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MEMORANDUM

ATTENTION Senate

DATE December 13, 2018

FROM Jeff Derksen,
Chair of Senate Graduate Studies
Committee (SGSC)

RE: Course Changes



For information:

Acting under delegated authority and at its meeting of December 4, 2018 SGSC approved the following course changes, effective **Fall 2019**:

Faculty of Health Sciences

- 1) Course change (description): HSCI 805
- 2) Course changes (prerequisite): HSCI 803, HSCI 807, HSCI 822, HSCI 823, HSCI 825, HSCI 826, HSCI 829, HSCI 830, HSCI 839, HSCI 841, HSCI 842, HSCI 845, HSCI 849, HSCI 855, HSCI 870, HSCI 886, HSCI 889, HSCI 890, HSCI 891, HSCI 902, HSCI 903

Faculty of Science

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- 3) Course change (title, description, prerequisite, equivalency): STAT 650



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ATTENTION Senate Graduate Studies Committee
FROM Timothy Beischlag, Director, Graduate Programs
RE: HSCI Graduate Course Changes

DATE November 13, 2018

The following ~~program and~~ course changes have been approved by the Faculty of Health Sciences and are forwarded to the Senate Graduate Studies Committee for approval. These changes should be effective Fall 2019. Please include them on the next SGSC agenda.

- ~~1. Master of Public Health program change~~
- ~~2. New course proposal HSCI 895 — Special Topics in Experiential Global Health Learning~~
3. Prerequisite (and description where the description had the prerequisite listed) changes for the following courses to standardize the entries as suggested by GPS:
 - a. HSCI 803
 - b. HSCI 805
 - c. HSCI 807
 - d. HSCI 822
 - e. HSCI 823
 - f. HSCI 825
 - g. HSCI 826
 - h. HSCI 829
 - i. HSCI 830
 - j. HSCI 839
 - k. HSCI 841
 - l. HSCI 842
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 - u. HSCI 902
 - v. HSCI 903

Sincerely,

Timothy Beischlag
Director, Graduate Programs



Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 805	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Intermediate Epidemiologic Methods				
Rationale for Change:	Minor edit in the course description.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
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FROM	TO
Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
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Description Follow-up course to HSCI 802. Designing, conducting, analyzing, and interpreting epidemiologic research. Theoretical frameworks, concepts of inference, measures of disease occurrence and effect, study designs, issues in measurement, bias, confounding, and interaction. Critical assessment of the epidemiologic and public health literature.	Description Designing, conducting, analyzing, and interpreting epidemiologic research. Theoretical frameworks, concepts of inference, measures of disease occurrence and effect, study designs, issues in measurement, bias, confounding, and interaction. Critical assessment of the epidemiologic and public health literature.
Prerequisite	Prerequisite
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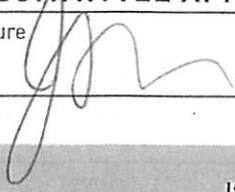
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 803	Units	4	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Qualitative and Survey Research Methods				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

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Course Title	Theorizing and Research Health Inequities				
Rationale for Change:	Minor edit to prerequisite.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

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Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
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Description	Description
Prerequisite HSCI 802 and 803 or permission of instructor.	Prerequisite HSCI 802 and 803.
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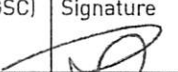
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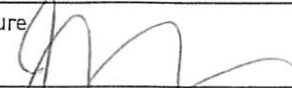
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Course Title	Global Health Governance				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

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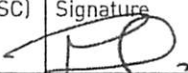
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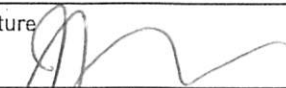
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 823	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Health, Gender and Development				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

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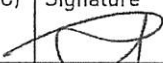
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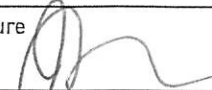
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Course Title	Advocacy and Communication				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

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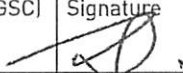
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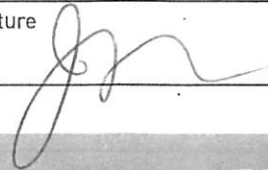
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 826	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Program Planning and Evaluation				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

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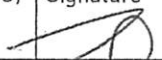
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 829	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Health Policy Making in a Global Context				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

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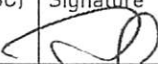
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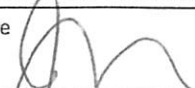
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 830	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Health Promotion in Partnership: Catalyzing Change				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 839	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Strategies for Reducing Health Inequities				
Rationale for Change:	Minor edit to prerequisite.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

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Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
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Prerequisite HSCI 807, 838, or permission of instructor.	Prerequisite HSCI 807.
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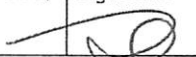
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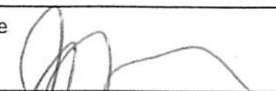
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 841	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Qualitative Research and Analytical Methods				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

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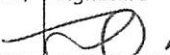
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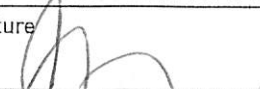
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Course Title	Indigenous Health in Canada				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

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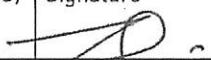
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Course Subject/Number HSCI 845	Units 3	Effective Term and Year Fall 2019
Course Title Environmental and Occupational Health		
Rationale for Change: This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.		

