

Wording on diploma debated

Students at UPEI may not have the right to decide what is on their diplomas. Academic Planning Committee chair Roger Black might bring a motion to Senate on Friday that would see diplomas reading "Bachelor of Arts, Honours" or "Bachelor of Science" with no mention of discipline or degree.

This is in fact what has happened on diplomas here in the past, but student senators requested that the major be included, acting on the will of the students they had talked to.

"We're paying \$35 for a diploma, why shouldn't we have something specific?" asked newly elected Senator Brian Beck.

Jack Keefe, Student Union president, went farther: "We're paying \$2000 a semester to come here. We should be able to have what we want on it."

The APC did not give a motion for its recommendation.

Registrar Michael Hennessey believes the document should be "unturned, dignified."

"This document is more of a formality," he said. "It gives the university's approval of a student's degree."

Education professor Gerald Arsenault disagreed, saying, "Transcripts are different, but this is personal to students."

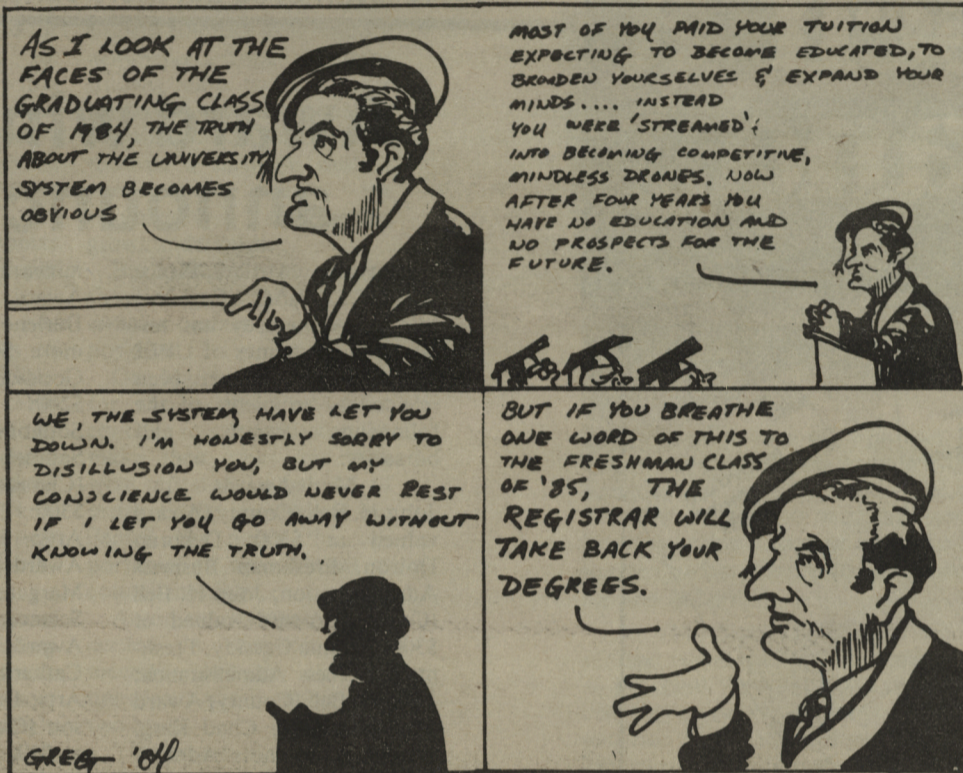
Apparently changing the format of the degree will cost significantly more, an increase which will probably be passed on to the students.

Some senators were reluctant about the change, wondering "what happens when students change their minds in two years?"

To Hennessey, "It seems a whim to consider changing the wording", adding that only three out of nine universities consulted in the

Atlantic region give notation of the discipline on the diploma.

The motion to have no notation of major was lost, but a motion by Senator Pratt to add the discipline was tabled when the meeting exceeded its two-hour time limit.



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CAMPUS COMMUNITY

Psych Club positions filled

The U.P.E.I. Psychology Club has announced the results of its recent executive elections.

David Doiron is president, Bill Foster is Vice-President, Anne Garnum is secretary, Cindi Clark is treasurer, Nancy McLure is the senior class rep, and Pauline Walsh is the junior class rep.

All positions were filled by acclamation. Sophomore and Freshman reps will be elected in the fall.

