**Report of the Arts Faculty Curriculum Committee**

**November 19, 2019**

The FA Curriculum Committee received curriculum proposals by October 29, with the exception of the Co-Op proposals, which were circulated during the second week of November for consultation.

The members of the FA Curriculum Committee met on November 12 and 15 to review proposals from the following academic units: Canadian Studies, English and Theatre, Environmental and Sustainability Studies, Ethnocultural Diversity Studies, History and Classics, IDST, International Development Studies, Languages and Literatures, Legal Studies, Material and Visual Culture, Philosophy, Politics, Sociology, Women’s and Gender Studies, and Co-Op. The Curriculum Committee report is organized according to Article VII, C. v. in the Faculty of Arts Constitution.

**CATEGORY A AND B**

1. Course title of content changes, course prerequisites, additions, deletions, divisions or mergers which do not concern more than one department, or which concern departments that are in agreement on the matter. In such cases, the Curriculum Committee’s report will be received for information only.
2. Changes to a department’s major and honours requirements which do not concern more than one department, or which concern departments (e.g. double major) that are in agreement on the matter. In such cases, the Curriculum Committee’s report will be received for information only.

**CANADIAN STUDIES**

**B)**

Modification to the program

* POLS 2223 added to program requirements of the program as a whole, to the Major requirements, and to the Second Major requirements
* POLS 2006 deleted from the program as a whole, the Major requirements, the Second Major requirements, and the list of cross-listed courses
* POLS 2706 deleted from the list of cross-listed courses.

**ENGLISH AND THEATRE**

**A)**

Modification to courses descriptions

THEA 1001 Production Credit 1

THEA 2002 Production Credit 2

THEA 1483 Introduction to Theatre

ENGL 2183 Heroes and Villains: replaces IDST 2433, so change in code number and calendar description

**B)**

Modification to programs

THEA: modification to the Performance and Production requirements with an emphasis on core Theatre courses in Theatre History, Modern Drama, and Theatre Ideas.

ENGL: modification to the list of cross-listed courses to replace IDST 2433 with ENGL 2183

ENGL MA program: language clarification in the Calendar concerning the 4 graduate courses that the program offers every year

**ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABILITY STUDIES**

**B)** Modification to the Environmental Advocacy, Education & Activism ESST concentration

Change of course number and level: POLS 3773 replaces POLS 2783

**ETHNOCULTURAL DIVERSITY STUDIES**

**B)** Modification to the list of cross-listed courses

POLS 3773 replaces POLS 2783

POLS 2706 is deleted

**HISTORY AND CLASSICS**

**A)**

New course proposal

HIST 3703: Medieval Women

HIST 3833: Canada and the Wars

Deletion of course

IDST 2433: Epic Tradition 1

Modification to courses

CLAS 1803 Introduction to Archeology of the Ancient Mediterranean World: change in course level, title, and number (from CLAS 2503)

CLAS 3113 Roman Law and Society: change in course title and calendar description

HIST 1613 The Ideas that Moved the Modern World: change in title and anti-requisite

HIST 2503 Slavery and Freedom in the Age of Lincoln: change in Calendar description

HIST 2533 The Middle Ages Fact not Fiction: change in title and Calendar description

HIST 3493 American Women and Social Protest: change in title and in prerequisite

**B)**

Modification to programs

CLAS: modification to the list of cross-listed courses to replace IDST 2433 with ENGL 2183

CLAS: modification to the list of cross-listed courses to replace POLS 2343 with POLS 3353

HIST & CLAS: cross-listing CLAS 1113, 1123, 2663 and 2673 with the History program

**IDST**

**A)**

Deletion of course

IDST 2433: Epic Tradition 1

**INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

**B)** Modification to the program

in the list of cross-listed courses, change POLS 2783 and POLS 2993 to POLS 3773 and POLS 3793

**LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES**

**B)**

Modification to the German Studies program

deletion of the reference to the “learn and work” option, which allows students enrolled in German Studies to spend a summer in a German-speaking country.

**LEGAL STUDIES**

**B)** Modification to the Minor program

adding SOCI 3793 to the list of cross-listed courses

**MATERIAL AND VISUAL CULTURE**

**B)**

Modification to the Minor program

deletion of SOCI 3553 (not longer offered) and replacing CLAS 2503 with CLAS 1803

**PHILOSOPHY**

**A)**

New course proposals

PHIL 2923 Philosophical Issues in Science and Technology

PHIL 3713 Advanced Biomedical Ethics

Course deletions

PHIL 2016 Early Modern Philosophy

PHIL 2306 Ethics

Course modifications

PHIL 2113 Early Modern Philosophy: The Rationalists: change in course number (from PHIL 2016), title, weight, and description

PHIL 2123 Early Modern Philosophy: The Empiricists: change in course number (from PHIL 2016), title, weight, and description

PHIL 2313 Ethical Theory : change in course number (from PHIL 2306), title, weight, and description

PHIL 2323 Ethics in the World: change in course number (from PHIL 2306), title, weight, and description

