

Program Proposals Assessed (2019-2020)

April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020

Information pertaining to each program is available in the language of the submitting institution only.

Program	Date of Receipt	Proposal Type	Program Description	Regional Designation ¹	Assessment Type	Decision
Acadia University						
Bachelor of Science in Economics (Major, Double Major, Honours, and Honours with Double Major)	October 19, 2018	New program	Acadia is proposing a BSc in Economics with several degree options to complement its BA in Economics. The program would be comprised of existing Economics courses with increased requirements in Mathematics and Computer Science. Honours students would choose between a thesis and a coursework option.	NB, NS	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (April 24, 2019)
Master of Professional Kinesiology (multiple programs)	January 10, 2020	New program	Acadia is proposing a Master of Professional Kinesiology degree with a choice of three 30ch streams: the Coaching Professional stream or Exercise Professional stream (both course-based), or the Applied Research stream (requires a thesis). All streams are comprised of three core courses in Kinesiology, additional stream-specific courses, and hands-on experiential components via placements, practicums, or community-based research opportunities. All will typically be completed in two years of full-time study, though multi-year/part-time options are also available for the professional streams. The Coaching Professional stream will additionally use a blended/hybrid model that involves online components plus weeklong face-to-face sessions at intervals throughout the term.	To be determined	To be determined	Pending
Master of Science in Environmental Science	March 2, 2020	New program	Acadia is proposing a new MSc in Environmental Science. The proposed degree will be supported by existing program content and faculty, and is intended to augment the set of MSc programs currently offered in Geology, Biology, and Chemistry.	To be determined	To be determined	Pending
Atlantic School of Theology						
No program proposals considered at this time						
Cape Breton University						
Bachelor of Arts Area Major & Bachelor of Arts Community Studies Area Major to Multidisciplinary Bachelor of Arts & Multidisciplinary Bachelor of Arts Community Studies (including co-op options) (originally submitted as BA, Multidisciplinary Major & BACS, Multidisciplinary Major)	December 19, 2019	Modification	CBU is proposing to change the name of its Area Majors within the BA and BACS degrees. In the modified programs, students would be granted either a Multidisciplinary BA or a Multidisciplinary BACS. No other changes are proposed.	Varies	Stage II	Pending*
Bachelor of Engineering Technology, Chemical Bachelor of Engineering Technology, Advanced Chemical	September 26, 2018	New program	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 1-2 directed studies or work terms.	NS	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (April 24, 2019)
Dalhousie University						
Addition of co-op option to: Bachelor of Arts in Environment, Sustainability and Society (Double Major or Combined Honours) & Bachelor of Science in Environment, Sustainability and Society (Double Major or Combined Honours)	March 21, 2019	Modification	Dal is proposing to add a co-operative education option to its BA and BSc Double Major and Combined Honours programs in Environment, Sustainability and Society (ESS). The co-op option will provide ESS students with an opportunity to integrate academic studies with active, 'hands-on' work in an approved job placement. Students pursuing the ESS Co-op option would alternate periods of full-time academic study with three paid work placements relevant to their ESS degree and/or future careers.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved (May 9, 2019)
Bachelor of Commerce with co-op Bachelor of Commerce with Major plus co-op (Majors in Accounting, Finance, International Business, Marketing Management, Supply Chain and Logistics Management, Managing People and Organizations, Entrepreneurship)	October 17, 2019	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify its Bachelor of Commerce with co-op programs to incorporate data analytics and application into three core courses, add a strategic management capstone course, and place a heavier emphasis on high-level business communication and professional development. The modifications also allow for an increase in the number of electives in the program (core courses are reduced from 21 to 18). Each major has also been modified to streamline the process of obtaining a major, including development of a consistent structure (e.g., all will require completion of eight courses) as well as other modifications in response to internal and external reviews.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved (December 13, 2019)
Bachelor of Computer Science (multiple programs) Bachelor of Science (Computer Science) (multiple programs) Bachelor of Arts (Computer Science) (multiple programs)	March 12, 2020	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify its undergraduate computer science programs (within the BCS, BSc, and BA degrees). Some changes have already been implemented; others are new to this submission. Cumulatively, the modifications meet the threshold for submission to the Commission as a significant modification to the program last approved. The changes include harmonization of the BCS, BSc CS, and BA CS degrees so that CS requirements and outcomes are aligned, modifications to program roll-out and course content, an increase in the number of required CS courses (and a corresponding drop in the number of free/general electives), as well as minor changes to the academic component of the co-op program, the math admissions requirements for BCS students, and the minimum grade requirements for Honours BCS students.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Pending

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Dalhousie University (continued)						
Bachelor of Management (Majors in: Knowledge Management [to be renamed Managing Data and Information], Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Leadership and Organizations, and Public Sector Management)	May 10, 2019	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify four of its Bachelor of Management Majors in response to feedback provided in internal and external reviews, as well as to adapt to recent changes made to the program core. The modifications are intended to make the majors more accessible and appealing to students.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Pending
Bachelor of Science - Nursing (Arctic Nursing)	June 13, 2019	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify its BSc in Nursing (Arctic Nursing) program, which is a four-year, 120ch program offered in partnership with Nunavut Arctic College. Key changes to the program include reducing the number of credit hours, reducing the number of clinical practice hours, integrating the revised Dalhousie BScN curriculum into this curriculum, integrating Inuit Knowledge and Societal Values in all courses, incorporating recommendations for education from the Truth and Reconciliation Commission and the Qikiqtani Truth Commission, and incorporating advanced clinical simulation learning to enhance clinical learning in a safe setting.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved* (September 5, 2019)
Doctor of Philosophy in Psychiatry Research	November 27, 2019	New program	Dal is proposing a new 3-5 year PhD in Psychiatry Research to provide research education for both clinicians and non-clinicians in the scientific bases of mental disorders and their treatment. To obtain the degree, students will complete two required courses (Advanced Experiential Psychiatry and Advanced Methods, Statistics and Analysis), comprehensive examinations, and a dissertation, and will be required to participate in departmental research presentations as well as professional development activities. Other courses may be required by the Graduate Program Committee.	NS	Stage I	Approved (January 28, 2020)
Doctor of Philosophy in Anatomy and Neurobiology to Doctor of Philosophy in Medical Neuroscience	February 20, 2019	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify both its MSc (see below) and PhD in Anatomy and Neurobiology. The proposed modifications change the name of the programs from "Anatomy and Neurobiology" to "Medical Neuroscience". The name change is accompanied by modifications to the program structure, the renaming of several courses, the splitting of a 6ch course into two 3ch courses, and the incorporation of a compulsory (1ch) seminar course in both the master and doctoral programs.	NS	Stage II	Approved* (October 16, 2019)
Master of Architecture (Post-Professional)	February 13, 2020	Termination	Dal is proposing to terminate its Master of Architecture (Post-Professional) program, which has been inactive for a number of years.	NS	Stage I	Approved (March 26, 2020)
Master of Digital Innovation (replaces the Master of Electronic Commerce and the Master of Health Informatics)	November 6, 2019	New program	Dal is proposing a new 27ch Master of Digital Innovation. The program is intended to be multidisciplinary, open to students with undergraduate degrees in business, computer science, commerce, health, government, and other domains that are undergoing digital innovation. The program will replace Dal's existing Master of Electronic Commerce and Master of Health Informatics programs.	NS	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (March 25, 2020)
