

COUNCIL OF GRADUATE AND POSTDOCTORAL STUDIES (CGPS)

James Administration Building, Room 301

Date: Monday, March 13, 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 that affect the program proposals listed below 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 RevisionsFaculty of Dentistry:**M. Sc. Dental Sciences (Non-Thesis) (45 credits)**

Reduced credit weight for required course DENT 671 DI/D2 – Advanced Research Seminar from 4 to 2 credits, bringing the total number of required courses to 18 credits. Increased the total number of complementary courses to 27 credits.

M. Sc. Dental Sciences (Thesis) (45 credits)

Reduced credit weight for required course DENT 671 DI/D2 – Advanced Research Seminar from 4 to 2 credits, bringing the total number of required courses to 30 credits. Increased the total number of complementary courses to 15 credits.

Interfaculty Studies (IFS):**M. Eng. Biological and Biomedical Engineering (Thesis) (45 credits)**

Due to the limited number of Bioengineering (BIEN) graduate courses currently available, removed the “3 credits from BMDE and 3 credits from BIEN” from the Complementary Courses section. The choice is now from BMDE or BIEN.

Faculty of Law:**Doctor of Civil Law (D.C.L.) (0 credits)**

Due to introduction of Focus weeks created in B.C.L. /LL.B., all Law courses, including graduate level, move to a 12-week teaching schedule. Opportunity to revise program to provide clear expectations to students and to demonstrate significant development of research: added three new zero credit courses [LAWG 703 – Literature Review, Analysis and Proposal (0 credit), LAWG 704 – DCL Seminar 1 (0 credit) and LAWG 705 – DCL Seminar 2 (0 credit)]. Revised the credit weight of course CMPL 641 – Theoretical Approaches to Law (3 credits). In Complementary Course section: removed course CMPL 610 – Legal Research Methodology (3 credits) and added two new courses [LAWG 601 – Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)].

Doctor of Civil Law (D.C.L.): Air and Space Law (0 credits)

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Communication 1 (1 credit) and LAWG 602 – Communication 2 (1 credit)].

Section B1: Graduate Program Retirements

None

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