Report on Program Closures 2017-18

Faculty	Program	Unit (if Applicable)	Degree Designation	Type of Modification	Brief Description of Modification	Date of Ceased Admissions (M/D/Y)	Effective Date (M/D/Y)
Faculty of Arts and Science	Major in Health Care Ethics	Human Biology Programs	B.Sc.	Closure of a program	The decision to close the program is a result of the 2012-13 UTQAP review of the Human Biology programs. The program was initially launched to reflect interest in the field but student demand never materialized. As part of curricular renewal, the academic content in the Health Care Ethics Major 300-level bioethics course was realigned to suit a wider audience of life science students. The course is now a program requirement for every Specialist program in Human Biology. Admissions were administratively suspended in April 2014.	04/01/2018	06/30/2018
Faculty of Arts and Science	Specialist in Developmental Biology	Human Biology Programs	B.Sc.	Closure of a program	Closure of the program was discussed and endorsed through the 2015-16 UTQAP review of the Department of Cell and Systems Biology and its programs. The program is closing due to a lack of student interest in the program. The academic content will continue to be taught through the recently created Stem Cells and Developmental Biology focus option within the Cell and Molecular Biology Specialist and Major programs. The six students currently enrolled will be supported to complete the program. Admissions were administratively suspended in March 2017.	03/01/2017	06/30/2022

University of Toronto	Specialist (Joint) in Applied	Department of Biological	B.Sc.	Closure of a program	The Specialist in Applied Microbiology was offered jointly with Centennial College. It is closing due to a	02/12/2013	08/31/2018
Scarborough	Microbiology	Sciences			lack of student interest and because the program no longer fits the Department's academic priorities. The program was suspended to new enrolments effective the 2013-14 academic year, and all students have now graduated.		
University of Toronto Scarborough	Specialist (Joint) Program in Environmental Science and Technology	Department of Physical and Environmental Sciences	B.Sc.	Closure of a program	The Specialist in Environmental Science and Technology was offered jointly with Centennial College. It is closing due to a lack of student interest. The program was suspended to new enrolments effective the 2013-14 academic year, and all students have now graduated.	02/12/2013	08/31/2018