

FAPC18-045

New Course

Proposal Reference Number : 13241
PRN Alias : 17-18#720
Version No : 3
Submitted By : Dr Linda J Wykes
Edited By : Ms Joanne Ten Eyck

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New Data					
Program Affected?	Y				
Program Change Form Submitted?	N (Simple Change) - NUTR 505 - Public Health Nutrition will be a direct replacement for NUTR 403 - Nutrition in Society in Fall 2018 in the following programs: B.A. - Faculty Program Environment - Environment and Development; B.Sc. (Ag.Env.Sc.) - Minor Human Nutrition; B.Sc. (Ag.Env.Sc.) - Major Environment - Food Production and Environment; B.Sc. - Major Environment - Food Production and Environment; B.Sc. (Nutr.Sc.) - Major Dietetics; B.Sc. (Nutr.Sc.) - Major Nutrition - Global Nutrition No structural changes to programs				
Subject/Course/Term	NUTR 505 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> one term 				
Credit Weight or CEU's	3 credits				
Course Activities	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Schedule Type</th> <th>Hours per week</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>A - Lecture</td> <td>3</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Schedule Type	Hours per week	A - Lecture	3
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Total Hours per Week : 3					
Total Number of Weeks : 13					
Course Title	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Official Course Title :</td> <td>Public Health Nutrition</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Course Title in Calendar :</td> <td>Public Health Nutrition</td> </tr> </table>	Official Course Title :	Public Health Nutrition	Course Title in Calendar :	Public Health Nutrition
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Rationale	This course is an introduction to Public Health theory and practice as it applies to human nutrition and will be required for all students in the Bachelor of Science (Nutritional Sciences) (B.Sc.(Nutr.Sc.)) Dietetics major. The licensing body for professional dietitians in Quebec, the Ordre professionnel de diététistes du Québec (OPDQ), has mandated dietetic education programs to provide instruction in public health. The course responds to the two previous accreditation evaluations by PDEP for a course in public health or community nutrition in the dietetics undergraduate program. This 500-level course will be accessible to students in our MScApplied Dietetics Credentialing option				
Responsible Instructor	Dr. Treena Delormier				
Course Description	This course focuses on the nutrition status of populations, communities and groups of people using a public health lens. It identifies and assesses human nutrition issues and problems, their causes, influencing factors and social conditions using a social determinants of health framework. Offers opportunities to design and conduct needs assessments, design and plan programs and plan for their				

	evaluation. The purpose and role of participatory approaches with diverse populations and Indigenous populations in particular will be analyzed. Health systems, public health and political influence in Canada, as related to nutrition will be addressed.
Teaching Dept.	0071 : Human Nutrition
Administering Faculty/Unit	AG : Faculty of Agric Environ Sci
Prerequisites	NUTR 337 Web Registration Blocked? : Y Minimum Grade or Test Scores : 55 Prereq course or test taken at the same time? : N
Corequisites	
Restrictions	Not open to students who were registered for NUTR 403 in Fall 2017
Supplementary Calendar Info	
Additional Course Charges	
Campus	Macdonald
Projected Enrollment	70
Requires Resources Not Currently Available	N
Explanation for Required Resources	
Required Text/Resources Sent To Library?	
Library Consulted About Availability of Resources?	
Consultation Reports Attached?	
Effective Term of Implementation	201809
File Attachments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NUTR 505 Public Health Nutrition.pdf View
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Public Health Nutrition (NUTR 505) – Course Outline - Fall 2018

Time: Tuesdays & Thursdays 01:05 PM-02:25 PM

Room: CENTEN 1-163

Instructors: Prof. Treena Delormier

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CINE Building, #203

Tel: 514.398.7705 / E-mail: Treena.delormier@mcgill.ca

Office hours: Friday (9h00 to 10h00).

Teaching Assistants:

TBA

Course Description:

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Prerequisite:

- NUTR 337

Learning Outcomes:

Students should:

- Become familiar with the role and function of public health
- Become familiar with the current primary nutrition concerns for diverse population groups in Canada, in particular Indigenous populations.
- Explain the role of governmental, non-governmental, industry, and civil society organizations in addressing these population level nutrition status issues and concerns through policy development and programs;
- Illustrate, describe relationships among, and the social determinants of health that influence food practices, food security, and nutritional health;
- Understand socio-ecological barriers for at-risk populations and Indigenous populations in particular, to develop needs assessment, intervention, implementation strategies and evaluation options that are relevant for particular communities or population groups.

