

The following proposals, received on DAP between June 1-15, 2016, have been approved.
For more information on the DAP process, [see the Academic Handbook here](#).

FACULTY OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

ENGLISH AND WRITING STUDIES

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following modules be revised.

MINOR IN CREATIVE WRITING

Admission Requirements

Completion of first-year requirements including 1.0 course from English 1020E, 1022E, 1024E, or English 1027F/G and 1028F/G; or Film Studies 1020E **or Film Studies 1022**, with a final grade of at least 60%.*

*Students registering in the Minor in Creative Writing must complete Writing 1000F/G, Writing 1030F/G, or Writing 1031F/G with a grade of at least 70%, or one of Writing 2101F/G, **2125F/G (or the former 2121F/G)**, 2111F/G or 2131F/G with a grade of at least 65%, or obtain special permission of the Department, in order to take required senior Writing courses.

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MINOR IN WRITING STUDIES

Admission Requirements

Completion of first-year requirements.*

*Students registering in the Minor in Writing Studies must complete one of Writing 1000F/G, 1030F/G, or 1031F/G with a grade of at least 70%, or one of Writing 2101F/G, **2125F/G (or the former 2121F/G)**, 2111F/G or 2131F/G with a grade of at least 65%, or obtain special permission of the Department, to take required senior Writing courses.

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CERTIFICATE IN WRITING

Admission Requirements

Either a grade of at least 65% in one of Writing 2101F/G, **2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G)**, 2111F/G or 2131F/G, or a grade of at least 70% in one of Writing 1000F/G, Writing 1030F/G, or Writing 1031F/G is required for entrance to the program.

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DIPLOMA IN WRITING

Admission Requirements

Either a grade of at least 65% in one of Writing 2101F/G, **2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G)**, 2111F/G or 2131F/G, or a grade of at least 70% in one of Writing 1000F/G, Writing 1030F/G, or Writing 1031F/G is required for entrance to the program.

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VISUAL ARTS

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following courses be revised.

Visual Arts Studio 2252A/B – Introduction to Contemporary Media Art I

A Studio course introducing the basic technical foundations of contemporary media **art**

production, including digital image, video, animation and online platforms. This lecture/studio course also locates contemporary digital practices within the broader history of cultural production, tracing developments in technology and media arts. ~~and darkroom photography, animation and web design.~~

Antirequisite(s): VAS 2250.

6 studio hours, 0.5 course.

Visual Arts Studio 2254A/B – Introduction to Contemporary Media Art II

A Studio course introducing the basic technical foundations of contemporary media art production, including web design and online platforms, video, DIY electronics, sound, and performance. This lecture/studio course also locates contemporary digital practices within the broader history of cultural production, tracing developments in technology and media arts. ~~electronic media processes, video and sound.~~

Antirequisite(s): VAS 2250.

6 studio hours, 0.5 course.

Effective September 1, 2016, the following modules be revised.

HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN ART HISTORY AND MUSEUM STUDIES

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Module

9.0 courses

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1.0 course from: VAH 2292F/G, VAH 3383A/B/Y/VAS 3383A/B/Y, VAH 3386F/G, VAH 4485E/VAS 4485E, or VAH 4496A/B/Y/VAS 4496A/B/Y.

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MAJOR IN MUSEUM AND CURATORIAL STUDIES

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Module

6.0 courses

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0.5 course: VAH 3383A/B/Y, VAS 3383A/B/Y or VAH 3386F/G.

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FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER

Effective September 1, 2016, the following program be revised.

Option B (Electrical Engineering and Business)

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Second Year Program

Applied Mathematics 2270A/B, Applied Mathematics 2276A/B, Computer Science 1037A/B, ECE 2205A/B, ECE 2277A/B, ECE 2240A/B, Bus 2257, Applied Mathematics 2276A/B, ECE 2231A/B, ECE 2233A/B, ECE 2236A/B, ECE2241A/B

~~Applied Mathematics 2270A/B, Applied Mathematics 2276A/B, Computer Science 1037A/B, ECE 2277A/B, ECE 2238A/B, ES 2211F/G, SE 2203A/B, SE 2205A/B, SE 2250A/B, Mathematics~~

~~2151A/B, Statistical Sciences 2141A/B. One 0.5 non-technical elective from the approved list, Business Administration 2257.~~

FACULTY OF INFORMATION AND MEDIA STUDIES

MEDIA, INFORMATION AND TECHNOCULTURE

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following courses be revised.

