# 6.4 School of Dietetics and Human Nutrition

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Health and well-being of individuals in relation to food choices and physiological status prevails as the unifying theme of the programs in the School of Dietetics and Human Nutrition. The availability of food, normal metabolism and clinical nutrition, community nutrition at the local and international level, the evaluation of nutritional products and their use in nutrition, and the communication of information about food and health form the core of academic programs.

## DIETETICS MAJOR

Academic Advising Coordinator: Linda Jacobs Starkey

Graduates are qualified for challenging professional and leadership positions related to food and health, as dietitians, nutritionists and food administrators. The designations "Dietitian" and "Nutritionist" are reserved titles in the province of Quebec. As clinical nutritionists, dietitians may work in health and food service centres and hospitals, nutrition counselling centres, clinics and private practice. As community nutritionists, dietitians are involved in nutrition education programs through schools, sports centres and local and international health agencies. The dietitian in the food service sector participates in all aspects of management to assure quality food products. Postgraduate programs are available to qualified graduates. The duration of the program is three and onehalf years. Successful graduates are qualified for membership in Dietitians of Canada and the Ordre professionnelle de diététistes du Québec. Forty weeks supervised professional experience in clinical and community nutrition and food service systems management are included.

#### Required Courses: 103 credits.

(Note: The School firmly applies prerequisite requirements (with C grade as pass) for registration in all required courses in the Nutrition and Dietetics Majors.)

Complementary Courses: 6 credits.

**Electives:** 6 credits, selected in consultation with an Academic Adviser, to meet the minimum 115-credit requirement for the degree.

All required and complementary courses must be passed with a minimum grade of C.

		CREDI	15
Term 1			17
333-211A	Biochemistry I	3	
333-212A	Biochemistry Laboratory	2	
336-251A	Microcomputer Applications	3	
382-214A	Food Fundamentals	3	

Management Theories and Practices 334-242A 3 One Elective or Complementary 3 Term 2 19 342-234B **Biochemistry II** 3 362-230B The Microbial World 3 382-217B Application of Food Fundamentals 3 382-207A,B Nutrition and Health 3 Professional Practice (Stage) in 382-208J\* 4 Dietetics Level I 3 One Elective or Complementary Term 3 20 Mammalian Physiology 4 342-323A 342-330A Fundamentals of Nutrition 3 Statistical Methods I 360-310A,B 3 382-345D Food Service Systems Management 5 382-322A Instructional Communications 2 One Elective or Complementary 3 18 Term 4 342-424B Metabolic Endocrinology 3 334-343B Accounting and Cost Control 3 Nutrition Through Life 382-337B 3 Professional Practice (Stage) in 382-310B\* 1 **Dietetics Level II a** 382-311C\* Professional Practice (Stage) in 5 Dietetics Level II b 382-344B Clinical Nutrition I 3 Term 5 15 2 382-436A Nutritional Assessment 382-445A Clinical Nutrition II 4 382-446A Personnel Management 3 382-450A Research Methods in Human Nutrition 3 One Elective or Complementary 3 Term 6 12 382-403B **Community Nutrition** 3 382-409B\* Professional Practice (Stage) in 8 **Dietetics Level III** 382-438B Interviewing and Counselling 1 Term 7 14 Professional Practice (Stage) in 382-410A\* 14 **Dietetics Level IV** 

#### Complementary Courses\* (6 credits)

3 credits of Human Behavioural Science courses chosen from: 382-301A (3) Psychology

or equivalent course from another faculty.

3 credits from the social sciences:

- 170-201A (3) Society and Environment
- 170-203A,B (3) Knowledge, Ethics and Environment
- 260-270A (3) Ethics and the Environment
- 334-200A (3) Principles of Microeconomics
- 334-230B (3) Economics of Marketing)
- 334-230B (3) Economics of Marketing)

\* Revisions Awaiting University Approval

## Electives (6 credits)

Elective courses should be chosen in consultation with the academic adviser. The following courses most often fit the timetable; elective choice is not limited to these courses.

333-200A	(3)	Introduction to Food Science
348-330A	(3)	Academic and Scientific Writing
382-406A	(3)	Ecology of Human Nutrition
382-420A	(3)	Food Toxicants and Health Risks
382-430A,B	(3)	Directed Studies in Dietetics/Nutrition I
382-451A	(3)	Nutrition Research
382-501A	(3)	Nutrition in Developing Countries
382-511A	(3)	Nutrition and Behaviour
382-512A,B	(3)	Herbs, Foods and Phytochemicals

\* Successful completion of all component parts of each level of Professional Practice (Stage) in Dietetics courses is a prerequisite

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for the next level and must be passed with a minimum grade of C. All required and complementary courses must be passed with a grade of C or better. Undergraduate registration is restricted to students in the Dietetics Major, CGPA greater than or equal to 2.50. Visiting students must contact the Academic Advising Coordinator (Dietetics) regarding course registration eligibility.

A compulsory immunization program exists at McGill which is required by the teaching hospitals before they will permit Dietetics students to practice. Students should complete their immunization before arriving at Macdonald. Medical/health documentation must be received prior to commencement of each level of Stage. There are no exceptions possible.

#### NUTRITION MAJOR

Academic Advising Coordinator: Kristine G. Koski

This Major covers the many aspects of human nutrition and food and gives first, an education in the scientific fundamentals of these disciplines and second, an opportunity to develop specialization in nutritional biochemistry, nutrition and populations or nutrition of food. Graduates normally will continue on to further studies preparing for careers in research, medicine or as specialists in nutrition. Research nutritionists, aside from working as university teachers and researchers, may be employed by government and health protection agencies, in world development programs, or by the food sector.

#### Required Courses: 52 credits.

(Note: The School firmly applies prerequisite requirements (with C grade as pass) for registration in all required courses in the Nutrition and Dietetics Majors.)

**Option Required and Complementary Courses:** 12 credits. **Electives:** selected in consultation with Academic Adviser, to meet the minimum 90 credit requirement for the degree.

All required courses must be passed with a minimum grade of C.

		CRED	ITS
Term 1			11
333-211A	Biochemistry I	3	
333-212A	Biochemistry Laboratory	2	
336-251A	Microcomputer Applications	3	
382-214A	Food Fundamentals	3 3	
Term 2			12
342-234B	Biochemistry II	3	
362-230B	The Microbial World	3	
	Nutrition and Health	3	
382-217B	Application of Food Fundamentals	3	
	Application of rood rundamentals	0	
Term 3			12
342-323A	Mammalian Physiology	4	
342-330A	Fundamentals of Nutrition	3	
360-310A,B	Statistical Methods I	3	
382-322A	Instructional Communications	2	
Term 4			9
342-424B	Metabolic Endocrinology	3	
382-337B	Nutrition Through Life	3	
382-344B	Clinical Nutrition I	3	
Term 5			8
382-436A	Nutritional Assessment	2	U
382-450A	Research Methods in Human Nutrition	3	
382-450A 382-451A	Nutrition Research	3	
302-431A	Numuon Research	5	

Additional required and complementary courses, 12 credits. Students must select one of the following three options as part of their program.

