

**Programs Under Review**  
(September 22, 2018 to February 1, 2019)

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)
<b>NEW BRUNSWICK</b>				
<b>Mount Allison University</b>				
Bachelor of Commerce in Aviation Management	New	MTA is proposing a 120-credit Bachelor of Commerce with Aviation Management to complement its existing Interdisciplinary Bachelor of Science, Major in Aviation. This program is intended to train future managers and administrators in the aviation industry and comprises existing Commerce curriculum, one course in the Business of Aviation, and transfer credits in Aviation.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Committee
<b>St. Thomas University</b>				
Bachelor of Arts, Major in Journalism	Modification	STU is proposing to modify its program in response to the recommendations of an external review. Several courses will be replaced with new ones while others will be modified with the primary objective to incorporate more multi-media content through the curriculum. The number of credits for the Major overall has been reduced from 42ch to 36ch to be aligned with other STU BA Majors; courses will also now be open to students outside the Major in Journalism.	To be determined	Pending response to SI questions
Bachelor of Social Work	Modification	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending receipt of comments
Master of Social Work	New	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending receipt of comments
<b>Université de Moncton</b>				
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.	à déterminer	En attendant la réponse de l'UdeM
Programmes en sociologie (plusieurs programmes)	Modification	L'UdeM propose des modifications à la majeure et à la mineure en sociologie. « Les modifications portent essentiellement sur l'introduction d'un profil avec distinction, conformément au règlement universitaire 2.3.1 (structures des majeures). Cette modification s'inscrit dans le droit fil des changements que la Faculté propose à bon nombre de ses majeures disciplinaires. À cela s'ajoutent des modifications aux cours de sociologie (création, abolition et modification de cours) à la mineure en sociologie et à la banque de cours OFG » (objectifs formation générale).	Stade I	Approuvé (le 30 janvier 2019)
Programmes en criminologie (plusieurs programmes)	Modification	L'UdeM propose des modifications à la majeure et à la mineure en criminologie. Les modifications portent essentiellement sur l'introduction d'un profil avec distinction et des modifications aux deux profils existants dans le programme de majeure. À cela s'ajoutent des modifications aux cours de criminologie (création, abolition et modification de cours).	à déterminer	En attendant l'évaluation de Stade I

Baccalauréat ès arts en études françaises à Baccalauréat ès arts (majeure en linguistique et littérature) (plusieurs programmes)	Modification	L'UdeM propose de modifier son Baccalauréat ès arts en études françaises. Les modifications portent sur l'introduction de trois profils : le profil linguistique, le profil littérature et le profil mixte. De plus, les étudiants qui opteront pour le profil linguistique ou pour le profil littérature pourront, dès le début de la 3e année, s'inscrire au profil avec distinction. La majeure portera dorénavant le titre de B.A. avec majeure en linguistique et littérature. À cela s'ajoutent des modifications aux cours de linguistique et de littérature (création, abolition et modification de cours) ainsi qu'à la banque de cours OFG (objectifs formation générale).	Stade II	En attendant l'évaluation de Stade II
Certificat (et mineure) en création littéraire	Modification	L'UdeM propose la création de deux nouvelles mineures, soit la mineure en création littéraire et la mineure en sociolinguistique qui se déclineront également en certificats destinés à une clientèle à temps partiel.	Stade II	En attendant l'évaluation de Stade II
Certificat (et mineure) en sociolinguistique	Modification	L'UdeM propose la création de deux nouvelles mineures, soit la mineure en création littéraire et la mineure en sociolinguistique qui se déclineront également en certificats destinés à une clientèle à temps partiel.	Stade II	En attendant l'évaluation de Stade II
Baccalauréat ès arts (majeure en anglais) (profil régulier) Baccalauréat ès arts (majeure en anglais) (profil avec distinction)	Modification	L'UdeM propose des modifications au BA avec majeure en anglais ainsi qu'à la mineure en anglais. Les modifications portent essentiellement sur introduction d'un profil avec distinction à la majeure existante. A cela s'ajoutent des modifications aux cours d'anglais (création, abolition et modification de cours) ainsi qu'à la banque de cours OFG (objectifs formation générale).	Stade I	Approuvé (le 30 janvier 2019)
Maîtrise en travail social à Maîtrise ès arts en travail social	Modification	Description du programme non disponible	à déterminer	En attendant les commentaires
<b>University of Fredericton</b>				
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.	NBDGA	Pending receipt of Panel's Draft Report
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 four-year 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.	NBDGA	Pending receipt of Panel's Draft Report
<b>University of New Brunswick</b>				
BA, Double Major in Drama (UNB, Fredericton)	New	UNBF is proposing to introduce a BA, Double Major in Drama to complement its existing Minor program. To obtain the Double Major, students complete 30ch of courses including five required courses (18ch), a thesis production and independent project (either one six credit course or two three-credit courses), and one to two electives (6ch total) chosen from a select list (e.g., Classics, English, Drama, Film, Media, Music).	Stage I	Approved with conditions (November 8, 2018)

