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TO: University Planning Committee
FROM: Mary Williams, Vice President, University Advancement
SUBJECT: Naming Policy – Proposed Updates
DATE: December 1, 2020

We are pleased to share the following proposed updates to the McMaster’s Naming Policy & Procedures with both clean and track changes versions as per the Secretariat. The updated policy has been reviewed by PVP and has their support.

McMaster’s Naming Policy exists to provide structure and an approvals process for naming recognition. University Advancement manages the naming processes by developing naming recognition values, consults with faculties and units regarding naming opportunities and maintains an inventory of naming recognition on campus.

This will be the first policy update since 2010 and updates are minor in nature, including wording edits for clarification purposes. The existing policy has been serving McMaster well, so the proposed changes are small refinements. Internal university consultations have taken place and the Secretariat has been deeply involved in the review process. Externally, naming policies from several universities across Canada have been reviewed in preparation for this policy update.

Highlights of the changes include:

• Addition of ‘life of space’ naming limits, and clarity of scope for time limited namings.
• Addition of recognition of library archives and cultural collections to scope.
• Removal of fellowships from scope as these are not typically named. If this option presents itself in the future, the policy allows for us to present other suitable naming opportunities for naming consideration and approval.
• Replacement of ‘donor’ with ‘funder’ throughout the policy.

Following UPC approval, the proposed updated policy will be reviewed for approval by the Advancement Committee of the Board on December 11, and the Board of Governors on December 17.

We welcome the opportunity to discuss this proposed update with you or answer any questions.
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   b) to recognize major funders of the university, including individuals, corporations, and foundations; or
   c) to recognize individuals who bear a special relationship to the University, Hamilton, or surrounding community.

SCOPE

3. This policy applies to all units and individuals at the University who seek recognition for a funder’s generosity and/or exceptional service by a member of the McMaster community. This Policy guides the granting of named recognition at the University for:
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REPORT TO THE UNIVERSITY PLANNING COMMITTEE

from the

UNDERGRADUATE COUNCIL

a. Establishment of New Certificate of Completion Program

i. MMRI Industrial Training Program (Certificate of Completion in Advanced Manufacturing)

At its October 27, 2020 meeting, the Undergraduate Council reviewed and approved a proposal to establish the Certificate of Completion in Advanced Manufacturing. Details of the proposed Certificate of Completion program are contained within the circulated material.

It is now recommended,

that the University Planning Committee approve the establishment of the Certificate of Completion in Advanced Manufacturing, as set out in the attached.

University Planning Committee: FOR APPROVAL
November 18, 2020
Proposal

MMRI Industry Training Program

Certificate in Advanced Manufacturing

- **Processes**
- **Materials**
- **Industry 4.0**

**Objectives:**
- provide hands-on advanced training for active learners
- expose learners to advanced materials and manufacturing capability and expertise at McMaster
- empower laid off and underutilized workers to be better problem solvers and thereby reconnect with job opportunities
- allow employers to access the skills their staff need to solve problems and realize performance opportunities on the shop floor.

McMaster Manufacturing Research Institute (MMRI)

September 24, 2020
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Rationale for the Program

To meet the ever-increasing global demand for high-value manufactured products, manufacturers are striving to maintain their competitive edge in the global market by optimizing processes, applying automation, and creating innovative products and services. New technologies can benefit companies, but companies also require skilled workers with advanced knowledge, problem-solving and decision-making skills. These demands put workers with low technical and problem-solving skills at risk of being laid off if production volumes drop. They also make it difficult for people with limited experience to re-enter the job market and for people recently laid-off to keep up with changes in the industry.

This unique training program is designed around meeting the needs and requirements of industry as identified by our wide range of our industry partners. The focus is on building on a worker’s existing skillset, not replacing it, and empowering them with innovative, up-to-date and in-demand skills and knowledge. The program will be set up to deliver core concepts quickly in small units which are focused on providing the necessary background to solve a problem or realize a production performance opportunity.