Nutritional E	Biochemist	ry Option:	CREDITS 12
Term 5	342-552A	Protein Metabolism in Animals	3
Term 6	342-551B	Carbohydrate and Lipid Metabolism	3
Term 3 or 5	338-303A	Advances in Atomic and Nuclear Science	3

	338-405B	Elementary Tracer Techniques	3	
Nutrition and	d Populatio	ns Option:		12
Term 5	382-406A	Ecology of Human Nutrition	3	
Term 6	382-403B	Community Nutrition	3	
social science 382-301A	e courses: (3) Psycl	se listed below or any other hology /ledge, Ethics and the Enviror	6 nment	
Nutrition of	Food Optio	n:		12
Term 2 or 4	333-334B	Analytical Chemistry II	3	
Term 4	333-251B	Food Chemistry I	3	
Term 5	333-300A	Food Analysis I	3	
Term 6	333-315B	Food Analysis II	3	

**Electives:** Selected in consultation with the academic adviser to meet the minimum 90 credits for the degree.

#### MINOR IN HUMAN NUTRITION

Academic Adviser: Linda Wykes

The Minor in Human Nutrition is intended to complement a student's primary field of study by providing a focused introduction to the metabolic aspects of human nutrition. It is particularly accessible to students in Biochemistry, Biology, Physiology, Anatomy and Cell Biology, Microbiology and Immunology, Animal Science or Food Science programs. The completion of 24 credits is required, of which at least 18 must not overlap with the primary program. All courses must be taken in the appropriate sequence and passed with a minimum grade of C. Students may declare their intent to follow the Minor program at the beginning of their U2 year. They must then consult with the Academic Advisor for the Human Nutrition Minor in the School of Dietetics and Human Nutrition to obtain approval for their course selection. Since not all courses are offered every year and many have prerequisites, students are cautioned to plan their program in advance.

The Minor program does not carry professional recognition, therefore, it is not suitable for students wishing to become nutritionists or dietitians. However, successful completion may enable students to qualify for many post-graduate nutrition programs.

## Required Courses: 6 credits.

Complementary Courses: 18 or 19 credits

			CREDITS
<b>Required Cours</b>	es:		6
382-337B	Nut	rition Through Life	3
382-450A		earch Methods in Human utrition	3
Complementary	Cou	rses:	18 or 19
3 credits in bioch	emist	ry, one of:	
507-311A	(3)	Metabolic Biochemistry	
342-234B	(3)	Biochemistry II	
3 or 4 credits in p	hysic	ology, one of:	
342-323A	(4)	Mammalian Physiology	
552-210B	(3)	Mammalian Physiology II	
552-202B	(3)	Human Physiology: Body Fu	nctions
3 credits in nutrit	on, o	ne of:	
382-307A*	(3)	Human Nutrition	
342-330A	(3)	Fundamentals of Nutrition	
* students in Di 382-307 for 3		s or Nutrition Majors may not so 30	ubstitute
8 or 9 credits from	n the	following list:	
342-552A	(3)	Protein Metabolism and Nutr	ition
382-451A	(3)	Analysis of Nutrition Data	
382-436A	(2)	Nutritional Assessment	
382-551B	(3)	Carbohydrate and Lipid Meta	bolism
382-420A	(3)	Food Toxicants and Health R	isks
382-512A,B	(3)	Herbs, Foods and Phytocher	nicals
382-501A	(3)	Nutrition in Developing Coun	tries
382-406A	(3)	Ecology of Human Nutrition	

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382-430A,B(3)Directed Studies in Dietetics/Nutrition<br/>or 382-431D,N528-314B(3)Immunology<br/>or 391-438A526-300B(3)Human Disease

#### Notes:

- Most courses listed at the 300 level and higher have prerequisites. Although instructors may waive prerequisite(s) in some cases, students are urged to prepare their program of study well before their final year.
- Not all courses are available in any given year. Consult departmental listings for full course descriptions and offerings.

### 6.5 Department of Food Science and Agricultural Chemistry

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Varoujan Yaylayan

Adjunct Professors — Byong H. Lee, Yasuo Konishi, Andre Morin, J.R. Jocelyn Pare

## MAJOR IN FOOD SCIENCE

This program is intended for those students interested in the multidisciplinary field of Food Science. The courses are integrated to acquaint the student with food processing, food chemistry, quality assurance, analytical procedures, food products, standards and regulations. The program prepares graduates for employment as scientists in industry or government, in regulatory, research, quality assurance, or product development capacities. Graduates have the academic qualifications for membership in the Canadian Institute of Food Science and Technology and the Institute of Food Technologists. Graduates can also qualify for admission to the Ordre des chimistes du Québec by careful selection of additional courses.

### Required Courses: 66 credits.

**Electives:** selected in consultation with Academic Adviser, to meet the minimum 90-credit requirement for the degree. A portion of these credits should be in the humanities/social sciences.

		CREDITS
Required Co	66	
333-200A	Introduction to Food Science	3
333-211A,*	Biochemistry I	3
333-213A	Analytical Chemistry I	3
333-233B	Physical Chemistry	3
333-251B	Food Chemistry I	3
333-300A	Food Analysis I	3
333-305A	Food Chemistry II	3
333-310A	Post Harvest Fruit & Vegetable	3
	Technology	
333-315B	Food Analysis II	3
333-319B	Food Chemistry III	3
333-330B	Food Processing	3
333-334B	Analytical Chemistry II	3
333-400A	Food Packaging	3
333-410B	Flavour Chemistry	3
333-425B	Principles of Quality Assurance	3
333-495D,N	Food Science Seminar	3
336-251A,B	Microcomputer Applications	3
336-324A	Elements of Food Engineering	3
360-310A,B	Statistical Methods I	3
362-230B	The Microbial World	3

362-442AFood Microbiology and Sanitation3382-207A,BNutrition and Health3

\* Students who have not taken Chemistry 202 at CEGEP must take Organic Chemistry (333-230A) as a prerequisite for 333-211.

The following courses must be taken by students who wish to meet the course requirements for admission to the Ordre des chimistes du Québec.

333-212A	(2)	Biochemistry Laboratory
333-230A	(4)	Organic Chemistry
333-491D,N	(4)	Research Project
333-510B	(3)	Food Hydrocolloid Chemistry
338-301B	(3)	Biothermodynamics
or 338-303A	(3)	Advances in Atomic & Nuclear Science
338-405B	(3)	Tracer Techniques
344-306B	(3)	Biological Instrumentation

## 6.6 Interdisciplinary Studies

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#### MINOR IN ECOLOGICAL AGRICULTURE

Academic Adviser: Professor J. Henning

This Minor program is designed to focus on the principles underlying the practice of ecological agriculture and is suitable for students wishing to farm, do extension and government work, and those intending to pursue post graduate studies in this field. The Minor can be associated with existing Major programs in the Faculty, but in some instances it may require more than 90 credits to meet the requirements of both the Major and the Minor.

