



Program/Major or Minor/Concentration Revision Form

(07/2004)

1.0 Degree Title

Specify the two degrees for concurrent degree programs

M.Sc.**1.1 Major (Legacy= Subject) (30-char. max.)****Computer Science****1.2 Concentration (Legacy = Concentration/Option)
If applicable (30 char. max.)****1.3 Minor (with Concentration, if applicable)
(30 char. max.)****1.4 Category**

Faculty Program (FP)	Honours (HON)
Major	Joint Honours
Joint Major	Component (HC)
Major Concentration (CON)	Internship/Co-op
Minor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thesis (T)
Minor Concentration (CON)	Non-Thesis (N)
	Other
	Please specify

1.5 M.Sc. Program in Computer Science**2.0 Administering Faculty/Unit****Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies**

Offering Faculty/Department

Faculty of Science / Computer Science**3.0 Effective Term of revision or retirement**

Please give reasons in 5.0 "Rationale" in the case of retirement

(Ex. Sept. 2004 = 200409) Retirement

Term: **201409****4.0 Existing Credit Weight****45****Proposed Credit Weight****45****5.0 Rationale for revised program**

In order that students conduct a broad research review instead of focussing simply on their specific M.Sc. topic, COMP 601, Thesis Literature Review, 2 credits is being re-instated into the M.Sc. program.

The addition of COMP 601, required the adjustment of COMP 691, Thesis Research 1, from 2 credits to 3 credits to fulfill the requirements of 24 credits of thesis courses.

This Program Revision Form takes account of the above changes, and as well the recently approved changes in credit weight of COMP 601, COMP 698 and COMP 699.

6.0 Revised Program Description (Maximum 150 words)

No change from what is currently written in the graduate calendar.

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7.0 List of existing program and proposed program

Existing program (list courses as follows: Subj Code/Crse Num, Title, Credit weight, under the headings of: Required Courses,

M.Sc. in Computer Science (45 credits)

Program Requirements

Thesis Courses (24 credits)

24 credits selected from

- COMP 691 Thesis Research 1 (2 credits)
- COMP 696 Thesis Research 2 (3 credits)
- COMP 697 Thesis Research 3 (4 credits)
- COMP 698 Thesis Research 4 (9 credits)
- COMP 699 Thesis Research 5 (15 credits)

Complementary Courses (21 credits)

At least 21 credits of 500-, 600-, or 700-level COMP courses, including at least 12 credits of 4-credit courses.

Note: Students with an appropriate background can substitute 3 credits by COMP 696 and 4 credits by COMP 697.

Proposed program (list courses as follows: Subj Code/Crse Num, Title, Credit weight, under the headings of: Required

M.Sc. in Computer Science (45 credits)

Program Requirements

Required Thesis Courses (24 credits)

COMP 601 Thesis Literature Review (2 credits)

The remaining 22 credits selected from:

- **COMP 691 Thesis Research 1 (3 credits)**
- COMP 696 Thesis Research 2 (3 credits)
- COMP 697 Thesis Research 3 (4 credits)
- COMP 698 Thesis Research 4 (10 credits)
- COMP 699 Thesis Research 5 (12 credits)

Complementary Courses (21 credits)

At least 21 credits of 500-, 600-, or 700-level COMP courses, including at least 12 credits of 4-credit courses.

Note: Students with an appropriate background can substitute 3 credits by COMP 696 and 4 credits by COMP 697.

Attach extra page(s) as needed

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8.0 Consultation with Related Units

Yes No

Financial Consult

Yes No

Attach list of consultations

9. Approvals

Routing Sequence

Name

Signature

Date

Department

Gregory Dudek, Director

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November 26, 2013

Curric/Acad Committee

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Nov 26, 2013

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Faculty 2

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Faculty 3

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Submission Date