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AC-05-35 New Course Proposal Form

(07/2004)

1. Will this new course affect a current program? If "yes", has a Program Revision Form been submitted concurrently	Yes ⊻ No □ ? Yes □ No □				
2. Teaching Department: Mathematics and Statistics	4. Campus (Downtown, Macdonald, Off Campus, Distance Ed, Other – specify)5. Effective Term of Implementation (Ex. Sept. 2004 = 200409)Term:				
3. Administering Faculty/Unit: Science	Downtown 200609				
6. Responsible Instructor STAFF					
Course Title (Limit 30 Characters) - required for all courses: 8. Course Number(s) Problem Seminar Indicate course number & the number of terms spanned: (tick all that apply)					
 9. Course Title to Appear in the Calendar (optional) (Limit 59 characters): Note: This can ONLY be an expansion of word(s) abbreviated in the 30 character course title above. 	Subject/course number: MATH 352 Course(s) Span:				
	□ 2 consecutive terms (D1, D2)				
10. Credit Weight 2 non-consecutive terms (N1, N2)					
1 Credit	☐ 3 consecutive terms (J1, J2, J3)				
11. Rationale for new course The motivation for creating this course comes from the students themselves. The seminar is intended to develop the problem solving skills of students. The problems considered will be of the type that occur in the Putnam and similar competitions which are often related to Euclidean geometry or elementary combinatorics and are usually very simple to state. Just thinking about these problems is a rewarding exercise for students and a very useful form of training. Finding a solution usually requires looking at the problem in just the right way. The course also provides a one credit course for students who are just one credit short of their requirement, something that the Maths & Stats department does not have at the present time.					
12. Course Description (as it will appear in the Calendar [maximum 50 words]): (N.B. Faculty of Medicine must append complete course outline)					
Seminar in Mathematical Problem Solving. The problems considered will be mathematical competitions (1 hour/week).	of the type that occur in the Putnam competition and in other similar				
 Supplementary information to appear in the Calendar in addition to the Such as: equivalent course(s), contact hours, enrolment limitations, Please enter the information as it should appear in the calendar notes. 	he course description. language of instruction etc.				

Hours per Week	Hours per Week	Hours per Week
	Total Hours per W	eek: 1
	Total Number of V	/eeks:
. Projected Enrolment:	16. Required text and/or preliminary	reading list sent to library?
	Yes x No	
 Prerequisite(s) (Courses or Tests) Specify course number(s) or name(s) of test(s): Enrolment in a math related program or permission of the instructor. 	18. Corequisite(s) Course Number(s Specify course number(s) and tit): le(s):
If the student does not have a prerequisite	If the student does not register f	or the corequisite
If "Yes" complete A and B: A. Indicate minimum grade or test score(s) the student must attain in prerequisite course(s) or test(s):		
B. Can the prerequisite course(s) or test(s) be taken in the same term as this course? ☐ Yes ☐ No	19. Restriction(s):	
. Consultation Reports Attached ☐Yes ☑N/A	21. Additional Course Charges (mus	t be approved by the Fee
	Policy Committee) Description of Fee	
. Requires Teaching. Physical, or Financial Resources	(e.g. screening fee)	Amount

INFORMATION FOR ADMISSIONS RECRUITA	AENT & REGISTRAR'S OFFICE			
To be completed by the Faculty	To be completed by ARR	For Continuing Education Use		
Slot Course:		CE Admin. Unit :		
		CE Non-Grant Courses:		
		Flat Rate: CdnFlat Rate:	□ _{Yes} □ _{N/A}	

23. Approvals:						
Routing Sequence Name	Departmental Meeting S. W. Drury	Departmental Chair D. Wolfson	Other Faculty	Curric/Academic Committee	Faculty	SCTP
Signature						
Date						
Departmental Contact Person (name/phone/email)	S.W. Drury 398-38	30 <u>drury@math.mcgill.c</u>	<u>a</u>			