Students are advised to consult their Major Program adviser and the Academic Adviser of the Minor in their first year. At the time of registration for their penultimate year, students must declare their intent to obtain a Minor in Ecological Agriculture. With the agreement of their Major Program adviser they must submit their program of courses already taken, and to be taken in their final year, to the Academic Adviser of the Ecological Agriculture Minor. The Academic Adviser of the Ecological Agriculture Minor will then certify which courses the student will apply toward the Minor and that the student's program conforms with the requirements of the Minor.

#### **General Regulations**

To obtain a Minor in Ecological Agriculture, students must:

- a) ensure that their academic record at the University includes a C grade or higher in the courses as specified in the course requirements given below.
- b) offer a minimum total of 24 credits from the courses as given below, of which not more than 6 credits may be counted for both the Major and the Minor programs. This restriction does not apply to elective courses in the Major program.

**Required Courses:** 9 credits. These are the same as for the Certificate in Ecological Agriculture.

**Complementary Courses:** 15 credits. Courses are chosen from the same list as for the Certificate in Ecological Agriculture.

#### CERTIFICATE IN ECOLOGICAL AGRICULTURE

Academic Adviser: Professor J. Henning

This 30-credit Certificate Program is very similar to the Minor Program and is designed to focus on the principles underlying the practice of ecological agriculture. The Certificate may be of special interest to professional agrologists who wish further training, as well as formal recognition that they have completed a coherent program of courses beyond their B.Sc. studies.

Students holding a B.Sc. in agriculture or a related area are eligible to register for this program provided that they are otherwise acceptable for admission to the University. Students who have completed the Minor in Ecological Agriculture are not permitted to register for this program.

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#### **General Regulations**

To obtain a Certificate in Ecological Agriculture, students must offer a minimum total of 30 credits from the courses as given below.

Required Courses: 9 credits. Complementary Courses: 21 credits

Complemen	ntary	Courses: 21 credits.		
			CRED	-
Required Co			•	9
330-210B	•	-Ecological History	3	
330-250B		ciples of Ecological Agriculture	3	
330-430A	Ecol	ogical Agriculture Systems	3	
Complemer	ntary	Courses:		21
		from the following, in consultation		
		nic Adviser for Ecological Agriculture		
		dits chosen from:	3-6	
373-521B	(3)	Soil Microbiology & Biochemstry		
372-490J	(3)	Plan global de fertilisation		
		credits to be chosen from:	15-18	
260-270A	(3)	Ethics and the Environment		
330-435A	(3)	Soil and Water Quality		
		Management		
330-491G	(3)	Co-op Experience		
334-333A	(3)	Resource Economics		
344-205B	(3)	Principles of Ecology		
349-311B	(3)	Ethology		
350-452B	(3)	Biocontrol of Insect Pests		
367-300B	(3)	Cropping Systems		
367-361B	(3)	Pest Management & the Environm	ent	
367-434B	(3)	Weed Biology and Control		
367-460A	(3)	Plant Ecology		
373-331B	(3)	Microbial Ecology		
374-410A	(3)	The Forest Ecosystem		
375-375B	(3)	Issues in Environmental Sciences		
382-512B	(3)	Herbs and Phytochemicals		

#### Notes:

- 1) Most courses listed at the 300 level and higher have prerequisites. Although instructors may waive prerequisite(s) in some cases, students are urged to prepare their program of study to ensure that they have met all conditions.
- 2) Not all courses are available in any given year. Consult departmental listings for full course descriptions and offerings.
- 3) Students using 330-491G towards the requirements of the Certificate/Minor are limited to an experience on farms or other enterprises that are either organic, biodynamic, or practicing permaculture. The placement must be approved by the academic adviser for the Certificate/Minor.
- 4) 373-521B is an alternate year course.

## GENERAL AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE MAJOR

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The General Agricultural Science program is designed to provide a general scientific and applied background for modern agriculture without the requirements for a specialized program and to develop an appreciation of applied agriculture in its on-farm environment. Graduates of the General Agricultural Science major may be employed in agri-business, agricultural extension and communications, sales and marketing, teaching or farm management. This program leads to acreditation from the Ordre des agronomes du Québec.

Required Courses: 39 credits.

Complementary Courses: 40 credits.

Electives: selected in consultation with Academic Adviser, to meet the minimum 90-credit requirement for the degree.

	·	Ũ	CREDIT	S
Required Co	ourses:		3	9
330-495D,N	Seminar and Assignment		2	
333-211A	Biochemistry I		3	
334-200A	Principles of Microeconomics		3	

344-202B 352-300B 356-204A 360-310A,B 362-230B 367-211A 372-210A 373-330A	Cellul Comr Gene Statis The N Princi Princi Insec	ples of Animal Science3lar Biology3nunications - Extension Methods3tics4tical Methods I3Microbial World3ples of Plant Science3ples of Soil Science3t Biology3s in Environmental Sciences3	
Complement	-		40
at least one o			
342-323A	(4)	, ,,	
367-353B	(4)	Plant Structure and Function	
	3 cre	dits, one Animal Production course from	
the following:	$\langle 0 \rangle$	Data state a CAsta al David d'a a	
342-301A	(3)	Principles of Animal Breeding	
342-312B	(3)	••	
342-324A	(3)		
342-450A 342-452B	(3)		
		Beef Cattle and Sheep Production	
342-454B	(3)	Swine Production	
342-456A	(3)	Poultry Production	
	3 cre	dits, one Plant Production course from	
the following: 367-300B	(2)	Cropping Systems	
367-300B 367-305A	(3)	Cropping Systems	
367-310B	(3)		
367-322B	(3) (3)	Plant Propagation Greenhouse Cropping Systems	
367-331A	(3)	Field Crops	
367-341A,B			
367-342A,B			
367-343A,B			
367-344A,B			
367-345A,B	· · /	•	
367-346A,B	· · /	Horticulture – Temperate Tree Fruits	
367-347A,B	· · /	•	
367-421A	(3)	Landscape Plant Materials	
367-434B	(3)	Weed Biology and Control	
367-525B	(3)	Advanced Micropropagation	
a minimum of	3 cre	dits, one Soil Science course from the	
following:	0 010		
372-315B	(3)	Soil Fertility and Fertilizers	
372-326A	(3)	Soil Genesis and Classification	
372-331B	(3)	Soil Physics	
373-410B	(3)	Soil Chemistry	
372-490B	(3)	Plan global de fertilisation intégrée	
		(Continuing Education)	
372-521B	(3)	Soil Microbiology and Biochemistry	
a minimum of	3 cre	dits, one Agricultural Engineering course	
from the follow	wing:		
336-200B	(3)	Elements of Agricultural Engineering	
336-217B	(3)	Hydrology and Drainage	
336-314B	(3)	Agricultural Structures	
336-322A	(3)	Agro-Food Waste Management	
336-412A	(3)	Agricultural Machinery	
336-518A	(3)	Pollution Control for Agriculture	
		rse in Agricultural Economics	
334-230B	(3)	Economics of Marketing	
334-231B	(3)	Economic Systems of Agriculture	
334=320B	(3)	Economics of Agricultural Production	
334-331A	(3)	Farm Business Management	
334-350B	(3)	Agricultural Finance	
Academic Ad	viser	21 credits chosen in consultation with the from the 330, 334, 336, 338, 342, 350,	

367, 372 and 374 Teaching Units (see section 7).