Seniors hold elections

The senior class of 1984 has announced the results of its recent elections.

The class valedictorian will be Donna MacKenzie. The life executive consists of president Darrel Blacquiere, vice president Darlene Greenan, treasurer Steven Bishop, and Secretary Kim Gass.

Jobs re-opened

Applications for the following positions will be accepted until Friday April 6, 1984 at 4 p.m.

- Yearbook Co-editor
- Production Editor for "The Netted Gem"
- Music Director for CIMN
- Orientation Co-Chairperson

All applicants must contact the Student Union by 5 p.m. Friday, April 6, 1984 as interviews for these positions will be held that same night.

Liberal C C meets

The U.P.E.I. Liberal Campus Club has announced a meeting for April 9 at 7 p.m. on the second floor of the Barn.

Business will include executive elections for next year and selection of delegates for the national Liberal leadership convention in June.

In order to vote, members must register 24 hours prior to the meeting by contacting Bob Hanf or Bruce Sanderson.

Business challenges all

The Business Society has issued a challenge to all faculties and sub-organizations to match or better its \$100 donation to the senior class.

Any donation would be appreciated, of course. It can be presented at the Business Society pub on April 12 or dropped off at the Senior class office, downstairs at the Kelley Building.

Senior recital planned

The UPEI Music Department presents a senior recital on Thursday, April 5.

Featuring soprano Hazel Robinson, clarinetist Susan Nicholson, and works by Brahms, Debussy, Faure, Schumann, and Spohr, the recital is open to the public, and admission is free.

The evening starts at 8 p.m. in the Steele Recital Hall.

Senate seat vacated

Student Union president-elect Michelle Dorsey has resigned from her seat on the UPEI Senate, effective May 1, 1984.

Nominations are now open for the vacated seat, and will close Thursday April 5. The by-election will be held April 10, 1984.

Research list compiled

The Office of Research and Development is preparing a publication which will record all research and scholarly activity undertaken by academic staff between January 1, 1977 and December 31, 1983.

An attempt has been made to contact all part-time sessionals and lecturers on campus for contributions. If, however, you have been overlooked, please contact Linda Burke in Room 216, Main Building, telephone extension 131.

Details of summer business loans announced

The commencement of a Youth Employment Program for P.E.I. students was announced in the Legislature recently by Industry Minister Binns.

Applications have been available since March 14 to students attending schools, colleges, and universities within or outside the province.

The program, now in its second year, encourages students to start up small summer businesses to obtain summer income.

It is sponsored by the P.E.I. Department of Industry in cooperation with the Chartered Banks and local Credit Unions.

The program's objective is to provide Island students with access to funds necessary to initiate small summer businesses, thereby providing employment for students as well as developing the entrepreneurial skills of young Islanders.

To facilitate this objective, the program offers start-up money to eligible students who wish to plan and operate their own summer businesses. Start-up funds are provided in the form of interest-free loans; the maximum loan

is \$2,000 per business venture and is available from April 12 1984, to the repayment date of October 1, 1984. The loan is interest-free in the sense that interest will be reimbursed if the total of the loan is repaid on or before October 1, 1984.

Binns commented that the program offers an innovative opportunity for students to receive a summer income while providing a valuable learning experience.

"Students participating are encouraged to exercise good entrepreneurial and management skills to better ensure the success of their business endeavours now or in the future."

The government has established an award program to recognize those participants who exemplify good business practices.

There are no limits to the kind of business proposal the Department will entertain so long as the bulk of its activity is carried out between April 2, 1984, and October 1, 1984, and current requirements of governing bodies are met.

Approvals to proposals are granted by the Program's Review Board based on information received and the

perceived viability of the venture.

"I am confident that our students will respond to the challenge to develop a wide variety of viable and creative business ventures. My staff are available to students to provide assistance at any point along the way," said Binns.

The Minister expressed appreciation to the Chartered Banks and Credit Unions participation. "With their cooperation, it is possible to

offer this program," he acknowledged.

Students interested in the full details of the Program may contact the P.E.I. Department of Industry, P.O. Box 2000, Charlottetown, P.E.I. C1A 7N8 or telephone 892-5445.

Program literature and application forms are also available at the P.E.I. Regional Services Centres and Canada Employment Centres (on campus) throughout Atlantic Canada.

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