

2020-21 Amendments

Global Professional Law

Amended on July 9, 2020.

Noted a temporary suspension of admissions to the **Law of Leadership concentration** in the Global Professional Master of Laws (GPLLM) program.

Public Health

Amended on July 29, 2020.

- Renumbered CHL 5221H *Introduction to Qualitative Research* to CHL 5811H.
- Changed the course type of CHL 5603Y *Social, Political, and Scientific Issues in Family Medicine* from continuous to regular.

Classics

Amended on November 11, 2020.

Removed the following sentence from the PhD Advanced-Standing Option: "Students admitted with advanced standing are exempt from the qualifying examinations."

Museum Studies

Amended on November 18, 2020.

Removed the following sentence from the program requirements: "Before the end of their program, students whose primary language is English will be required to demonstrate a reading knowledge of a second language (preferably French) by means of a written exam and achieve a minimum grade of 70%."

Financial Economics

Amended on November 25, 2020.

Effective July 1, 2021.

- The start date of the Master of Financial Economics program has changed from September 1 to July 2, 2021.
- The program length has increased from 4 to 5 sessions, with a typical registration sequence of S/F/W/S/F.
- The number of required full-course equivalents (FCEs) has increased from 6.0 to 6.5 FCEs, with the addition of ECO 1010H.

Health Informatics

Amended on November 25, 2020.

Effective January 1, 2021.

Replaced the required course INF 1003H *Information Systems, Services, and Design* with the new course MHI 2019H *Health Information Systems, Services, and Design* in both the regular and executive options.

Sessional Dates

Amended on December 1, 2020.

Updated the sessional dates as per the [President's announcement](#).

Original: December 18: Recommended tuition fee payment deadline for students registering or starting their program in the Winter session (i.e., those who were not registered in the previous Fall session) to ensure payment is received by the registration deadline of January 18, and to avoid cancellation of registration and course enrolment. International students must make a payment by this date to ensure they are covered by UHIP at the beginning of January ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾

Amended: December 18: Recommended tuition fee payment deadline for students registering or starting their program in the Winter session (i.e., those who were not registered in the previous Fall session) to ensure payment is received by the registration deadline of January 25, and to avoid cancellation of registration and course enrolment. International students must make a payment by this date to ensure they are covered by UHIP at the beginning of January ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾

Original: M January 18: Final date to add Winter session courses.

Amended: M January 18: Final date to add Winter session courses for most students. Due to the varying Winter 2021 course start dates, this deadline may be different for students in some programs. Please consult with your graduate unit.

Original: M January 18: Registration deadline for students registering or starting their program in the Winter (January to April) session; after this date, a late registration fee will be assessed. Minimum required payment due (unpaid fees from previous session[s] + 100% of current Winter session tuition fee charges) ⁽²⁾

Amended: M January 25: Registration deadline for students registering or starting their program in the Winter (January to April) session; after this date, a late registration fee will be assessed. Minimum required payment due (unpaid fees from previous session[s] + 100% of current Winter session tuition fee charges) ⁽²⁾

Original: M February 22: Final date to drop full-year and Winter session courses without academic penalty ⁽⁸⁾

Amended: M March 1: Final date to drop full-year and Winter session courses without academic penalty ⁽⁸⁾

General Regulations

December 1, 2020
Effective September 2020.

Updated the application fee from \$120 to \$125.

Human Development

Amended on December 1, 2020.
Effective August 2020.

This collaborative specialization has closed.

Health Policy, Management and Evaluation

Amended on January 4, 2021
Effective September 2020.

Master of Science Program: Concentration in Health Services Research

Updated the program requirements of the **thesis option**.

- Specified the required health services research courses (1.0 full-course equivalent [FCE] in total): HAD 5011H and 0.5 FCE from other health services research courses.

Emphasis: Health Policy

Updated the program requirements.

Original:

Students must complete 2.0 FCEs as follows:

- 0.5 FCE from the following list:
 - CHL 5300H *Public Health Policy*
 - CHL 5308H *Tools and Approaches for Public Health Policy Analysis and Evaluation*
 - HAD 5022H *Politics, Policy, Public Health and Health Technology*
 - HAD 5765H *Case Studies in Health Policy*
 - HAD 5778H *Comparative Health Systems and Policy*.
- 1.5 FCEs from the following list:
 - HAD 5742H *Mixed Methods for Health Services Research*
 - HAD 5760H *Advanced Health Economics and Policy Analysis*

- HAD 5773H *Introduction to Theories of Organizational Behaviour and Applications to the Health Care Sector*
- HSR 1001H *Introduction to Qualitative Methods for Health Services and Policy Research.*

