



475th REPORT OF THE ACADEMIC POLICY COMMITTEE TO SENATE- Part B

On the APC meeting held on October 13th, 2016

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

Faculty of Medicine - Appendix A

School of Population and Global Health/ École de Santé des Populations et de Santé Mondiale

At a meeting on October 13th, 2016, APC reviewed and approved a proposal from the Faculty of Medicine to create a School of Population and Global Health (SPGH). Historically, public health interventions have contributed to most major advances in the health of populations. Now more than ever, new challenges such as climate change or pandemics have proven the need for a global approach to public health matters. The School of Population and Global Health will build on McGill's strong expertise in Population and Global Health and bring the current expertise, all dispersed over numerous units, in one place. Faculty members from Medicine, Arts, Law, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, Education, Engineering, Management and Science will collaborate to train public and population health researchers, practitioners and decision makers, conduct high impact research and engage in knowledge translation and exchange. The creation of the SPGH will bring more opportunities for interdisciplinary research and increase access to funding, scholarships and philanthropy. The SGPH will enhance the University's capacity to make significant contributions to the health and wellbeing of populations worldwide while increasing McGill's reputation and visibility in the public domain.

APC therefore recommends the following resolution:

Be it resolved that Senate approve, and recommend to the Board of Governors for approval the creation of the School of Population and Global Health/ École de Santé des Populations et de Santé Mondiale.

(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

A) ACADEMIC UNIT REVIEWS – *none*

B) APPROVAL OF COURSES AND TEACHING PROGRAMS

1. Programs

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

- i. New Programs – *none*
- ii. Major Revisions of Existing Programs- *none*

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

- i. Moderate and Minor Program Revisions - *none*
- ii. Program Retirements - *none*

2. Courses

- a) New Courses – *none*
- b) Course Revisions – *none*
- c) Course Retirements- *none*

(B) OTHER - *none*