Master of Arts in Economics (addition of co-op) (UNB, Fredericton & Saint John)	Modification	UNB is proposing the addition of a co-op option to its existing MA Economics programs (both research-based and coursework-based streams). Along with meeting existing program requirements, students would complete either a 4-month or an 8-month co-op work-term beginning in May, followed by a final academic term. For students entering the program with all prerequisites, this would extend the overall length of the program from 12 months to either 16 or 20 months.	Stage I	Approved with conditions (November 8, 2018)
Master of Engineering in Technology Management and Entrepreneurship (UNB, Fredericton & Saint John)	Modification	UNB is proposing to continue its MTME program beyond the pilot period with modifications to course content (increased required courses and reduced electives), faculty complement and enrolment projections.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Committee
Master of Applied Cybersecurity	New	UNB is proposing a one-year (12 month; 33 credit) Master of Applied Cybersecurity (MACSec) designed to enable students to explore major cybersecurity topics and learn and practice the current advanced techniques. The program consists of lecture- and lab-based courses (eight in total; seven required courses and one course chosen from a select list) as well as a capstone project that is completed through an industrial internship.	To be determined	Stage I Assessment in progress
<b>Yorkville University</b>				
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.	NBDGA	Pending final 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 <i>Policy on the Assessment of Existing Programs Established under the New Brunswick Degree Granting Act</i> .	NBDGA	Pending Minister's decision
Doctor of Counselling and Psychotherapy	New	The Yorkville University Doctor of Counselling and Psychotherapy is a practice-oriented doctoral-level program rooted in the "scholar-practitioner" model of professional education. The program emphasizes competencies for advanced counselling and psychotherapy practice. Students complete course work focused on an area of specialization within either mental health counselling and psychotherapy or couple, marriage, family, and relational counselling and psychotherapy. Students are required to earn 63 credits during seven terms, culminating in a Project Demonstrating Excellence. The Doctor of Counselling and Psychotherapy program facilitates mastery of counselling and psychotherapy and career advancement while preparing the highly competent counsellor and psychotherapist to contribute community service. To be considered for admission, applicants must possess a master's degree in counselling or a related discipline and experience in counselling and psychotherapy.	NBDGA	Pending confirmation of Panel

NOVA SCOTIA				
<b>Acadia University</b>				
Bachelor of Computer Science with Specialization to Bachelor of Applied Computer Science <i>(multiple programs)</i>	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 Applied Computer Science (formerly proposed as a 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.	Stage II	Pending consideration by the MPHEC at its next meeting
Bachelor of Science in Economics Bachelor of Science in Economics with Double Major	New	Acadia is proposing a BSc in Economics (Major, Double Major, Honours, and Honours with Double Major options) to complement its BA in Economics. The program would be composed of existing Economics courses with increased requirements in mathematics and computer science. Honours students would choose between a thesis or coursework option.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Cttee
Bachelor of Science with Honours in Economics	New	Acadia is proposing a BSc in Economics (Major, Double Major, Honours, and Honours with Double Major options) to complement its BA in Economics. The program would be composed of existing Economics courses with increased requirements in mathematics and computer science. Honours students would choose between a thesis or coursework option.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Cttee
<b>Atlantic School of Theology</b>				
No proposals being considered at this time				
<b>Cape Breton University</b>				
Bachelor of Engineering Technology, Chemical (three-year degree) Bachelor of Engineering Technology, Advanced Chemical (four-year degree)	New	CBU is proposing a fifth Bachelor of Engineering Technology program that would include a three-year (90-credit) Chemical degree and a four-year (120-credit) Advanced Chemical degree. The program would consist of existing courses in Chemistry, Engineering, Physics, Math, etc. Students also have the option of completing one-to-two directed studies or work terms.	Stage II	Pending response to QA Committee
Bachelor of Arts and Science in Environment <i>(addition of co-op option)</i>	Modification	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending receipt of comments
<b>Dalhousie University</b>				
Master of Arts in Economics	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify its existing MA in Economics to encourage the completion of the thesis by reducing the number of required courses in the thesis stream and relaxing requirements to secure a supervisory committee early in the program. The modifications also include elimination of the essay-based option, creating a distinct course-only stream, and increasing opportunities for students to take elective courses in both options.	Stage II	Pending consideration by the MPHEC at its next meeting
Master of Development Economics	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify its existing Master of Development Economics by reducing the number of required courses and increasing electives; reducing the number of required courses in the thesis stream and relaxing requirements to secure a supervisory committee early in the program; allowing students without honours bachelor's degrees to apply to the program; phasing out the two-year degree option; and refocusing course names/content to align with program pedagogical goals.	Stage II	Pending consideration by the MPHEC at its next meeting