Experiential problem-based learning of this nature is the most powerful way for people in the manufacturing sector to acquire the necessary skills and experiences that will build their background to connect with new job opportunities and develop a life long career in manufacturing. By linking learning with problems and production improvement opportunities employers also benefit from the results of the learner’s project work in their operations.

Given the pandemic all content will be delivered online including demos and case studies. Learners will also interact with the program team online to complete their projects. Once restrictions are lifted, we will be working to develop a blended mode of learning allowing learners to come to the MMRI and interact with our equipment, instruments and experts.
Learning Outcomes

The MMRI Industrial Training Program current plans to offer 20+ short one day courses (micro-credentials) in three core streams directly related to advanced manufacturing, as listed below:

1. Advanced Manufacturing Processes
2. Advanced Manufacturing Materials
3. Advanced Manufacturing Industry 4.0

All courses will be designed based on the current needs and requirements as identified by industry and the skill-gaps among the workers we have identified through our years of collaboration with industry.

This educational program will address the challenges faced by our manufacturing industry partners and provides the attendees with the problem-solving skills needed to tackle the challenges they face. Projects will be defined based on existing problems and challenges faced by the manufacturing industry, and courses will be designed to provide critically needed skills and knowledge to solve problems and realize opportunities on the manufacturing floor.

This certificate program will be designed to provide the background knowledge needed to empower workers. The focus is on giving them the tools they need to solve real world production problems, realize opportunities for improvement on the factory floor and in addition support product innovation by facilitating manufacturing.

To earn a certificate in one stream, participants must complete four required courses, four elective courses, and complete an industry-relevant project of their choice. The project can build on opportunities an active learner has or connect with manufacturing problems and production improvement opportunities from their current employer.

Each course will be completed in 1 day and the project will have instructional input as well so there will be over 50 hours of instructor contact time per certificate.