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## 6.7 Department of Natural Resource Sciences

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- Assistant Professors Dominique Berteaux, Brian T. Driscoll, Chantal Hamel, Terry A. Wheeler
- Associate Members Laurie Chan, William D. Marshall, Greg T. Matlashewski, Donald L. Smith
- Adjunct Professors Robert Anderson, Frederick S. Archibald, Gilles Boiteau, Guy Boivin, Trevor C. Charles, Helene Chiasson, Jeffrey Cumming, Charles W. Greer, Thomas Herman, Henry R. Murkin, Marc St-Arnaud, Jean-Pierre Savard, Anton Scheuhammer, David Sergeant, Norman R. Seymour, Regis Simard, Thomas G. Smith, Ian Thompson, Charles Vincent, Frederick G. Whoriskey

## APPLIED ZOOLOGY MAJOR

Academic Adviser: Professor T. A. Wheeler

The great diversity of animals form the focus of this Major, from the invertebrates, with their many beneficial and pest insects, to vertebrates, including fish and wildlife. The interaction of animals with each other and with human populations is stressed. By careful course selection students may emphasize life in soils or water, entomology, physiology, parasitology or vertebrate biology and ecology. Career opportunities exist in both the public and private sectors in research, program development and implementation, pest control, wildlife management, etc.

#### Required Courses: 24 credits.

Complementary Courses: 28 or 29 credits.

**Electives:** to meet the minimum requirement of 90 credits; chosen in consultation with the Academic Adviser.

			CREDITS
Required Co	ourses	:	24
333-211A	Bioch	emistry I	3
333-212A	Bioch	emistry Laboratory	2
344-200A	Biolog	y of Organisms	3
344-202B	Cellul	ar Biology	3
344-205B	Princi	ples of Ecology	3
356-204A	Gene	tics	4
360-310A,B	Statis	tical Methods I	3
367-201B	Comp	arative Plant Biology	3
Complemen	ntary C	ourses:	28 or 29
An appropriate Seminar Course			2 or 3
plus a minim	um of 2	26 credits from the following:	26
342-323A	(4)	Mammalian Physiology	
349-307A	(3)	Natural History of the Vertebrat	es
349-308B	(3)	Comparative Morphology of the Vertebrates	9
349-311B	(3)	Ethology	
349-312A	(3)	Zoological Systematics and Evolution	
349-313B	(3)	Zoogeography	
349-424B	(3)	Parasitology	

350-335A	(3)	Soil Ecology and Management
373-330A	(3)	Insect Biology
373-496D,N	(3)	Project I
or 373-497D,	N (5)	Project II
375-401A	(3)	Fisheries and Wildlife Management
375-410B	(3)	Wildlife Ecology
375-420A	(3)	Topics in Ornithology
375-475B	(3)	Desert Ecology

The following Zoology courses from the Downtown Campus may be substituted for those in the above list of Macdonald Campus Complementary Courses with the prior permission of the Academic Adviser and the Macdonald Committee on Academic Standing. When selecting electives, students are encouraged to consult with their Academic Adviser.

## Department of Biology (Downtown Campus) Courses:

177-307B	(3)	Behavioural Ecology and Sociobiology
177-327A	(3)	Herpetology
177-331A	(3)	Ecology and Behaviour Field Course
177-334E	(3)	Field Course, Applied Tropical Ecology
177-335T	(3)	Marine Mammals
177-336C	(3)	Marine Aquaculture
177-337C	(3)	Ecology and Behaviour of Fishes
177-351B	(3)	The Biology of Invertebrates
177-352B	(3)	Vertebrate Evolution
177-437A	(3)	Advanced Invertebrate Zoology
177-442B	(3)	Marine Biology

## MACDONALD SUMMER FIELD SEMESTER: HUMAN IMPACTS ON THE ENVIRONMENT

Four courses are available during Summer Session that provide students the opportunity to participate in supervised field research concerning flora and fauna not easily studied at other times of the year, and to apply knowledge from the classroom to environmental issues in the field.

Common thematic elements include: the linkages between physical, biological and human systems, field research, and human impacts on the environment. Students learn and apply research techniques and analytical skills within a multi-disciplinary, holistic approach.

## Summer Session Courses: (May 25 - July 31)

373-381C (3) Field Research Methods

373-382L (3) Ecological Monitoring & Analysis

373-383L (3) Land Use: Redesign & Planning

373-384L (3) Field Research Project

For more information, please consult the McGill Summer Studies Calendar, the Summer Studies Website (http://www.mcgill.ca/Summer/), or the Faculty Website (http://www.agrenv.mcgill.ca).

## ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY MAJOR

Academic Advisers: Professors J. Fyles (U1), M.E. Rau (U2), D.J. Lewis (U3)

This program provides scientists with basic knowledge in Biology and strong emphasis in Ecology. As ecologists they will be equipped to investigate the scientific aspects of the relationships between organisms and their environment.

## Required Courses: 29 credits.

Complementary Courses: 30 credits.

**Electives:** To meet the minimum requirements of 90 credits for the degree.

		CREDITS
Required Co	29	
333-211A	Biochemistry I	3
333-212A	Biochemistry Laboratory	2
344-200A	Biology of Organisms	3
344-202B	Cellular Biology	3
344-205B	Principles of Ecology	3
344-495D,N	Environmental Biology Seminar	2
356-204A	Genetics	4
360-310A,B	Statistical Methods I	3

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367-201B 375-375B		parative Plant Biology es in Environmental Sciences	3 3	
375-375B Complemen a minimum o	lssue f 30 c with ti (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3)	es in Environmental Sciences <b>Courses:</b> redits selected from the following list in he Academic Adviser Introductory Meteorology Natural History of the Vertebrates Ethology Zoogeography Science of Inland Waters Mathematical Methods in Ecology The Microbial World	3 30	)
375-401A 375-410B 375-437B 375-475B	(4) (3) (3) (3)	Wildlife Ecology Assessing Environmental Impact Desert Ecology		

With the permission of the Academic Adviser, ecological or environmental courses offered on the Downtown Campus may be substituted for those appearing in the above list of Complementary Courses.

