



POLICY ON PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS (*COMMANDITE* COURSES)

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1. PREAMBLE

Students at Dawson College are expected to take all their courses at the College. This policy recognizes exceptional circumstances under which it might be necessary for students to take a course elsewhere. A *commandite* is an official document that allows students to take a course in another educational institution.

2. POLICY

A student who is registered full-time in the college (i.e. for a minimum of four courses or 180 semester hours) is allowed to register for one or more courses at another college with the approval of the Dean of Academic Systems. The *commandite* is subject to the approval of the college from which the student wishes the *commandite*.

The following criteria determine the eligibility of students for a *commandite* course.

- 2.1. A student needs a course to graduate and/or to complete university entrance requirements including *mise-à-niveau* courses and the course is not offered at Dawson in the semester required or it conflicts with the student's schedule.
- 2.2. A student needs a course to remain in stream and the course is not offered at Dawson in the semester required.
- 2.3. Other reasonable requests as determined by the Dean of Academic Systems.