The intended learning outcomes of each of the courses are listed in Table 1.
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<td>Advanced Manufacturing Industry 4.0</td>
<td>3. Be able to machine a common part, measure it and record the cycle time.</td>
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<td>Metal Cutting (I) (Introduction)</td>
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<td>1. Acquire the hands-on and technical skills needed to machine a part on a CNC machine. Learn about fixturing, setting offsets, and selecting tooling and cutting parameters.</td>
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<td>2. Generate a G-Code program for a CNC machine.</td>
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<td>3. Be able to machine a complex part and optimize the cycle time.</td>
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<td>Metal Cutting (II) (Intermediate)</td>
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<td>1. Understand the basics of different machining operations, identify the main tool wear mechanisms and learn ways to control them, know the different coolant strategies, learn about different active chip control mechanisms and learn about the impact of machining process conditions on surface quality.</td>
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<td>2. Perform a machining study and use optical microscopy to assess tool wear and perform surface quality analyses.</td>
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<td>3. Be able to suggest cutting conditions resulting in minimum tool wear, surface integrity and cost for machining of a specific material and operation.</td>
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<td><strong>Cutting Tools/ Tool design</strong></td>
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<td>1. Review the main geometries of cutting tools, identify the different tool wear mechanisms and their root-causes, learn different classes of tool materials and tool coatings, know their typical applications and limitations.</td>
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<td>2. Perform machining tests and use optical microscopy to assess tool wear and perform tool failure analysis.</td>
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<td>3. Be able to suggest a proper tool geometry, material, and coating for a specific machining operation.</td>
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<td><strong>Dynamics of Machining</strong></td>
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<td>2. Run a machining test and measure cutting force and vibration.</td>
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<td>3. Be able to tune a process based on its dynamic performance.</td>
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<td><strong>Coatings for Cutting Tools</strong></td>
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<td>1. Get exposure to the different properties of tool coatings, learn the criteria for selecting the best coatings for specific operations, learn about different coating deposition techniques, their basics, applications, and limitation, and learn about different coating characterization techniques.</td>
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<td>2. Be able to use different characterization instrumentation and be able to understand and analyze results.</td>
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<td>3. Be able to suggest a proper coating for an intended operation and be able to characterize it and quantify impact on performance.</td>
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<td>2. Use a statistical tool like Minitab to develop a testing framework.</td>
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| 1. Learn about design challenges in Advanced Manufacturing  
  a. Limitations and opportunities  
  b. Physical based optimization of the manufacturing processes using advanced modeling. |
<p>| 2. Use Computer-aided design (CAD) software to solve design problems. |
| 3. Be able to apply a CAD software package to optimize a manufacturing process. |
| <strong>Material Testing and Characterization (I)</strong> (Micro / Nano-Mechanical Testing) | E  |    |    |
| 1. Study the background theory and application of micro/nano-mechanical testing techniques available for near/sub-surface material property assessments. |
| 2. Get familiar with material testing and characterization equipment and procedures. |
| 3. Learn how small-scale testing can be utilized to understand the behaviour of materials and predict/enhance product performances under real life conditions. |
| <strong>Material Testing and Characterization (II)</strong> (Scratch Testing) | E  |    |    |
| 1. Develop an understanding of scratch testing for assessing the adhesive strength of coating–substrate systems as well as quantifying scratch and mar resistance for research, quality control and product development. |
| 2. Become familiar with the instruments, testing procedures and interpreting results. |
| 3. Compare surface performance of critical surfaces to enhance the understanding of how these methods can be applied to improve surface performance and longevity. |
| <strong>Microscopy Failure Analysis</strong>             | E  |    |    |
| 1. Learn basic failure analysis methodologies, failure modes and mechanisms. |
| 2. Identify different failure modes using advanced microscopy. |
| 3. Perform root-cause analysis using newly gained knowledge and visual evidence. |</p>
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| High Resolution Surface Imaging Atomic Force Microscopy (AFM)       |     |     |     | 1. Get exposure to the science and application of different imaging technologies (both high and low resolution) available for material characterization.  
2. Use the different microscopes available to identify common problems in materials and manufacturing.  
3. Develop an understanding of choosing the right imaging tools and apply their capability correctly by studying meaningful problems. |
| Composite Materials and Testing Techniques                           |     |     |     | 1. Introduction to composite material, basic mechanics, and failure modes. Mechanical testing of composites at low and high temperatures.  
2. Perform fracture toughness testing to understand delamination behavior of composites.  
3. Be able to understand the mechanics of composite materials and select the right testing method to characterize the material. |
2. Apply FEA based modelling of processes using a commercial software package to solve problems.  
3. Be able to solve a production problem using FEA based process modeling. |
| Finite Element Analysis (FEA) Modeling of Machining Processes (Applications) |     |     |     | 1. Understand the basics of machining operations and the use of FEA based models for modeling different metal-cutting processes.  
2. Learn FEA based modelling techniques of metal cutting processes using a commercial software.  
3. Be able to shed light on a machining problem using FEA. |
2. Apply FEA based modelling of machining process tooling using a commercial software package.  
3. Be able to solve a tooling problem using FEA. |
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<td>3. Be able to study a given problem using process modelling. Problems may be related to part quality or optimization of part design or process.</td>
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<td>3. Map a current state of a given process, identify issues and suggest a future state using the tools covered.</td>
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Resources

Ontario Rapid Skills

Employment Ontario has provided funding to support the development of this training program. This funding has enabled the qualified instructors to develop high quality, relevant course content, organize demos and prepare case studies. It has also allowed us to organize potential projects based on our research and input from our industry partners.

NGen – Next Generation Manufacturing Canada

The Next Generation Manufacturing AmpUP program will support employers who want their employees to participate in the MMRI Industrial Training Program by covering ½ of the tuition costs for employee training.