## ENVIRONMENTAL FORESTRY MINOR

## Academic Adviser: Professor B. Côté

The Minor allows students to specialize in the environmental aspects of forests and forestry. The program will be of particular interest to students in environmental science disciplines wishing to pursue careers in the forest industry; with government organizations regulating forest-based activities such as fibre production, recreation, wildlife management, and conservation; in private consultancy relating to the environmental aspects of forest management; or those wishing to undertake graduate degrees in fields relating to forest ecology. The Minor can be associated with any of the Majors in the Faculty but more than 90 credits may be necessary to meet the course requirements for both the Major and Minor.

Students are advised to consult their Major Program adviser and the Academic Adviser of the Minor in their first year. At the time of registration for their penultimate year, students must declare their intent to obtain a Minor in Environmental Forestry. With the agreement of their Major Program adviser they must submit their program of courses already taken, and to be taken in their final year, to the Academic Adviser of the Environmental Forestry Minor. The Academic Adviser of the Environmental Forestry Minor will then certify which courses the student will apply toward the Minor and that the student's program conforms with the requirements of the Minor.

## **General Regulations**

To obtain a Minor in Environmental Forestry, students must:

- a) ensure that their academic record at the University includes a C grade or higher in the courses as specified in the course requirements given below.
- b) offer a minimum total of 23 credits from the courses as given below, of which not more than 6 credits may be counted for both the Major and the Minor programs. This restriction does not apply to elective courses in the Major program.

## Required Courses: 14 credits.

Complementary Courses: 9 credits.

			CRED	ITS
Required C	ourses:			14
374-300A	Urban F	orests and Trees	3	
374-410A	The For	est Ecosystem	3	
374-420B	Environr	mental Issues in Forestry	3	
374-441B	Integrate	ed Forest Management	3	
375-415A	Conserv	ration Law	2	
Compleme	ntary Cou	irses:		9
		the following list in consultation	n with	
the Academ	ic Adviser	for the Minor		
260-270A	(3)	Ethics and the Environment		
334-333A	(3)	Resource Economics		
367-353B	(3)	Plant Structure and Function		
367-358A	(3)	Flowering Plant Diversity		
367-421A	(3)	Landscape Plant Materials		
367-451A	(3)	Plant Ecology		
372-326A	(3)	Soil Genesis and Classificatio	n	
373-496D,	N (3)	Project I		
375-310B	(3)	Air Photo and Imagery Interpr	etation	
or 183-308	3B (3)	Remote Sensing		
336-330B	(3)	GIS for Biosystems Managem	ent	
or 183-201	IB (3)	GIS I		
375-401A	4	Fisheries and Wildlife Manage	ement	

#### Notes:

375-437B

177-555L

 Most courses listed at the 300 level and higher have prerequisites. Although instructors may waive prerequisite(s) in some cases, students are urged to prepare their program of study well before their final year.

Assessing Environmental Impact

Functional Ecology of Trees

Not all courses are available in any given year. Consult departmental listings for full course descriptions and offerings.

#### **MICROBIOLOGY MAJOR**

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Academic Advisers: Professors D. Niven (U1), B.T. Driscoll (U2), E. Idziak (U3)

Students receive training in fundamental principles and applied aspects of Microbiology. Successful graduates are competent to work in university, government and industrial research laboratories and in the pharmaceutical, fermentation and food industries.

#### Required Courses: 60 credits.

Electives: to meet the minimum requirement of 90 credits for the degree; chosen in consultation with the Academic Adviser.

		UNED	10
Required Co		60	
333-211A	Biochemistry I	3	
333-212A	Biochemistry laboratory	2	
344-200A	Biology of Organisms	3	
344-202B	Cellular Biology	3	
344-205B	Principles of Ecology	3	
349-424B	Parasitology	3	
356-204A	Genetics	4	
360-310A,B	Statistical Methods I	3	
362-200A	Laboratory Methods in Microbiology	3	
362-230B	The Microbial World	3	
362-337D,N	Frontiers in Microbiology	1	
362-341A	Mechanisms of Pathogenicity	3	
362-492D,N	Project	5	
362-495D,N	Seminar	3	
367-201B	Comparative Plant Biology	3	
373-331B	Microbial Ecology	3	
373-338A	Molecular Biology of Microorganisms	3	
373-442A	Food Microbiology and Sanitation	3	
391-400B	Eukaryotic Cells and Viruses	3	
391-438A	Immunology	3	

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## **RESOURCE CONSERVATION MAJOR**

Academic Adviser: Professor B. Côté

The Major prepares students to deal with problems in integrated resource management and environmental protection with the objective of making optimal use of natural resources under any given set of economic, social and ecological conditions. Students follow a series of required courses and select complementary courses on physical, biological, soil and aquatic resources from approved lists on each of these themes.

## Required Courses: 25 credits

Complementary Courses: 33 credits.

**Electives:** to meet the minimum 90-credit requirement for the degree.

degree.			CREDI	т٩
Required Courses:				25
333-211A		chemistry I	3	
334-200A		ciples of Microeconomics	3	
334-333A	Res	source Economics	3	
344-205B	Prin	ciples of Ecology	3	
349-315A	Scie	ence of Inland Waters	3	
372-200B		oduction to Earth Science	3	
372-210A		ciples of Soil Science	3	
375-437B		essing Environmental Impact	2	
375-491D,N	Sen	ninar	2	
Complement	anv C	Sources:	min.	22
Complementa 367-201B	(3)	Comparative Plant Biology	3	33
or 367-211A		Principles of Plant Science	5	
360-310A,B	(3)	Statistical Methods I	3	
or 189-203A		Principles of Statistics I	0	
At least two of			6	
336-214A	(3)	Surveying	0	
336-217B	(3)	Hydrology and Drainage		
or 183-322A		Hydrology		
336-416A	(3)	Engineering for Land		
	(3)	Development		
338-201A	(3)	Introductory Meteorology		
375-333A	(3)	Physical and Biological Aspects of Pollution		
At least three	of the	e following:	9 or 10	
177-365A <sup>1</sup>	(3)	Conservation Biology		
350-335A	(3)	Soil Ecology and Management		
360-306A	(3)	Mathematical Methods in Ecolog	IУ	
367-358A	(3)	Flowering Plant Diversity		
373-331B	(3)	Microbial Ecology		
374-410A	(3)	The Forest Ecosystem		
375-401A	(4)	Fisheries and Wildlife Management		
At least three	of the	5	9	
330-435A	(3)	Soil and Water Quality Management	-	
372-315B	(3)	Soil Fertility and Fertilizers		
372-326A	(3)	Soil Genesis and Classification		
372-331B	(3)	Soil Physics		
372-410B	(3)	Soil Chemistry		
373-521B	(3)	Soil Microbiology and		
	(-)	Biochemistry		
At least one of	f the	-	3	
183-210B <sub>1</sub>	(3)	Geographical Information Systems		
336-350B	(3)	GIS & Biosystems		
375-310B	(3)	Air Photo and Imagery Interpreta	ation	
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Note: Other courses on the Downtown Campus may be equivalent to some required courses; consult the Academic Adviser.