Master of Environmental Studies	December 5, 2019	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify its Master of Environmental Studies. The modifications include eliminating a core course from the program and replacing the 6ch Graduate Seminar with a 3ch Research Seminar; two other minor modifications were made since the MPHEC last approved the program. The modified program results in a reduction in overall course requirements from 21ch to 15ch.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved (February 8, 2020)
Master of Science in Anatomy and Neurobiology to Master of Science in Medical Neuroscience	February 20, 2019	Modification	Dal is proposing to modify both its MSc and PhD (see above) in Anatomy and Neurobiology. The proposed modifications change the name of the programs from "Anatomy and Neurobiology" to "Medical Neuroscience". The name change is accompanied by modifications to the program structure, the renaming of several courses, the splitting of a 6ch course into two 3ch courses, and the incorporation of a compulsory (1ch) seminar course in both the master and doctoral programs.	NS	Stage II	Approved* (October 16, 2019)
Master of Science in Occupational Science	February 20, 2020	New program	Dal is proposing an online 24ch Master of Science in Occupational Science degree with course-based and thesis-based options to replace its MSc in Occupational Therapy (Post-Professional) program. Both degree options would require 9ch in compulsory courses and a 3ch elective, plus either a 12ch thesis OR an additional 3ch compulsory course, 3ch elective, and a 6ch capstone project completed over 3-4 terms.	NS	Stage I	Pending
Mount Allison University						
Bachelor of Arts in Cognitive Science (multiple programs)	August 22, 2019	Modification	MTA is proposing a new BA Major or Honours in Cognitive Science to complement its existing BSc programs.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved (October 22, 2019)
Bachelor of Arts in Geocomputing	August 22, 2019	New program	MTA is proposing to introduce a new 120ch BA in Geocomputing that will draw upon existing courses in Computer Science, Geography, Environmental Science and Math. Students complete 72ch of required courses, including a fourth-year capstone course, plus select electives in Geography and Environmental Science as well as each of four Arts distribution areas.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved (January 15, 2020)

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Mount Allison University (continued)						
Bachelor of Arts in Women's and Gender Studies (multiple programs)	February 3, 2020	New program	MTA is proposing to add a 60ch Major and 72ch Honours to its existing 24ch Minor in Women's and Gender Studies (WGST). Students would complete 21ch (Major) or 33ch (Honours) in core WGST courses and 39ch in cross-listed courses; Honours students' core courses include completion of a 6ch thesis. The cross-listed electives draw from a variety of fields (e.g., Canadian Studies, English Literature, History, Music, Political Science, Psychology, Religious Studies, and Sociology), enhancing the program's interdisciplinary/intersectional approach to the study of identity, power and social inequality.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved with conditions (March 30, 2020)
Bachelor of Commerce with specialization in Aviation (originally proposed as a Bachelor of Commerce with Aviation Management)	November 1, 2018	New program	MTA is proposing a 120ch Bachelor of Commerce with specialization in Aviation to complement its existing Interdisciplinary BSc Major in Aviation. The program is intended to train future managers and administrators in the aviation industry. It is mainly comprised of the Commerce core curriculum plus a course in the Business of Aviation and transfer credits in Aviation.	Not applicable	Stage II	Withdrawn (August 20, 2019)
Master of Public Relations	June 4, 2019	Modification	MSVU is proposing to modify its Master of Public Relations by incorporating more business curriculum into the degree and by broadening its admission requirements to include applicants with degrees in business and commerce as well as in public relations and communication. In the modified program, students complete six required courses, three electives, and a required project. The program is completed online or on-campus over a minimum of one year (three consecutive terms) of full-time study; a part-time option is also available.	NS	Stage I	Approved* (October 4, 2019)
Nova Scotia College of Art and Design						
No program proposals considered at this time						
Saint Mary's University						
Certificate in Chinese Studies	October 24, 2019	New program	SMU is proposing to introduce stand-alone certificates in Chinese Studies and in Japanese Studies. Both certificates require students to complete 24ch of courses (12ch compulsory language courses and 12ch electives chosen from a select list) on a part-time basis, normally over two years. The programs will be open to undergraduate students, persons already holding degrees in any discipline, and mature students with relevant work experience.	NS	Stage I	Approved* (March 4, 2020)
