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**TO:** UTSC Academic Affairs Committee

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**DATE:** Wednesday March 22, 2023

**AGENDA ITEM:** 12

**ITEM IDENTIFICATION:**

Minor Modifications: Graduate Curriculum Changes – Graduate Department of Psychological Clinical Science, UTSC

**JURISDICTIONAL INFORMATION:**

University of Toronto Scarborough Academic Affairs Committee (AAC) “is concerned with matters affecting the teaching, learning and research functions of the Campus” (*AAC Terms of Reference, Section 4*). Under section 5.6 of its terms of reference, the Committee is responsible for approval of “Major and minor modifications to existing degree programs.” The AAC has responsibility for the approval of Major and Minor modifications to existing programs as defined by the University of Toronto Quality Assurance Process (*UTQAP, Section 3.1*).

**GOVERNANCE PATH:**

- 1. UTSC Academic Affairs Committee [For Information] (March 22, 2023)**

*UTSC AAC - Minor Modifications: Graduate Curriculum Changes – Graduate Department of Psychological Clinical Science, UTSC*

**PREVIOUS ACTION TAKEN:**

No previous action in governance has been taken on this item.

**HIGHLIGHTS:**

This package includes minor modifications to the graduate curriculum, submitted by the Graduate Department of Psychological Clinical Science, for information. Minor modifications to curriculum are all curricular changes that do not impact program and course learning outcomes or mode of delivery.

- 5 course changes
  - CPS 1702H Psychological Assessment II: added prerequisites
  - CPS 1802H Applied Interventions in Clinical Psychology: added prerequisites and corequisites
  - CPS 1803H Practicum in Psychological Interventions: added prerequisites and corequisites
  - CPS 2901H Practicum in Clinical Supervision: added prerequisites
  - CPS 2999H Summer Practicum: added prerequisites

There has been wide consultation within the PCS, as well as consultation with the Office of the Vice-Principal Academic and Dean at UTSC, and the Office of the Vice-Provost, Academic Programs. All stakeholders are supportive of the change.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:**

There are no net implications to the campus operating budget.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

This item is presented for information only

**DOCUMENTATION PROVIDED:**

1. 2023-24 Curriculum Cycle: Graduate Minor Curriculum Modifications for Approval Report: Minor Modifications for Information, dated March 22, 2023.



**2023-24 Curriculum Cycle**  
**Graduate Minor Curriculum Modifications for Information**  
**Report: Graduate Minor Modification for Information**  
March 22, 2023

**Psychological Clinical Science (UTSC), Graduate Department of**

**5 Course Modifications**

**CPS1702H: Psychological Assessment II**

<b>Prerequisites:</b> New: CPS1701H
<b>Rationale:</b> The department proposes to add a prerequisite to this course to ensure that students have acquired the foundational knowledge in Psychological Assessment I before enrolling in the more advanced course, Psychological Assessment II.
<b>Consultation:</b> DCC Approval: October 6, 2022.
<b>Resources:</b> None.

**CPS1802H: Applied Interventions in Clinical Psychology**

<b>Prerequisites:</b> New: CPS1601H and CPS1701H and CPS1702H and CPS1801H and CPS1901H
<b>Corequisites:</b> New: CPS1803H
<b>Rationale:</b> The department proposes to add a co-requisite and multiple prerequisites to this course to ensure students have the necessary knowledge and experience to optimally engage in and successfully complete courses that occur later in the sequence of courses in the MA program. These changes are also intended to support the learning experiences in students' clinical practicum placements, ensuring that they have successfully completed all the required MA-level courses, in the intended sequence, before beginning such placements.
<b>Consultation:</b> DCC Approval: October 6, 2022.
<b>Resources:</b> None.

**CPS1803H: Practicum in Psychological Interventions**

<b>Prerequisites:</b> New: CPS1601H and CPS1701H and CPS1702H and CPS1801H and CPS1901H
<b>Corequisites:</b> New: CPS1802H
<b>Rationale:</b> The department proposes to add a co-requisite and multiple prerequisites to this course to ensure students have the necessary knowledge and experience to engage optimally and successfully complete courses that occur later in the sequence of courses in the MA program. These changes are also intended to support the learning experiences in students' clinical practicum placements, ensuring that they have successfully completed all the required MA-level courses, in the intended sequence, before beginning such placements.
<b>Consultation:</b> DCC Approval: October 6, 2022.
<b>Resources:</b> None.

**CPS2901H: Practicum in Clinical Supervision**

<b>Prerequisites:</b> New: CPS3999H
<b>Rationale:</b> The department proposes to add a prerequisite to this course to ensure students have the necessary knowledge and experience to optimally engage in and successfully complete courses that occur later in the sequence of courses in the MA program. These changes are also intended to support the learning experiences in students' clinical practicum placements, ensuring that they have successfully completed all the required MA-level courses, in the intended sequence, before beginning such placements.

**Consultation:** DCC Approval: October 6, 2022.

**Resources:** None

### **CPS2999H: Summer Practicum**

**Prerequisites:**

**New:** CPS1802H and CPS1803H

**Rationale:**

The department proposes to add two prerequisites to this course to ensure students have the necessary knowledge and experience to optimally engage in and successfully complete courses that occur later in the sequence of courses in the MA program. These changes are also intended to support the learning experiences in students' clinical practicum placements, ensuring that they have successfully completed all the required MA level courses, in the intended sequence, before beginning such placements.

**Consultation:** DCC Approval: October 6, 2022.

**Resources:** None

