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AGENDA ITEM: 7

ITEM IDENTIFICATION:

Ontario Institute for Studies in Education: Certificate in Leadership Coaching

JURISDICTIONAL INFORMATION:

The Committee receives for information the establishment of certificate programs in continuing education which have open admission and are targeted to particular professional area, comprise a coherent sequence of courses, and do not register students as University of Toronto students.

PREVIOUS ACTION TAKEN:

HIGHLIGHTS:

The Certificate Program in Leadership Coaching (SLC) will be delivered through collaboration between the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education at the University of Toronto (OISE/UT) and the Canadian Institute for Research in Education in Human systems. The organization, admission requirements, and rationale for the certificate program and expected student demand are presented in the attached documentation. The program draws upon established strengths of OISE/UT.

As per the University *Policy on Diploma and Certificate Programs*, the CLS is a certificate within the category Certificate programs in continuing education (3.d.) in that it:

- has open admission, but may be targeted to particular professional and quasiprofessional areas
- comprises a coherent sequence of courses
- credit may not be transferred to degree programs
- students are not registered as University of Toronto students, and do not receive diplomas at Convocation.

The certificate program was approved at the December 7, 2005 OISE/UT Faculty Council meeting.

FINANCIAL AND/OR PLANNING IMPLICATIONS:

There are no/new additional resources to establish the Certificate program as the program is self-funded.

RECOMMENDATION:

For Information