Certificate in Japanese Studies	October 24, 2019	New program		NS	Stage I	Approved* (March 4, 2020)
Doctor of Philosophy in Business Administration (streams in Accounting and in Finance)	October 7, 2019	Modification	SMU is proposing to add two additional streams to its PhD in Business Administration: (1) Accounting and (2) Finance. The program is a four-year, full-time program, delivered via a flexible format combining in-residence, face-to-face instruction and mentoring, with technology-mediated approaches. To obtain the degree, students complete 10 required courses, two research papers, comprehensive exams and a doctoral dissertation.	NS	Stage I	Approved* (February 21, 2020)
Master in Business Administration (CPA Stream)	November 27, 2019	Modification	SMU is proposing modifications to the delivery method, admission requirements, and content of its MBA (CPA [Chartered Professional Accountant] Stream). The program will no longer be offered as a three-year hybrid (weekend classes and eLearning platform) and instead will be offered as a one-year, full-time, face-to-face program.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved (February 25, 2020)
Master of Arts in Geography (addition of co-op option)	October 7, 2019	Modification	SMU is proposing the addition of a co-op option to its MA in Geography. No other modifications to the program are proposed.	NS	Stage I	Approved (November 26, 2019)
St. Francis Xavier University						
Bachelor of Business Administration - International Business stream (multiple programs)	September 9, 2019	Modification	StFX is proposing to add a new stream in International Business within its BBA program. Students complete 27 business core credits, 21-27 stream-specific credits, and the remainder of the program is comprised of business and arts/science electives. Students pursuing an advanced major or honours must demonstrate working knowledge of a second language and complete a minimum of 6ch in an exchange program.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved (November 7, 2019)
Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Accelerated Option for LPNs - Online	March 19, 2019	Modification	StFX is proposing to introduce an online delivery option to complement its on-campus BScN, Accelerated Option for LPNs, which was approved in 2016. The proposed online delivery option requires the same course content as the on-campus program but is completed over three years (nine semesters) part-time study, rather than five semesters of concurrent full-time enrolment, following completion of the two-term bridging component. Students in the online program are required to participate in three intensive on-campus sessions to practice skills in a simulation lab.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved* (May 21, 2019)
Master of Applied Computer Science Master of Applied Computer Science with Co-op	May 30, 2019	New program	StFX is proposing a new course-based Master of Applied Computer Science, with a co-op option. To obtain the degree, students complete a required (6ch) Graduate Seminar course and 10 electives (chosen from a select list). The program is completed over two years under a traditional semester format (fall and winter each year) or can be compressed into a 16-month program by completing courses during the spring/summer sessions. A co-op option is also available in which students would replace two of the elective courses with two co-op placements and two required non-credit co-op seminar courses (one to prepare for the placements and one to debrief on the placements once complete).	NB, NS	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (October 16, 2019)

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St. Francis Xavier University (continued)						
Master of Arts in Celtic Studies	June 3, 2019	New program	StFX is proposing an MA in Celtic Studies. To obtain the degree, students complete two required (3ch each) Old Irish courses as well as an additional 12ch (either 6ch or 3ch courses) of Celtic Studies courses chosen in consultation with their academic advisor. The program is designed to be completed over two years of full-time study; it can alternatively be completed on a part-time basis.	NS	Stage II	Approved* (January 23, 2020)
Master of Science in Computer Science	May 14, 2019	New program	StFX is proposing a 36ch MSc in Computer Science. This is a 24-month (full-time; a part-time option is also available), thesis-based program for students who are motivated to undertake original research and potentially interested in continuing at the PhD-level; it also prepares students for entry to the labour market. To obtain the degree, students complete a new required research course (6ch, includes a Graduate Seminar), four electives (12ch) chosen from a select list (and which must include at least two areas from among Systems, Theory, and Applications), plus a thesis (18ch).	NB, NS	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (October 16, 2019)
Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Artificial Intelligence	May 31, 2019	New program	StFX is proposing a two-year (48ch) Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Artificial Intelligence for students who completed a degree in a field other than Computer Science. The program will mainly rely on existing faculty resources and course content is drawn from existing offerings. To obtain the Diploma, students complete 13 required courses and three electives (two from a select list and one from Mathematics, Statistics or Computer Science).	NB, NS, PEI	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (October 16, 2019)
Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Enterprise IT Management (with co-op option)	December 4, 2019	New program	StFX is proposing a new Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Enterprise IT Management that will focus on teaching students how to successfully deploy and sustain enterprise systems solutions in organizations while successfully managing the change process. To obtain the Diploma, students complete 48ch of required coursework over two years, including two new courses (Technology and Change; Advances in Enterprise Systems), with the remaining courses drawn from existing Business courses. Students can choose to complete a co-op term in the summer between Years 1 and 2; the program can also be completed on a part-time basis.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Pending*
St. Thomas University						
Bachelor of Arts, Major in Journalism	July 3, 2018	Modification	STU is proposing to modify its Major in Journalism 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 multimedia 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.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved with conditions* (July 15, 2019)
Bachelor of Social Work	January 17, 2019	Modification	STU is proposing to move from a 15-month, post-degree BSW program to a two-year BSW program that students can pursue after completing two years of undergraduate study in the liberal arts (that includes two prerequisite Social Work courses). In the two years (60ch) of the BSW-specific content, students complete required courses in social work theory, group work theory, research methods, social work policy, two field placements and electives.	NB, NS	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (October 16, 2019)
Master of Social Work	January 17, 2019	New program	STU is proposing to introduce a new Master of Social Work. The MSW will be a one-year, full-time program open to students with a CASWE (Canadian Association for Social Work Education) -accredited Bachelor of Social Work. To obtain the MSW, students complete required courses in theory, research methods, and social work policy and administration, and an elective, then choose either a (450hr) field placement or a thesis.	NB, NS	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (October 16, 2019)
Université de Moncton						
Baccalauréat appliqué en biotechnologies	February 11, 2020	New program	L'UdeM propose un nouveau Baccalauréat appliqué en biotechnologies qui vise à fournir à l'étudiante ou à l'étudiant une formation académique et professionnelle. Le programme articulé comprend deux parties soit le programme de Techniques de laboratoire-biotechnologies du CCNB-Edmundston et une formation de deux années de l'UdeM. La structure du programme est de type 2 + 2 c'est-à-dire que les deux premières années d'études sont celles offertes par le collège tandis que les deux années subséquentes sont offertes par l'université.	NB	Stage I	Pending*
Baccalauréat en éducation primaire (immersion/inclusion scolaire)	June 11, 2019	New program	L'UdeM propose d'offrir deux programmes (un Baccalauréat en éducation primaire et un Baccalauréat en éducation secondaire) qui visent la formation d'enseignantes et d'enseignants dans les programmes d'immersion française des écoles anglophones du Canada. Ces enseignantes et enseignants auront une solide formation en pédagogie, en apprentissage d'une langue seconde et en inclusion scolaire. Ils suivront un programme d'études à temps plein, d'une durée de deux années universitaires (avec 64 crédits (primaire) ou 60 crédits (secondaire) de cours obligatoires).	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved* (October 15, 2019)
Baccalauréat en éducation secondaire (immersion/inclusion scolaire)	June 11, 2019	New program	L'UdeM propose d'offrir deux programmes (un Baccalauréat en éducation primaire et un Baccalauréat en éducation secondaire) qui visent la formation d'enseignantes et d'enseignants dans les programmes d'immersion française des écoles anglophones du Canada. Ces enseignantes et enseignants auront une solide formation en pédagogie, en apprentissage d'une langue seconde et en inclusion scolaire. Ils suivront un programme d'études à temps plein, d'une durée de deux années universitaires (avec 64 crédits (primaire) ou 60 crédits (secondaire) de cours obligatoires).	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved* (October 15, 2019)