Instructional method

Two lecture/discussion periods are scheduled per week. Lectures (including presentations) and assignments will be used to help students to achieve learning objectives.

Readings:

Required readings are indicated on myCourses – either as a pdf file or link that students can access. Please check for updates on reading assignments throughout the semester.

The students are responsible for reading documents related to lectures. The documents explain in more details the required background needed to fully understand the material presented in class.

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Tentative Lecture Schedule (*subject to change*)

Date	Topic	Guest speaker
Sept. 4	Introduction to Public Health	
Sept. 6	Health system and Advocacy (including class activity)	
Sept. 11	Social Determinants of Health Framework	
Sept. 13		
Sept. 18	Health behavior theories	
Sept. 20		
Sept. 25	Sociocultural Environment (Module 6)	
Sept. 27	Impact on eating habits and perceptions of food in Quebec	
Oct. 2		
Oct. 4	Local organizations working in nutrition (Students presentation)	
Oct. 9	Food consumption patterns and trends (including class activity)	
Oct. 11		
Oct. 16	Individual and environmental approaches to modifying food behaviours	
Oct. 18	Mid-term exam	
Oct. 23	Public health nutrition evaluation planning	Guest Speaker
Oct. 25	Participatory approaches for developing Public Health nutrition interventions: Indigenous population	
Oct. 30	Needs assessment	
Nov. 1	Needs assessment -using epidemiological data and public health nutrition monitoring	Guest speaker
Nov. 6	Qualitative methods in public health nutrition	
Nov. 8		
Nov. 13	Intervention implementation approach: winning conditions and challenges	
Nov. 15	Public communication, social marketing and advocacy	
Nov. 20	Nudging to influence adult dietary behaviours	Guest Speaker
Nov. 22	Presentation of Public Health Nutrition Program for a target issue and population	
Nov. 27	Presentation of Public Health Nutrition Program for a target issue and population	
Nov. 29	Presentation of Public Health Nutrition Program for a target issue and population	

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Evaluation:

Mid-Term Exam	Short Answer questions: 30% Date: October 24.	The mid-term will consist of short answer, open ended questions based on lectures up to Oct. 19. Location – Lecture room. The date is set and won't be changed. For sickness, we will use the same policy as the final exam.
Term paper	Part 1: Identification of the public health nutrition issue/problem 10% Part 2: Intervention proposal: 30% Due date: November 22.	The term paper will consist of a proposal to address a public issue. Part 1 includes: identification of the population and justification of the problem based upon a needs assessment. Groups will peer review another group's issue and provide feedback according to criteria provided. Part 2 is a proposal for a population-based intervention and pertinent evaluating methods suitable for that intervention. Students will work in groups of 4.
	Presentation of the proposal: 10% Date: Nov. 22, 27 and 29.	The presentation to be co-delivered by all group members should illustrate key sections of the proposal: justification, planning and evaluation. The presentation should be no longer than 10 minutes.
Class activities	Activity #1 Health communication and Advocacy activity:10% Date: September 14.	Description of the activity will be provided in class.
	Activity #2 Local organizations presentations:10% Date: October 5	In groups of two students, you will be assigned a Montreal agency to investigate (list / groups will be posted on myCourses). For each agency, you will provide requested information necessary to understand the role of that institution. (Full description off the assignment will be posted in myCourses).
Assignment descriptions and grading schemes will be posted on myCourses. All assignments need to be submitted via myCourses. No hard copies will be accepted.		

Late submission of assignments or missing part of the assignment: penalty of 10% for each day (or part thereof) that the assignment is late. It is the student's responsibility to verify that the assignments and related files were saved in myCourses.

- Request for a reassessment of assignments or mid-exams should be done within 10 working days after receiving the grade in myCourses.

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Academic integrity:

McGill University values academic integrity. Therefore all students must understand the meaning and consequences of cheating, plagiarism and other academic offences under the Code of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Procedures. For more information, visit www.mcgill.ca/students/srr/honest.

L'université McGill attache une haute importance à l'honnêteté académique. Il incombe par conséquent à tous les étudiants de comprendre ce que l'on entend par tricherie, plagiat et autres infractions académiques, ainsi que les conséquences que peuvent avoir de telles actions, selon le Code de conduite de l'étudiant et des procédures disciplinaires (pour de plus amples renseignements, veuillez consulter le site www.mcgill.ca/students/srr/honest).