- MIT 2000F/G** - The History of Communication
- MIT 2100F/G** - Political Economy of Media
- MIT 2200F/G** - Mapping Media and Cultural Theory
- MIT 2500A/B** - The Meaning of Technology: Exploring the Relationship Between Technology & Society
- MIT 2550A/B** - Digital Music: An Introduction
- MIT 2570A/B** - Introduction to Digital Imaging and Web Site Design
- MIT 2600A/B** - Introduction to Graphic Design
- MIT 3000A/B** - Designing and Critiquing Research Methods
- MIT 3100F/G** - Information in the Public Sphere
- MIT 3110F/G** - Global Political Economy of Information
- MIT 3130F/G** - The New Political Economy of Information: Networked Capitalism
- MIT 3211F/G** - The Culture of Celebrity
- MIT 3212F/G** - Organizing Post-War Masculinity
- MIT 3213F/G** - Media and Audiences
- MIT 3217F/G** - Public Opinion
- MIT 3282F/G** - Comic Book Culture: From Pulp Fiction to Post Modern Legitimacy
- MIT 3353F/G** - Popular Music and Identity
- MIT 3371F/G** - Game On! Video Game Culture, Technology, and Industry
- MIT 3400F/G** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3402F/G** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3401F/G** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3403F/G** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3470A/B** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3660A/B** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3661F/G** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3662F/G** - Special Topics in Media, Information and Technoculture
- MIT 3831F/G** - Introduction to Journalistic Writing
- MIT 3931F/G** - Century of Genocide
- MIT 3932F/G** - Politics & Representations of Food

Prerequisite(s): ~~At least 65% in each of MIT 1200F/G, 1500F/G and 1700F/G.~~

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following modules be revised.

HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN MEDIA, INFORMATION AND TECHNOCULTURE

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Module

9.0 courses

2.5 courses required in second year: MIT 2000F/G, 2100F/G, 2200F/G, 2500A/B, Writing

2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G).

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HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN MEDIA AND THE PUBLIC INTEREST (MPI)

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Module

9.0 courses

3.0 courses required in second year: MIT 2000F/G, 2100F/G, 2200F/G, 2500A/B, 2152F/G, Writing 2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G).

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MAJOR IN MEDIA, INFORMATION AND TECHNOCULTURE

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Module

7.0 MIT courses

2.5 courses required in second year: MIT 2000F/G, 2100F/G, 2200F/G, 2500A/B, Writing 2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G).

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MAJOR IN MEDIA AND THE PUBLIC INTEREST (MPI)

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Module

7.0 courses

3.0 courses required in second year: MIT 2000F/G, 2100F/G, 2200F/G, 2500A/B, 2152F/G, Writing 2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G).

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HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN MIT/HONORS BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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Year Two

MIT 2000F/G, 2100F/G, 2200F/G, 2500A/B, Writing 2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G).

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COMBINED BA HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN MEDIA, INFORMATION AND TECHNOCULTURE (MIT)/JURIS DOCTOR (JD) PROGRAM – admission discontinued

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Year Two

Students must take:

- 2.0 courses: MIT 2000F/G, 2100F/G, 2200F/G, 2500A/B.

- 0.5 course: Writing 2125F/G (or the former Writing 2121F/G).

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FACULTY OF SCIENCE

EARTH SCIENCES

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following courses be revised.

Earth Sciences 1081A/B - Resources, Environment and Sustainability in a Material Society
Earth, Environment and Sustainability

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Earth Sciences 2130Y - Field Geography and Geology of Southwestern Ontario

Course description: No change.

Antirequisite(s): ~~Geography 2130Y or registration in an Earth Sciences Specialization, Honors Specialization or Professional Program.~~

0.5 course.

Enrolment limited to students registered in the Minor or Major in Earth and Planetary Sciences; recommended to be taken in second year and may not be taken after ES 2250Y. Transportation fee of approximately \$60 required. **This course does not fulfill the field course requirements for students registered in an Earth Sciences Specialization, Honors Specialization or Professional Program.**

Earth Sciences 2222A/B - Data Analysis and Signal Processing in the Earth Sciences

An introduction to data analysis **and visualization** techniques, including: ~~but not limited to, filtering, interpolation techniques, transforms, and correlation analyses.~~ A variety of applications from various fields will be used to illustrate these techniques, including earth sciences (seismology), economics (financial data), atmospheric sciences (climate change), medicine (electrocardiograms), and engineering (circuit analysis) **data types and transformation, statistical methods to characterize uni- to multi-variate data, spatial data and interpolative mapping, time series and Fourier transformation, and signal processing. Earth science applications will be emphasized. Includes MATLAB basics for data and time-series analysis and visualization.**

Anti-requisite(s): **Computer Science 2034A/B, 2035A/B**

Pre-requisite(s): Applied Mathematics 1413 **(1.0 course and no other pre- or co-requisite required)**; or 0.5 course from Calculus 1000A/B, 1500A/B, the former Calculus 1100A/B, Mathematics 1225A/B.

Pre- or Co-requisite(s): 0.5 course from Applied Mathematics 1201A/B ~~or the former Calculus 1201A/B, 1411A/B,~~ Calculus 1301A/B, 1501A/B, Mathematics 1228A/B, 1229A/B, 1600A/B ~~or the former Linear Algebra 1600A/B, Statistical Sciences 1023A/B, 1024A/B, or permission of the Department.~~

2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours, 0.5 course

Earth Sciences 3001A/B – Astrobiology

Course description: No change.

Pre-requisite(s): **1.0 course(s) from any of Chemistry, Biology, or Physics at the 1000 level. Chemistry 1301A/B or 1302A/B; 0.5 credit in any 1000-level Biology course; Earth Sciences 2232F/G or Astronomy 2201A/B, 2232F/G or the former Earth Sciences 2001F/G.**

2 lecture hours, 2 laboratory hours, 0.5 course.

