

Referred to SCAD and SBRC

**Senate Committee on Academic Development  
and  
Senate Budget Review Committee**

**Program Approval Submission 2008-09**

*This form is to be used when seeking approval for all new or substantially revised programs of study leading to a degree, diploma or certificate*

**FACULTY/SCHOOL: FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE**

**PROPOSED NEW PROGRAM: CERTIFICATE IN GEOGRATE IN**

## PART A

### 1. **OBJECTIVES:**

Please summarize the rationale for introducing this program. The program should be consistent with the Queen's mission, the academic plans of the unit including its teaching and research strengths, the relation of the unit with other academic units and the standards, educational goals and learning objectives of the degree. Explain how this program will achieve the expected academic quality. Please identify the Faculty, School or Department, which will be administratively responsible for the academic aspects of this program such as supervision of graduate students, curriculum development and the Internal Academic Review Process.

Due to a reduction in operating budgets for Geography (GPHY) and the Geographic Information Science (GISCI) Program, we have been forced to scale back our course offerings in geographic information science. This is a function of a lack of resources for additional sessional and adjunct teaching. As a result, we will no longer be able to offer GISCI medials with Geography, Biology or Geology. We are now only able to offer a BA MIN and a BSC GEN. However, to enhance the profile of geographic information science throughout the university, we are proposing to offer the **Certificate in Geographic Information Science** at Queen's. This will provide students with the opportunity to graduate with a **Certificate in Geographic Information Science** as a result, we will

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Ms. G. Moore  
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Dear Ms. Moore:

Please find enclosed a request on behalf of members of the Department of Anesthesiology requesting the name of the department be changed to the "Department of "Anesthesiology and Perioperative Medicine." A letter to Dean Walker from J. Parlow, Head of the Department of Anesthesiology along with a briefing note detailing reasons for the proposed name change is attached as supporting documentation.

The request has been reviewed by the departmental committee and the committee's recommendations have been incorporated in a letter. The request has been approved by our School of Medicine Executive, School of Medicine Academic Council and Faculty Board. The motion approving the name change to the Department of Anesthesiology and Perioperative Medicine by Faculty Board is,

"K. Nakatsu moved and seconded by T. Massey that Board approve and forward to Senate for their consideration that the name of the Department of Anesthesiology be changed to the Department of Anesthesiology and Perioperative Medicine."

CARRIED

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours sincerely,

David R. Edgar  
Secretary, Faculty Board

Encl.