



418th REPORT OF THE ACADEMIC POLICY COMMITTEE TO SENATE
on APC meetings held on 11th and 25th February 2010

I. TO BE APPROVED BY SENATE

- (A) **NEW TEACHING PROGRAMS REQUIRING SENATE APPROVAL** (approvals of new minors and options added to existing programs and major revisions to programs are reported in Section IV.A.1.a. for information)

FACULTY OF DENTISTRY

Certificate in General Practice Residency – APPENDIX A

At a meeting on 25th February 2010, APC reviewed a proposal from the Faculty of Dentistry for the creation of a post-graduate Certificate in General Practice Residency. The proposal is to give formal recognition as a coherent program to the optional one-year General Practice Residency in hospital settings that students enroll in as residents. This is a university-based residency with five hospital sites; it has a common admissions process and a compulsory core lecture series. This Residency provides advanced training in general dentistry under the supervision of family dentists and specialists. Submission to CREPUQ's *Commission d'évaluation des projets de programmes (CEP)* for evaluation and to the Ministry of Education, Leisure and Sport (MELS) for approval is not required.

APC therefore recommends that Senate approve the following resolution:

Be it resolved that Senate approve the proposed Certificate in General Practice Residency.

(B) **ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE ISSUES / POLICIES / GOVERNANCE/AWARDS**

1) Responsible Use of McGill IT Resources

At a meeting held on 25th February 2010, APC reviewed additional revisions to the proposed Policy on Responsible Use of McGill IT Resources. APC approved the revised Policy proposal, which is now resubmitted to Senate for approval in a separate document.

2) Regulation for the Conduct of Research

At a meeting held on 25th February 2010, APC reviewed and approved the proposed Regulation for the Conduct of Research, which is now submitted to Senate for approval in a separate document.

(C) **CREATION OF NEW UNITS / NAME CHANGES / REPORTING CHANGES**

None.

(D) **CHANGES IN DEGREE DESIGNATION**

None.

(E) **INTER-UNIVERSITY PARTNERSHIPS**

None.

II. PRESENTED TO SENATE FOR DISCUSSION

None.

III. APPROVED IN THE NAME OF SENATE

(A) DEFINITIONS

None.

(B) STUDENT EXCHANGE AGREEMENTS / CONTRACTS (approved by APC)

- 1) MOU – Shantou University Law School, Shantou, Guangdong, China and McGill University Faculty of Law

At a meeting held on 25th February 2010, APC reviewed a proposed MOU between Shantou University Law School and McGill University Faculty of Law, along with accompanying schedules, for a two-week summer course, which would be offered to ten students from each institution, in Shantou in summer 2010 and at McGill in summer 2011. This agreement would be for two years. It would allow students to get a glimpse into the legal system of the other country and would include visits to courts and other judicial institutions. The program will be supported by the Li-Ka-shing Foundation. The proposed partnership has raised much interest among students. APC approved the proposed MOU.

- 2) Escola de Administração de Empresas de São Paulo, Fundação Getulio Vargas, São Paulo, Brazil and McGill University Desautels Faculty of Management

At a meeting held on 25th February 2010, APC reviewed and approved a proposal for a student exchange agreement between the Escola de Administração de Empresas de São Paulo, Fundação Getulio Vargas, São Paulo, Brazil and McGill University Desautels Faculty of Management, which complies with McGill's standard exchange agreement template. This is the first bilateral exchange agreement signed by McGill with a Brazilian university (McGill students are also able to benefit from the CREPUQ exchange consortium, which includes a number of Brazilian partners). Escola de Administração de Empresas de São Paulo, Fundação Getulio Vargas was founded in 1954 through a joint effort by the Brazilian government and Brazilian companies, as well as the collaboration of Michigan State University, with the objective to train students to face the challenges that were arising during Brazil's period of development at that time.

- 3) Université Paris Dauphine, Paris, France, and McGill University Desautels Faculty of Management

At a meeting held on 25th February 2010, APC reviewed and approved a proposal for a student exchange agreement between Université Paris Dauphine and McGill University Desautels Faculty of Management, which conforms with McGill's standard exchange agreement template. McGill University currently has five student exchange agreements with French partners: Ecole Nationale Supérieure d'Architecture de Clermont-Ferrand (Architecture), Ecole Nationale Supérieure d'Architecture de Grenoble (Architecture), ESTACA (Engineering), Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris (Sciences Po, Paris), and Ecole Centrale de Marseille (Engineering). Université Paris Dauphine was founded as a faculty of economic and management sciences in 1968 in the Palais de l'OTAN, the former NATO headquarters in Paris. By 1970, the institution was recognized as a full-fledged university and by 2004 it was granted the status of *grand établissement* by the French Ministry of Education (meaning *établissement public à caractère scientifique, culturel et professionnel, EPCSP*), the same status enjoyed by Sciences Po.

