Summary of Changes for 2009-2010 Graduate Calendar

Changes as of September 16, 2009

PLEASE NOTE: Page numbers for insertions and deletions refer to page numbers in the June 2009 / hard copy version of the 2009-2010 Graduate Calendar.

Faculty of Graduate Studies
Update (updated August 12, 2009)
• Page 1
  o Deleted "Craig Ireland, Graduate Program Officer"

Updates (updated August 13, 2009)
• Page 1
  o Deleted position title for Dawn MacMillan "Graduate Program Officer and Team Lead (Technical Support)"; inserted "Technical Analyst"
  o Deleted position title for Cathie Stiven "Graduate Scholarship and Scholarship Team Lead"; inserted "Manager, Graduate Awards"

Special Registration Status
Deletion (updated Sept. 4, 2009)
• Page 14
  o Deleted "Special Registration Status":

Special Registration Status
Students who must spend a substantial portion of their time on particularly demanding family responsibilities may apply for special registration status. This status enables a student to register full-time but carry an adjusted load to accommodate family responsibilities. As full-time students, they are eligible to hold most types of funding. Program length and maximum time to candidacy may be extended as required. Application is made to the graduate program, which recommends the special registration status to the Faculty of Graduate Studies. Students on Special Registration Status must submit an Annual Progress Report to the Faculty of Graduate Studies.

Program Extensions
Addition (updated August 13, 2009)
• Page 15
  o Inserted "Program Extensions for GSA Executive Members" as follows:

Graduate programs must take the service by GSA Executive members into consideration in assessing the student’s progress in the annual progress report. On request, the Faculty of Graduate Studies will grant GSA Executive members extensions to time in program of up to one year per year in office.
Graduate Degree Programs & Courses
Biomedical Engineering
Revision (updated September 16, 2009)

- Page 62
- Section 9, "Supervisory Assignments", second paragraph, third sentence
  - Deleted the following:
  
  MSc and PhD students will follow the guidelines of their home department regarding supervision, frequency of committee meetings, course changes, thesis or project proposals, candidacy examinations, etc. Master of Engineering (thesis based) students will follow the guidelines of the Biomedical Engineering Graduate Program.

  - Inserted the following:

  All students will follow the guidelines of the Biomedical Engineering Graduate Program regarding supervision, frequency of committee meetings, course changes, thesis or project proposals, candidacy examinations, etc.

- Section 9, "Supervisory Assignments", second paragraph, fifth sentence
  - Deleted the following:

  Membership on candidacy and examination committees requires the approval of the Biomedical Engineering Graduate Program, and the student’s home department.

  - Inserted the following:

  Membership on candidacy and examination committees requires the approval of the Biomedical Engineering Graduate Program.

Geology
Correction (updated September 16, 2009)

- Page 123
  - Deleted "Geology 605" as follows:

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Advanced Contaminant Hydrogeology
An advanced treatment of topics covered in Geology 505.

Prerequisites: Consent of the Department.

Note: Credit for both Geology 505 and Geology 605 will not be allowed.
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- Page 123
  - Deleted "Geology 609" as follows:

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**Geophysics**
Correction (updated September 16, 2009)

- Page 123
  - "Geophysics 657" course
    - Deleted "H(3-0)", inserted "H(3-3)"

**Veterinary Medical Sciences**
Correction (updated August 18, 2009)

- Page 190
  - Deleted "220-6173", inserted "210-6628"
Reservoir Characterization Interdisciplinary Specialization
Revision (updated September 16, 2009)

- Page 194
- Section 5, "Program/Course Requirements", tenth paragraph, fifth sentence
  - Deleted "Reservoir Characterization for Field Development; and the Capstone Project"
  - Inserted "Reservoir Characterization for Field Development with the Capstone Project"

Revision (updated September 16, 2009)

- Page 194
- Section 5, "Program/Course Requirements", eleventh paragraph
  - Deleted "Successful completion of the Capstone Project is the exit requirement for the program"
  - Inserted "Successful completion of the Capstone Project and required comprehensive oral examination on the project is the exit requirement for the program."