Programs Under Review

(February 3, 2018 to April 16, 2018)

Note: Information pertaining to each program is available in the language of the submitting institution only.

Program	Proposal Type	Program Description	Assessment Type	Decision (date, where applicable)
NEW BRUNSWICK				
Mount Allison University				
No proposals being considered at this time				
St. Thomas University				
No proposals being considered at this time				
Université de Moncton				
Certificat en éducation aux adultes à Certificat en andragogie	Modification	L'UdeM propose d'apporter des modifications à son Certificat en éducation aux adultes, y compris un changement de titre Certificat en andragogie et une réduction du nombre de crédits exigés. Les modifications découlent de recommandations faites par un comité consultatif.	à déterminer	En attendant la réponse de l'UdeM
Certificat en gestion de la sécurité de l'information des entreprises	Nouveau	L'UdeM propose un nouveau certificat de 24 crédits, Certificat en gestion de la sécurité de l'information des entreprises. Pour obtenir le certificat, les étudiants doivent suivre huit cours obligatoires. Le programme vise les professionnels qui veulent élaborer des outils concrets pour améliorer la sécurité de leur entreprise. Ce programme sera offert en ligne et à temps partiel seulement.		En attendant la réponse de l'UdeM
University of Fredericton				
Associate in Occupational Health and Safety	New	The University of Fredericton's programs are offered in an online delivery format. The Associate Degree in Occupational Health and Safety (AOHS) is a program of study, intended to enable students to attain Canadian and international standard competencies, and applicable skills associated with occupational health and safety (OHS) workplace practices.		Pending identification of Panel
Bachelor of Applied Safety Management	New	The mission of the Bachelor of Applied Safety Management (BASM) degree, to be offered by the University of Fredericton, is to provide an online fouryear undergraduate degree, which addresses a critical occupational and societal need within a global context. The BASM degree will produce graduates who will have successful careers as managers, consultants, or program practitioners in an array of categorical safety attendance requirements associated with private and public sector entity responsibilities.		Pending identification of Panel
University of New Brunswick				
Bachelor of Arts, Major in Information and Communication Studies <i>to</i> Bachelor of Arts, Major in Communication Studies <i>(UNB, Saint John)</i>	Modification	UNBSJ is proposing to change the name of its program to more accurately reflect program content and outcomes. Students currently enrolled in the program will be given the option of retaining the current program name on graduation.	Stage I	Approved (February 20, 2018)
Bachelor of Science in Engineering (Computer Engineering) (UNB, Fredericton)	Termination	UNBF is proposing to terminate its BSc in Engineering (Computer Engineering) due to low enrolments and limited faculty resources. Students will have the option to complete related courses as optional electives in other existing programs.	-	Approved (February 14, 2018)
Yorkville University	•		· ·	
Master of Education (multiple programs)	Existing / Modified	The MEd in Adult Education and MEd in Educational Leadership are being assessed as per the Minister's (September 2014 and March 2015) conditions to designation and in accordance with NBDGA policy. Modifications to offer the MEd with four proposed specializations are also to be assessed.		Pending receipt of Panel report
Bachelor of Business Administration	Existing	The program is being assessed as per the Minister's (Summer 2015) conditions to designation and in accordance with the Policy on the Assessment of Existing Programs Established under the New Brunswick Degree Granting Act .	NBDGA	Pending receipt of Panel report