- 4) Trinity College Dublin, Dublin, Ireland, and McGill University

At a meeting held on 25th February 2010, APC reviewed and approved a proposal for a student exchange agreement between Trinity College Dublin and McGill University, which conforms with McGill's standard agreement template. McGill University has two student exchange agreements with Irish partners: University College Dublin and the Quinn School of Business, both limited to students in the Desautels Faculty of Management. This will be the first University-wide agreement in the Republic of Ireland. Trinity College Dublin was founded in 1592 by letters patent from Queen Elizabeth I and is the only constituent college of the University of Dublin. It is Ireland's oldest university. It is affiliated with the University of Dublin and the Coimbra Group (a network of 38 European universities, some among the oldest and most prestigious in Europe, founded in 1985 and formally constituted by charter in 1987). In 2009, Trinity College Dublin ranked 43rd overall globally, 13th in Europe and 1st in Ireland, according to the *Times Higher Education Supplement (THES)*.

(C) OTHER ISSUES

None.

IV. FOR THE INFORMATION OF SENATE

(A) APPROVAL OF COURSES AND TEACHING PROGRAMS

1. Programs

a) APC approvals (new options/concentrations added to existing programs and major revisions to programs)

i. New concentrations/options within existing programs

Faculty of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences

- B.Eng.(Bioresource); Major in Bioresource Engineering; Professional Agrology (113 cr.)
Approved by APC on 11th February 2010.
- B.Sc.(Ag.Env.Sc.); Specialization in Agri-Business (24 cr.)
Approved by APC on 25th February 2010.
- B.Sc.(Ag.Env.Sc.); Specialization in Environmental Economics (24 cr.)
Approved by APC on 25th February 2010.

Faculty of Religious Studies

- M.A. in Religious Studies; Gender and Women's Studies (45 cr.)
Approved by APC on 11th February 2010

Faculty of Science

- B.Sc.; Honours in Software Engineering (72-75 cr.)
Approved by APC on 25th February 2010.

ii. Major revisions of existing programs, approved by APC on 11th February 2010:

Faculty of Science

- M.Sc. in Computer Science (45 cr.)
- M.Sc. in Computer Science; Computational Science and Engineering (46 cr.)
- M.Sc. in Computer Science; Bioinformatics (45 cr.)
- M.Sc. in Computer Science; Non-Thesis (45 cr.)
- M.A. in Geography (45 cr.);
- M.A. in Geography; Environment (45 cr.)
- M.A. in Geography; Development Studies (45 cr.)
- M.A. in Geography; Gender and Women's Studies (45 cr.)
- M.A. in Geography; Social Statistics (45 cr.)
- M.A. in Geography; Neotropical Environment (45 cr.)
- M.Sc. in Geography (45 cr.)
- M.Sc. in Geography; Environment (45 cr.)
- M.Sc. in Geography; Neotropical Environment (45 cr.)
- Ph.D. in Geography (0 cr.)
- Ph.D. in Geography; Environment (0 cr.)
- Ph.D. in Geography; Gender and Women's Studies (0 cr.)
- Ph.D. in Geography; Neotropical Environment (0 cr.)

b) APC Subcommittee on Courses and Teaching Programs (SCTP) approvals

Summary reports from the APC Subcommittee on Courses and Teaching Programs (SCTP) to APC are posted on the non-restricted section of the APC website <http://www.mcgill.ca/apc/sctpreports/>.

SCTP approved the following program revisions

- i. Moderate and Minor Program Revisions: *none reported*
- ii. Program Retirements: *none reported*

2. Courses

- a) New Courses: *none reported*
- b) Course Revisions: *none reported*
- c) Course Retirements: *none reported*

(B) OTHER

None.

