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TO: Committee on Academic Policy and Programs

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AGENDA ITEM: 5

ITEM IDENTIFICATION:

University of Toronto at Scarborough: Calendar Changes 2005-2006, effective May 2005.

JURISDICTIONAL INFORMATION:

The Committee has authority for approval of changes to curriculum within established degree programs that can be accomplished with existing resources and are not major, as in specialist, major and minor programs in arts and science.

PREVIOUS ACTION TAKEN:

HIGHLIGHTS:

The University of Toronto at Scarborough (UTSC) is proposing new undergraduate programs and program changes for the calendar year 2005-06. The proposals were approved by the UTSC Academic Committee on December 7, 2004. The following new programs are proposed to be added to the specialist, major or minor programs that form part of the B.A., B.Sc. and B.B.A. degree requirements at UTSC:

- Specialist Program in Conservation Biology
- Specialist Program in Economics for Management Studies
- Specialist Program in Environmental Physics
- Specialist Program in Management and Humanities
- Specialist Program in Management and Information Technology
- Specialist Program in Management and Life Sciences
- Specialist Program in Management and Sciences
- Specialist Program in Management and Social Sciences
- Major Program in Diaspora and Transnational Studies
- Minor Program in Diaspora and Transnational Studies

(Course descriptions for existing courses that are part of the above programs can be found on the Faculty of Arts & Science calendar, located online at

<http://www.artsandscience.utoronto.ca/ofr/calendar/crsindex.htm>)

FINANCIAL AND/OR PLANNING IMPLICATIONS:

There are no new/additional financial resources required to implement the program additions and changes.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Committee on Academic Policy and Programs approve:

The new specialist, major and minor programs, and program changes, as described in the submission from the University of Toronto at Scarborough, dated December 7, 2004, effective May 2005 for the academic year 2005-2006.