ΝΟΥΑ SCOTIA				
Acadia University				
Bachelor of Computer Science with Specialization to Bachelor of Computing with Interdisciplinary Study (multiple programs)	Modification	Acadia is proposing to replace its existing Bachelor of Computer Science with Specialization (in Software Development, Game Development, and Mobile and Ubiquitous Computing), with a new Bachelor of Computing with Interdisciplinary Study. Students complete 42h of required Computer Science courses, 24h of other core degree requirements and choose from among the following three possible paths of study (54h each): (1) Interdisciplinary Study (including completion of a Minor); (2) Defined Option (includes the equivalent of the three previously-approved specializations and a new option in Data Analytics); or (3) Second Major.	To be determined	Pending response to comments
Atlantic School of Theology	-			
No proposals being considered at this time				
Cape Breton University				
Diploma in Public Administration and Management	Modification	CBU is proposing to modify its Diploma in Public Administration and Management from a 42-credit program to a 60- credit program. Courses in qualitative and quantitative research methods, and a senior seminar, will now be required (12ch total), along with six additional credits in electives. Program length will extend from 1.5 year full-time and 3 years part-time to 2 years full-time and 4 years part-time. The revised program will contain a Directed Study/Internship component in the final year of study. A secondary option for students who meet program eligibility requirements is one paid Co-op internship.	To be determined	Stage I Assessment in progress
Dalhousie University				
Bachelor of Science in Bioveterinary Sciences	Modification	Dalhousie University is proposing changes to its current Bachelor of Science, Major in Bioveterinary Science as well as the addition of an Honours option. Both the modified Major and the Honours programs would require 4 years/120 credits of study. The modified Major includes a change to one required course and students will now be required to complete a minimum six credits at the 4000-level. The Honours program requires students to complete an Honours Thesis as well as an Animal Research Methods course and maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0.	Stage I	Approved (February 20, 2018)
PhD in Agricultural Sciences	New	Dalhousie University is proposing to implement a new PhD in Agricultural Sciences. The program requires 3-4 years full-time or 5-6 years part-time study with a minimum of six terms spent on the Dalhousie campus. Students complete a minimum of two courses (Research Methods and Research Communications), prepare and defend a thesis proposal, undertake a comprehensive exam, and prepare and defend a doctoral thesis. Additional courses or activities may be required at the discretion of the Supervisory Committee.	Stage I	Approved (March 22, 2018)
Mount Saint Vincent University				
No proposals being considered at this time				
Nova Scotia College of Art and Design University				
Master of Fine Arts (Fine & Media Arts) and Master of Fine Arts (Craft) to	Modification	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Stage I Assessment in progress
Master of Fine Arts (Studio)				
Master of Arts in Art Education	New	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending receipt of comments
Saint Mary's University				
International Master of Teaching English	New	SMU is proposing a new, 48 credit (four semesters) International Masters in Teaching English. Students are required to take 14 in-class courses, including three practicums, and complete a professional language portfolio. The program is designed for non-native English-speaking ESL (English Second Language) teachers. The program will be offered on a full-time basis only.	Stage II	Approved with conditions (February 14, 2018)

