

ACADEMIC COUNCIL REPORT

ACTION REQUESTED:

Recommendation
Decision
Discussion/Direction
Information

DATE: 23 February 2021

FROM: Graduate Studies Committee

SUBJECT: Minor Program Adjustment – MASc and MEng – Nuclear Engineering

COMMITTEE MANDATE:

In accordance with Section III, part d) of the Graduate Studies Committee (GSC) Terms of Reference, GSC has the responsibility “to approve minor program adjustments” and report them to Academic Council for information.

GSC is presenting this change to Academic Council for information.

BACKGROUND/CONTEXT & RATIONALE:

The Faculty is proposing to add NUCL 5225G (new course) and previously approved courses NUCL 5111G and NUCL 5160G to the Nuclear Engineering MASc and the Nuclear Engineering MEng (Course-based, Graduate Research Project, and Industrial Research Project options) programs.

RESOURCES REQUIRED:

There are no financial resource implications. It is expected that this change will have a positive impact on enrollment as it will enhance the variety of course offerings available to students in the field of nuclear engineering. Offerings of the courses will allow students to complete their program requirements more robustly.

TRANSITION PLAN:

Available as of Fall 2021; no transition plan required as these are elective courses that can be chosen from a specified list.

CONSULTATION AND APPROVAL:

GSC: January 26th, 2021

Faculty Council: January 16th, 2020 and June 18th, 2020

NEXT STEPS:

This change will be included in the 2021-2022 Academic Calendar.

SUPPORTING REFERENCE MATERIALS:

- [Minor Program Adjustment Proposal](#)
- New Course: [NUCL 5225G](#)