

Cover Sheet: Request 13818

BSC3911: Entering Research in Biology

Info

Process	Course Modify Ugrad/Pro
Status	Pending at PV - University Curriculum Committee (UCC)
Submitter	Teresa Mutahi tmutahi@ufl.edu
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Description of request	We would like to request a modification for BSC3911 (Entering Research in Biology). Course will require BSC2010/L and BSC 2011/L as pre-requisites instead of the current co-requisites: BSC 4910 or BOT 4905 or ZOO 4905 or IDH 4912.

Actions

Step	Status	Group	User	Comment	Updated
Department	Approved	CLAS - Biology 011690003	Marta Wayne		5/1/2019
No document changes					
College	Approved	CLAS - College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	Joseph Spillane		10/14/2019
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University Curriculum Committee	Pending	PV - University Curriculum Committee (UCC)			10/14/2019
No document changes					
Statewide Course Numbering System					
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Office of the Registrar					
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Student Academic Support System					
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Catalog					
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College Notified					
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Responses

Current Prefix BSC

Course Level 3

Number 911

Lab Code None

Course Title Entering Research in Biology

Effective Term Earliest Available

Effective Year Earliest Available

Requested Action Other (selecting this option opens additional form fields below)

Change Course Prefix? No

Change Course Level? No

Change Course Number? No

Change Lab Code? No

Change Course Title? No

Change Transcript Title? No

Change Credit Hours? No

Change Variable Credit? No

Change S/U Only? No

Change Contact Type? No

Change Rotating Topic Designation? No

Change Repeatable Credit? No

Maximum Repeatable Credits 1

Change Course Description? Yes

Current Course Description A seminar course to complement a students mentored research experience. Must be taken concurrently with research credits. Students meet weekly to share their

research experiences and to get feedback on the progress of their research projects. Coreq: BSC 4910 or BOT 4905 or ZOO 4905 or IDH 4912

Proposed Course Description (50 words max) A seminar course that prepares students entering research and complements a students mentored research experience. Students meet weekly to get feedback on successfully securing a research lab/mentor and to share their research experiences. Guest expert speakers are also invited to class. Pre-req: BSC2010/L and BSC 2011/L

Change Prerequisites? Yes

Current Prerequisites BSC 4910 or BOT 4905 or ZOO 4905 or IDH 4912

Change Co-requisites? Yes

Rationale There is a need to prepare undergraduate students to enter research. Students (sophomores and juniors) who will benefit from the seminar series the most will not have taken the required co-requisites which are upper level (Coreq: BSC 4910 or BOT 4905 or ZOO 4905 or IDH 4912).

Pre-reqs: BSC2010/L and BSC 2011/L have been added to ensure students pursuing research have the necessary foundational biology knowledge needed before joining a lab.