GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION (GCE)

This document indicates how transfer credit is awarded for the GCE Advanced Level examinations. Please note that the following rules and regulations only apply to students admitted to a degree program and who are registered at the University of Toronto Scarborough during the 2018/19 academic year.

1. A minimum final grade of 'B' is required to be considered for transfer credit. No transfer credit is awarded for Advanced Subsidiary level courses.

2. In order to receive credit, final results must be sent directly from the appropriate exam board to Enrolment Services as soon as your results are available and no later that August 17, 2018. We do no need your actual Certificate(s) that is normally issued in October/November. Links to various exam boards: CIE, EdExcel, AQA, OCR, SQA.

3. If you wish to decline or forfeit the transfer credits awarded to you, you must consult Shahryer Ahmed, Senior Admissions Officer (shahryer.ahmed@utoronto.ca) no later than October 31, 2018. The option to forfeit is only available to students who have not attended another post-secondary institution. Once forfeited, transfer credits cannot be reinstated.

4. If you choose to forfeit but you were given two half credits, you will forfeit both half credits.

TERMS DEFINED

**Exclusion**: U of T courses in which you may not enrol unless you forfeit the transfer credit. In addition, you may not enrol in any courses that are listed in the U of T Scarborough Calendar as exclusions for these courses or the transfer credit courses. If you enrol in any of these courses, the course will be listed as “extra” on your transcript and will not count towards your degree.

**Unspecified transfer credit**: A course that has no exact equivalency in the Faculty. For example, CHMA**H represents an unspecified first year credit in Chemistry. Unspecified credits may be used to meet prerequisite, program or breadth requirements as long as permission is obtained from the relevant Program Supervisor.

**Generic transfer credit**: A course for which no equivalent discipline exists. For example, HUM – Humanities, LGG – Language, SCI – Science, SSC – Social Science.

**Breadth Requirement**: Of the 20 credits required to complete a degree, at least one half-credit must come from each of the following five breadth categories (Refer to the U of T Scarborough Calendar for more information):

- Arts, literature and language (Arts)
- History, philosophy and cultural studies (HisPhil)
- Social and behavioural sciences (SocBeh)
- Natural sciences (NatSci)
- Quantitative reasoning (Quant)

Subjects not listed below may still be considered for transfer credit. The University of Toronto Scarborough reserves the right to change transfer credit policies without notice.