## SOIL SCIENCE MAJOR

Academic Adviser: Professor Mehuys

Students Majoring in Soil Science gain an understanding of the nature of soils, in terms of their physical, biological, biochemical, and chemical properties, and of survey and management techniques which promote their sustained fertility, productivity, and conservation. Students may choose to take a specialized orientation related to either soils and crops, or soil and water conservation. The first option is more biologically oriented, while the second is concerned more with resource management and environmental protection. The Soil Science Major qualifies the graduate for membership in l'Ordre des agronomes du Québec and professional agrologist organizations in the other provinces.

## Required Courses, 41 credits.

**Complementary Courses:** 21 - 23 credits, selected from an approved list in consultation with the Academic Adviser –

Soils and Crops Option: 21 credits

Soil Conservation Option 21-23 credits

Electives: to meet the minimum requirement of 90 credits for the degree.

		C	REDI	TS
Required Co	urses	S:		41
334-200A I	Princi	ples of Microeconomics	3	
334-231B I	Econ	omic Systems of Agriculture	3	
338-201A	Introd	luctory Meteorology	3	
342-250A	Princi	ples of Animal Science	3	
360-310A,B	Statis	tical Methods I	3	
362-230B	The N	/licrobial World	3	
367-211A	Princi	ples of Plant Science	3	
		luction to Earth Science	3	
	Princi	ples of Soil Science	3	
		ertility and Fertilizers	3	
		Senesis and Classification	3	
		Physics	3	
		Chemistry	3	
375-491D,N		5	2	
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Complement			21 -	23
		d Crops Option		
or the Soil Co	nserv	ration Option		
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Soils and Cro	pps C	ption	21-	23
	om th	ne following courses:	9	
330-430A		Ecological Agriculture Systems		
367-300B	(3)	Cropping Systems		
367-322B	(3)	Greenhouse Management		
367-331A	(3)	Field Crops		
367-341A,B	· · /			
367-342A,B	· · /	Horticulture - Perennial Vegetable Cr	ops	
367-343A,B	· · /			
367-344A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Salad Crops		
367-345A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Solanaceous Crops		
367-346A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Temperate Tree Fruits		
367-347A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Small Fruits		
367-434B	(3)	Weed Biology and Control		
Four of the fol	lowin	g courses:		
260-270A	(3)	Ethics and the Environment		
330-435A	(3)	Soil and Water Quality Management		
333-211A	(3)	Biochemistry I		
336-251A,B	(3)	Microcomputer Applications		
344-202B	(3)	Cellular Biology		
350-452B	(3)	Biocontrol of Insect Pests		
356-204A	(4)	Genetics		
367-305A	(3)	Plant Pathology		
367-353B	(4)	Plant Structure and Function		
367-358A	(3)	Flowering Plant Diversity		
367-460A	(3)	Plant Ecology		
373-331B	(3)	Microbial Ecology		
373-521B	(3)	Soil Microbiology and Biochemistry		
374-441B	(3)	Integrated Forest Management		
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Soil Conservation Option 21				
Three of the following courses:			9	
330-250B	(3)	Principles of Ecological Agriculture		
330-430A	(3)	Ecological Agriculture Systems		
330-435A	(3)	Soil and Water Quality Management		
336-217B	(3)	Hydrology and Drainage		
336-416A	(3)	Engineering for Land Development		
373-521B	(3)	Soil Microbiology and Biochemistry		
Four of the foll	lowin	g courses:	12	
260-270A	(3)	Ethics and the Environment		
336-214A	(3)	Surveying		
336-251A,B	(3)	Microcomputer Applications		
336-330B	(3)	GIS for Biosystems Management		
344-205B	(3)	Principles of Ecology		
373-331B	(3)	Microbial Ecology		
374-410A	(3)	The Forest Ecosystem		
374-441B	(3)	Integrated Forest Management		
375-310B	(3)	Air Photo and Imagery Interpretation		
375-333A	(3)	Physical & Biological Aspects of Pollution		
375-415A	(3)	Conservation Law		
375-437B	(3)	Assessing Environmental Impact		

## WILDLIFE BIOLOGY MAJOR

Academic Advisers: Professors D. Berteaux (U1), D. Bird (U2), M. Curtis (U3) Sept. - Dec. 2000 R. Titman (U3) Jan. - August 2001

This program emphasizes understanding the ecology of vertebrate animals, their biological and physical environment and the interactions which are important in the management of ecological communities and wildlife species. Employment opportunities exist in resource planning, nature interpretation, wildlife management and environmental impact assessment. By careful course selection students may may meet requirements for certification by the Wildlife Society.

Required Courses: 34 credits.

Complementary Courses: 26 credits.

Electives: to meet the requirement of 90 credits for the degree.

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		CREDITS
Required Co	ourses:	34
333-211A	Biochemistry I	3
344-200A	Biology of Organisms	3
344-205B	Principles of Ecology	3
349-307A	Natural History of the Vertebrates	3
356-204A	Genetics	4
360-310A,B	Statistical Methods I	3
367-201B	Comparative Plant Biology	3
367-358A	Flowering Plant Diversity (Prereg: 344-201B)	3
375-401A	Fisheries and Wildlife Management (Prereq: 367-460A)	4
375-410B	Wildlife Ecology	3
375-491D,N	Seminar or appropriate substitute	2
Complemen	tary Courses:	26

## **Complementary Courses:**

a minimum of 26 credits, 20 of which shuld be at the 300 level or above, selected from the following list in consultation with the Academic Adviser 170-200A The Global Environment (3) 170-201A (3) Society and Environment

- 170-202B The Evolving Earth (3)
- 177-203A Knowledge, Ethics and Environment (3)
- 334-333A Resource Economics (3)
- 338-201A Introductory Meteorology (3)
- 342-323A (4) Mammalian Physiology
- 349-308B Comparative Morphology of the Vertebrates (3)349-311B (3)Ethology
- 349-315A Science of Inland Waters (3)

