

Report on Minor Modifications 2013-14

This list of minor modifications to programs is routinely provided to Central Offices to ensure they remain abreast of minor changes that affect for-credit academic programs.

Faculty	Program(s)	Unit (if applicable)	Degree Designation	Type of Modification	Brief Description of Modification	Date of Institutional Approval (MM/DD/YYYY)	Date Effective (MM/DD/YYYY)
Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering	Master of Applied Science, Master of Engineering, and Doctor of Philosophy - Aerospace Science and Engineering	University of Toronto Institute of Aerospace Studies	M.A.Sc., M.Eng., Ph.D.	Creation of an emphasis	The new emphasis is entitled "Sustainable Aviation".	10/18/2013	9/1/2013
Faculty of Arts and Science	Environmental Biology - Minor	Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology	n/a	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change of the Minor Program name from "Environmental Biology" to "Biology" to reflect the scope of courses in the program. This program is offered jointly with the National University of Singapore.	2/5/2014	9/1/2014
Faculty of Arts and Science	Environment & Science - Minor	School of the Environment	n/a	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change of the Minor Program name from "Environment & Science" to "Environmental Science" to align with other science programs offered by the School of the Environment.	2/5/2014	9/1/2014
Faculty of Arts and Science	Honours Bachelor of Arts - Croatian and Serbian Studies - Major	Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures	B.A., Hons.	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change of the Major Program name from "Croatian and Serbian Studies" to "South Slavic Studies" to include courses on Bosnia and Macedonia. The new name emphasizes the regional nature of South Slavic and Balkan cultures and interactions between them.	2/5/2014	9/1/2014

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Faculty of Arts and Science	Honours Bachelor of Arts - Comparative Literature Stream - Literary Studies - Major	Victoria College	B.A., Hon.	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change of the Major Program name from "Literary Studies" to "Literature and Critical Theory" in the Comparative Literature Stream. The new name captures the program's interdisciplinary approach to literature as well as its emphasis on contemporary critical theory.	2/5/2014	9/1/2014
Faculty of Arts and Science	Honours Bachelor of Arts - Comparative Literature Stream - Literary Studies - Specialist	Victoria College	B.A., Hon.	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change of the Specialist Program name from "Literary Studies" to "Literature and Critical Theory" in the Comparative Literature Stream. The new name captures the program's interdisciplinary approach to literature as well as its emphasis on contemporary critical theory.	2/5/2014	9/1/2014
Faculty of Arts and Science	Literary Studies - Minor	Victoria College	n/a	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change of the Minor Program name from "Literary Studies" to "Literature and Critical Theory". The new name captures the program's interdisciplinary approach to literature as well as its emphasis on contemporary critical theory.	2/5/2014	9/1/2014
Faculty of Arts and Science	Master of Arts/Doctor of Philosophy - English	Department of English	M.A./Ph.D.	Change of field name	Field name change from "Twentieth-Century British and Irish Literature" to "Twentieth and Twenty-First Century British and Irish Literature".	11/22/2013	9/1/2014

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Lawrence S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing	Master of Nursing		M.N.	Change of field name	This is a change of the "Nursing Administration" field name within the Master of Nursing program to "Health Systems Leadership and Administration" to more accurately reflect the intent of the field of study program - the development of nurse leaders and administrators for health systems. Two other fields, "Clinical Nursing" and "Nurse Practitioner" will continue to be offered.	6/26/2013	9/1/2014
Ontario Institute for Studies in Education	Master of Arts, Master of Education, Doctor of Education, and Doctor of Philosophy - Educational Administration	Department of Leadership, Higher and Adult Education	M.A., M.Ed., Ed.D. and Ph.D.	Renaming of graduate program	This is a change of the "Educational Administration" program name to "Educational Leadership and Policy" to align with the program's focus on Leadership, Policy, Educational Change, and Social Diversity and to accurately reflect the program learning objectives.	3/21/2014	9/1/2014
Ontario Institute for Studies in Education	Master of Teaching - Elementary and Secondary Education	Department of Curriculum, Teaching and Learning	M.T.	Renaming of graduate program	This is a change of the "Elementary and Secondary Education" program name within the Master of Teaching degree to "Teaching" to align with the name commonly used and to improve clarity and visibility of the program.	1/17/2014	9/1/2014
Ontario Institute for Studies in Education	Master of Arts, Master of Education, Doctor of Education, and Doctor of Philosophy - Humanities, Social Sciences and Social Justice Education	Department of Social Justice Education	M.A., M.Ed., Ed.D. and Ph.D.	Renaming of graduate program	The name of the degree program "Humanities, Social Sciences and Social Justice Education" has been changed to "Social Justice Education" to emphasize the intellectual and pedagogical focus on social justice education to a greater extent.	11/1/2013	9/1/2014

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Ontario Institute for Studies in Education	Master of Arts, Master of Education, and Doctor of Philosophy - Curriculum Studies and Teacher Development	Department of Curriculum, Teaching and Learning	M.A., M.Ed. And Ph.D.	New graduate emphasis	A new emphasis, “Critical Studies in Curriculum Pedagogy” has been added to the existing Curriculum Studies and Teacher Development program for M.A., M.Ed. and Ph.D. students. The new emphasis, consisting of three core courses from a list of courses, encourages critical exploration of educational phenomena, within and beyond the scope of schools, and focuses on social justice issues in education.	3/21/2014	9/1/2014
University of Toronto Scarborough	Honours Bachelor of Science - Cell and Molecular Biology - Specialist	Department of Biological Sciences	B.Sc., Hon.	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change in the existing Specialist program name from “Cell and Molecular Biology” to “Molecular Biology and Biotechnology”.	2/11/2014	4/1/2014
University of Toronto Scarborough	Honours Bachelor of Science - Cell and Molecular Biology - Specialist Co-op	Department of Biological Sciences	B.Sc., Hon.	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change in the existing Specialist co-operative program name from “Cell and Molecular Biology” to “Molecular Biology and Biotechnology”.	2/11/2014	4/1/2014
University of Toronto Scarborough	Honours Bachelor of Science - Biodiversity, Ecology & Evolution - Specialist	Department of Biological Sciences	B.Sc., Hon.	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change in the existing Specialist program name from “Biodiversity, Ecology & Evolution” to “Conservation & Biodiversity”.	2/11/2014	4/1/2014
University of Toronto Scarborough	Honours Bachelor of Science - Biodiversity, Ecology & Evolution - Major	Department of Biological Sciences	B.Sc., Hon.	Renaming of undergraduate program	This is a change in the existing Major program name from “Biodiversity, Ecology & Evolution” to “Conservation & Biodiversity”.	2/11/2014	4/1/2014