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**MEMORANDUM**

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**ATTENTION** Senate  
**FROM** Catherine Dauvergne, Vice-President,  
Academic and Provost, and Chair, SCUP  
**DATE** June 15, 2022  
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**RE:** Program Name Change Master of Arts in Humanities (SCUP 22-15)

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At its meeting on June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022, SCUP reviewed and approved the program name change from the Master of Arts in Humanities to the Master of Arts in Global Humanities within the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

**Motion:** That Senate approve and recommend to the Board of Governors the program name change from the Master of Arts in Humanities to the Master of Arts in Global Humanities in the Department of Global Humanities within the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

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**ATTENTION** Senate Committee on University      **DATE** April 13, 2022  
                  Priorities (SCUP)  
**FROM** Jeff Derksen,  
                  Chair of Senate Graduate Studies  
                  Committee (SGSC)  
**RE:** Program Change: Humanities Master of Arts

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**For approval:**

At its meeting of April 12, 2022, SGSC approved the program name change for Humanities Master of Arts and is recommending it to SCUP for approval, effective **Spring 2023**.

**Motion:**

That SCUP approve and recommend to Senate the program name change from Humanities Master of Arts to Global Humanities Master of Arts within the Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences, effective Spring 2023.



Jeff Derksen  
Dean of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies and Associate Provost



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**ATTENTION** Dr. Jeff Derksen, SGSC Chair Ex-officio      **DATE** 25 March 2022  
**FROM** Sean Zwagerman, FASSSGSC      **PAGES** 6  
**RE:** MA name change

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Dear Dr. Derksen et al.,

The following program change has been approved by the Humanities Department faculty and is forwarded to the Senate Graduate Studies Committee for approval. This program change should be effective for Spring 2023. Please include it on the next SGSC agenda.

The request for a name change to “Global Humanities Master of Arts” accords with our recent department name change to “Department of Global Humanities”. We have several continuing faculty members researching and teaching different geographical areas and traditions; the new name represents more accurately who we are and what we offer in terms of supervision and MA thesis potential.

The HUM graduate program assistant circulated a web survey regarding the proposed name change to HUM voting faculty on March 11, 2022. Faculty ratified this proposal by March 15, 2022 (8 of 11 eligible faculty voted to approve, 2 faculty abstained from voting, and 1 faculty member approved via email). Please find attached a screenshot of the survey results, the emailed ballot, as well as the notice sent to faculty regarding the vote. Finally, please note that there will be no change to the course titles; they will remain listed as "HUM".

Sincerely,

*Sean Zwagerman*

Sean Zwagerman  
Associate Dean, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences



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**ATTENTION** Dr. Sean Zwagerman, FASSSGSC Chair **DATE** 15 March 2022

**FROM** Dr. Erini Kotsovili, HUM GPA Interim Chair **PAGES** 6

**RE:** HUM MA name change

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Dear Dr. Zwagerman et al.,

The Department of Global Humanities approved the following program change. We ask that this change, if approved, be effective Spring 2023.

***Department of Global Humanities***

- A request for a name change to “Global Humanities Master of Arts” accords with our recent department name change to “Department of Global Humanities”.

Please include it on the next FASS GSC agenda.

Sincerely,  
*E. Kotsovili*

Eirini Kotsovili  
Interim HUM GPC Chair

**Calendar Entry Change for HUM MA**

Summary of change: <i>Name change from Humanities MA to “Global Humanities MA”.</i>
Rationale for change:  <i>The request follows a name change of our department. From “Department of Humanities” to “Department of Global Humanities” which has been approved by the Senate. The name changes of both Department and the HUM MA Program reflect the faculty’s scope in teaching, research and existing course offerings, focusing on texts, themes from different time periods, national and cultural contexts.</i>
Effective term and year: <i>Spring 2023</i>
Will this change impact current students? <i>No.</i> If yes, what is the plan for current students? <i>N/A.</i>

FROM	TO
Humanities	<b>Global</b> Humanities
Master of Arts Program	Master of Arts Program
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