

Library Resource Form Required for New Non-Gen-Ed

Submission Deadlines: Fall - October 10, 2006 Spring - February 13, 2007

TITLE INTRODUCTION TO VIROLOGY - WI (C401.321) : COURSE DELETION

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New non-gen-ed Major

Short-Term non-gen-ed

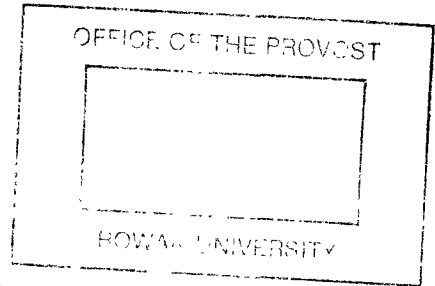
Minor/curricular changes (a/c) other than three yr

Existing non-gen-ed course

Non-gen-ed degree requirements

Major

Minor, specialization, concentration, track, certificate program



Signatures Required representing approval before submission to Office of the Senate

Department Chair [Signature] Date 2/7/06
Department CURR/COLUM Chair [Signature] Date 2/9/07
Academic DEAN [Signature] Date 4/15/07

COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE Date Meeting Date 3/5/07

Signature College Curriculum Chair [Signature]

Signature SENATE CURRICULUM CHAIR [Signature] Date 4/19/07

Comments _____

Signature Executive Vice President/Provost [Signature] ALIA HOUSHMAND Date 4/3/07

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Date 4/3/07 Course Description Reviewed & Approved Reg's Tabularly & Course # _____

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Minor Curricular Change

Introduction to Virology-WI (BIOL 01.321): Course Deletion

1. Details

- a. *Change Requested:* Deletion of Course
- b. *Sponsor:* Joanne Scott
Department of Biological Sciences
- c. *Resources:* Since this is a course to be deleted, a library resource form is not needed.

2. Rationale

a. *Statement of Need:*

Prior to our Department's designation of WI for our senior seminar (Special Topics in Biological Sciences-WI; BIOL 01.445), we added the WI designation to our Introduction to Virology (BIOL 01.320). This created Introduction to Virology-WI (BIOL 01.321). The WI version of our Virology course has not been taught for several years, since the WI version of our senior seminar became available. Our newly revised program for Biology majors requires each student to take Philosophy of Science-WI, and most of our majors also take Special Topics-WI. Therefore, there is no demand for an additional WI Biological Sciences course. Current faculty in the Department have no interest in teaching a writing intensive version of the Virology course.

b. *Statement of Curricular Effect:* This version of the Virology course has not been offered in several years. The Department will continue to offer Introduction to Virology (BIOL 01.320), the non-WI version of the course.

3. Results of consultation

Consultations were conducted within the Department of Biological Sciences. The course is not interdisciplinary, so its deletion is not expected to impact any academic program of the University. Biochemistry majors interested in taking a course in Virology do not need it to be a WI-designated course, since their program requires them to take a WI course offered by the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry.