

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY
New Program Proposal

Joint Honors Program in Computing Science and Molecular Biology and Biochemistry
(132 credit hours)

Calendar entry:

[To be added to the calendar after Joint Major in CS and MBB.]

Students must meet the criteria specified by each program (i.e. MBB and CS) for entering an Honors program, and must seek the permission of the CS dept. In addition to the major program requirements, MBB/CS joint honors students will complete both of: 6 credits of 400 division CMPT courses beyond those required for the joint major; and 6 credits of research-related MBB courses, which can be fulfilled with MBB 496-6.

RATIONALE: During its approval of the MBB joint major programs, Senate made it clear that it would be desirable to provide an Honors degree option. Business and MBB have agreed upon this model for their joint honors degree.

This program is identical to the CS-MBB Joint Major, but with the addition of 6 credits each from CS (400 division courses) and MBB (a new course MBB 496 which has already been created - see the calendar description at

http://www3.reg.sfu.ca/Tango/course_index/search.taf?function=detail&Layout_0_uid1=12589138%2E000000).

Effective date: 2008/2009 Calendar