Instructors

The MMRI has more than 20 years of experience in teaching, research and industrial activities. Highly qualified MMRI staff members and post doctoral fellows have developed the curriculum for the three certificate streams. These staff members are experienced in solving manufacturing problems with industry partners and know what manufacturers are looking for in employees. The courses will be delivered by MMRI staff, a faculty member in the department of Mechanical Engineering, and by outside experts.

Tuition Revenue

Tuition revenue will be modest at first, as support from Employment Ontario and NGen is helping with development costs, but once the program is fully operational, tuition fees will cover costs.

MMRI Facilities

The MMRI currently has a large facility with a wide range of industrial scale equipment and world-class instruments well suited for hands-on training. This program is being designed to increase utilization of the MMRI’s facilities by providing us with more exposure in the community.

The MMRI will also be moving to the McMaster Innovation Park (MIP) expanding in space and acquiring more advanced manufacturing technology. The move to MIP will facilitate more collaboration with our industry partners. Architect renderings highlight the space and show the connection between the classroom and the lab areas.
Training space under development at MIP
Major Equipment

The MMRI has instrumented industry scale equipment capable of duplicating a wide range of industry processes while studying them using our advanced instrumentation and modeling capability.

### Milling Centres

**Makino MC56-5XCA**
- Rapid Feed Rate: 15m/min
- Special High Power: 40 HP Spindle
- Max Spindle Speed: 15,000 RPM
- Simultaneous 5-Axis Control
- FANUC 18 Control
- Movement Increment: 0.0001mm
- Maximum Travel X: 510mm
- Y: 835mm
- Z: 635mm
- High Pressure Through Spindle Coolant and Air

**Matsura FX-5G**
- Rapid Feed Rate: 25m/min
- Spindle Power: 27 HP
- Max Spindle Speed: 27,000 RPM
- High Precision, High Rigidity
- FANUC 15M Control, 20 Tool ATC
- Maximum Travel X: 1010mm
- Y: 560mm
- Z: 400mm
- Probe Measuring and Positioning System

**Matsura LX-1**
- Rapid Feed Rate: 90m/min
- 1.5G Rapid Feed Acceleration
- Max Spindle Speed: 60,000 RPM
- Linear Motors on All Three Axis
- Ultra High Precision
- FANUC 15M Control
- Maximum Travel X: 500mm
- Y: 500mm
- Z: 300mm

**Okuma Cadet-Mate**
- Max. Rapid Feed Rate: 20m/min
- Spindle Power: 15 HP
- Max Spindle Speed: 8,000 RPM
- Maximum Travel X: 1010mm
- Y: 500mm
- Z: 523

### Water Jet System

**Flow AF-4080**
- Cutting Table: 6' x 8', Z-axis adjustability: 24
- Allen Bradley Series 9 Control System
- Contouring Speed: 300 ipm

### Micro Machining

**Freeform 7000**
- Rotary C-Axis, Rotary B-Axis
- High Speed Turbine Grinder
- SP-00 Diamond Turning Spindle
- LVDT Tool Set Station, Optical Tool Set Station
- Tool Air/Lube System
- Air Temperature Control System
- Expected: July 2003

**Grinding**

**Wafer Holotropic Power Series Tool Grinder**
- Double Ended Grinding Spindle
- Oil Coolant Systems
- 15m/min Axial Feed Rate
- HMC 500 Control with Pentium Processor
- Automatic Tool Probing System

**BLOHM Planimet 400 CNC Surface Grinder**
- GE Fanuc 18i control
- Contour/creep-feed grinding capability
- 15 kW spindle
- Grinding speeds up to 165 m/s
- 30 m/min, maximum table feed rate

### Metrology Equipment

**Zeiss Prismo 900 with VAST measuring head**
- Solution Software Library
- Probing Technology (VAST)
- 900/1200/700 XYZ
- Full Scanning Capacities
- 1000µm/sec and 3µm/sec
- Caliper up to 2 Microns

