

ACADEMIC COUNCIL REPORT

ACTION REQUESTED:

Recommendation
Decision
Discussion/Direction
Information

DATE: 22 November 2022

FROM: Undergraduate Studies Committee

SUBJECT: Minor Program Adjustment – Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting

COMMITTEE MANDATE:

In accordance with Section 1. b) of the Undergraduate Studies Committee (USC) Terms of Reference, USC has the responsibility “to approve minor program adjustments and report them to Academic Council for information.”

BACKGROUND/CONTEXT & RATIONALE:

The Faculty proposed to adjust the program map for students who entered the program in 2021. These students are on the older program map, and adding BUSI 3171U and BUSI 3504U will align their program requirements with the CPA competency map.

RESOURCES REQUIRED:

No additional resources required.

TRANSITION PLAN:

This change only impacts students from the Fall 2021 Intake. They will take BUSI 3504U in Winter Year 3, replacing an open elective. They will take BUSI 3171U in Winter Year 4, and BUSI 3170U has been moved from Winter Year 4 to Winter Year 3 and a business elective has been removed to accommodate. BUSI 3170U is the prerequisite for BUSI 3171U.

CONSULTATION AND APPROVAL:

USC: 18 October 2022

Faculty Council: 20 September 2022

NEXT STEPS:

After presentation to Academic Council, this change will be included in the 2023-2024 Academic Calendar.

SUPPORTING REFERENCE MATERIALS:

- [Minor Program Adjustment Proposal](#)