Joint Senate Committee on Master's Programs Annual Report April 20 2016

I submit the following report on the work of the Joint Senate Committee on Master's Programs between the University of Manitoba and the University of Winnipeg from April 2015 through April 2016.

Membership

Zana Lutfiyya	Chair of the JSC Director, Peace and Conflict Studies
Jay Doering	Vice Provost (Graduate Education) & Dean (FGS) University of Manitoba (through March 31, 2016) Ex-officio
Todd Mondor	Acting Vice Provost (Graduate Education) & Dean (FGS) University of Manitoba (from April 1 2016) Ex-officio
Diane Hiebert-Murphy	Dean Designate, FGS University of Manitoba
Sean Byrne	Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba Director, the Arthur V. Mauro Centre for Peace & Justice
Andrea Rounce	Political Studies, University of Manitoba
Mark Libin	English, Film & Theatre, University of Manitoba
Christina Reinke	Peace and Conflict Studies graduate student University of Manitoba representative
Mavis Reimer	Dean, FGS, University of Winnipeg
Malcolm Bird	Political Science, University of Winnipeg
Andrew Burke	English, University of Winnipeg
Anna Caudano	History, University of Winnipeg
Sean McKie	Public Administration graduate student University of Winnipeg representative

Deanna England	Graduate Studies Officer, University of Winnipeg
Andrea Kailer	Programs Coordinator, FGS, University of Manitoba (through October 12, 2015)
Pam Yarushinsky	Interim Programs Coordinator, FGS, University of Manitoba (from October 13, 2015)
Sarah Morin	FGS Minutes Secretary, University of Manitoba

Committee Activities for 2015-2016

- The JSC met on May 5 2015 and March 22 2016.
- The position of Chair returned to the UM January 2016.
- The JSC approved program and curricular changes in the Public Administration JMP and the Major Research Paper route in the History JMP. These items have been sent to UM and UW Senates for consideration and approval.
- Nominations for two UM positions coming vacant this summer were made to the UM Senate.
- We continued our review of the JSC regulations.

Upcoming Activities

• Complete the review of the JSC regulations.

Respectfully submitted by Zana Lutfiyya Chair, JSC University of Manitoba

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Preamble

The Terms of Reference for the Joint Senate Committee on Master's Programs can be found on the web at:

http://umanitoba.ca/admin/governance/governing_documents/governance/sen_committees/504. html

Observations

- 1. The Committee membership presently stands vacant until such time as the Committee is required.
- 2. No appeals were referred to the Committee for consideration; therefore, no meetings were held during the reporting period of May 2015 April 2016.