Amended:

Students must complete 2.0 FCEs as follows:

- CHL 5300H *Public Health Policy*
- HAD 5778H *Comparative Health Systems and Policy*
- 1.0 FCE from the following list:
 - CHL 5308H *Tools and Approaches for Public Health Policy Analysis and Evaluation*
 - HAD 5022H *Politics, Policy, Public Health, and Health Technology*
 - HAD 5765H *Case Studies in Health Policy*
 - Other health policy research course as appropriate, for example:
 - CHL 5523H *Indigenous Health and Social Policy*
 - CHL 5702H *History of International Health* or
 - CHL 5704H *International Human Rights Law and Global Health: The Right to Health in Theory and Practice.*

Emphasis: Health Services Outcomes and Evaluation

Updated the program requirements.

Original:

Students must complete 2.0 FCEs as follows:

- HAD 5730H *Economic Evaluation Methods for Health Service Research*
- HAD 5743H *Evaluation Design For Complex Interventions*
- HAD 5763H *Advanced Methods in Health Services Research*
- 0.5 FCE from the course listing for the Health Services Research concentration.

Amended:

Students must complete 2.0 FCEs as follows:

- HAD 5720H *Evaluation I* (0.5 FCE)
- 0.5 FCE from the following list:

- HAD 5743H *Evaluation II*
- HAD 5763H *Advanced Methods in Health Services Research*
- 0.5 FCE from the following list:
 - CHL 5202H *Biostatistics II*
 - HAD 5316H *Biostatistics II: Advanced Techniques in Applied Regression Methods*
 - HAD 5772H *Intermediate Statistics for Health Services Researchers*
- 0.5 elective FCE from the course listing for the Health Services Research concentration.

PhD Program: Concentration in Health Services Research

Emphasis: Health Policy

Updated the program requirements.

Original:

Students must complete 3.0 FCEs as follows:

- HAD 5778H *Comparative Health Systems and Policy*
- HAD 6763H *Health Policy Comprehensive Course*
- Four courses (2.0 FCEs) from the following list:
 - CHL 5300H *Public Health Policy*
 - CHL 5308H *Tools and Approaches for Public Health Policy Analysis and Evaluation*
 - HAD 5022H *Politics, Policy, Public Health and Health Technology*
 - HAD 5742H *Mixed Methods for Health Services Research*
 - HAD 5760H *Advanced Health Economics and Policy Analysis*
 - HAD 5765H *Case Studies in Health Policy*
 - HAD 5773H *Introduction to Theories of Organizational Behaviour and Applications to the Health Care Sector*
 - HSR 1001H *Introduction to Qualitative Methods for Health Services and Policy Research.*

Amended:

Students must complete 3.0 FCEs as follows:

- CHL 5300H *Public Health Policy*

- HAD 5778H *Comparative Health Systems and Policy*
- HAD 6763H *Health Policy Comprehensive Course*
- 0.5 FCE from the following list:
 - CHL 5308H *Tools and Approaches for Public Health Policy Analysis and Evaluation*
 - HAD 5022H *Politics, Policy, Public Health, and Health Technology*
 - HAD 5765H *Case Studies in Health Policy*
 - Other course as appropriate, for example:
 - CHL 5523H *Indigenous Health and Social Policy*
 - CHL 5702H *History of International Health*
 - CHL 5704H *International Human Rights Law and Global Health: The Right to Health in Theory and Practice*
- 0.5 FCE from the following list:
 - HAD 5742H *Mixed Methods for Health Services Research*
 - HAD 5781H *Case Study Research for Health Services, Systems, and Policy*
 - HSR 1001H *Introduction to Qualitative Methods for Health Services and Policy Research*
 - Other courses from the course listing for the Health Services Research concentration in the area of policy-relevant methods
- 0.5 FCE from the course listing for the Health Services Research concentration, or other HPME concentrations as approved by the HPME graduate coordinator.

Emphasis: Health Services Outcomes and Evaluation

Updated the program requirements.

Original:

Students must complete 3.0 FCEs as follows:

- HAD 5730H *Economic Evaluation Methods for Health Service Research*
- HAD 6761H *Health Services Outcomes and Evaluation Comprehensive Course*
- Two courses (1.0 FCE) from the following list:
 - HAD 5728H *Performance Measurement in Health Care: Theory and Application*
 - HAD 5740H *Intermediate Level Qualitative Methods for Health Services and Policy Research*

- HAD 5742H *Mixed Methods for Health Services Research*
- HAD 5743H *Evaluation Design for Complex Interventions*
- HAD 5763H *Advanced Methods in Health Services Research*
- HAD 5779H *Evidence Synthesis for Health Services, Systems and Policy Research*
- HAD 5781H *Case Study Research for Health Services, Systems, and Policy*
- Two courses (1.0 FCE), generally advanced methods courses, from the course listing for the Health Services Research concentration.