Compiled by Helen M.C. Richard, 2010-03-05



<p>1.0 Degree Title Please specify the two degrees for concurrent degree programs</p> <input type="text" value="Certificate"/>	<p>2.0 Administering Faculty/Unit</p> <input type="text" value="Dentistry"/>
<p>1.1 Major (Legacy= Subject)(30-char. max.)</p> <input type="text" value="General Practice Residency"/>	<p>Offering Faculty/Department</p> <input type="text" value="Post-Graduate Dentistry"/>
<p>1.2 Concentration (Legacy = Concentration/Option) If applicable to Majors only (30 char. max.)</p> <input type="text"/>	<p>3.0 Effective Term of Implementation (Ex. Sept. 2004 = 200409) Term</p> <input type="text" value="201005"/>
<p>1.3 Minor (with Concentration, if Applicable) (30 char. max.)</p> <input type="text"/>	

4.0 Rationale for new proposal

The Faculty of Dentistry has a longstanding one-year General Practice Residency. In the past, these were ad-hoc programs administered by individual hospitals. The residents received no recognition for their academic achievements, although they were enrolled in university courses in Graduate Studies. In 2008, the Faculty began the process of normalizing the residency. The program was reorganized as a university-based residency with five hospital sites. There is a common admissions process and a core lecture series which all students attend. The program is administered by the faculty-based Residency Training Committee. It is appropriate, therefore, that the university recognize this residency as a coherent program.

5.0 Program Information
Please check appropriate box(es)

<p>5.1 Program Type</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's Program <input type="checkbox"/> Master's <input type="checkbox"/> M.Sc. (Applied) Program <input type="checkbox"/> Dual Degree/Concurrent Program <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Diploma <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Diploma <input type="checkbox"/> Ph.D. Program <input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate Program (Other than Ph.D.) <input type="checkbox"/> Private Program <input type="checkbox"/> Off-Campus Program <input type="checkbox"/> Distance Education Program (By Correspondence) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please specify) <input type="text"/>	<p>5.2 Category</p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Faculty Program (FP) <input type="checkbox"/> Major <input type="checkbox"/> Joint Major <input type="checkbox"/> Major Concentration (CON) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor <input type="checkbox"/> Minor Concentration (CON) <input type="checkbox"/> Honours (HON) <input type="checkbox"/> Joint Honours Component (HC) <input type="checkbox"/> Internship/Co-op <input type="checkbox"/> Thesis (T) <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Thesis (N) <input type="checkbox"/> Other Please specify <input type="text"/>	<p>5.3 Level</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate <input type="checkbox"/> Dentistry/Law/Medicine <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing Ed (Non-Credit) <input type="checkbox"/> Collegial <input type="checkbox"/> Masters & Grad Dips & Certs <input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X Post-Graduate Medicine/Dentistry <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Qualifying <input type="checkbox"/> Postdoctoral Fellows
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6.0 Total Credits

7.0 Consultation with Related Units Yes No

Financial Consult Yes No

Attach list of consultations.

8.0 Program Description (Maximum 150 words)

The Certificate in General Practice Residency is an optional one-year post-graduate program offered by the Faculty of Dentistry. Students enrolled in the residency receive advanced training in general dentistry under the supervision of family dentists and specialists. Residents are responsible for the management of patients with complex dental or medical problems in a hospital setting. Residents are also expected to participate in lectures, seminars, case presentations and journal clubs. Training is offered at five sites: The Montreal General Hospital, Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal Children's Hospital, Sir Mortimer B Davis Jewish General Hospital and the Queen Elizabeth Oral Health Centre.

9.0 List of proposed program for the New Program/Major or Minor/Concentration.

If new concentration (option) of existing Major/Minor (program), please attach a program layout (list of all courses) of existing Major/Minor.

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

Required Courses (52 credits)

DENT 575 (18 cr) Dental Residency Training 1
DENT 576 (17 cr) Dental Residency Training 2
DENT 577 (17 cr) Dental Residency Training 3
DENT 578 (0 cr) Community Practice Rotations

10.0 Approvals

Routing Sequence	Name	Signature	Date
Department	Patricia Bassett		December 11, 2009
Curric/Acad Committee			
Faculty 1	Dean Paul Allison		December 11, 2009
Faculty 2			
Faculty 3			
SCTP	Cindy Smith		Feb. 4/10
GS			
APPC	Helen H.C. RICHARD	Helen H.C. Richard	25 th Feb 2010
Senate			

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