Earth Sciences 3372A/B - Introduction to Petroleum Systems

Course description: No change.

Anti-requisite(s): ~~The former Earth Sciences 4471A/B.~~

Pre-requisite(s): Earth Sciences 2260A/B.

2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours, 0.5 course.

Earth Sciences 4472A/B - Applied Petroleum Assessment

Course description: No change.

Anti-requisite(s): ~~The former Earth Sciences 4471A/B.~~

Pre-requisite(s): Earth Sciences 3372A/B, or permission of the Department.
Only offered in alternate years. 2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours, 0.5 course.

Earth Sciences 4490E – Senior Thesis

Course description: No change.

Pre-requisite(s): Registration in year 4 of a Specialization, Honors Specialization or Professional Program offered by the Department of Earth Sciences, or permission of the Department.

1 lecture hour, 1.0 course.

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

PSYCHOLOGY

Effective **September 1, 2016**, Psychology 3142E – Reading Ability and Disability will be withdrawn.

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following course be introduced.

Psychology 3143F/G - Reading Ability and Disability

This course examines the cognitive processes involved in the development of reading ability and skilled reading. Topics will include predictors of reading success, theories of reading ability, eye movements, reading comprehension, and dyslexia.

Antirequisite(s): the former Psychology 3142E

Prerequisite(s): Either Psychology 2820E or both Psychology 2800E and 2810; plus either Psychology 2134A/B, 2135A/B or 2410A/B.

3 seminar hours, .5 course.

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following course be revised.

Psychology 2036A/B - The Psychology of Physical Health and Illness

Course description: No change.

Antirequisite(s): Psychology 2330A/B, 3330F/G

3 lecture hours, 0.5 course.

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE and HURON UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

PSYCHOLOGY

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following course be revised.

Psychology 3840F/G - Research in Test Construction and Survey Design

A review of methods for developing psychological tests, questionnaires, and surveys. Topics will include reliability, validity, norming, standardization, and strategies of test construction. Opportunities for developing measures of human abilities and personality will be provided. Strongly recommended for students planning graduate training in psychology and related disciplines.

An introduction to the foundations and methods for developing psychological tests, questionnaires and surveys. Main topics include methods of measurement, psychometric criteria, test construction and standardization with a focus on survey design. Students may participate in the

development of surveys for community partner agencies.

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BRESCIA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

FRENCH

Main campus made changes to their French Studies modules in April 2016 that resulted in the dissolution of the duplicate modules between Brescia and Main. Because the changes did not make sense for Brescia to follow, they will now offer the following modules on their own. Any changes to the modules on Main campus will be considered unique and will not apply to other campuses **unless otherwise indicated**.

Honors Specialization in French Language and Literature
 Honors Specialization in French Linguistics and Literature
 Honors Specialization in French Language and Linguistics
 Major in French Studies
 Specialization in French Studies
 Minor in French Studies

DAP UPDATE: MINOR CHANGES

FACULTY OF SCIENCE

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following module be revised.

MAJOR IN APPLIED STATISTICS

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0.5 course: Epidemiology and Biostatistics 2200A/B or the former Epidemiology and Biostatistics 3330B.

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FACULTY OF SCIENCE and SCHULICH SCHOOL OF MEDICINE & DENTISTRY

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following course be revised.

Neuroscience 2000 – Introduction to Neuroscience

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2 lecture hours, 4 ~~tutorial hour~~ 2 tutorial/laboratory hours. 1.0 course

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following courses be revised to reflect module withdrawals from more than five years ago.

Psychology 3285F/G - Research in Behavioral Neuroscience

Course description: No change.

Prerequisite(s): Psychology 2800E, 2810, and one of Psychology 2220A/B, 2221A/B or

Neuroscience 2000, plus registration in third or fourth year Honors Specialization in Psychology or Honors Specialization in Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience, Honors Specialization in Neuroscience, ~~Honors Specialization in Physiology/Psychology~~ or Honors Specialization in Animal Behavior. Third or fourth year Psychology Majors and Psychology Special Students who receive 70% or higher in Psychology 2820E (or 60% or higher in Psychology 2800E and 2810), plus 60% or higher in one of Psychology 2220A/B, 2221A/B or Neuroscience 2000 also may enrol in this course.

1 lecture hour/3 laboratory hours, 0.5 course.

Psychology 4190F/G - Special Topics in Sensation and Perception Psychology

Course description: No change.

Prerequisite(s): Psychology 2220A/B or 2221A/B and registration in third or fourth year Honors Specialization in Psychology, Honors Specialization in Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience, Honors Specialization in Neuroscience, ~~Honors Specialization in Physiology/Psychology~~ or Honors Specialization in Animal Behavior. Other Psychology students and Psychology Special Students who receive 70% in the prerequisite course(s) may enrol in this course.

3 seminar hours, 0.5 course.

KING'S UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

*Effective **September 1, 2016**, the following course be revised.*

Disability Studies 2201F/G – Rethinking Disability

Course description: No change.

Antirequisite(s): The former Interdisciplinary Studies 2246, **the former Disability Studies 2201A/B**

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