**Alconia InfiniteFocus**
- Real 3D Part Metrology for small objects
- Vertical resolution up to 10mm
- Edge radius up to 1µm
- Roughness up to 0.03 µm Ra

**EDM System**

**AGIETRON impact 2 Renf-type EDM System**
- Windows-based Agilus 2 control
- 4 servo controlled axes
- Freely definable 2- & 3-dimensional orbital/vector movements
- 72 A power generator

### Turning Centres

**Bohringer VDF 180CM**
- Spindle Power: 50 HP
- Max Spindle Speed: 4,500 RPM
- 10m/min Axes Feed Rate
- 12 Station VDI 40 Turret

**Nakamura SC450**
- 40 HP Wide Output Spindle
- Spindle Speed: 2,500 RPM
- 1200rpm Rapid Axis Feed Rate
- Slant Bed Design
- 12" Diameter Chuck
- Laserline 2.0 KW Diode Laser System
- FANUC

**Okuma Crown-S, BB**
- OSP Control System
- Max. Spindle Power: 24 HP
- Spindle Speed: 3,500 RPM
- 20mm/min Rapid Feed Rate
- 10" Diameter Chuck
Instruments

The MMRI has an extensive suite of material property assessment equipment capable of assessing a wide range of materials.

Nano Test Platform
- Two Loading Heads: Micro (0.1-20N) and Nano (10 mN - 500 mN)
- Nano/ micro-indentation
- Nano/ micro-scratch
- Nano-impact
- High-temperature capability
- Property Mapping

High Load-High Temperature Tribometer
- Heavy-load
- High-temperature (up to 1000°C)
- Custom developed to mimic the tool-chip interface in machining.
- The tool is simulated by a ball-tipped carbide pin, coated or uncoated, which interacts with a sample of work material.

Anton-Paar Revetest Scratch Tester
- Micro-/Macro-scratch and Wear test
- Conventional hardness measurements
- Toughness Measurements
- Critical load to failure, frictional force, co-efficient of friction and penetration depth determination
- Panoramic imaging directly synchronized with scratch

Anton-Paar NHT3 Nano-Indentation Platform
- Fast measurements with ISO 14577 standard
- Sinusoidal loading (sinus modes)
- Multi-cycle loading
- User defined profile
- Target specific indentation
- Compatible for measurements in liquids

AFM – TOSCA 400:
- Automatic laser alignment
- Large scan area in all directions combined with the highest accuracy
- The easiest engagement procedure on the AFM market
- Compatible with all cantilevers
- State-of-the-art sample navigation
- Workflow-oriented control and analysis software which meets the demands of industry
- Applications by Industrial Segments:
  - Chemicals
  - Paint & coatings
  - Electronics
  - Metal
  - Non-metal
  - Petroleum
  - Textile
  - Life science

Standard Tribometer (TRB PIN-ON-DISK):
- The industry standard for friction, wear and lubrication measurement.
- Environmental condition monitoring in real-time with integrated temperature and humidity sensors
- Ultimate testing parameters control and cutting-edge data analysis with Tribometer software
- Fast and easy contact mechanics simulation by Modeling software
- Some Applications:
  - Thin films (protective or decorative hard coatings)
  - Metals (bulk, advanced alloys, metallic composites)
  - Polymers (bulk polymers, polymeric coatings)
  - Lubrication system (fluid or solid lubricants)
  - Automotive (coatings, bulk materials, engine oils)
  - Optical coatings (anti-reflective coatings)
  - Biomaterials (hard implants, soft implants, stents)
  - Pharmaceutical (medicaments)
  - Various (thermal spray coatings, ceramic tiles, etc.)
Alignment with McMaster’s Certificates Policy

The following comments address points 45-56 of McMaster’s Certificates-Diplomas policy:

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

45. We are proposing that the term certificate of completion be assigned when a learner completes 8 one day courses and the completion of a real-world project. The academic calibre courses include in class lecture content, on machine demos and case studies involving industry relevant data which are being developed by faculty, post docs and core staff at the MMRI. The lecture content will be designed to provide the necessary background. Demos and case studies will be used to familiarize individuals with the technology. The project will be used to provide focus to the learning and encourage learners to pull content from the program to solve problems. The content leverages undergrad and grad material previously developed by core instructors and draws on international experts at our technology partners.