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Université de Moncton (continued)						
Baccalauréat ès arts (majeure en histoire) (profil régulier) Baccalauréat ès arts (majeure en histoire) (profil avec distinction) et <i>Abolition</i> : Baccalauréat ès arts (spécialisation en histoire)	October 2, 2019	Modification	UdeM propose des modifications aux programmes d'histoire, soit le Baccalauréat ès arts (majeure en histoire) et la mineure en histoire, ainsi que l'abolition du Baccalauréat ès arts (spécialisation en histoire). Le programme modifié comportera deux profils, soit le profil régulier et le profil avec distinction. Le profil régulier remplacera le programme de majeure existant, alors que le profil avec distinction remplacera le programme de B.A. avec spécialisation en histoire. A cela s'ajoutent des modifications aux cours d'histoire (création, abolition et modification de cours).	NB	Stage I	Approved (December 3, 2019)
Baccalauréat ès sciences sociales (majeure en science politique) (profil régulier) Baccalauréat ès sciences sociales (majeure en science politique) (profil avec distinction) et <i>Abolition</i> : Baccalauréat ès sciences sociales (spécialisation en science politique)	October 2, 2019	Modification	L'UdeM propose des modifications aux programmes en science politique, soit le Baccalauréat ès sciences sociales (majeure en science politique) et la mineure en science politique, ainsi que l'abolition du Baccalauréat ès sciences sociales (spécialisation en science politique). Le programme modifié comportera deux profils, soit le profil régulier et le profil avec distinction. Le profil régulier remplacera le programme de majeure existant, alors que le profil avec distinction remplacera le programme de B.Sc.soc. avec spécialisation en science politique. A cela s'ajoutent des modifications aux cours en science politique (création, abolition et modification de cours).	NB	Stage I	Approved (December 10, 2019)
Certificat en gestion de la sécurité de l'information des entreprises	October 6, 2017	New program	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.	Not applicable	Stage I	Approved (April 3, 2019)
Doctorat en sciences physiques	April 15, 2019	New program	L'UdeM propose d'offrir un Doctorat en sciences physiques qui vise à former des chercheuses et chercheurs de haut niveau qui deviendront des chefs de file dans les domaines associés. En raison des forces vives présentes dans l'institution, cette formation doctorale regroupe principalement deux thématiques : l'optique et les matériaux. Le programme est composé de quatre cours (deux cours obligatoires et deux cours magistraux à option), un examen prédoctoral et une thèse doctorale.	NB	Stage I	Approved with conditions (September 13, 2019)
Maîtrise en travail social à Maîtrise ès arts en travail social	January 25, 2019	Modification	L'UdeM propose de transformer la Maîtrise en travail social avec mémoire en une Maîtrise ès arts en travail social avec thèse afin que celle-ci soit reconnue comme une maîtrise de type recherche au sein de l'institution.	NB	Stage I	Approved* (May 27, 2019)
Maîtrise ès arts (sciences sociales)	September 11, 2019	New program	Le programme de maîtrise ès arts (sciences sociales) vise à fournir à l'étudiante ou à l'étudiant une formation approfondie orientée vers l'acquisition de connaissances théoriques et méthodologiques liées à la recherche en sciences sociales. Le programme a donc pour principale finalité de permettre à l'étudiante et à l'étudiant de développer son autonomie intellectuelle, ses compétences analytiques et sa pensée critique afin qu'elle ou il puisse concevoir et produire une recherche en sciences sociales. Le programme comporte 45 crédits, dont 15 crédits de scolarité et 30 crédits de thèse, est d'une durée de 24 mois à temps complet. L'ensemble de ces crédits est obligatoire.	NB	Stage I	Approved (January 10, 2020)
University of King's College						
Master of Journalism (replaces <i>Master of Journalism with Investigative and New Ventures streams</i>)	January 18, 2019	Modification	UKC is proposing major modifications to its Master of Journalism programs. Modifications include increasing the length of study (from 10 months/30ch to 18 months/33ch); opening admissions to students with a bachelor's degree in a field other than journalism (for those without related work experience, an additional four months/21ch of study will be required); eliminating the dedicated streams (i.e., Investigative Journalism and New Ventures); as well as modifications to course content (e.g., introduction of new courses / removal of others; introduction of electives). The modifications are proposed in response to recommendations from an external review.	NS	Stage I	Approved with conditions* (May 13, 2019)