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
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Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
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Description	Description
Prerequisite Admission to the graduate program or permission of the Instructor.	Prerequisite
Other	Other

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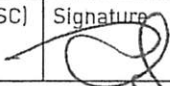
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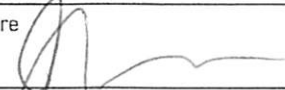
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Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 849	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Regression Modeling for Public Health				
Rationale for Change:	Minor change to prerequisite.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
 Units*
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 Description
 Prerequisite
 Other _____

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Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
Course Short Title	Course Short Title (max 30 characters)
Description	Description
Prerequisite HSCI 802 or permission of the instructor.	Prerequisite HSCI 802.
Other	Other

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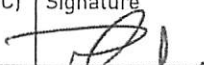
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 855	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Health Promotion in Practice				
Rationale for Change:	Minor change to prerequisite.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
 Units*
 Title
 Description
 Prerequisite
 Other _____

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Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
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Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
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Description	Description
Prerequisite HSCI 901 or permission of the instructor.	Prerequisite HSCI 901.
Other	Other

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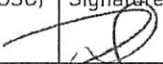
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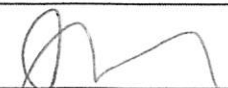
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Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 870	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Global Health and International Affairs				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
 Units*
 Title
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 Prerequisite
 Other _____

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FROM	TO
Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
Units	Units*
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Description	Description
Prerequisite Admission to the graduate program, or permission of the instructor.	Prerequisite
Other	Other

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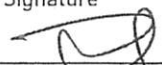
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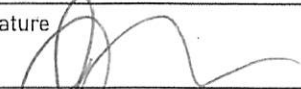
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Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 886	Units	6	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	MSc Thesis Proposal				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
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 Title
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Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
Course Short Title	Course Short Title (max 30 characters)
Description	Description
Prerequisite Enrolment in HSCI MSc program.	Prerequisite
Other	Other

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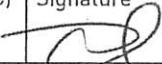
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Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number HSCI 889	Units 3	Effective Term and Year Fall 2019
Course Title Special Topics in Infectious Diseases		
Rationale for Change: This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.		

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
 Units*
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 Prerequisite
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Units	Units*
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Description	Description
Prerequisite Admission to the graduate program, or permission of the instructor.	Prerequisite
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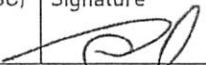
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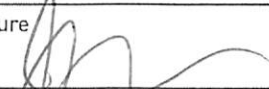
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Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 890	Units	4	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Special Topics in Health Sciences				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
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Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
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Description	Description
Prerequisite Depending on the special topic offered.	Prerequisite
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Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 891	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Special Topics in Health Sciences				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
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Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
Course Short Title	Course Short Title (max 30 characters)
Description	Description
Prerequisite Will depend on the special topic offered.	Prerequisite
Other	Other

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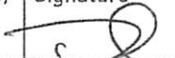
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 902	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Interdisciplinary Seminar in Health Sciences I				
Rationale for Change:	This course is open to all HSCI grad students and no prerequisites required for this course.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
 Units*
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FROM	TO
Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
Course Short Title	Course Short Title (max 30 characters)
Description	Description
Prerequisite <small>Admission to the MSc program, or the MPH (thesis) program, or the PhD program in the Faculty of Health Sciences, or consent of the instructor.</small>	Prerequisite
Other	Other

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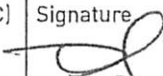
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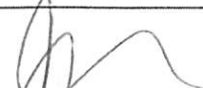
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Course Subject/Number	HSCI 903	Units	3	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Interdisciplinary Seminar in Health Sciences II				
Rationale for Change:	Minor edit to prerequisite.				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
 Units*
 Title
 Description
 Prerequisite
 Other _____

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FROM	TO
Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
Course Short Title	Course Short Title (max 30 characters)
Description	Description
Prerequisite HSCI 902 or consent of the instructor.	Prerequisite HSCI 902.
Other	Other

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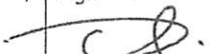
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ATTENTION Dr. Jeff Derksen, Dean, Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies

FROM Carl Lowenberger, Associate Dean, Faculty of Science

RE Graduate Course Change STAT 650/890 to 603

DATE November 15, 2018

TIME 3:20 PM

Dear Jeff

I am submitting the paperwork to merge two graduate courses into a single course. The rationale is included in the memo from Jinko Graham.