Bachelor of Management (multiple programs)	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify core courses within its Bachelor of Management degree in response to the results of internal and external reviews. Among other changes, the modified program includes revisions to introductory courses, the addition of new courses in Data Literacy, Ethics and Social Responsibility, Data Analytics and Applied Research, and the introduction of a new capstone course in fourth year. The changes affect all iterations of the BMgt program.	Stage I	Approved with conditions (October 4, 2018)
Master of Library and Information Studies to Master of Information	Modification	Dal is proposing to change the name of its two-year Master of Library and Information Studies (MLIS) to a Master of Information (MI) to: reflect more accurately the program content and goals; be more inclusive of the career options possible through the degree; and enhance recruitment to emerging areas (e.g., information governance, big data, open data). To obtain the degree, students complete eight core courses, eight electives (one of which must be an advanced technology course) and a non-credit practicum. A thesis option is also available, which would replace four of the elective courses. The name change would also apply to its three combined degree programs.	To be determined	Stage I Assessment in progress
Master of Social Work	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify its existing one-year Master of Social Work to become a two-year program with two entry points: Students with an undergraduate honours degree and related practical experience will be admitted into the two-year program; students who have already graduated from a Bachelor of Social Work will receive Advanced Standing and proceed directly to Year 2. The two-year program will only be available via face-to-face, full-time delivery. The Advanced Standing program can be completed face-to-face or online, full-time or part-time.	To be determined	Pending response to SI questions
Dentistry Qualifying Program	Modification	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Stage I Assessment in progress
Master of Science in Community Health and Epidemiology to Master of Science in Epidemiology and Applied Health Research	Modification	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending response to comments
Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy to Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD)	Modification	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending receipt of comments
<b>Mount Saint Vincent University</b>				
No proposals being considered at this time				
<b>Nova Scotia College of Art and Design University</b>				
No proposals being considered at this time				
<b>Saint Mary's University</b>				
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	Withdrawn (January 16, 2019)

Bachelor of Arts, Major in Social Justice and Community Studies Bachelor of Arts, Honours in Social Justice and Community Studies	New	SMU is proposing to add a 39-credit Major and a 60-credit Honours option to its existing 24-credit Minor in Social Justice and Community Studies (SJCS). This interdisciplinary program would consist of existing (and some new) SJCS courses, required courses from English Language and Literature and/or Religious Studies or History, as well as cross-listed courses from other departments relating to race, gender, class and colonialism. All SJCS students are required to complete a service-learning course (SJCS 4370 or SJCS 4739). Students in the Honours program must take one additional required SJCS course and complete 12ch more upper-level SJCS electives than those in the Major, as well as write a 6ch Honours thesis.	Stage I	Approved (January 31, 2019)
<b>St. Francis Xavier University</b>				
No proposals being considered at this time				
<b>University of King's College</b>				
Master of Journalism	Modification	Program description not available at this time	To be determined	Pending receipt of comments
<b>Université Sainte-Anne</b>				
No proposals being considered at this time				
<b>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</b>				
<b>University of Prince Edward Island</b>				
Interdisciplinary 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	Withdrawn (September 24, 2018)
Professional Master of Actuarial Science	New	UPEI is proposing a Professional Master of Actuarial Science to be completed via a cohort model of delivery over two years (four semesters) of full-time study; a part-time option is not proposed. The program is a terminal degree and is not designed as a lead-in to further academic studies. Based on a student's 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	Withdrawn (January 23, 2019)