Associate Dean Hendren said that the above programs had been approved at a previous Academic Committee meeting, pending receipt of consultations from various units offering courses included in the programs. All consultations had now been received, and the programs had been approved at the Faculty of Science meeting held on March 18, 2014.

Minutes 604.1 to 604.4, Participation Trends in Undergraduate Research Course (AC-13-62)

703.3 Associate Dean Hendren said that the Department of Pharmacology had signaled that a PHAR 396 course will be created in time for the next Academic Committee meeting.

Minutes 605.6, 605.7, Honours in Mathematics & Physics (AC-13-75)

703.4 Associate Dean Hendren said that for the Honours Mathematics & Physics program there will be the option of taking either MATH 242 (Analysis 1) or MATH 254 (Honours Analysis 1).

(4) COMPUTER SCIENCE

- B.Sc. Major in Computer Science

AC-13-84

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- Joint Major in Physiology and Physics

AC-13-86

706.1 Prof. Nyzhnyk said that the proposed changes were basically housekeeping, to remove inconsistencies and to fix course requirements.

Prof. Nyzhnyk **moved**, seconded by Prof. Moore, that the changes be approved.

The motion carried.

Prof. Moore said he was concerned about the number of credits required in the U1 year, and also that the program should be reviewed with the aim of reducing the total number of credits from 80. Associate Dean Hendren said that about 75-76 credits would bring it in line with other joint Major programs.

(7) CHEMISTRY & ATMOSPHERIC & OCEANIC SCIENCES

(9) **GEOGRAPHY**

B.A. and B.A. & Sc. (Arts Programs) - For Information

Program Changes and Name Change [from Urban Systems]

- Honours in Urban Studies (B.A. only)
- Major Concentration in Geography; Urban Studies
- Minor Concentration in Geography; Urban Studies
- **709.1** Prof. Berrang Ford said that renaming the above programs from Urban Systems to **Urban Studies** would bring the programs in line with other geography departments, as well as better reflect the program descriptions. The other changes were mostly housekeeping in nature.

(10) SUS ACTIVITIES

- **710.1** There was no report on activities from the SUS.
- 710.2 Dean Grant mentioned that he and the associate deans will be meeting with the SUS Executive and discussing SUS activities.
- Prof. Kirshbaum pointed out that there had been a very low turnout at the SUS Open House, and Dean Grant said he would raise the issue at his meeting with the SUS Executive. Director Allard said that when the Freshman Fair was held, there had also been a very low turnout. Associate Dean Hendren asked whether it made more sense to hold Open Houses in the Fall or in the Winter.