

## 1. Changes to the post-degree BSW Honours program requirements

**Rationale:** Changes have been made to the BSW Honours post-degree part-time program in order to maintain consistency with the new direct entry BSW Honours degree. The post-degree BSW Honours program requires 54 credits in Social Work. Post-degree BSW program students will enter Social Work following completion of a 90-credit BA.

<b>Change from:</b>	<b>Change to:</b>
<p><b>a) <del>BSW Honours:</del></b> <b><del>Major Requirements:</del></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><del>54 credits including AK/SOWK 3030 6.0; AK/SOWK 3040 3.0; AK/SOWK 3050 3.0; AK/SOWK 3060 6.0; AK/SOWK 3070 3.0;</del></li><li><del>15 credits in Social Work at either the 2000, 3000 or 4000 level;</del></li><li><del>18 credits in Social Work at the 4000 level Social Work including AK/SOWK 4010 3.0, AK/SOWK 4020 3.0, AK/SOWK 4040 3.0; and AK/ SOWK 4000 6.0 (practicum requirement),</del></li><li><del>plus one additional 3 credit Social Work course at the 4000 level.</del></li></ul> <p><del>The B.S.W. degree must include 30 credits at the 3000 level or above (including 18 Elective credits outside Social Work at the 3000 level) and 18 major credits at the 4000 level.</del></p> <p><del>Please note: Normally students have a maximum of five years to complete the B.S.W. programme after successfully undergoing School Entry Procedures.</del></p> <p><del>The Bachelor of Social Work programme prepares students for professional social work. Successful practice experience is an essential requirement in the Social Work Degree programme. The 700 hour practicum, AK/SOWK 4000 6.0, consists of a field work component in an approved social work setting arranged by the School.</del></p> <p><b>Academic Standards:</b></p> <p><b>Change from:</b></p> <p>Students must maintain a cumulative <del>GPA of at least 5.0 for all courses with a major GPA of 5.5.</del></p>	<p>Post-degree BSW Honours</p> <p>If further information is required, students who are interested in the Bachelor of Social Work program should contact the School of Social Work, (416) 736-5226.</p> <p>Major Requirements:</p> <p>54 credits including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>AK/SOWK 2030 6.0; AK/SOWK 2050 6.0; AK/SOWK 3041.30; AK/SOWK 3060 6.0; AK/SOWK 3070 3.0; AK/SOWK 3110 3.0; AK/SOWK 4020 3.0; AK/SOWK 4000 6.0; AK/SOWK 4001 6.0; 12 credits in Social Work at the 3000 level or above including 3 credits at the 4000 level.</li><li>The Bachelor of Social Work programme prepares students for professional social work. Successful practice experience is an essential requirement in the Social Work Degree programme. The 700 hour practicum, AK/SOWK 4000 6.0, and AK/SOWK 4001 6.0 consists of a field work component in an approved social work setting arranged by the School.</li><li>Students admitted before 2002 will be grandparented through the former BSW Honours program.</li></ul> <p><i>Please note: Normally students have a maximum of five years to complete the B.S.W. programme after successfully undergoing School Entry Procedures.</i></p> <p><b>Academic Standards:</b></p> <p><b>Change to:</b></p> <p>Students must maintain a cumulative <b>Grade Point Average (GPA) for all courses of at least 5.0 (C+) and a minimum major GPA of 6.0 (B) with a minimum grade of 5.0 (C+) in each course used in the major.</b></p>

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**1. Changes to the BA 90-credit and BA Specialized Honours English Programs**

The Atkinson Faculty Council recommends the changes to the program requirements for the BA 90-credit and BA Specialized Honours English programs as indicated below.

<p><b>a) Change “three Gateway courses” to “9 credits from Gateway courses”</b></p>	<p><b>Rationale:</b> Clarification of the specific number of Gateway course credit requirement, and is consistent with the use of the number of credits (instead of number of courses) in specifying program/degree requirements.</p>
<p><b>Change from:</b></p> <p>i) <b>BA:</b> (p. 46 of the 2001-2002 Atkinson Calendar)</p> <p><del>30 credits in English including three Gateway courses (chosen from AK/EN 2010 3.0, 2020 3.0, 2030 3.0, and either 2075 3.0 or 2076 3.0). At least two of the three Gateway requirements should be fulfilled within the first 12 English credits, and the third may be taken later. At the 3000 level, students must take 21 English credits including at least 3 credits from each of the three major periods:</del></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Medieval and Renaissance</li> <li>2. 1660-1900</li> <li>3. 20th Century</li> </ol> <p>Students should bear in mind that 12 credits in each of the 3 periods are required to complete the Honours degree program. Therefore, students who plan to do Honours should take more than the minimum 3 credits from each major period during their BA Studies.</p>	<p><b>Change to:</b></p> <p><b>BA:</b></p> <p><b>30 credits in English of which 9 credits must be from Gateway courses. The Gateway courses must include either AK/EN 2075 3.0 or AK/EN 2076 3.0, and the remaining 6 credits chosen from AK/EN 2010 3.0, 2020 3.0, 2030 3.0. Six of these Gateway credits should be fulfilled within the first 12 English credits; the remaining 3 credits may be taken later. At the 3000 level, students must take 21 English credits including at least 3 credits from each of the three major periods:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Medieval and Renaissance</li> <li>2. 1660-1900</li> <li>3. 20th Century</li> </ol> <p>Students should bear in mind that 12 credits in each of the 3 periods are required to complete the Honours degree program. Therefore, students who plan to do Honours should take more than the minimum 3 credits from each major period during their BA Studies.</p>
<p><b>Change from:</b></p> <p>ii) <b>BA Specialized Honours:</b> (p. 46 of the 2001-2002 Atkinson Calendar)</p> <p><del>A total of 54 credits in English. This number of credits includes three Gateway courses counting as 9 credits (one of either 2075 3.0 or 2076 3.0 and 6 additional credits chosen from AK/EN 2010 3.0, 2020 3.0, 2030 3.0.); 12 credits from each of the three major Periods, and 9 other English credits. Of these 45 credits, 18 credits must be taken at the 4000 level. Some Humanities courses may be counted for Major credit in English. Please check with the English Office.</del></p>	<p><b>Change to:</b></p> <p><b>BA Specialized Honours:</b></p> <p><b>A total of 54 credits in English of which 9 credits must be from Gateway courses including either AK/EN 2075 3.0 or AK/EN 2076 3.0, and the remaining 6 credits chosen from AK/EN 2010 3.0, 2020 3.0, 2030 3.0; 12 credits from each of the three major Periods, and 9 other English credits. Of these 45 credits, 18 credits must be taken at the 4000 level. Some Humanities courses may be counted for Major credit in English. Please check with the English Office.</b></p>

