The following proposals, received on DAP between July 1-15, 2009, have now been approved. For more information on the DAP process see the Academic Handbook at [http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/handbook](http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/handbook)

**FACULTY OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES**

**VISUAL ARTS**

*Effective September 1, 2009, VAH 1054F/G: Introduction to Visual Culture will be introduced.*

**VAH 1054F/G, Introduction to Visual Culture**
A theme-based introduction to the complex and engaging world of historical and contemporary visual culture as it relates to the history of art.
3 lecture hours, 0.5 course.

**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE**

**ECONOMICS**

*Effective September 1, 2009, Economics 2182F/G, will be changed from an essay course to a non-essay course: Economics 2182A/B and listed in the calendar. Also, the prerequisite will be changed from Economics 2151A/B to Economics 1021A/B and 1022A/B (or Economics 1020).*

**Economics 2182A/B Economics of Sports**
[Course description to remain the same.]
Prerequisite(s): Economics 1021A/B and Economics 1022A/B; or Economics 1020
3 lecture hours, 0.5 courses.

**BRESCIA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE**

**FAMILY STUDIES**

*Effective September 1, 2009, Anthropology 2254G (Women in Prehistory) be added to the following three modules in the BA (Human Ecology) stream: the Honors Specialization in Family Studies, the Specialization in Family Studies, the Major in Family Studies, and the Minor in Family Studies.*

**HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN FAMILY STUDIES – BA (HUMAN ECOLOGY)**
9.0 courses
"2.5 courses ..." add Anthropology 2254G

**SPECIALIZATION IN FAMILY STUDIES – BA (HUMAN ECOLOGY)**
9.0 courses
"3.5 courses ..." add Anthropology 2254G

**MAJOR IN FAMILY STUDIES – BA (HUMAN ECOLOGY)**
6.0 courses
"1.5 courses ..." add Anthropology 2254G

**MINOR IN FAMILY STUDIES**
4.0 courses
"0.5 to 1.5 courses" add Anthropology 2254G
Effective September 1, 2009, Family Studies 2220A/B (Theoretical Perspectives in Family Studies Research) and 2230A/B (Qualitative Research in Family Studies) are withdrawn and Family Studies 3220A/B and 3230A/B are introduced.

Family Studies 2220A/B will be withdrawn.

Family Studies 2230A/B will be withdrawn.

Family Studies 3220A/B will be introduced.
Family Studies 3220A/B, Theoretical Perspectives in Family Studies Research
Students will be introduced to the major theoretical frameworks used by social scientists to explain variation in family life including life span, life course, developmental, social learning, social exchange, social conflict, symbolic interactionist, ecological, family systems and feminist theory perspectives.
Antirequisite(s): The former Family Studies 2220A/B.
Prerequisite(s): Family Studies 1020 or permission of the instructor.
3 lecture hours, 0.5 course. (Brescia)

Family Studies 3230A/B will be introduced.
Family Studies 3230A/B, Qualitative Research in Family Studies
An introduction to qualitative research and its application to the study of the family. Topics to be considered include participant observation, interview skills, life histories and methods of analysis.
Antirequisite(s): The former Family Studies 2230A/B.
Prerequisite(s): Family Studies 1020 or permission of the instructor.
3 lecture hours, 0.5 course. (Brescia)

Add 3220A/B and 3230A/B as prerequisite(s) for Family Studies 4450A/B-4452A/B

Effective September 1, 2009, Writing 1020F/G or Writing 2101F/G be added as a required course to the three modules in the BA (Human Ecology) stream, and to the Minor in Family Studies as well.

HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN FAMILY STUDIES – BA (HUMAN ECOLOGY)
9.0 courses
Add “0.5 course from: Writing 1020F/G, Writing 2101F/G”

SPECIALIZATION IN FAMILY STUDIES – BA (HUMAN ECOLOGY)
9.0 courses
Add “0.5 course from: Writing 1020F/G, Writing 2101F/G”

MAJOR IN FAMILY STUDIES – BA (HUMAN ECOLOGY)
6.0 courses
Add “0.5 course from: Writing 1020F/G, Writing 2101F/G”

MINOR IN FAMILY STUDIES
4.0 courses
Add “0.5 course
from: Writing 1020F/G, Writing 2101F/G”

Effective September 1, 2009, Family Studies 2200E (Current Issues in Family Studies), FS 2225E (Immigration and the Family Experience), and FS 3325A/B (The Diversity of the Canadian Family).

Family Studies 2200E, Current Issues in Family Studies
“This course focuses on current issues involving the family. Factors which currently impact on families, including their form, functions, stresses, and changes, will be examined in depth. Emphasis will be on families in Canada, with attention to Canadian diversity, as well as internationally comparative work.
Prerequisite(s): Family Studies 1020 or permission of the instructor.
3 lecture hours, 1.0 course. (Brescia)”

Family Studies 2225E, Immigration and the Family Experience
“This course examines family practices cross-culturally, especially how they are affected by immigration. Many issues facing immigrant families are covered including childrearing, parenting, gender relations, ethnic
identity, and sociocultural adaptation to immigration and settlement. Immigration history, policies, and 
settlement programs related to families in Canada will be examined.
Prerequisite(s): Family Studies 1020 or permission of the instructor.
3 lecture hours, 1.0 course (Brescia)"

**Family Studies 3325B Diversity and the Canadian Family (Please note change in title as well)**
"This course examines contemporary diversity as it impacts individuals and families. Its psychosocial 
approach enables students to think through their own perspectives on race, ethnicity, religion, sexual 
identity, and more. This course focuses upon understanding families' strengths and challenges in
contemporary society, and efforts to support families and children.
Prerequisite(s): Family Studies 2200E or 2225E or permission of the instructor.
3 lecture hours, 0.5 course. (Brescia)"

Effective **September 1, 2009**, the Essay Course Status of Family Studies 2225E, Immigration and the Family 
Experience, will be changed to the Non-Essay Course Status.

**Family Studies 2225, Immigration and the Family Experience**
Diversity in culture of origin and family form lead to diversity in parenting and child care in Canada. The 
course examines the differing expectations of children, and parents and teachers across cultures, migration 
and settlement experience, related family resources and government policies.
Antirequisite(s): The former Family Studies 2225E.
Prerequisite(s): Family Studies 1020
3 lecture hours, 1.0 course. (Brescia)

The “E” designation will be removed from the course number in the official course listing, and from all the 
Family Studies modules.

**SOCIIOLOGY**

Effective **September 1, 2009** the description of the Major in Sociology will be different from the description of the 
Major in Sociology in the Faculty of Social Science section of the Calendar (p. 211), to which it referred for reasons 
of convenience. The Brescia description should now include the words “and above” to the two “2.0 courses” 
categories. It would read:

**MAJOR IN SOCIOLOGY**
"2.0 courses in Sociology numbered 2200 and above."
"2.0 courses in Sociology numbered 2100 and above."

The revised Brescia module description should therefore be moved to the Affiliated University Colleges section of the 
Calendar (and not just linked to the main campus module).

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**HURON UNIVERSITY COLLEGE**

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

Effective **September 1, 2009** Environmental Science 1021F/G Environmental Issues, will be introduced at Huron 
University College.

Environmental Science 1021F/G Environmental Issues

The science underlying environmental issues including climate change, waste management, endangered 
species and spaces, air and water quality, and ecosystem health, is presented and discussed from a variety 
of perspectives.

Prerequisite(s): Priority will be given to Affiliated University College students in their first year
3 lecture/tutorial hours, 0.5 course.
REGISTRAR’S UPDATE

There were no minor changes submitted during this time.