349-424B	(3)	Parasitology
352-300B	(3)	Communication - Extension Methods
360-306A	(3)	Mathematical Methods in Ecology
367-460A	(3)	Plant Ecology
373-421B	(3)	Topics in Wildlife Conservation
373-496D,N	(3)	Project I
or 373-497D,N	(5) ا	Project II
374-420B	(3)	Environmental Issues in Forestry
374-441B	(3)	Integrated Forest Management
375-375B	(3)	Issues in Environmental Science
375-382A	(3)	Fish and Wildlife Propagation
375-415A	(2)	Conservation Law
375-420A	(3)	Topics in Ornithology
375-437B	(3)	Assessing Environmental Impact
375-475B	(3)	Desert Ecology
382-361B	(3)	Environmental Toxicology
Department of	Biolo	ogy (Downtown Campus) Courses:
177-305B	(3)	Biodiversity of Life
177-307B	(3)	Behavioural Ecology/Sociobiology
177-327A	(3)	Herpetology
177-331A	(3)	Ecology/Behaviour Field Course
177-334E	(3)	Field Course, Applied Tropical Ecology
177-335T	(3)	Marine Mammals
177-336C	(3)	Marine Aquaculture
177-337C	(3)	Ecology and Behaviour of Fishes
177-352B	(3)	Vertebrate Evolution
177-354B	(3)	Biology of Birds
177-365A	(3)	Conservation Biology
177-442B	(3)	Marine Biology
177-470B	(3)	Lake Management

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The Department of Plant Science administers Majors in Botanical Science and Plant Science. (Full descriptions of these Majors are available at http://www.agrenv.mcgill.ca/plant/undergrad.htm. A minimum of 90 credits is needed to complete each Major. It is recommended that students take organic chemistry prior to entering these Majors.

## **BOTANICAL SCIENCE MAJOR**

Academic Adviser: Professor D.J. Donnelly

The Botanical Science Major offers two options for those interested in working with plants, one emphasizing the ecology of plants and their environment and the other emphasizing the physiology and molecular biology of plants. The Ecology Option emphasizes ecology, conservation, and environmental sciences. The Molecular Option emphasizes molecular genetics, plant improvement, and biotechnology. These two options form bota-

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nists prepared for exciting careers in the knowledge economy. Graduates are finding employment within private industries, government services, consulting, teaching, and many have gone on to do postgraduate research. These programs can be completed entirely on the Macdonald Campus or one semester can be spent taking courses on the Downtown Campus during the final year.

# Required Courses: 42 credits.

Complementary Courses: 18 credits, selected from an approved list in consultation with the Academic Adviser; taken in either the Ecology or the Molecular Option.

Electives: to meet the minimum requirement of 90 credits for the dearee.

Note: courses marked with an asterisk (\*) are offered on the Downtown Campus.

		CREDITS			
Required C	42				
333-211A	Biochemistry I	3			
344-200A	Biology of Organisms	3			
344-202B	Cellular Biology	3			
344-205B	Principles of Ecology	3			
356-204A	Genetics	4			
360-310B	Statistical Methods I	3			
367-201B	Comparative Plant Biology	3			
367-220A	Introduction to Vascular Plants	1			
367-221A	Introduction to Fungi	1			
367-353B	Plant Structure and Function	4			
367-358A	Flowering Plant Diversity	3			
367-458A	Flowering Plant Systematics	3			
367-460A	Plant Ecology	3			
367-490D,N	Project	3			
367-495D,N	Seminar	2			
Complementary Courses 18					

## omplementary Courses

Either the Ecology Option or the Molecular Option

#### **Ecology Option:**

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at least 12 credits must be chosen from the following:				
330-250B	(3)	Principles of Ecological Agriculture		
349-315A	(3)	Science of Inland Waters		
360-306A	(3)	Mathematical Methods in Ecology		
373-331B	(3)	Microbial Ecology		
374-410A	(3)	The Forest Ecosystem		
374-420B	(3)	Environmental Issues in Forestry		
375-415A	(2)	Conservation Law		
375-437B	(3)	Assessing Environmental Impact		
*177-324A	(3)	Ecological Genetics		
*177-331A	(3)	Ecology and Behaviour Field Course		
*177-334E	(3)	Field course in Applied Tropical Ecology		
*177-365A	(3)	Conservation Biology		
*177-483B	(3)	Stat. Approaches in Ecology and Evolution		
*183-350A	(3)	Ecological Biogeography		

the remaining credits, if any, to be chosen from Molecular Option Complementary Course list or from the General Complementary Course list given below.

## Molecular Option:

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at least 12 cre	edits n	nust be	chosen	from the	following:
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333-212A	(2)	Biochemistry Laboratory
344-306B	(3)	Biological Instrumentation
356-500A,B	(3)	Plant Molecular Genetics
356-501B	(3)	Plant Molecular Biology and Genetics
362-200A	(3)	Laboratory Methods in Microbiology
362-230B	(3)	Microbial World
367-525B	(3)	Advanced Micropropagation
367-535B	(3)	Plant Breeding
373-338A	(3)	Bacterial Molecular Genetics
391-400B	(3)	Eukaryotic Cells and Viruses
391-501A,B	(3)	Bioinformatics
*177-301A,B	3(3)	Laboratory in Molecular and Cellular Biology
*177-303B	(3)	Developmental Biology

\*177-333B (3) Plant Biotechnology

the remaining credits, if any, to be chosen from Ecology Option Complementary Course list or from the General Complementary Course list given below.

#### BOTANICAL SCIENCE MAJOR. **GENERAL COMPLEMENTARY COURSES:**

267 2154 (1) Orientation in Plant Science

367-215A	(1)	Orientation in Plant Science
367-304B	(3)	Biology of Fungi
367-305A	(3)	Plant Pathology
367-310A,B	(3)	Plant Propagation
367-434B	(3)	Weed Biology and Control
367-450A,B	(2)	Special Topics Plant Science
367-451A,B	(3)	Special Topics Plant Science
372-210A	(3)	Principles of Soil Science
382-512A	(3)	Herbs, Food, and Phytochemicals
*177-555L	(3)	Functional Ecology of Trees

## PLANT SCIENCE MAJOR

Academic Adviser: Professor K.A.Stewart

The Plant Science Major offers intensive training in agricultural plant science. Comprehensive studies are offered in all aspects of biology and production practices related to important crop plant species. Studies include laboratory, greenhouse, and field exposure relating to agronomic, horticultural, or field crop development, production and management. Graduates are eligible to apply for membership in l'Ordre des agronomes du Québec (OAQ) and the Agricultural Institute of Canada (AIC). Graduates rapidly find employment in agricultural industries, government services, extension, consulting, teaching, or go on to do postgraduate research.

## Required Courses: 46 credits

Complementary Courses: 21 credits.

Electives: Chosen in consultation with the Academic Adviser, to meet the minimum 90 credit requirement for the degree.