Additional policies governing academic issues that affect students can be found in the McGill Charter of Students' Rights (online at <http://www2.mcgill.ca/students-handbook/chapter1.html>)

Instructor-generated course materials (e.g., handouts, notes, summaries, exam questions, etc.) are protected by law and may not be copied or distributed in any form or in any medium without explicit permission of the instructor. Note that infringements of copyright can be subject to follow up by the University under the Code of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Procedures.

Mobile computing and communications devices are not to be used for voice communication without the explicit permission of the instructor. No audio or video recording of any kind is allowed in class without the explicit permission of the instructor.

Right to submit in English or French written work that is to be graded:

In accord with McGill University's Charter of Students' Rights, students in this course have the right to submit in English or in French any written work that is to be *graded*. This right applies to all written work that is to be graded, from one-word answers to dissert.

Accommodations

Policies for accommodations can be found at the following links:

Medical: <https://www.mcgill.ca/macdonald/studentinfo/medical-notes>

Religious: https://www.mcgill.ca/secretariat/files/secretariat/religious_holy_days_policy_on_accommodation_of.pdf

Exam deferral: <http://www.mcgill.ca/students/exams/dates/supdefer>

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Revision for AGECE 690

Proposal Reference : 13285
Number
PRN Alias : 17-18#764
Version No : 3
Submitted By : Dr Paul Thomassin
Edited By : Dr Paul Thomassin

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Summary of Changes	Credit Weight or CEU's, Course Title, Course Description
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	Current Data	New Data								
Program Affected?		N Y								
Program Change Form Submitted?		Y								
Subject/Course/Term	AGECE 690 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> one term 									
Credit Weight or CEU's	1 credits.	3 credits								
Course Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M - Seminar 	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Schedule Type</th> <th>Hours Per Week</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>M - Seminar</td> <td>3</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> Total Hours per Week : 3 Total Number of Weeks : 13	Schedule Type	Hours Per Week	M - Seminar	3				
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Course Title on Transcript	Seminar									
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Course Title on Calendar	Graduate Seminar in Agricultural Economics.									
Rationale		The course requirements have increased from attending presentations to making two presentations, two assignments, and participating in discussions on journal articles related to the issues, research and methodology in agricultural economics.								
Responsible Instructor		Program Director - Paul J. Thomassin								
Course Description	This course will focus on current research on economic problems of agriculture through presentations by staff, students and special guests. All graduate students are required to register for this course, and make at least one major presentation.	This course will focus on current research on economic problems of agriculture, the agri-food system and the environment through presentations by staff, students and special guests. It will also include article discussions on the latest issues								

		and methods in Agricultural Economics.
Teaching Dept.	0065 : Agricultural Economics	
Administering Faculty/Unit	GR : Graduate Studies	
Prerequisites		
Corequisites		
Restrictions		
Supplementary Calendar Info		
Additional Course Charges		
Campus		Macdonald
Projected Enrollment		12
Requires Resources Not Currently Available		N
Explanation for Required Resources		
Consultation Reports Attached?		N
Effective Term of Implementation		201809
File Attachments		No attachments have been saved yet.
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Revision for AGEC 691

Proposal Reference : 13289
 Number
 PRN Alias : 17-18#768
 Version No : 2
 Submitted By : Dr Paul Thomassin
 Edited By : Dr Paul Thomassin

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Summary of Changes	Credit Weight or CEU's, Course Description
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	Current Data	New Data								
Program Affected?		Y								
Program Change Form Submitted?		Y								
Subject/Course/Term	AGEC 691 • one term									
Credit Weight or CEU's	6 credits.	3 credits								
Course Activities	• U - Thesis Course	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Schedule Type</th> <th>Hours Per Week</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>U - Thesis Course</td> <td>3</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> Total Hours per Week : 3 Total Number of Weeks : 13	Schedule Type	Hours Per Week	U - Thesis Course	3				
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Course Title on Calendar	M.Sc. Thesis 1.									
Rationale		This revision was done as part of the program revision to bring the required number of graduate credits for a M.Sc. degree to 45 credits.								
Responsible Instructor										
Course Description	Written and oral presentation of thesis proposal to the research Supervisory Committee.	Thesis proposal development - problem statement								
Teaching Dept.	0065 : Agricultural Economics	0065 : Agricultural Economics								
Administering Faculty/Unit	GR : Graduate Studies	GR : Graduate Studies								
Prerequisites										

