University of Georgia  
Department of Genetics

Application for GENE Research Course Approval with a Faculty Sponsor Outside of Genetics

Note: If you would like to enroll in a supervised research course with a faculty member outside of the Department of Genetics, you must receive special permission to do so. The research you do must be genetical in nature. You should work with your faculty sponsor to describe the research you will be doing in enough detail so that the nature of the research can be evaluated. Your request will be considered by faculty serving on the Undergraduate Affairs Committee and must be approved with at least 2 positive and no negative votes. Once a decision is reached, you will be contacted by email and, if approved, you will be allowed to register for the course by Genetics or Honors.

Deadline: Complete and submit this form to Susan White, B110 Davison Life Sciences, at least 2 days before the first day of classes.

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STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name: ____________________________  81#: ____________________________

Semester of Research: ___________  UGA email address: ____________________________

Please indicate the specific course for which you are requesting credit:

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Number of Hours in Lab per Week*: _______  Check Number of Credit Hours: (3) (4) _______  

* A minimum of 3 hours of work in the lab is required for each credit hour requested.

Students who complete the thesis sequence of GENE 4960, GENE 4970 and GENE 4990 (or the Honors equivalents) under the supervision of the same faculty sponsor, and submit a thesis, will satisfy the Genetics major lab requirement. A single GENE 4960 will count as a major elective, but will not count towards the lab requirement.

Detailed Project Description:

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FACULTY SPONSOR INFORMATION

Faculty Sponsor Name: ____________________________________________________________

Faculty Rank: ___________________________ Department: ______________________________

Telephone: _____________________________ Email address: ____________________________

Is the faculty a regular or adjunct member of the Department of Genetics? Yes ______ No ______

Students must complete a capstone project in order to fulfill the requirements for a research course. Examples of acceptable capstone projects include a written report, an oral presentation, or a poster. Faculty sponsors of undergraduate research will be asked to complete an assessment of the student’s work.

“I understand that a capstone project is required for all students completing a Genetics research course.”

Faculty Sponsor’s Initials: __________

Faculty Sponsor’s Signature: ____________________________________________ Date: _________

Student’s Signature: ____________________________________________ Date: ___________

UAC Vote: __________ (Approved) __________ (Denied)

Undergraduate Coordinator’s Signature: __________________________________________ Date: __________

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