Amended:

Students must complete 3.0 FCEs as follows:

- HAD 5743H *Evaluation II*
- HAD 6761H *Health Services Outcomes and Evaluation Comprehensive Course*
- HSR 1001H *Introduction to Qualitative Methods for Health Services and Policy Research*
- Two courses (1.0 FCE) from the following list:
 - HAD 5720H *Evaluation I*
 - HAD 5728H *Performance Measurement in Health Care: Theory and Application*
 - HAD 5730H *Economic Evaluation Methods for Health Service Research*
 - HAD 5740H *Intermediate Level Qualitative Methods for Health Services and Policy Research*
 - HAD 5742H *Mixed Methods for Health Services Research*
 - HAD 5763H *Advanced Methods in Health Services Research*
 - HAD 5779H *Evidence Synthesis for Health Services, Systems, and Policy Research*
 - HAD 5781H *Case Study Research for Health Services, Systems, and Policy*
- One course (0.5 FCE), generally an advanced methods course, from the course listing for the Health Services Research concentration.

PhD students in the Health Services Research concentration who are pursuing the emphasis in Health Services Outcomes and Evaluation may fulfil the concentration requirements by replacing HAD 5772H *Intermediate Statistics for Health Services Researchers* with CHL 5202H *Biostatistics II* or HAD 5316H *Biostatistics II: Advanced Techniques in Applied Regression Methods*.

Master of Science Program: Concentration in System Leadership and Innovation

Updated the admission requirements.

New: "Applicants must have health-care experience and demonstrate aptitude for innovation and health systems."

Original: "Applicants must be active as a trainee within the Post-Graduate Medical Education (PGME) program, or be registered in the Undergraduate Medical Education (UME) program at the University of Toronto, Faculty of Medicine. UME students who are accepted must register part-time; PGME students who are accepted may register full-time or part-time."

Amended: "Preference will be given to medical trainees in a Canadian Faculty of Medicine or to early-career physicians. Undergraduate medical trainees who are accepted must register part-time; post-graduate medical education trainees who are accepted may register full-time or part-time."

Pharmaceutical Sciences

Amended on January 5, 2021.

Effective January 4, 2021.

Added a part-time option to the Master of Science in Pharmacy (MScPhm) program.

Global Professional Law

Amended on February 19, 2021.

Effective September 1, 2020.

All Concentrations

Revised the admission requirements as follows:

Concentration	Original Work Experience Requirement	Amended Work Experience Requirement
Business Law	3 years	5 years of full-time, continuing work experience
Innovation, Law and Technology	2 years	5 years of full-time, continuing work experience
Law of Leadership	3 years	5 years of full-time, continuing work experience
Canadian Law in a Global Context	2 years	0 to 5 years of full-time experience

Concentration: Canadian Law in a Global Context

- Applicants may be admitted to this concentration with no full-time work experience.
- Applicants who are admitted with fewer than five years of full-time work experience will only be able to take courses within this concentration.

Professional Kinesiology

Amended on March 11, 2021.

Effective September 1, 2020.

Revised the minimum admission requirements to allow for consideration of applicants with an undergraduate degree in a complementary area with related experience.

Original

- Applicants must have a four-year bachelor's degree in kinesiology, physical education, human kinetics, or an equivalent degree, with a minimum mid-B average (73% to 76%) in the final year.

Amended

- Applicants must have a four-year bachelor's degree in kinesiology, physical education, human kinetics, or an equivalent degree.
- Applicants may also be considered for admission with a complementary degree in health science, life science, and/or movement/rehabilitation science. Practical experience in the area of kinesiology is required.
- Applicants may also be considered for admission with a four-year bachelor's degree in an area not described above, with at least 5 years of work experience in the area of kinesiology, and evidence of professional training or certification in the area of kinesiology (for example, strength and conditioning certification, physical literacy certification).
- Regardless of the admission pathway, all applicants must have a minimum mid-B average (73% to 76%) in the final year.

Statistical Sciences

May 11, 2021

PhD Program: Field in Actuarial Science and Mathematical Finance

- Corrected the program length from 5 years to 4 years.
- Corrected the time limit from 7 years to 6 years.

Sessional Dates

May 31, 2021

Summer session

Final date to drop July-to-August S section courses without academic penalty: changed the date from Monday, July 12 to Friday, July 23.