This proposal has approved by me and by the Faculty of Science Graduate Studies committee.

Sincerely



Carl Lowenberger
Associate Dean-Research (Acting)
Faculty of Science

The logo for Simon Fraser University (SFU) is a black square with the letters "SFU" in white, bold, sans-serif font.

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Statistics & Actuarial Science

November 10, 2018

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To: Carl Lowenberger
Faculty of Science Graduate Studies Committee

Re: Graduate Course Change - STAT 650/890 to STAT 603

mailing address

Dept of Stats/Actsci
8888 University Drive
Burnaby, BC Canada
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We propose to merge the two graduate courses, STAT 650 and STAT 890, into a single course, STAT 603, whose number is consistent with the undergraduate counterpart, STAT 403.

STAT 890 is a graduate special topics course that we are currently offering to BPK for their graduate students. STAT 650 is a service course for REM graduate students. STAT 403 is an undergraduate course for Statistics majors and minors. Merging the two graduate courses into STAT 603 will enable the department to reclaim the 890 course number for Special Topics courses targeted to our own graduate students.

The proposal is in keeping with our Department's objective to facilitate more quantitative research expertise across the university at the graduate level.

This proposal is to be presented to the Faculty of Science Graduate Curriculum Committee for consideration.

The course was approved by the Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science at the September 14/2018 Departmental meeting.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jinko Graham".

Jinko Graham
Graduate Chair, Stats/ActSci



Graduate Course Change

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Course Subject/Number	STAT 650	Units	5	Effective Term and Year	Fall 2019
Course Title	Quantitative Analysis in Resource Management and Field Biology				
Rationale for Change:	see attached				

Proposed Changes (Check all that apply)

Course number
 Units*
 Title
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FROM	TO
Course Subject/Number	Course Subject/Number
STAT 650	STAT 603
Units	Units*
Course Title	Course Title (max 100 characters)
Quantitative Analysis in Resource Management and Field Biology	Quantitative Analysis of Research Studies.
Course Short Title	Course Short Title (max 30 characters)
Quantitative Analysis	Quantitative Analysis
Description	Description
The use of statistical techniques and mathematical models in resource management with special emphasis on experimentation, survey techniques, and statistical model construction.	The use of statistical techniques and mathematical models in field research with special emphasis on experimentation, survey techniques, and statistical model construction.
Prerequisite	Prerequisite
A course in parametric or nonparametric statistics.	A course in statistics
Other	Other
	Students may not obtain credit for STAT603 if they already have credit for STAT403.

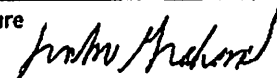
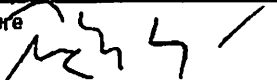
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Department Chair Tom Loughin	Signature 	Date 13 Nov 18

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 Instruction Mode: _____
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Rationale for Change

- We currently have 2 graduate courses Stat890 (4 credit hours, Special Topics) and Stat650 (5 credit hours, Quantitative Analysis in Resource Management and Field Biology) and one undergraduate course Stat403 (3 credit hours, Intermediate Sampling and Experimental Design) that are taught together.
- The graduate students meet with the instructor and TA for an extra hour each per week. They also work with domain-specific data examples in assignments and complete an extra project relevant to their research area.
- Stat890 is a graduate service course for BPK and Stat650 is a graduate service course for REM. Stat403 is an undergraduate course for Statistics majors and minors.
- We propose to merge the two graduate courses, Stat890 and Stat650, into a single course, Stat603, whose number is consistent with the undergraduate counterpart Stat403.
- Merging the graduate courses in Stat603 will enable the department to reclaim the Stat890 number for Special Topics courses targeted to our own graduate students.
- The Graduate Program Chairs of BPK and Statistics and Actuarial Science have discussed the proposed changes in detail. BPK is fine with the proposed changes, including the increase from 4 to 5 credit hours for the same proposed graduate course as REM (Stat603). The next instructor of this course, Dr. Jack Davis, is working with BPK to integrate relevant data examples and statistical software for their graduate students.
- BPK's approval allows us to reclaim the Stat890 number for non-service, special-topics graduate courses and have both the BPK and REM graduate students taking the proposed Stat603.
- Our department approved the proposed changes on September 14, 2018. We have also worked with Daria Babeshko in Graduate Studies to fine tune the content of the form for approval.