



**485<sup>th</sup> REPORT OF THE ACADEMIC POLICY COMMITTEE TO SENATE – Part B  
on the APC meeting held on February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**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**

**Azrieli Centre for Autism Research (ACAR) – Centre Azrieli pour la Recherche en Autisme (CARA)** *appendix A*

At a meeting on February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018, APC reviewed and endorsed a proposal to approve the Azrieli Centre for Autism Research (ACAR). The research focus of ACAR is Autism Spectrum Disorders, which globally affect 1 to 2% of children globally, and associated neurodevelopmental conditions. Leaning on the MNI's expertise and reputation in neuroscience, this research centre will act as a central hub for collaborative research, training and knowledge translation at McGill University and across the province of Quebec, through the Transforming Autism Care Consortium (TACC) network, which gathers over 40 researchers and 200 associate members. Established thanks to a generous donation from the Azrieli Foundation, the ACAR will create a framework for scientific progress, which will have a meaningful impact on people living with autism disorders and their families.

APC therefore recommends that Senate approve the following resolution:

*Be it resolved that Senate approve and recommend to the Board of Governors for approval the official creation of the Azrieli Centre for Autism Research (ACAR).*

(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**

**Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies**

Faculty of Science

Ph.D.in Psychology; Behavioural Neuroscience (0 cr.)

APC approved this new concentration on February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

**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**

*Approved by SCTP on January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018 and reported to APC on February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018*

**Faculty of Education**

B.Ed. in Secondary Science and Technology (120 cr.)

B.Ed. in Physical and Health Education (120 cr.)

**Faculty of Engineering**

B.Eng.; Major in Mining Engineering (150-151 cr.)

B.Eng.; Minor in Technological Entrepreneurship (18 cr.)

B.Eng.; Major in Bioengineering (141-151 cr.)

B.Eng. in Chemical Engineering (143-146 cr.)

B.Eng. in Civil Engineering (139 cr.)

B.Eng. in Computer Engineering (133-140 cr.)

B.Eng. in Electrical Engineering (134-139 cr.)

B.Eng.; Honours in Electrical Engineering (134-139 cr.)

B.Eng.; Co-op in Software Engineering (141-147 cr.)

B.Eng. in Mechanical Engineering (142-148 cr.)

B.Eng.; Honours in Mechanical Engineering (142-148 cr.)

B.Eng.; Major in Materials Engineering (148 cr.)

B.Eng.; Co-op in Materials Engineering (148 cr.)

B.Eng.; Major in Mining Engineering (144-145 cr.)

B.Eng.; Co-op in Mining Engineering (150-151 cr.)

**Desautels Faculty of Management**

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

B.Com.; Major in Finance (30 cr.)

B.Com.; Minor in Finance (for Non-Management Students) (18 cr.)

**Faculty of Science**

B.Sc.; Minor in Computer Science (24 cr.)

B.Sc.; Interfaculty Program in Cognitive Science (54 cr.)

B.A. and B.Sc.; Honours in Cognitive Science (60 cr.)

- ii. Program Retirements  
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**Faculty of Education**

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Biology – Cell/Molecular with Minor in Chemistry for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Biology – Organismal with Minor in Chemistry for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Biology – Cell/Molecular with Minor in Physics for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Biology – Organismal with Minor in Physics for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Chemistry with Minor in Biology for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Chemistry with Minor in Physics for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Mathematics for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Physics with Minor in Biology for Teachers (135 cr.)

Concurrent B.Sc./B.Ed.; Major Concentration in Physics with Minor in Chemistry for Teachers (135 cr.)

**2. Courses**

- a) New Courses

*Reported as having been approved by SCTP on January 10th, 2018: 14*

Faculty of Education: 3

Faculty of Medicine: 2

Schulich School of Music: 4

Faculty of Science: 5

- b) Course Revisions

*Reported as having been approved by SCTP on January 10th, 2018: 11*

Faculty of Education: 3

Faculty of Medicine: 3

Faculty of Science: 5

- c) Course Retirements

*Reported as having been approved by SCTP on January 10th, 2018: 1*

Faculty of Science: 1

**3. Other - none**