



**508th REPORT OF THE ACADEMIC POLICY COMMITTEE TO SENATE
on the APC meeting held on November 18th, 2021**

I. TO BE APPROVED BY SENATE

(A) **NEW TEACHING PROGRAMS REQUIRING SENATE APPROVAL** – *none*

(B) **ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE ISSUES / POLICIES / GOVERNANCE/AWARDS** - *none*

(C) **CREATION OF NEW UNITS / NAME CHANGES / REPORTING CHANGES** - *none*

(D) **CHANGES IN DEGREE DESIGNATION** – *none*

(E) **INTER-UNIVERSITY PARTNERSHIPS** – *none*

(F) **OTHER** – *none*

II. TO BE ENDORSED BY SENATE / PRESENTED TO SENATE FOR DISCUSSION – *none.*

III. APPROVED BY APC IN THE NAME OF SENATE

(A) **DEFINITIONS** – *none*

(B) **STUDENT EXCHANGE PARTNERSHIPS / CONTRACTS / INTERUNIVERSITY PARTNERSHIPS** - *none*

(C) **OTHER** – *none*

IV. FOR THE INFORMATION OF SENATE

I. ACADEMIC UNIT REVIEWS - *none*

II. APPROVAL OF COURSES AND TEACHING PROGRAMS - *none*

1. Programs

a) APC Approvals (new options/concentrations and major revisions to existing programs)

i. New Programs

Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies

Interfaculty Studies (Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences)

M.Eng. in Biological and Biomedical Engineering; Non-Thesis (45 cr.)

At a meeting on November 18th, 2021, APC reviewed and approved a proposal to create a new Non-Thesis option within the existing Master's in Biological and Biomedical Engineering. The new

option will provide hands-on training for students to acquire professional experience through an internship in research laboratory. Academic staff will have industry partnerships and contacts to provide laboratory space while securing internships for students. The MES will be consulted on the creation of this new option.

ii. Major Revisions of Existing Programs

b) APC Subcommittee on Courses and Teaching Programs (SCTP) Approvals
(Summary Reports: <http://www.mcgill.ca/sctp/documents/>)

i. Moderate and Minor Program Revisions

Approved by SCTP on November 4th, 2021 and reported to APC on November 18th, 2021

Faculty of Engineering

B.Eng.; Minor in Nanotechnology (21-22 cr.)

B.Eng.; Honours in Mechanical Engineering (142 cr.)

Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies

Faculty of Arts

M.A. in Hispanic Studies; Non-Thesis (45 cr.)

School of Continuing Studies

Graduate Certificate in Entrepreneurship (15 cr.)

Diploma in Management; Entrepreneurship (30 cr.)

Desautels Faculty of Management

B.Com.; Major in General Management; Concentration in Finance (15 cr.)

B.Com.; Major in Finance (66 cr.)

Schulich School of Music

B.Mus.; Minor in Musical Applications of Technology (18 cr.)

Faculty of Science

B.Sc.; Honours in Atmospheric Science (72-74 cr.)

B.Sc.; Liberal Program – Core Science Component in Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences (45-48 cr.)

B.Sc.; Major in Atmospheric Science and Physics (69 cr.)

B.Sc.; Major in Atmospheric Science (60-62 cr.)

B.Sc.; Minor in Atmospheric Science (18 cr.)

Diploma in Meteorology (30 cr.)

ii. Program Retirements

School of Continuing Studies

Certificate in Translation; English to French (30 cr.).

2. Courses

a) New Courses

Reported as having been approved by SCTP on November 4th, 2021:26

Faculty of Arts: 10

School of Continuing Studies: 4

Faculty of Engineering: 6

Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies/Interfaculty Studies:2

Faculty of Medicine: 2

Faculty of Science: 2

b) Course Revisions

Reported as having been approved by SCTP on November 4th, 2021:13

Faculty of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences: 1

Faculty of Arts: 5

School of Continuing Studies: 1

Faculty of Science: 6

c) Course Retirements

Reported as having been approved by SCTP on November 4th, 2021:17

Faculty of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences: 7

Faculty of Arts: 4

School of Continuing Studies: 4

Faculty of Science: 2

3. Other

Approved by APC on November 18th, 2021 and reported to Senate for information

Academic Policy Committee

Membership of the Working Group on Teaching Evaluations – appendix A

APC reviewed and approved the members to serve on the Working Group on Teaching Evaluations which were presented by its co-chairs, Prof. Buddle and Prof. Campbell. An effort was made to ensure that representation for this workgroup covers a range of faculties, disciplines, identity groups and seniority levels. The scope and mandate of this workgroup are expected to be completed within one year.

Nominations for APC's Working Group on Teaching Evaluation – for approval

The following are hereby nominated to sit on APC's Working Group on Teaching Evaluations. All proposed members have agreed to serve on the workgroup:

Co-Chairs:

1. Angela Campbell (Associate Provost, Equity and Academic Policies)
2. Christopher Buddle (Associate Provost, Teaching and Academic Programs)

Academic Staff Members (6):

1. Raj Duggavathi (Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Animal Science)
2. Anne-Marie Kietzig (Associate Professor, Chemical Engineering)
3. Nicole Yee-Key Li-Jessen (Associate Professor, Communication Sciences and Disorders)
4. Sujata Madan (Professor of Practice, Desautels Faculty of Management)
5. Janine Mauzeroll (Associate Professor, Chemistry, Representative for MAUT)
6. Debra Thompson (Associate Professor, Political Science)

Student Representatives (4):

1. Arshiyah Ahsan (Representative for SSMU)
2. Nikolas Dworek (Representative for MCSS)
3. Jessica Fontaine (Representative for PGSS)
4. Roubina Karaminassian (Representative for MACES)

Directors (2):

1. Tynan Jarret (Director, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion)
2. Laura Winer (Director, Teaching and Learning Services)

Resource (Support) (1):

1. Andrea Clegg (Equity Education Advisor)