Post-baccalaureate Certificate in Applied Economics	New	SMU is proposing a new Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Applied Economics to complement its existing Master in Applied Economics. The proposed certificate requires completion of six courses (three required Economics courses, two additional Economics courses and an elective) over two semesters of study (three courses per term) and is intended to provide a pathway into the master's program for those who do not meet that program's entry requirements.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Cttee
Bachelor of Environmental Studies (Honours option)	Modification	SMU is proposing to add an honours option to its existing Bachelor of Environmental Studies. The Honours option will require completion of a six credit-hour Honours Thesis in lieu of electives and students must maintain a higher grade point average than for the existing BES degree.	Stage I	Approved (February 21, 2018)
Bachelor of Environmental Studies (co-operative education option) Honours Bachelor of Environmental Studies (co-operative education option)	Modification	SMU is proposing to add a co-op option to its Bachelor of Environmental Studies programs. The co-op option will include up to three paid work placements relevant to the degree and will be capped at five students per year for the first five years.	Stage I	Approved (February 21, 2018)
St. Francis Xavier University				
Bachelor of Arts, Women's and Gender Studies (Major, Advanced Major, Joint Major, Joint Advanced Major) to Bachelor of Arts, Women's and Gender Studies (Major, Joint Major, Honours with Subsidiary Subject)	Modification	StFX is proposing to replace its Bachelor of Arts Advanced Major and Joint Advanced Major programs in Women's and Gender Studies (WMGS) with a new Honours with Subsidiary option. To obtain the Honours with Subsidiary, students will be required to complete 48 credits in WMGS courses (including five required courses, a non-credit junior seminar in third year, and a thesis) plus 24 credits in a Subsidiary Subject.	To be determined	Pending response to Stage I questions
Bachelor of Music <i>(multiple programs)</i> Bachelor of Arts in Music <i>(multiple programs)</i> Diploma in Jazz Studies	Modification	StFX is proposing to terminate its Diploma in Jazz Studies and to replace three degree programs [Bachelor of Arts Honours and Advanced Major in Music as well as the BA in Music (Jazz Studies)] – with a new Bachelor of Music. In addition to these changes, the Bachelor of Music with Honours, BA Major in Music, and BA Joint Major in Music will be modified.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Cttee
Bachelor of Arts and Science in Climate and Environment	New	StFX is proposing a new four-year (120cr) Bachelor of Arts and Science in Climate and Environment intended to provide students with an introduction to the broad spectrum of interdisciplinary studies in these topic areas. To obtain the BASc degree, students complete 24 credits of core courses, 12 credits in Humanities, 72 credits across the two concentration areas: (1) Climate and (2) Environment (48cr in the student's chosen primary area and 24cr in the secondary area) plus 6-12 credits of open electives. To obtain the Honours, a 6cr thesis is required in the student's primary concentration area. A co-op option will be available in later years.	Stage I	Approved (April 10, 2018)
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (LPN stream)	New	StFX currently provides LPNs (Licensed Practical Nurses) with recent work experience the opportunity to enter its Accelerated two-year BScN following completion of 15ch of bridging courses. The University is proposing to formally integrate the bridging component into the degree structure creating three possible pathways to obtain the degree: the four-year BScN (unchanged), a two-year Accelerated BScN for those with prior post-secondary education (unchanged), and the new three-year Accelerated BScN for LPNs.	Stage I	Approved (February 28, 2018)
University of King's College				
No proposals being considered at this time				
Université Sainte-Anne				
Baccalauréat ès Science, majeure en biologie (ajout de l'option régime coopératif)	Modification	L'Université Sainte-Anne propose l'ajout d'une option de régime coopératif dans le programme de baccalauréat ès sciences avec majeure en biologie. Le régime coopératif exigera un total de 120 crédits (même nombre de crédits associés au baccalauréat ès sciences avec majeure en biologie) et 3 stages (BIOL 1000, BIOL 2000, BIOL 3000) de travail qui seront échelonnés sur une période de quatre ans et demi.	à déterminer	En attendant l'évaluation de Stade I

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND					
University of Prince Edward Island					
Master of Business Administration in Global Leadership	Modified	UPEI is proposing a new, full-time MBA in Global Leadership to complement its existing part-time program. The degree will be offered via a cohort model of delivery beginning with a three-course foundation term (a zero-credit MBA orientation module and two (3ch) core courses, delivered in August) followed by two terms (fall and winter) of six (3ch) courses each, including eight core courses, three electives, and an international capstone project.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Cttee	
PhD in Sustainable Design Engineering	New	UPEI is proposing a new interdisciplinary PhD in Sustainable Design Engineering. Students will be required to complete four graduate-level courses (chosen from among seven SDE-specific courses or relevant courses offered in other UPEI PhDs) and a seminar course plus a comprehensive exam, a thesis, and a final oral thesis defense.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Cttee	
Professional Master of Actuarial Science	New	UPEI is proposing a Professional Master of Actuarial Science designed to be completed via a cohort model of delivery over two years (four semesters) of full-time study; a part-time option is not currently proposed. The program is intended to be a terminal master's program and is not designed as a lead-in to further academic studies. Based on students' level of academic performance and average within the program, they will receive credit toward related actuarial exams through the Canadian Institute of Actuaries.	Stage II	Pending consideration by the QA Committee at its next meeting	
PsyD in Clinical Psychology	New	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending receipt of comments	

