program. Consequently, direct-entry students will be required to complete 8.5 FCE of which 4-5 FCE must be COL courses.
• Rationale: Direct-entry to the PhD program will enable us to manage our recruitment in a way that is more in line with many of our peer institutions in the US. This will enable us to broaden our applicant pool and attract the best students at the PhD level.
Program Requirement Changes

Centre for Comparative Literature

- Brief Summary of Proposed Changes: Reduction of the M.A. program from two years to one.
- Rationale: Although we have had a 2-year M.A. on the books, in actual practice none of our M.A. students do a 2-year program. This change aligns the structure of our program with current practice over the last 5 years.

Centre for Comparative Literature

- Brief Summary of Proposed Changes: Reduction of Ph.D. course load from 5 FCEs to 4.5
- Rationale: A reduction in the number of required courses will enable our students to complete all their course work over three sessions and will facilitate their progress through the program by providing more time to prepare for their field exams and to focus on the dissertation.

Combined J.D./Master of Global Affairs

- Brief Summary of Proposed Changes: Change to J.D. Requirement: Reference to "a Supervised Upper Year Research Program (SUYP)" in the proposal or calendar entry should be replaced with "an International, Comparative or Transnational Law course" due to changes in the J.D. portion of their degree.
- Rationale: Change is being made to reflect changes made by the Faculty of Law to the requirements of the J.D. Degree. No anticipated effect on the program/students.

Department of Statistics

- Brief Summary of Proposed Changes: Currently students in the one year full-time MSc program can complete the program requirements in one of two ways:
  * 4.0 full course equivalents (FCE), one of which may be an approved supervised reading project OR
  * 3.5 FCE comprising STA 3000Y plus five 0.5 FCE.

  We propose the second option be deleted so that all students must now complete 4.0 full course equivalents (FCE), one of which may be an approved supervised reading project.

- Rationale: STA3000Y is a requirement in the PhD program. Some of our MSc students continue on to the PhD program however we also have direct entry PhD students. The existing option creates an unfair advantage to the former category.