PHIL 2713 Biomedical Ethics: change in Calendar description

PHIL 2813 Logic and Critical Thinking: change in course title

**B)**

Modifications to PHIL programs

**PHIL program**: deletion of POLS 2643 and substitution of POLS 3353 for POLS 2643 in the list of cross-listed courses

**PHIL Honours program**: change to the requirements to reflect the above course deletions and modifications

3. PHIL 2016, 2306, 2823, 4996

are replaced with

3. PHIL 2113, 2123, 2313, 2323, 2823, 4996

**PHIL Major program**: change to requirements to reflect the above course deletions and modifications

3. PHIL 2016, PHIL 2913 and

5. 6h from PHIL 2303, 2306, 2713, 3203 and 3213

are replaced with

3. PHIL 2113, 2123, 2913 and

5. 6h from PHIL 2303, 2313, 2323, 2713, 3203, 3213, and 3713

**PHIL Second Major program**: change to requirements to reflect the above course deletions and modifications

3. PHIL 2016

4. 6h from PHIL 2303, 2306, 2713, 3203, 2313

are replaced with

3. PHIL 2113, 2123

4. 6h from PHIL 2303, 2313, 2323, 2713, 3203, 3213, 3713

**POLITICS**

**A)**

New course proposals

POLS 3333 Non-Western Political Thought: second-year standing prerequisite

POLS 5900 Graduate Major Research Project

Course deletions

POLS 2006 Canadian Politics

POLS 2013 Research and Methodology in the Social Sciences

POLS 2343 Justice and the Good Life: Ancient and Medieval Political Theory

POLS 2443 Legitimacy and Political Order: Early Modern Political Theory

POLS 2543 Revolution, Freedom, and Equality: Modern Political Theory

POLS 2643 Selected Concepts in Political Argument

POLS 2706 The Politics of Difference: Identity and Citizenship in Canada

POLS 2783 Global Issues

POLS 2993 Comparative Politics 2

Course modifications/1

* POLS 2113 Introduction to Political Theory: Politics of Knowledge: change in course title and calendar description
* POLS 2223 Canadian Politics: change in course number and weight (replaces POLS 2006), change in calendar description; addition of antirequisite POLS 2006
* POLS 3033 change in course number (replaces POL 2013); addition of antirequisite POLS 2013
* POLS 3143 Contemporary Political Theory: change in prerequisite from POLS 2343 , 2443, or 2543 to second-year standing
* POLS 3353 Ancient and Medieval Political Theory: change in course number and level (from POLS 2343); change in course description; addition of prerequisite second-year standing and antirequisite POLS 2343
* POLS 3433 Modern Political Theory: change in course number and level (replaces POLS 2543); change in course description; addition of prerequisite second-year standing and antirequisites POLS 2443 and POLS 2543
* POLS 3773 change in course number (replaces POL 2783); addition of antirequisite POLS 2783
* POLS 3973 change in course number (replaces POLS 2993); addition of antirequisite POLS 2993

Course modifications/2

The transformation of second-year courses into third-year courses has necessitated an adjustment of the prerequisites for existing upper-level courses. This change in prerequisites affects 25 courses, and it is not realistic to list them all in this report. Suffice it to say that Politics has submitted a proposal to indicate the changes in the descriptions of the 25 courses.

**B)**

Modification to programs

**Change to the description of the program**

Deletion of the reference to the 4 POLITICS STREAMS; replaced with “concentrations”

POLS 2003, POLS 2113, POLS 2223, POLS 2683, and POLS 2893 categorized as required courses

**Modification to the Honours program**

POLS 2003, POLS 2113, POLS 2223, POLS 2683, POLS 2893, and POLS 3033 categorized as required courses

Deletion of POLS 2013

**Modification to the Double Major**

POLS 2003, POLS 2113, POLS 2223, POLS 2683, and POLS 2893 categorized as required courses

**Modification to the MA program**

Introduction of two options: MA in Political Science with either a thesis option, or a non-thesis option. The thesis option is based on 4 courses and a thesis; the non-thesis option is based on six courses and a major research project.

**SOCIOLOGY**

**A)**

New course proposal

SOCI 3793 Violence

Course deletion

SOCI 3553 Sociology of the Arts and Artists

Course Modification

SOCI 3733 Sociology of Addictions: change in Calendar description and prerequisite

**WOMEN’S AND GENDER STUDIES**

**A)**

Course modification

WGST 1413 Introduction to Women’s and Gender Studies: change to Calendar description

**B)**

Program modification

Modification to the list of cross-listed courses to include ENGL 2363 and HIST 3703

Modification to the requirements of the Honours, Major, and Second Major: replace POLS 2013 with POLS 3033

**CO-OP**

Students will engage in degree-relevant, hands-on learning for a minimum of 420 hours offering opportunities for application of classroom-based theory, reflection, collaboration with subject matter experts, as well as feedback on performance and a formal report or presentation. Provides in depth exposure to varied professional environments, learning of specialized knowledge/techniques/equipment, and first-hand insight into potential career paths.

**A)**

Course modifications

COOP 1902 Co-operative Education 1: 2 elective credits; change in course number and weight (from COOP 1900); antirequisites COOP 3706 and 3806

COOP 2902 Co-operative Education 2: 2 elective credits; change in course number and weight (from COOP 2900); prerequisite COOP 1902; antirequisites COOP 3706 and 3806

COOP 3706 Co-op Internship (12 Month): 6 elective credits; change in course number and weight (from COOP 3703); antirequisites: COOP 1902 and COOP 2902 and COOP 3902

COOP 3806 Co-op Internship (16 Month): 6 elective credits; change in course number and weight (from COOP 3803); antirequisites COOP 1902 and COOP 2902 and COOP 3902

COOP 3902 Co-operative Education 3: 2 elective credits; change in course number and weight (from COOP 3903); prerequisite COOP 1902, COOP 2902; antirequisites: COOP 3706 and COOP 3806