Corequisites		
Restrictions		
Supplementary Calendar Info		
Additional Course Charges		
Campus		Macdonald
Projected Enrollment		10
Requires Resources Not Currently Available		N
Explanation for Required Resources		
Consultation Reports Attached?		N
Effective Term of Implementation		201809
File Attachments		No attachments have been saved yet.
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Revision for AGEC 692

Proposal Reference :13311
 Number
 PRN Alias :17-18#790
 Version No :2
 Submitted By :Dr Paul
 Thomassin
 Edited By :Dr Paul
 Thomassin

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Summary of Changes	Course Description
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	Current Data	New Data				
Program Affected?		N				
Program Change Form Submitted?						
Subject/Course/Term	AGEC 692 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> one term 					
Credit Weight or CEU's	3 credits.					
Course Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U - Thesis Course 					
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Course Title on Transcript	M.Sc. Thesis 2					
Course Title on Calendar	M.Sc. Thesis 2.					
Rationale		Revision of the course description				
Responsible Instructor						
Course Description	Written and oral presentation of thesis proposal to the research Supervisory Committee.	Literature review for the thesis research.				
Teaching Dept.	0065 : Agricultural Economics					
Administering Faculty/Unit	GR : Graduate Studies					
Prerequisites						
Corequisites						
Restrictions						
Supplementary Calendar Info						
Additional Course						

Charges	
Campus	Macdonald
Projected Enrollment	10
Requires Resources Not Currently Available	N
Explanation for Required Resources	
Consultation Reports Attached?	N
Effective Term of Implementation	201809
File Attachments	No attachments have been saved yet.
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Revision for AGECE 693

Proposal Reference Number : 13312
PRN Alias : 17-18#791
Version No : 2
Submitted By : Dr Paul Thomassin
Edited By : Dr Paul Thomassin

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Summary of Changes	Course Description
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	Current Data	New Data				
Program Affected?		N				
Program Change Form Submitted?						
Subject/Course/Term	AGECE 693 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> one term 					
Credit Weight or CEU's	6 credits.					
Course Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U - Thesis Course 					
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Course Title on Transcript	M.Sc. Thesis 3					
Course Title on Calendar	M.Sc. Thesis 3.					
Rationale		Provide a better description of the course.				
Responsible Instructor						
Course Description	Written and oral presentation of thesis proposal to the research Supervisory Committee.	Develop hypotheses for testing and identify the appropriate method.				
Teaching Dept.	0065 : Agricultural Economics					
Administering Faculty/Unit	GR : Graduate Studies					
Prerequisites						
Corequisites						
Restrictions						
Supplementary Calendar Info						
Additional Course						

Charges		
Campus		
Projected Enrollment		10
Requires Resources Not Currently Available		
Explanation for Required Resources		
Consultation Reports Attached?		
Effective Term of Implementation		201809
File Attachments		No attachments have been saved yet.
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Revision for AGEC 694

Proposal Reference Number : 13313
PRN Alias : 17-18#792
Version No : 2
Submitted By : Dr Paul Thomassin
Edited By : Dr Paul Thomassin

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Summary of Changes	Course Description
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	Current Data	New Data				
Program Affected?		N				
Program Change Form Submitted?						
Subject/Course/Term	AGEC 694 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> one term 					
Credit Weight or CEU's	6 credits.					
Course Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U - Thesis Course 					
Course Title	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Course Title on Transcript</td> <td>M.Sc. Thesis 4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Course Title on Calendar</td> <td>M.Sc. Thesis 4.</td> </tr> </table>	Course Title on Transcript	M.Sc. Thesis 4	Course Title on Calendar	M.Sc. Thesis 4.	
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Course Title on Calendar	M.Sc. Thesis 4.					
Rationale		Provide a better description of the course.				
Responsible Instructor						
Course Description	Written and oral presentation of thesis proposal to the research Supervisory Committee.	Research to be undertaken on hypotheses testing and interpreting results.				
Teaching Dept.	0065 : Agricultural Economics					
Administering Faculty/Unit	GR : Graduate Studies					
Prerequisites						
Corequisites						
Restrictions						
Supplementary Calendar Info						
Additional Course						

