SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY **MEMORANDUM**

To:

Senate

From:

Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies / h 126

Subject:

Curriculum revisions

Faculty of Science

(SCUS Reference: SCUS 06-41/07-05)

Date:

10 January, 2007

For information:

Acting under delegated authority at its January 9, 2007 meeting, SCUS approved the following curriculum revisions

1. Biological Sciences (SCUS 06-41a) **Program Changes**

2. Chemistry (SCUS 06-41b)

- a. Deletion of CHEM 120 w/d Crs taken back to Scus for reinstatement
- b. Program changes
- 3. Molecular Biology and Biochemistry (SCUS 06-41c)
 - a) Description change: MBB 426, MBB 308
 - b) Pre-requisite changes: MBB 413
 - c) Title change: MBB 435
- 4. Physics (SCUS 06-41d/07-05)
 - a) Pre-requisite changes: phys 120, 125, 140, 365, 413
 - b) Program change
 - c) Prerequisite changes: PHYS 211, PHYS 231, PHYS 255, PHYS 433
 - d) Program changes: Applied Physics (Major & Honors), Biological Physics (Major &

Honors), Chemical Physics (Major & Honors), Physics (Major & Honors) and

Mathematical Physics Honors Program

5. Statistics and Actuarial Science (SCUS 06-41e)

MSSC - Program changes

- 6. Mathematics (SCUS 07-05)
 - a) New course proposals:

MATH 240-3 Algebra I: Linear Algebra

MATH 340-3 Algebra II: Rings and Fields

MATH 341-3 Algebra III: Groups

b) Course changes:

MACM 401, 442 - Prerequisite changes;

MATH 232, 439 - Title, prerequisite and description changes;

MATH 251, 254, 308, 309, 342, 370, 419, 440, 443 - Prerequisite changes;

MATH 438 – number, title and prerequisite changes;

MATH 447 - Credit hour and prerequisite changes;

MATH 332, 339 - Delete;

MATH 252 - prerequisite and description change;

MATH 496 - Credit hour change;

MATH 314 - Prerequisite change

- c) Program Changes: Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Industrial Mathematics, Mathematics & Computing
- d) FAN X99 Change in description
- 7. Earth Sciences (SCUS 07-05)
 - a) Prerequisite change: EASC 312
 - b) Course description, prerequisite and title change: EASC 410, EASC 412

Any Senator wishing to consult the full report of curriculum revisions should contact Bobbie Grant, Senate Assistant at 291-3168 or email bgrant@sfu.ca