

COUNCIL OF GRADUATE AND POSTDOCTORAL STUDIES (CGPS)

James Administration Building, Room 301

Date: Monday, January 16, 2017

Time: 2 :30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

All of these items are reported as **for information only**, and have been approved on behalf of CGPS by the Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies' Programs Unit.

Program proposals are available upon request – please contact [Maggie Do Couto](#).

NOTE: All graduate-level course proposals are pending SCTP approval, which will only be reviewed once the approved revisions to these graduate program proposals are submitted to them. SCTP requests that Faculty contacts submit course proposals to ES for the same SCTP meeting date that GPS reports the following approved graduate program proposals.

Section A: Minor / Moderate Graduate Program Revisions

Faculty of Education:

M.A. Educational Psychology (Thesis): Learning Sciences (45 credits)

Revisions made to complementary course listing. Replaced EDPE 555 – Introduction to Learning Sciences (3 credits) and EDPE 637 Issues in Health Professions Education (3 credits) with EDPE 640 – Emerging Technologies for Educational Change (3 credits) and EDPE 670 – Educational Assessment and Evaluation Psychology (3 credits) to align course requirements with program focus and outcomes.

M.A. Education and Society (Thesis): Mathematics and Science Education (45 credits)

Revisions made to provide a more flexible program that students will be able to complete the course requirements in a timely manner. Added EDEM 690 – Research Methods, Philosophy and Practice (3 credits) to the required courses listing and moved two required courses [EDEM 609 – Critical Perspectives in Educational Theory and Research (3 credits) and EDPE 676 – Intermediate Statistics (3 credits)] to the complementary courses listing. Added courses [EDEC 646 – Sociocultural and Epistemic Understandings of Science (3 credits) and EDEC 647 – Sociocultural and Epistemic Understandings of Mathematics (3 credits)] as complementary courses. The complementary course section has also expanded to give students more choice. In sum, the proposed changes will provide students fewer required courses yet a larger selection of complementary courses.

M.A. Kinesiology and Physical Education (Thesis) (45 credits)

Modifying course number and title of EDKP 648 – Physical Activity Psychology (3 credits) to EDKP 548 – Applied Exercise Psychology (3 credits) in the list of complimentary courses.

M.Sc. Kinesiology and Physical Education (Thesis) (45 credits)

Added course EDKP 548 – Applied Exercise Psychology (3 credits) (formerly EDKP 648) to the list of complimentary courses.

Faculty of Law:

Master of Laws (LL.M.); Law (Thesis) (45 credits)

Addition of two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)] and revisions to credit weight of two courses [CMPL 610 – Legal Research Methodology (3 credits) and CMPL 641 – Theoretical Approaches to Law (3 credits)].

Master of Laws (LL.M.); Law (Thesis): Bioethics (45 credits)

Addition of two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)] and revision to credit weight of course CMPL 641 – Theoretical Approaches to Law (3 credits).

Master of Laws (LL.M.); Law (Thesis): Environment (45 credits)

Addition of two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)] and revision to credit weight of course CMPL 610 – Legal Research Methodology (3 credits).

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Section A: Minor / Moderate Graduate Program Revisions [Continued]**Master of Laws (LL.M.); Law (Thesis): Air and Space Law (45 credits)**

Addition of two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)] and revisions to credit weight of two courses [CMPL 610 – Legal Research Methodology (3 credits) and CMPL 641 – Theoretical Approaches to Law (3 credits)].

Master of Laws (LL.M.); Law (Non-Thesis) (45 credits)

Addition of two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)] and revisions to credit weight of two courses [CMPL 610 – Legal Research Methodology (3 credits) and CMPL 641 – Theoretical Approaches to Law (3 credits)].

Master of Laws (LL.M.); Law (Non-Thesis): Environment (45 credits)

Addition of two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)] and revision to credit weight of course CMPL 610 – Legal Research Methodology (3 credits). Replaced course CMPL 656 – Research Project 2 (2 credits) with CMPL 657 – Research Project 3 (1 credits).

Master of Laws (LL.M.); Law (Non-Thesis): Air and Space Law (45 credits)

Addition of two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)] and revisions to credit weight of two courses [CMPL 610 – Legal Research Methodology (3 credits) and CMPL 641 – Theoretical Approaches to Law (3 credits)]. Removed course ASPL 656 – Research Project 2 (2 credits).

Faculty of Medicine:

Graduate Certificate in Surgical Innovation (15 credits)

Added courses EDPE 575 – Educational Measurement (3 credits) and EPIB 507 – Biostats for Health Sciences (3 credits) to offer students the option of enrolling in one of three statistics courses.

Graduate Diploma in Surgical Innovation (30 credits)

Added courses EDPE 575 – Educational Measurement (3 credits) and EPIB 507 – Biostats for Health Sciences (3 credits) to offer students the option of enrolling in one of three statistics courses.

M.Sc. Experimental Surgery (Thesis) (45 credits)

Added courses EDPE 575 – Educational Measurement (3 credits) and EPIB 507 – Biostats for Health Sciences (3 credits) to offer students the option of enrolling in one of three statistics courses.

M.Sc. Experimental Surgery (Thesis): Surgical Education (45 credits)

Replaced course EDPE 637 – Issues in Health Professions Education (3 credits) with EXSU 603 – Skills Acquisition and Performance (3 credits). Added courses EDPE 575 – Educational Measurement (3 credits) to offer students the option of enrolling in one of two statistics courses.

M.Sc. Experimental Surgery (Thesis): Surgical Innovation (45 credits)

Added courses EDPE 575 – Educational Measurement (3 credits) and EPIB 507 – Biostats for Health Sciences (3 credits) to offer students the option of enrolling in one of three statistics courses.

Ph.D. Experimental Surgery (Thesis) (0 credit)

Added courses EDPE 575 – Educational Measurement (3 credits) and EPIB 507 – Biostats for Health Sciences (3 credits) to offer students the option of enrolling in one of three statistics courses.

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Section B1: Graduate Program Retirements

None.

Section B2: Reports from SCTP on Graduate Program Retired due to Low Enrolment/Obsolete

None.