Charges		
Campus		Macdonald
Projected Enrollment		10
Requires Resources Not Currently Available		N
Explanation for Required Resources		
Consultation Reports Attached?		N
Effective Term of Implementation		201809
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Revision for AGECE 695

Proposal Reference : 13314
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 PRN Alias : 17-18#793
 Version No : 1
 Submitted By : Dr Paul
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Summary of Changes	Course Description
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	Current Data	New Data				
Program Affected?		N				
Program Change Form Submitted?						
Subject/Course/Term	AGECE 695 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> one term 					
Credit Weight or CEU's	6 credits.					
Course Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U - Thesis Course 					
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Course Title on Calendar	M.Sc. Thesis 5.					
Rationale		Course description better reflects what is done in the course				
Responsible Instructor						
Course Description	Written and oral presentation of thesis proposal to the research Supervisory Committee.	Thesis write up.				
Teaching Dept.	0065 : Agricultural Economics					
Administering Faculty/Unit	GR : Graduate Studies					
Prerequisites						
Corequisites						
Restrictions						
Supplementary Calendar Info						
Additional Course Charges						

Campus		Macdonald
Projected Enrollment		10
Requires Resources Not Currently Available		N
Explanation for Required Resources		
Consultation Reports Attached?		N
Effective Term of Implementation		201809
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Revision for NUTR 683, 683D1/D2, 683N1/N2

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Proposal Reference Number : 13284

PRN Alias : 17-18#763

Version No : 1

Submitted By : Dr Linda J Wykes

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Summary of Changes	Course Description
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	Current Data	New Data
Program Affected?		N
Program Change Form Submitted?		
Subject/Course/Term	NUTR 683 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> one term two consecutive terms (D1, D2) two non-consecutive terms (N1, N2) 	
Credit Weight or CEU's	1. 683 = 9 credits. 1. 683D1 = 4.5 credits. 2. 683D2 = 4.5 credits. 1. 683N1 = 4.5 credits. 2. 683N2 = 4.5 credits.	
Course Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U - Thesis Course 	
Course Title	Course Title on Transcript	Human Nutrition M.Sc. Thesis 4
	Course Title on Calendar	Human Nutrition M.Sc. Thesis 4.
Rationale		We would like to remove the word 'seminar' from the course description, as this is now part of NUTR 697.
Responsible Instructor		
Course Description	Final submission, thesis defense seminar and approval of the M.Sc. thesis.	Final submission and approval of the M.Sc. thesis.
Teaching Dept.	0071 : Human Nutrition	
Administering Faculty/Unit	GR : Graduate Studies	
Prerequisites	Prerequisite: NUTR 683D1 Prerequisite: NUTR 683N1	
Corequisites		
Restrictions		
Supplementary Calendar Info		
Additional Course Charges		

Campus		
Projected Enrollment		
Requires Resources Not Currently Available		
Explanation for Required Resources		
Consultation Reports Attached?		
Effective Term of Implementation		201809
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Course Retire for NUTR 403

Proposal Reference Number : 13382
 PRN Alias : 17-18#861
 Version No : 2
 Submitted By : Dr Linda J Wykes

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Course to Retire		
Program Affected?	Y	
Program Change Form Submitted?	N (Simple Change) - NUTR 403 will be replaced with NUTR 505 in Fall 2018 in the following programs: B.A. - Faculty Program Environment - Environment and Development; B.Sc. (Ag.Env.Sc.) - Minor Human Nutrition; B.Sc. (Ag.Env.Sc.) - Major Environment - Food Production and Environment; B.Sc. - Major Environment - Food Production and Environment; B.Sc. (Nutr.Sc.) - Major Dietetics; B.Sc. (Nutr.Sc.) - Major Nutrition - Global Nutrition No structural changes to programs	
Subject/Course/Term	NUTR 403 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one term 	
Credit Weight or CEU's	3 credits.	
Course Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A - Lecture • BR - Break-Out Room 	
Course Title	Course Title on Transcript	Nutrition in Society
	Course Title on Calendar	Nutrition in Society.
Rationale	NUTR 403 will be replaced with NUTR 505 in fall 2018	
Course Description	Health systems, public health and political influence in Canada, as related to nutrition. Assessment of food and nutrition related issues of communities/populations; nutrition surveillance data; sociocultural and economic influences on food choice and behaviour; health promotion planning and disease prevention; evaluation of community interventions.	
Teaching Dept.	0071 : Human Nutrition	
Administering Faculty/Unit	AG : Faculty of Agric Environ Sci	
Prerequisites	Prerequisite: NUTR 337	
Corequisites		
Restrictions		
Supplementary Calendar Info	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fall 2. 3 hour conference 	
Consultation Reports Attached?		
Effective Term of Implementation	201809	
File Attachments	No attachments have been saved yet.	
To be completed by		

