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Postsecondary Education Quality Assessment Board  
Commission d'évaluation de la qualité de l'éducation postsecondaire

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The Honourable John Milloy  
Minister, Training Colleges and Universities  
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Dear Minister:

**Re: Application from Trinity Western University  
for Ministerial consent to offer eleven courses and an internship at the  
Laurentian Leadership Centre  
Recommendation to Grant Consent**

Pursuant to section 5(1) of the *Post-secondary Education Choice and Excellence Act, 2000*, on August 31, 2007, Trinity Western University applied to the Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities for consent to continue offer courses and an internship at its Laurentian Leadership Centre to students enrolled in Bachelor of Arts programs at its Langley, British Columbia campus, the current consent for which is due to expire on September 3, 2008.

In accordance with Section 5.2 of the Act, the Minister referred the application on December 11, 2007, to the Board for its review and recommendation. The Board reviewed the application in accordance with its *Handbook for Private Institutions, February 2006*, and gave final consideration to the application at its meeting of January 15, 2008.

Based on:

- the applicant's original submission,
- any additional material submitted by the applicant, and
- the Board's assessment of the information against the Board's standards and benchmarks for a bachelor degree program,

the Postsecondary Education Quality Assessment Board recommends that you grant consent to Trinity Western University offer the following range of courses from which the student selects three:

- POLS 230 Law and Politics in Canada
- POLS 310 Issues in Social Justice
- POLS 312 Globalization and Global Governance
- POLS 314 International Political Economy
- POLS/HIST 335 Development of the Canadian Constitution
- POLS 383 Public Administration in Canada
- POLS 391 Canadian Governmental Leadership
- POLS 392 Ethics and Public Affairs
- POLS 393 Law, Public Policy and Cultural Change
- POLS/HIST 436 Canadian and US Relations
- POLS 440 The Evolution of Canadian Foreign Policy

and an internship at its Laurentian Leadership Centre in Ottawa to students enrolled in Bachelor of Arts programs at its Langley, British Columbia campus:

Yours truly,



Dale Patterson  
Chair

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