

# Course Change Request

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Viewing: **BIOL 480 : The Diversity of Fishes**

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Catalog Pages  
referencing this  
course

[Biology\\_\(BIOL\).](#)

[Department of Biology.](#)

## In Workflow

1. **BIOL Undergraduate Representative**
2. **SC Curriculum Committee**
3. SC Associate Dean
4. Assoc Provost- Undergraduate
5. Registrar-Courses
6. Banner

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## Approval Path

1. 08/30/23 1:46 pm  
Geraldine Grant (ggrant1): Approved for BIOL Undergraduate Representative

## History

1. Dec 21, 2018 by Gregory Craft (gcraft)
2. Mar 5, 2020 by dpolayes

Are you completing this form on someone else's behalf?

Yes ~~No~~

Requestor:

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**Effective Term:** Summer 2023

**Subject Code:** BIOL - Biology

**Course Number:** 480

**Bundled Courses:**

**Is this course replacing another course?** No

**Equivalent Courses:** [EVPP 435 - The Diversity of Fishes](#)

**Catalog Title:** The Diversity of Fishes

**Banner Title:** The Diversity of Fishes

**Will section titles vary by semester?** No

**Credits:** 4 ~~3~~

**Schedule Type:** Lecture [w/Lab](#)

**Hours of Lecture or Seminar per week:** 3

**Hours of Lab or Studio per week:** 1

**Repeatable:** May be only taken once for credit, limited to 3 attempts (N3)

**Max Allowable Credits:**  
12 ~~9~~

**Default Grade Mode:** Undergraduate Regular

**Recommended Prerequisite(s):**

BIOL [300](#) ~~309~~, BIOL ~~300~~, and BIOL [350 or EVPP 350](#) ~~350/EVPP 350~~.

**Recommended Corequisite(s):**

**Required Prerequisite(s) / Corequisite(s) (Updates only):**

**Registrar's Office Use Only - Required Prerequisite(s)/Corequisite(s):**

And/Or	(	Course/Test Code	Min Grade/Score	Academic Level	)	Concurrency?

**Registration  
Restrictions  
(Updates only):**

**Registrar's Office Use Only - Registration Restrictions:**

**Field(s) of Study:**

**Class(es):**

**Level(s):**

**Degree(s):**

**School(s):**

**Catalog**

**Description:**

This course delves into the biology and ecology of fishes. Subjects of this class include fish anatomy, taxonomy, evolution, habitat adaptations, community dynamics, and ecosystem interactions. The course will also touch on human impacts on fishes, and conservation.

**Justification:**

What: Updating the credits and moving to a lec/lab.

Why: To align with the course's expectations.

What: Updating prereqs.

Why: Oceanography is no longer deemed necessary.

**Does this course cover material which crosses into another department?** No

**Learning Outcomes:**

**Will this course be scheduled as a cross-level cross listed section?** Yes

Please use the **Additional Attachments** button to attach two syllabi for review, one undergraduate and one graduate, preferably as separate documents. These should be provided in order to demonstrate the difference in expectations and assessments for undergraduates and graduates taking the course.

**Attach Syllabus**

[BIOL480Syllabus.pdf](#)

**Additional Attachments**

[EVPP536syllabus.pdf](#)

**Specialized Course Categories:**

**Additional Comments:**

**Reviewer Comments**

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