the Faculty	
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Program/Major or Minor/Concentration Revision Form

(2013)

<p>1.0 Degree Title Specify the two degrees for concurrent degree programs</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 5px;">M.Sc.</div> <p>1.1 Major (Legacy= Subject) (30-char. max.)</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 5px;">Agricultural Economics</div> <p>1.2 Concentration (Legacy = Concentration/Option) If applicable (30 char. max.)</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <p>1.3 Minor (with Concentration, if applicable) (30 char. max.)</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <p>1.4 Category</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Faculty Program (FP)</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Honours (HON)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Major</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Joint Honours Component (HC)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Joint Major</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Internship/Co-op</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Major Concentration (CON)</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thesis (T)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Minor</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Non-Thesis (N)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Minor Concentration (CON)</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Other</td> </tr> </table> <p style="margin-left: 150px;">Please specify</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 20px; margin-left: 150px; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <p>1.5 Complete Program Title</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 5px;">M.Sc. in Agricultural Economics</div>	<input type="checkbox"/> Faculty Program (FP)	<input type="checkbox"/> Honours (HON)	<input type="checkbox"/> Major	<input type="checkbox"/> Joint Honours Component (HC)	<input type="checkbox"/> Joint Major	<input type="checkbox"/> Internship/Co-op	<input type="checkbox"/> Major Concentration (CON)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thesis (T)	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Thesis (N)	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor Concentration (CON)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<p>2.0 Administering Faculty/Unit</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 5px;">Graduate Studies</div> <p>Offering Faculty/Department</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 5px;">Faculty of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences/ Department of Agricultural Economics</div> <p>3.0 Effective Term of revision or retirement Please give reasons in 5.0 "Rationale" in the case of retirement (Ex. Sept. 2004 = 200409) <input type="checkbox"/> Retirement</p> <p>Term: <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">201809</div></p> <p>4.0 Existing Credit Weight Proposed Credit Weight</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: 45%;">46</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: 45%;">45</div> </div> <p>5.0 Rationale for revised program</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;"> <p>There have been some revisions and changes to some of the courses that are part of the program. In addition, there has been a review of the program and some changes have been made to the required and complimentary courses for the M.Sc. Program in Agricultural Economics.</p> </div>
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6.0 Revised Program Description (Maximum 150 words)

Graduate students receive rigorous training in economic theory, institutional economics and quantitative methods. Students will learn how to use applied economic concepts and tools to identify, define, analyze and solve economic problems affecting the performance of the agri-food sector and the environment. The ideal prior preparation is an undergraduate degree in Agricultural Economics or Economics, including undergraduate courses in intermediate economic theory (micro and macro), calculus, algebra, statistics, and econometrics. Attention is given to the development of analytical skills in the broad areas of agricultural and environmental economics. Students may specialize, by way of their research program, in agribusiness, resource economics, development, finance, marketing, trade, policy, and environmental economics. The program prepares graduates for rewarding careers in research, analysis, and decision-making in academia, private, NGO sectors, and government sectors.

Current description:

This program provides students with applied economic concepts and tools to identify, define, and analyze economic problems affecting the performance of the agri-food sector and the environment. The ideal prior preparation is an undergraduate degree in Agricultural Economics or Economics, including undergraduate courses in intermediate economic theory (micro and macro), calculus, algebra, statistics, and econometrics. Attention is given to the development of analytical skills in the broad areas of agricultural, environmental, and ecological economics. Students may specialize, by way of their research program, in agribusiness, development, finance, marketing and trade, policy, and resource economics. The program prepares graduates for rewarding careers in research, analysis, and decision-making in academic, private and NGO sectors, and government.

