

**REQUEST FOR CHANGE TO CURRENT CONSENT:
ADMISSION, PROMOTION AND GRADUATION
BACHELOR OF APPLIED HUMAN SERVICES – POLICE STUDIES**

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Full Legal Name of Organization: Georgian College of Applied Arts and Technology
Operating Name of Organization: Georgian College
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Degree Nomenclature: Bachelor of Applied Human Services – Police Studies
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Georgian College is seeking approval to revise the current consent for two policies under the Standard for Admission, Promotion, and Graduation. This is necessary because the current policies are not consistent with the most recent PEQAB guidelines and other programs in the system and, as well, they have proven to be a barrier to student access to pathways for degree completion and success.

The **graduation** eligibility requirement for the degrees states that the students must receive a 65% in each of the courses. We would like to amend the graduation requirement to state *“To graduate from this program a student must attain an overall average of 65% with no course less than 60%”*.

The current consents indicate that students entering each of the degrees through the bridging programmes require an overall 65% average with an additional 65% in each of the courses to be eligible for **admission** into the degree. We are recommending a change in the admission standard from the approved bridge programs to the degrees with *“To be eligible for admission to the degree, the student must attain an overall average of 65% with no course less than 60%.”*

Standard	Original consent	Change
Graduation requirements	Overall average of 65% with 65% in each of the courses	Overall average of 65% with no courses less than 60%
Admission to program from bridge	Overall average of 65% with 65% in each of the courses	Overall average of 65% with no courses less than 60%

We are confident that these minor changes will provide learners with greater access to educational/professional education while maintaining the academic integrity of the programmes. Please note that this standard is comparable to or exceeds other degrees at universities.