46. Based on the course load and project work the program will have over 30 hours of contact time (approx. 50 hrs) with instructors and an evaluation of the learners understanding will be completed at the end of each course. Project reports will also be graded.

47. As part of the program learners will complete quizzes, perform an assignment, and complete a project to demonstrate understanding of core concepts.

48. This program is targeting unemployed and underutilized people and as such is part of a lifelong learning initiative.

Admission Requirements

49. It is expected that learners will have a diploma, degree or considerable experience in advance materials and manufacturing before starting the program. This will be assessed in a preselection interview.

Credit Toward Another Credential

50. There are no plans currently to align this with a degree program, but the program will be designed so this can be done in the future if there is interest. We are working to be compatible with the micro credential initiative underway in the faculty of engineering.

51. A Certificate of Attendance may be issued if an individual takes only one course. Then it would be a Certificate of Attendance for one course. If they are not actively working towards a Certificate of Completion, then they may also opt to not participate in the assessment.

Approval Criteria

52. Appropriate announcements will be made to Undergraduate council so that they are aware of this program and its objectives.

53. Fees are being charged and thus we are following the process for approval of academic certificates and diplomas.

54. The program is designed to address the needs of unemployed and underutilized workers and as such holds considerable benefit to the community and is consistent with the objectives McMaster has for community engagement.

Guidelines and Limitations

55. Clarity and the protection of the McMaster certificate brand are being considered. The planned title of the program is the MMRI Industry Training Program. We are working with the Public Relations groups on campus to ensure branding is consistent with McMaster’s guidelines.

56. The course description will include the non-credit status of the course. Details related to learner evaluation will also be provided. At this stage 70% is the target grade to pass a course and have it contribute to a “Certificate of Completion”.

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Appendix – Statement of Academic Merit, Faculty of Engineering
September 24, 2020

Certificates Committee
McMaster University

RE: Faculty of Engineering’s statement of support for the MMRI Industry Training Program

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to outline the Faculty of Engineering’s support for the McMaster Manufacturing Research Institute (MMRI) Industry Training Program.

By way of background, a funding opportunity came up with Employment Ontario to develop a training program to help unemployed and underutilized employees gain valuable experience and advance their career in the manufacturing sector. The MMRI applied for and was successful in this competition. Since receiving the award they have been developing a detailed curriculum and putting in place the resources needed to deliver a rich learning experience.

The course content is being developed by the faculty and researchers at the MMRI, many of whom have PhDs in materials and manufacturing and have worked in the manufacturing research sector for many years. We have reviewed the intended learning outcomes associated with each course as part of our internal review process. We are also ensuring that the MMRI has the necessary resources to deliver a high-quality program that meets the standards of engineering for industry training programs and the objectives set out in McMaster’s Certificates and Diplomas Policy.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns regarding this program.

Best regards,

Ishwar K. Puri
Dean of Engineering and Professor
DATE: November 17, 2020

TO: University Student Fees Committee

FROM: Stephen C. Veldhuis, Prof. and Director (MMRI)

RE: The MMRI Industry Training Program

Brief Description of the Request

Please describe the fee request and explain why it is being brought to the University Student Fees Committee. And please fill in the table below and leave it in as part of the description of the request, if applicable.

