

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

MEMORANDUM

To: Senate

From: Senate Committee on
Undergraduate Studies

Subject: Curriculum Change - BUEC *

Date: May 28, 1986

Acting under delegated authority at its meeting of May 27, 1986 the Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies approved -

~~Change in prerequisite for BUEC 397 - Government and Business~~

* Subject to approval by SCUS at its meeting of May 27, 1986

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

MEMORANDUM

To:..... Ron Heath.....
..... Registrar.....
Subject..... Change of Prerequisite BUEC 397.....

From..... Sheila Roberts.....
..... Secretary.....
..... Faculty of Arts Curriculum Committee.....
Date..... April 11, 1986.....

The Faculty of Arts Curriculum Committee at its meeting of March 6, 1986 approved a request to change the prerequisite for BUEC 397 - Government and Business (see attached). As this is a BUEC course, the signatures of both Deans are on the form and the Department and the Faculties have approved the changes.

Would you please place this change on the agenda of the next S.C.U.S. meeting.

Thank you.

CURRICULUM REVISIONS

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

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Change of Prerequisites

From: ECON 200; 60 credit hours

To: ECON 200 and 205; 60 credit hours

Rationale:

With the exception of BUEC 397, the prerequisites for our three and four hundred level courses are ECON 200 (Microeconomics) and ECON 205 (Macroeconomics).

The department believes the BUEC 397 prerequisite to be anomalous, and that its prerequisites should be ECON 200 and ECON 205.

SENATE COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

COURSE PROPOSAL FORM

1. Calendar Information

Department: Economics
Abbreviation Code: BUEC Course Number: 397 Credit Hours: 5 Vector: 3-2-0

Title of Course: Government and Business

Calendar Description of Course:

The theory and practice of the control of monopoly and maintenance of competition. The need for development of public policies with regard to the regulation of business activity; anti-competitive business practices; anti-trust legislation in Canada and the United States and its judicial interpretation; the preservation of competition as a means of regulating private business; alternative approaches to the monopoly problem.

Nature of Course:

Lecture/tutorial

Prerequisites (or special instructions):

ECON 200 and 205, 60 credit hours

Approval

Date: 4 February 1986

RC Brown

[Signature]

Department Chairman

Robert Rogers

Dean

Chairman, SCUS

SCUS 73-34b: (When completing this form, for instructions see Memorandum SCUS 73-3a. Attach course outline).

Arts 78-3

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To.....Sheila Roberts, Secretary.....
.....Faculty of Arts Curriculum Committee
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Subject.....Change of Prerequisites - BU EC 397
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Bob Rogow

From...Robert Rogow, Associate Dean.....
.....Faculty of Business Administration
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Date.....March 25, 1986
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This is in response to your March 6th memo to me, "Change of Prerequisite - BU EC 397".

The Faculty of Business Administration's Undergraduate Curriculum Committee at its meeting on March 24th took the following action:

It agreed with the prerequisite change in BU EC 397, "Government and Business", proposed by the Economics Department, namely the change from "Economics 200; 60 hours" to "Economics 200 and 205; 60 hours". It therefore will join with the Faculty of Arts Curriculum Committee in forwarding that change to Senate.

Its rationale for the decision was:

- (a) agreement with Economics' apparent general belief that third and fourth year courses with significant Economics content should require introductory macroeconomics in addition to introductory microeconomics as a prerequisite.
- (b) a belief that some prior exposure to macroeconomics would be useful to students taking this particular course.

Copy to:

Dr. L. Boland, Chairman
Economics Department

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