

Report to Faculty Regarding the Special University Senate Meeting May 4, 2022

Motions Carried:

- Committee on Graduate Studies, Associate Vice-President Research and Graduate Studies, (Dr. Richard Isnor):
 - i. Move the following changes to academic regulations for the Masters in Adult Education.
 - a) That qualified visiting graduate students be permitted to take a maximum of 3 credits of MAED courses. **Passed**.
 - b) That incoming students may request to transfer up to 3 credits previously completed at another institution into the MAdEd. **Passed**.
 - c) That a maximum of 3 credits of the MAdEd may be completed at another university on a letter of permission. **Passed**.
 - d) That NSCC instructors who complete the NSCC professional development program and enroll in the MAdEd receive equivalent credit for ADED 535(3cr). Passed.
 - ii. Move that CSCI 5XX Reinforcement Learning be approved. **Passed**.
- 2. Committee on Studies for the Faculty of Arts, (Dr. Karen Brebner):
 - i. Move that the Proposal from the Department of Economics to add the Cooperative Education Program to the Bachelor of Arts with Major (Economics), Bachelor of Arts with Joint Major (Economics), Bachelor of Arts with Advanced Major (Economics), Bachelor of Arts with Joint Advanced Major (Economics), Bachelor of Arts with Honours (Economics), Bachelor of Arts with Honours with Subsidiary (Economics) be approved. Passed.
 - ii. Move that ECON 2xx (three credits) Economic Data Analysis be approved. Passed.
 - iii. Move that **RELS 2xx** (three credits) **Superheroes and the Supernatural** be approved. **Passed**.
 - iv. Move that Art 3xx (three credits) Intermediate Filmmaking be approved. Passed.

- v. Move that **Art 2xx** (three credits) **The Body in Art: History & Theory** be approved. **Passed**.
- vi. Move that **Art 3xx** (three credits) **Women, Art, and Gender: Rewriting Art History** be approved. **Passed**.
- vii. Move that **Art 2xx** (three credits) **Interdisciplinary Art through Indigenous Pedagogy** be approved. **Passed**.
- viii. Move that **PSCI 3xx** (three credits) **The Politics of Resentment in Canada** be approved. **Passed**.
 - i. Move that Music 1xx (1.5 credits) Structure of Music and Music 1xx (1.5 credits) Aural Skills I be approved and Music 101 (three credits) Structure of Music be deleted from the academic calendar. Motion amended to allow a renaming of the course. Moved by Senator Brebner, seconded by Senator Omae. Passed.
- ix. Move that Music 1xx (1.5 credits) Aural Skills II and Music 1xx (1.5 credits) Jazz Theory be approved and Music 103 (three credits) Jazz Theory I be deleted from the academic calendar. Passed.
- x. Move that Music 2xx (1.5 credits) Aural Skills III and Music 2xx (1.5 credit) Jazz Theory and Arranging be approved and Music 203 (three credits) Jazz Theory and Arranging be deleted from the academic calendar. Passed.

3. Committee on Studies, Faculty of Science, (Dr. Joe Apaloo):

- i. Move that the Proposal to Pause Admission into the Advanced Major N499 (3-credit) in the Bachelor of Science in Nursing program be approved. **Passed**.
- ii. Move that Computer Science 3XX (Natural Language Processing) be approved. **Passed**.
- iii. Move that Nursing 3XX (Indigenous Perspectives of Health and Healing) be approved. **Passed**.
- iv. Move that the Co-operative Education Program Proposal to Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission (MPHEC) be approved. **Passed**.
- v. Move that Engineering 252 (Engineering Modelling and Optimization) be approved. **Passed**.
- vi. Move that Human Kinetics 2XX (Teamwork and Group Dynamics) be approved. **Passed**.
- vii. Move that Human Kinetics 230 (Physical Activity and the Population) be approved. **Passed**.
- viii. Move that Human Kinetics 4XX (Psychological Skills Training for Performance Enhancement) be approved. **Passed**.
- ix. Move that Human Kinetics 102 (Basic Skills and Instruction in Instructional Group Fitness) be approved. **Passed**.
- x. Move that Human Kinetics 1XX (Basic Skills and Instruction in Skateboarding) be approved. **Passed**.

- xi. Move that Human Kinetics 2XX (Advanced Instruction in Group Exercise Leader Certification) be approved. **Passed**.
- xii. Move that Human Kinetics 246 (Advanced Instruction in Sport Science Theory and Application) be approved. **Passed**.

4. Committee on Studies Professional Faculties, (Dr. Bobbi Morrison):

- Move that BSAD 1XX Introduction to Business plus lab be approved, and BSAD 101 Introduction to Business be deleted from the academic calendar. Passed.
- ii. Move that BSAD 1XX Business Decision Making plus lab be approved, and BSAD 102 Business Decision Making be deleted from the academic calendar.
 Passed.

5. Quality of Life Committee, (VP Students, Elizabeth Yeo):

- i. "Move that Senate endorse the Student Experience and Opportunity Plan".
 Motion by Senator Yeo, seconded by Senator Apaloo. Passed.
- ii. Move that Senate grant authority to the Senate Steering Committee to review, approve or request changes to the draft over the summer months. **Passed**.

6. Committee on Nominations, (Dr. Maria Paz-MacKay):

- i. University Senate Chair: Marcia English, (Faculty of Science), one-year term, (May 16, 2022, to May 15, 2023). **Elected**
- ii. University Senate Secretary: Kailin Wright, (Faculty of Arts), one-year term, (May 16, 2022, to May 15, 2023). **Elected**
- University Senate Vice Secretary: Conor Barker, (Faculty of Education), oneyear term, (May 16, 2022, to May 15, 2023). Elected