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<td>No</td>
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Description of Program and Plan. Please also suggest description strings to be used in Mosaic

Program:
- ACAD_PROG (5 chars length)
- DESCR (max 30 chars length)

Plan:
- ACAD_PLAN (max 10 char length)
- DECSR (max 30 chars length)

To meet the ever-increasing global demand for high-value manufactured products, manufacturers are striving to maintain their competitive edge in the global market by optimizing processes, applying automation, and creating innovative products and services. New technologies can benefit companies, but companies also require skilled workers with advanced knowledge, problem-solving and decision-making skills. These demands put workers with low technical and problem-solving skills at risk of being laid off if production volumes drop. They also make it difficult for people with limited experience to re-enter the job market and for people recently laid-off to keep up with changes in the industry.

This unique training program is designed around meeting the needs and requirements of industry as identified by our wide range of our industry partners. The focus is on building on a worker’s existing skillset, not replacing it, and empowering them with innovative, up-to-date and in-demand skills and knowledge. The program will be set up
to deliver core concepts quickly in small units which are focused on providing the necessary background to solve a problem or realize a production performance opportunity.

Experiential problem-based learning of this nature is the most powerful way for people in the manufacturing sector to acquire the necessary skills and experiences that will build their background to connect with new job opportunities and develop a lifelong career in manufacturing. By linking learning with problems and production improvement opportunities employers also benefit from the results of the learner’s project work in their operations.

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<td><strong>Domestic Tuition:</strong></td>
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<td>$4,500 / certificate (involving 8 course + 1 project course)</td>
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**How fees will be charged?** (Proposed program or annual fees that are charged or payable by term should preferably be divisible by 3.)

Individuals will be invoiced before each course and will have the option to pay by credit card. In cases where agencies like NGen are involved they will be billed separately at the end of each month.

**Additional Notes, if applicable:**

**Brief Description of the Program or Issue**

*Please provide a brief description of the relevant program or issue associated with the request to USFC. For programs, please include at the minimum the program name, department/faculty, and certification received upon degree completion.*

Program Name: MMRI Industry Training Program
Dept. / Faculty: Faculty of Engineering
Certificate Received: McMaster Certificate of Completion in Advanced Manufacturing
Rationale for Fees or Issue

Please provide the rationale for the proposed fees/request.

Fees are being charged to cover the cost of instructors associated with content delivery.

If new program tuition and/or supplementary fees, rationale should include fees charged by similar programs within McMaster or at other institutions or any other relevant information.

$500 per 1 day course is typical within industry for this type of course content.

If existing program tuition and/or supplementary fees, explain why the proposed change is necessary. Explain the process/procedure for approval of the supplementary fees and the outcome. Describe the method of fee collection.

Proposed Timelines

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- The MMRI Industry Program has been operating with Faculty of Engineering Dean's permission since March 2020 to test the concept. We are requesting formal approval to start effective September 2021.

Additional Information

Please provide any other additional information. You may provide attachments. For new programs, please attach the completed Program Costing Template.

Please see the accompanying Program information document.

Since this is not a new degree program a detailed Program Costing Template was deemed to not be appropriate, in its place a Program Budget is provided.
If this request relates to a **new fee** you are advised to connect with Student Accounts and Cashiers prior to submitting this proposal to USFC in order to discuss on how to code this new fee into the Mosaic system.

I/We have contacted with Student Accounts and Cashiers: YES ☐ NO ☒

Note: We will be invoicing the learners or their company’s directly.
## Program Budget

### First Year

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<td>NGen AmpUp Support</td>
<td>9,000 NGen industry members get support from NGen</td>
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<td>First year Fees</td>
<td>42,000 Count on 20 learners completing a certificate and 30 other learners just taking 1 course. Use a reduced fee amount of $200 for the first year.</td>
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**Revenue Subtotal**: 351,000

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<td>Special Tuition support</td>
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**Expenses Subtotal**: 351,000

**Balance**: -

If any extra revenue is generated it will go into new course development to build the program.

### Year 2 - Planned

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**Revenue Subtotal**: 97,000

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**Expenses Subtotal**: 97,000

**Balance**: -

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