University of New Brunswick						
Bachelor of Education for First Nations Students (Four-Year Elementary) to Bachelor of Education (Wabanaki, Four-Year Elementary) (UNB, Fredericton)	May 9, 2019	Modification	UNBF is proposing to change the name of its existing BEd for First Nations students (Four-Year Elementary) to BEd (Wabanaki, Four-Year Elementary). Along with the name change, UNBF proposes to create a certificate embedded within the degree in Mi'kmaq or Wolastoqey language. Several existing courses will also be replaced with nine new courses that focus specifically on Wabanaki languages and/or Wabanaki content.	To be determined	To be determined	Pending
Bachelor of Education in Early Childhood Education (UNB, Fredericton)	May 10, 2019	New program	UNBF is proposing a new, online, two-year (60ch) Bachelor of Education in Early Childhood Education to be completed by graduates of two-year Early Childhood Education Diploma programs using a 2+2 model. The program will be offered asynchronously and will rely on existing course offerings, as well as five new courses, including two practicum placements (270hrs total). The program can be completed on a full-time or part-time basis and will be offered on a pilot basis.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (December 9, 2019)

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University of New Brunswick (continued)						
Bachelor of Health (multiple programs) (UNB, Saint John)	February 18, 2020	New program	UNBSJ is proposing a new four-year Bachelor of Health intended to provide graduates with a pathway to the health professions or to pursue graduate education. To obtain the degree, students begin with a common first year and then choose from among three possible Majors, with requirements completed over Years 2, 3, and 4: (1) Society and Health, (2) Management in Health or (3) Biomedical Sciences and Health (which will include an Honours option).	NB, NS	Stage I	Pending
Graduate Certificate in Indigenous Counselling (UNB, Fredericton & Saint John)	April 8, 2019	New program	UNBF&SJ is proposing a new Graduate Certificate in Indigenous Counselling to address gaps in counselling services within First Nations communities throughout Atlantic Canada. The certificate is one-time offering, taken over five consecutive semesters, with students completing one 3ch course per semester.	Not applicable	Stage I	Approved with conditions* (January 31, 2020)
Master of Applied Cybersecurity (UNB, Fredericton & Saint John)	November 6, 2018	New program	UNBF&SJ is proposing a one year (12 month) Master of Applied Cybersecurity 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 select elective), as well as a capstone project that is completed through an industrial internship.	NB, NS	Stage I	Approved with conditions* (May 24, 2019)
Master of Education in Educational Administration and Leadership Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction (UNB, Fredericton & Saint John)	April 26, 2019	Modification	UNBF&SJ is proposing to integrate an option to complete the MEd in Educational Administration Leadership and the MEd in Curriculum and Instruction online, in addition to the existing in-class programs.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved* (June 20, 2019)
Master of Engineering in Technology Management and Entrepreneurship (UNB, Fredericton & Saint John)	May 24, 2018	Modification	UNBF&SJ is proposing to continue its Master of Engineering in Technology Management and Entrepreneurship beyond the pilot period with modifications to course selection (increasing the number of required courses and reducing electives), faculty complement, and enrolment projections.	NB	Stage II	Approved with conditions* (April 2, 2019)
University of Prince Edward Island						
Master of Education (Leadership in Learning) (multiple programs)	September 5, 2019	Modification	UPEI has submitted a proposal to approve its modified course-based MEd (Leadership in Learning), which now includes the option to complete the program entirely through online delivery. The course-based MEd (online, on-campus or blended delivery) continues to require students to complete seven compulsory courses plus three electives; electives can be chosen from among pre-determined focus areas (e.g., 21st Century Teaching & Learning, Inclusive Education). Completion of the electives specific to the Inclusive Education stream allows graduates to obtain Additional Designation in Inclusive Education from the Province.	NB, NS, PEI	Stage I	Approved with conditions* (February 2, 2020)
Université Sainte-Anne						
No program proposals considered at this time						

¹ An equivalent program (including the program(s) now approved) is offered in each Maritime province identified. See Regional Transfer Arrangement for further information.

* Proposal underwent modification as a result of the assessment process.