

COUNCIL OF GRADUATE AND POSTDOCTORAL STUDIES (CGPS)

Via Zoom

Date: Monday, March 14, 2022

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 cgps.gps@mcgill.ca

Section A: Minor / Moderate Graduate Program Revisions**Faculty of Arts****M. A. in Anthropology (Thesis); Development Studies (45 credits)**

Thesis Tutorial required courses were replaced by two Theory courses. Addition of ANTH 609 pro-seminar.

M. A. in Anthropology (Thesis); Environment (45 credits)

Thesis Tutorial required courses were replaced by two Theory courses. Addition of ANTH 609 pro-seminar. Minor distribution of credits in complementary courses.

M. A. in Anthropology (Thesis); Gender and Women's Studies (45 credits)

Thesis Tutorial required courses were replaced by two Theory courses. Addition of ANTH 609 pro-seminar. Removal of ANTH 615 from the complementary courses.

M. A. in Medical Anthropology (Thesis) (45 credits)

Thesis Tutorial required courses were replaced by two Theory courses. Addition of ANTH 609 pro-seminar. Removal of HSSM 605 Medical Anthropology from required courses. Increase in complementary course credit weight to 9 credits.

M. A. in Anthropology (Thesis) (45 credits)

Thesis Tutorial required courses were replaced by two Theory courses. Addition of ANTH 609 pro-seminar.

PhD Linguistics (Thesis) (0 credits)

Revision of program description. Moved Phonetics, Phonology, Semantics and Syntax course from required to complementary courses. Reduction of credit weight of required courses to 6 credits, increased weight of complementary courses to 30 credits.

MA Linguistics (Thesis) (45 credits)

Revision of program description. Moved Phonetics, Phonology, Semantics and Syntax course from required to complementary courses. Reduction of credit weight of required courses to 6 credits, increased weight of complementary courses to 21 credits.

MA Linguistics (Non-Thesis) (45 credits)

Revision of program description. Moved Phonetics, Phonology, Semantics and Syntax course from required to complementary courses. Reduction of credit weight of required courses to 6 credits, increased weight of complementary courses to 21 credits.

Ph.D. Political Science (0 credits)

Correction in the description of credits to be taken under complementary courses.

Master of Social Work; Non-Thesis, Gender Women Studies (45 credits)

Changing of the required courses offered in the MSW program. Students will now only be required to take the first-term foundational Research Methods 1 course and have the option to take the more specialized course as an elective. New required course also added; Anti-Racist Practice (SWRK 605). Renaming "Elective" courses to "Complementary", terminology consistent with our other programs. Removal of last program note as it is redundant.

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Arts/School of Social Work & Law**Joint Master of Social Work & B.C.L./J.D – Non-thesis (45 Social Work & 87 Law)**

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Education / Kinesiology and Physical Education**M.A. Kinesiology and Physical Education (45 credits)**

Revised program description to provide better understanding of the current program content/areas of specialization. Credits for required and complementary now 9 and 12 (respectively, from 3 and 18). To provide students with more guidance on complementary course selection, the last sentence was revised. As per University instruction to remove 0 credit courses, unit is proposing new Seminar credit courses vs. revising old (existing) courses to not impact currently registered students. NB: Not prepared to retire the following courses at this time: EDKP 695, EDKP 696.

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

Proposed course title revisions better reflect current course descriptions. Revised program description to provide better understanding of the current program content/areas of specialization. Credits for required and complementary now 12 and 9 (respectively, from 6 and 15). To provide students with more guidance on complementary course selection, the last sentence was revised. As per University instruction to remove 0 credit courses, unit is proposing new Seminar credit courses vs. revising old (existing) courses to not impact currently registered students. NB: Not prepared to retire the following courses at this time: EDKP 635, EDKP 640, EDKP 665, EDKP 695, EDKP 696.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Kinesiology Sciences (0 credits)

The revised course list better represents the academic background of the PhD candidates admitted the first three years of the program. As per University instruction to not have any 0 credit courses, unit is proposing new Seminar credit courses vs. revising old (existing) courses to not impact currently registered students. Removal of EDKP 605 and EDPE 676 from required courses. Proposed course title revisions better reflect current course descriptions.

Faculty of Engineering**Ph.D. Chemical Engineering (0 credits)**

Added a program description. Revised one course's title (CHEE 797) and added a new course (CHEE 798), together with corrections done in the program outline to make it more understandable/clear.

Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences**M.Sc. Experimental Surgery; Non-Thesis (45 credits)**

Reduction of complementary course credits, to 15 credits. Remove of two complementary courses. Addition of EXSU 501 as complementary course. Electives now 9 credits instead of 3.

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Faculty of Music**Graduate Artist Diploma (Gr. Art. Dip.) Performance (30 credits)**

Removal of “jazz” from the program description to correct a previous administrative oversight. Removal of MUPG 745 as an option under complementary courses since this course is being retired.

Master of Music (M.Mus.) Performance: Conducting (Thesis) (45 credits)

Retirement of MUPG 605. Removal of MUPG 602 as an option since credit weightings no longer match program requirements. The second 9-credit recital becomes a required course which is in line with current practice.

Desautels Faculty of Management**Master of Management Manufacturing Management, Non-Thesis (56 credits)**

Required and complementary courses now worth 38 and 18 credits respectively (from 30 and 26). Four required courses moved from complementary to required section. Added a new course Selected Topics in Management Science 2 (MGSC 691) to the complementary courses. Revision of title for original MGSC 690 Advanced Topics in Mgmt Science 2. Moving the required 4 courses from the Complementary section to Required section.

Master of Management in Retailing: Non-Thesis (45 credits)

Streamlined the choices of non RETL electives. All 600-level courses offered by Desautels Faculty of Management are eligible. New note added indicating that the Program Administrator/ Program Advisor of Master of Management in Retailing Non-Thesis will evaluate and approve students’ non RETL elective requests.

Section B1: Graduate Program Retirements**School of Continuing Studies****Graduate Certificate Professional Accounting (24 credits)**

The Graduate Certificate (Gr. Cert.) Professional Accounting program, that is offered and administered by the School of Continuing Studies, is being retired as it has not been offered by the Department for many years.