March 17, 2020

## An Important Message to UTSC Students

The University is committed to your success, and ensuring that the appropriate academic options are in place to help you navigate the remaining weeks of the Winter 2020 term. We have important information related to academic deadline dates to ensure that you and all students can make informed decisions. Please read the information below carefully:

## Update 1: Extended deadline to drop a Y and/or S course

- New deadline: Saturday, April 25, 2020.
- Note that no final grades will be released until after this date.
- Students may submit their request online through <u>ACORN</u>.

## Update 2: Extended deadline for Credit/No Credit for Winter 2020 courses

- New deadline: Saturday, April 25, 2020.
- Note that no final grades will be released until after this date.
- Students may submit their request online through <u>eService</u> (<u>https://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/regoffice/eservice/student/</u> Path: Courses -> Credit/No Credit Declaration for Winter 2020)
- This access will be available by the end of day on Wednesday, March 18.

## Update 3: Credit/No Credit (CR/NCR) policy for impacted courses

- For all undergraduate courses that are impacted this Winter 2020 term, the following exceptions to the <u>standard CR/NCR policy</u> will apply:
  - Credits earned with a final mark of at least 50% will be noted with a CR notation on your transcript in lieu of a numerical grade. You will be allowed to use these courses to fulfill your program completion requirements.
  - You may choose the CR/NCR option for <u>any or all</u> of your Winter 2020 courses and they will not count toward the <u>standard 2.0 credit limit</u>.
  - There will be no limit to the number of credits that you can choose to declare as CR/NCR for the Winter 2020 term. For example, a student may declare CR/NCR for 2.5 credits of their Winter 2020 courses under this new exception, and it will not deduct from the standard 2.0 credit limit.
  - NOTE: while a grade of CR will appear on the academic records of students who choose this option, the actual percentage grade earned in those courses, which will not appear on students' academic records, will be used by the departments of Computer and Mathematical Sciences, Management, Psychology and Sociology for purposes of assessing admission to limited enrolment Subject Posts. All other departments may use a similar evaluation method for determining entry to limited enrolment programs.

As we navigate through these unprecedented times together, it is our hope that these options provide you with the flexibility to determine how to best complete the term. The Office of the Registrar is maintaining service to students via email, and we are available to answer or clarify any remaining questions you may have. At this time, we encourage you to email us using your official U of T email address at <u>askregistrar@utsc.utoronto.ca</u>. Please provide your student number to help us reply to your inquiries as efficiently as possible, and we thank you for your patience.

Lastly, you can stay connected and access up-to-date information on UTSC's <u>COVID-19 Updates</u> page.

We wish you all the very best,

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