			CRED	ITS
Required Co	ourse	S:		46
333-211A	Bioch	nemistry I	3	
342-250A	Princ	iples of Animal Science	3	
356-204A	Gene	4		
360-310A	Statis	3 3		
362-230B	Micro	Microbial World		
367-211A	Princ	iples of Plant Science	3	
367-300B	Crop	ping Systems	3	
367-305A	Plant	Pathology	3	
367-310A	Plant	Propagation	3	
367-353B	Plant	Structure and Function	4	
367-358A	Flow	ering Plant Diversity	3	
367-434B	Weed	d Biology and Control	3	
367-495D,N	Semi	nar	2	
372-210A	Princ	iples of Soil Science	3	
372-315B	Soil F	Fertility and Fertilizers	3	
Complemen	tary (	Courses:		21
one of:			3	
350-452B	(3)	Biocontrol of Insect Pests		
373-330A	(3)	Insect Biology		
6 credits in e	conor	nics, accounting or management	6	
		12 credits selected from the course	12	
list given bel				
333-310A	(3)	Postharvest Fruit & Vegetable Tec	hnology	/
367-215A	(1)	Orientation in Plant Sciences		
367-220A	(1)	Introduction to Vascular Plants		
367-221A	(1)	Introduction to Fungi		
367-322B	(3)	Greenhouse Management		
367-331A	(3)	Field Crops		
367-341A,B	(1)	Horticulture - the Alliums	~	
367-342A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Perennial Vegetable	Crops	
367-343A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Root Crops		
367-344A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Salad Crops		

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367-345A,B	(1)	Horticulture - Solanaceous Crops
367-346A	(1)	Horticulture - Temperate Tree Fruits
367-347A	(1)	Horticulture - Small Fruits
367-348A,B	(1)	Horticulture - the Brassicas
367-421A	(3)	Landscape Plant Materials
367-460A	(3)	Plant Ecology
367-535B	(3)	Plant Breeding

## MINOR IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

Academic Adviser: Professor K. A. Stewart

This Minor program is designed to allow students in non-agricultural production Majors to receive credit for courses in agricultural production and to stimulate "cross over" studies. The Minor can be associated with existing Major programs in the Faculty, but in some instances it may require more than 90 credits to meet the requirements of both the Major and the Minor.

Students are advised to consult their Major Program adviser and the Academic Adviser of the Minor in their first year. At the time of registration for their penultimate year, students must declare their intent to obtain a Minor in Agricultural Production. With the agreement of their Major Program adviser they must submit their program of courses already taken, and to be taken in their final year, to the Academic Adviser of the Agricultural Production Minor. The Academic Adviser of the Agricultural Production Minor will then certify which courses the student will apply toward the Minor and that the student's program conforms with the requirements of the Minor.

#### **General Regulations**

To obtain a Minor in Agricultural Production, students must:

- a) ensure that their academic record at the University includes a C grade or higher in the courses as specified in the course requirements given below.
- b) offer a minimum total of 24 credits from the courses as given below, of which not more than 6 credits may be counted for both the Major and the Minor programs. This restriction does not apply to elective courses in the Major program.

## Required Courses: 12 credits

Complementary Courses: 12 credits.

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Required Courses:			
342-250A	Principles of Animal Science	3	
367-211A	Principles of Plant Science	3	
367-300B	Cropping Systems	3	
372-210A	Principles of Soil Science	3	
Complementary Courses:			2

12 credits chosen from the following list in consultation with the Academic Adviser for the Minor:

342-450A (3)	Dairy Cattle Production
342-452B (3)	Beef and Sheep Production
342-454B (3)	Swine Production
342-456A (3)	Poultry Production
367-331A (3)	Field Crops
367-341A,B (1)	Horticulture - the Alliums
367-342A,B (1)	Horticulture - Perennial Vegetable Crops
367-343A,B (1)	Horticulture - Root Crops
367-344A,B (1)	Horticulture - Salad Crops
367-345A,B (1)	Horticulture - Solanaceous Crops
367-346A,B (1)	Horticulture - Temperate Tree Fruits
367-347A,B (1)	Horticulture - Small Fruits
367-348A,B (1)	Horticulture - the Brassicas

### Notes:

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- Most courses listed at the 300 level and higher have prerequisites. Although instructors may waive prerequisite(s) in some cases, students are urged to prepare their program of study well before their final year.
- Not all courses are available in any given year. Consult departmental listings for full course descriptions and offerings.

# 7. Course Descriptions

Courses are listed numerically by prefix. For courses in the following areas, consult listings with the appropriate prefix:

Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering - 336 (page 450) Animal Science - 342 (page 453) Biology - 344 (page 453) Biotechnology - 394 (page 461) Economics - 334 (page 449) English - 348 (page 454) Entomology - 350 (page 454) and 373 Ethics - 260 (page 448) Extension - 352 (page 454) Food Science and Agricultural Chemistry - 333 (page 448) Forest Resources - 374 (page 458) General Agriculture - 330 (page 448) Genetics - 356 (page 454) Mathematics - 360 (page 455) McGill School of Environment - 170 (page 446) Microbiology - 362 and 373 (page 455) Natural Resource Sciences - 373 (page 457) Nutrition and Dietetics - 382 (page 459) Parasitology - 391 (page 461) Physics - 338 (page 452) Plant Science - 367 (page 457) Renewable Resources - 375 (page 458) Soil Science - 372 and 373 (page 457) Zoology - 349 (page 454)

All pre- and co-requisites in a course sequence leading to a more advanced course must be successfully completed before registration will be permitted in the advanced course.

The course credit weight appears in parentheses (#) after the name.

- Denotes courses not offered in 2000-01.
- ★ Denotes courses offered only in alternate years.

□ Denotes limited enrolment.

# 8.1 Environment

**170-200A THE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT.** (3) A systems approach to study the different components of the environment involved in global climate change: the atmosphere, biosphere, hydrosphere, and lithosphere. The interactions among these components. Their role in global climate change. The human dimension to global change. *Section 01 - Downtown Campus* 

Section 51 - Macdonald Campus

**170-201A,B SOCIETY AND ENVIRONMENT.** (3) An introduction to human societies and their relations with the biophysical environment, focusing on how economy, technology, and institutions interact to give rise to environmental problems. Analytical treatment of key concepts from distinct disciplinary perspectives in the social and life sciences, including "carrying capacity", "renewable resources", "environmental equity", and "sustainability". *Section 01 - Downtown Campus* 

Section 51 - Macdonald Campus

**170-202B THE EVOLVING EARTH.** (3) Formation of the earth and the evolution of life. How geological and biological change are the consequence of history, chance, and necessity acting over different scales of space and time. General principles governing the formation of modern landscapes and biotas. Effects of human activities on natural systems. *Section 01 - Downtown Campus* 

Section 51 - Macdonald Campus

**170-203A,B KNOWLEDGE, ETHICS AND ENVIRONMENT.** (3) Introduction to cultural perspectives on the environment: the influence of culture and cognition on perceptions of the natural world; conflicts in orders of knowledge (models, taxonomies, paradigms, the-

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