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, Complementary Courses, Elective Courses)

Required Course: 28 credits
AGEC 690, Seminar, 1 Credit

AGEC 691, M.Sc. Thesis 1, 6 Credits
AGEC 692, M.Sc. Thesis 2, 3 Credits
AGEC 693, M.Sc. Thesis 3, 6 Credits
AGEC 694, M.Sc. Thesis 4, 6 Credits
AGEC 695, M.Sc. Thesis 5, 6 Credits

Complementary Courses 18 Credits

6 Credits, two theory courses chosen from:
AGEC 633, Environmental and Natural Resource Economics, 3 Credits
ECON 610, Microeconomic Theory 1, 3 Credits
~~ECON 611, Microeconomic Theory 2, 3 Credits~~
ECON 620, Macroeconomic Theory 1, 3 Credits
~~ECON 621, Macroeconomic Theory 2, 3 Credits~~

3 Credits, one quantitative methods course chosen from:
~~AEMA 610, Statistics Methods 2, 3 Credits~~
~~ECON 525, Project Analysis, 3 Credits~~
ECON 662, Econometrics, 6 Credits
ECON 665, Quantitative Methods, 3 Credits
~~MGSC 679, Applied Deterministic Optimization, 3 Credits~~

9 Credits, three 3-credit courses at the 500, 600, 700 level, at least one of which must be in Agricultural Economics, chosen in consultation with the Agricultural Economics Advisor.

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

Required Course: 27 credits
AGEC 690, Seminar, 3 Credit

AGEC 691, M.Sc. Thesis 1, 3 Credits
AGEC 692, M.Sc. Thesis 2, 3 Credits
AGEC 693, M.Sc. Thesis 3, 6 Credits
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AGEC 695, M.Sc. Thesis 5, 6 Credits

Complementary Courses: 18 Credits

6 Credits, two theory courses chosen from:
ECON 610, Microeconomic Theory 1, 3 Credits
ECON 620, Macroeconomic Theory 1, 3 Credits
Or a theory course approved by the Graduate Program Director.

At least 3 Credits of quantitative methods chosen from:
ECON 665, Quantitative Methods, 3 Credits
ECON 662D1, D2 Econometrics, 6 Credits
Or a quantitative course approved by the Graduate Program Director.

A minimum of 3 credits from the following:
AGEC 633 Environmental and Natural Resource Economics, 3 Credits
AGEC 642 Economics of Agricultural Development, 3 Credits
AGEC 630 Food and Agricultural Policy, 3 Credits
AGEC 685 Selected Topics in Agricultural Economics, 3 Credits

Additional Complementary Courses: To complete the 45 credit program requirement from courses in your field or thesis area at the 500 level or higher in consultation with the Agricultural Economics Advisor.

8.0 Consultation with
Related Units


Yes No

Financial Consult

Yes No

Attach list of consultations

9. Approvals

Routing Sequence	Name	Signature	Date
Department	Brian Driscoll		March 5, 2018
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10. FQRSC (Research) Indicator (for GPS): Yes No

Paul Thomassin, Prof.

From: John Galbraith, Prof.
Sent: March-02-18 5:08 PM
To: Paul Thomassin, Prof.
Subject: RE: Consultation on the M.Sc. Program in Agricultural Economics

Hi Paul: Sorry for not replying earlier. There was some feedback and debate on positives/negatives but I don't think anything that would require a change. Let me know if you want to talk after the break—I'm taking a few days off after hiring season. Cheers,
John

Dear correspondent: please note that I use speech-recognition software for most e-mail messages. As a result there are often typographical errors in the text. Correcting these by hand defeats the purpose (reduced stress on tendons) of using the software, and so when they do not appear likely to interfere with understanding, I often leave these imperfections in the message. At other times, I will type messages with the keyboard, and in these cases I may be very terse. Thank you for your understanding.

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From: Paul Thomassin, Prof.
Sent: Friday, March 2, 2018 4:09 PM
To: John Galbraith, Prof.
Subject: Consultation on the M.Sc. Program in Agricultural Economics

Hi John,

How are you?

Did you get any feedback on the M.Sc. program? For consultation purposes if you could simple state that you do not foresee a problem and/or support.

Thanks

Paul

Paul J. Thomassin
Associate Professor,
Graduate Program Director, Agricultural Economics Program
Undergraduate Program Director, Agricultural Economics Program and
Research Fellow, CIRANO – Experimental Economics Group

