SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY DEAN OF GRADUATE STUDIES MEMORANDUM

TO:	Senate
FROM:	Jonathan Driver Senate Graduate Studies Committee
SUBJECT:	Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences: Linguistics Curriculum changes (GS2006.45)
DATE:	January 17, 2007
cc:	M. A. Gillies, Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences N. Hedberg, Linguistics

For information

At its 20th November 2006 meeting, SGSC approved the following curriculum and calendar changes to the Linguistics programs in the Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences:

Linguistics

- M.A. coursework requirements Change from "... coursework in Linguistics, including LING 800 and 801." to "... coursework in Linguistics, including *LING 800, 801 and 851*."
- Ph.D. admission requirements Change from "Students must demonstrate a substantial linguistics background." to "Students must demonstrate a substantial *background in linguistics and research methodology*."

Senators wishing to consult the documents concerning this item should contact Bobbie Grant, Senate Assistant at (604) 291-3168 or bgrant@sfu.ca

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TO:	Senate
FROM:	Jonathan Driver Senate Graduate Studies Committee
SUBJECT:	Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences: Sociology & Anthropology Curriculum changes (GS2006.47)
DATE:	January 18, 2007
сс:	M. A. Gillies, Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences D. Culhane, Sociology & Anthropology

For information

At its 20th November 2006 meeting, SGSC approved the following curriculum and calendar changes to the Sociology & Anthropology programs in the Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences:

Sociology & Anthropology

- Program descriptions and degree requirements: M.A. and Ph.D. Sociology M.A. and Ph.D. Anthropology
- Minor course changes: SA 840-1 Graduate seminar I (credit hours, title) SA 841-1 Graduate seminar II (credit hours, title) SA 850-5 Selected topics in Contemporary social theory (title, description) SA 857-5 Research design seminar (description) SA 870-5 Contemporary theory in anthropology (title, description)
- New course proposals:
 SA 849-5 Selected topics in the History of sociological thought
 SA 855-5 Advanced quantitative methods in sociology
 SA 856-5 Qualitative methodology
 SA 874-5 Historical perspectives on anthropological theory
 SA 875-5 Ethnographic methodology: Social/cultural anthropology
 SA 896-6 M.A. Thesis research
 SA 897-6 Ph.D. Qualifying examinations

Rationale:

Program descriptions and courses were re-defined subsequent to an external review – these changes would bring the programs in line with other Canadian universities.

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