

## **Course Approval Form**

For instructions: http://registrar.gmu.edu/facultystaff/catalog-revisions/course/

Action Requested: (definitions available at website above)  Create NEW Inactivate  Modify (check all that apply below)		Course Level:  Undergraduate X Graduate
Title (must be 75% similar to original) Repeat Status Credits Schedule Type	X Prereq/coreq Gra	de Mode er:
College/School: College of Science	Department: Forens	sic Science Program
Submitted by: Emily Rancourt	Ext: 35234	Email: erancour@gmu.edu
Subject Code: FRSC Number: 560 Effective Term: X Fall  (Do not list multiple codes or numbers. Each course proposal must have a separate form.)  Effective Term: X Fall  Spring Year 2017  Summer		
Title: Current Forensic DNA Sciences	Fulfills	Mason Core Req? (undergrad only)
Banner (30 characters max w/ spaces) Forensic New		rently fulfills requirement mission in progress
Credits: Fixed → Repeat Status: Not Repeatable (NR)		
	heck one) Repeatable wil	hin degree (RD) → Max credits allowed: hin term (RT) → (required for RT/RD status only)
(check one) Satisfactory/No Credit (c	chedule Type: heck one) C can include LAB or RCT if ked sections will be offered  Lecture (LEC) Lab (LAB) Recitation (RC	
	Internship (INT	)
Prerequisite(s)(NOTE: hard-coding requires separate Prereq Checking form, see		prequisite(s):
Students shall have completed undergraduate cours biology, as well as, genetics prior to taking this cours		
Restrictions Enforced by System: Major, College,	Degree, Program, etc. Include Code	(s). Equivalencies (check only as applicable):  YES, course is 100% equivalent to YES, course renumbered to or replaces
Catalog Copy (Consult University Catalog for models)		
Description (No more than 60 words, use verb phrases ar	d present tense)	Notes (List additional information for the course)
g	ecture or Seminar per week: 3 Summer X Spring	Hours of Lab or Studio:
Approval Signatures		
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	College/School Approva	Date
th by any other units, the originating department must circulate this proposal for review by omission. Failure to do so will delay action on this proposal.		
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Undergraduate or Graduate Council Approval		
UGC or GC Council Member Prov	ost's Office	UGC or GC Approval Date Form revised 9/2/2016

## Course Proposal Submitted to the College of Science Curriculum Committee (COSCC)

The form above is processed by the Office of the University Registrar. This second page is for the COSCC's reference.

Please complete the applicable portions of this page to clearly communicate what the form above is requesting.

## FOR ALL COURSES (required)

Course Number and Title: FRSC 560- Forensic DNA Sciences

Date of Departmental Approval: October 25th, 2016

## FOR MODIFIED COURSES (required if modifying a course)

- Summary of the Modification: A course pre-requisite has been added.
- Text before Modification (title, repeat status, catalog description, etc.):

FRSC 560 – Forensic DNA Sciences Credits: 3 Not Repeatable for Credit Offered by Forensic Science Program

Text after Modification (title, repeat status, catalog description, etc.):

FRSC 560- Forensic DNA Sciences Credits: 3 Not Repeatable for Credit Offered by Forensic Science Program

Pre-requisite: Students shall have completed undergraduate coursework in molecular and/or cell biology, as well as, genetics prior to taking this course or permission of instructor.

Reason for the Modification: It has recently come to our attention that some students do not have the pre-requisite knowledge needed to successfully complete FRSC 560 Forensic DNA Sciences. Therefore, we have added a note to inform students what topics they should be knowledgeable in prior to taking the course.