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**Course Deletion Proposal Form**

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1. **Course Title, Prefix and Number**

Laboratory for Mammalogy

BIO 5351

1. **Contact Person** (Name, Email Address, Phone Number)

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1. **Justification**

The course is being merged into a new 4-credit Mammalogy course (BIO 5354; see “New or modified course proposal form”)

1. **Last semester course will be offered**

Fall 2020

1. **Yes / No Does this course appear in your curriculum? (if yes, and this deletion changes the curriculum, a Program Modification Form is required)**

No

1. **Yes / No Is this course dual-listed (undergraduate/graduate)?**

Yes, with BIO 4351 Mammalogy Laboratory

1. **Yes / No Is this course cross-listed with a course in another department?**

If yes, which course(s)?

No

1. **Yes / No Is there currently a course listed in the Bulletin or Banner which is a one-to-one equivalent to this course (please check with the Registrar’s Office if unsure)?**

If yes, which course?

No

**Bulletin Changes**

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| **Instructions** |
| **Please visit** [**http://www.astate.edu/a/registrar/students/bulletins/index.dot**](http://www.astate.edu/a/registrar/students/bulletins/index.dot) **and select the most recent version of the bulletin. Copy and paste all bulletin pages this proposal affects below. Please include a before (with changed areas highlighted) and after of all affected sections.**  **\*Please note: Courses are often listed in multiple sections of the bulletin. To ensure that all affected sections have been located, please search the bulletin (ctrl+F) for the appropriate courses before submission of this form.** |

**Graduate Bulletin**

**BEFORE – GRADUATE BULLETIN – Page 393**

**BIO 5333. Marine Biology** Overview of the diverse discipline of marine biology. Emphasis on life history but will incorporate aspects of chemistry, microbiology, and ecology of marine systems. Also included: marine fisheries, conservation biology, aquaculture, pharmacology, resource management, and public policy.

**BIO 5341. Laboratory for Animal Embryology** Two hours per week. To be taken concurrently with BIO 5343.

**BIO 5342. Laboratory for Animal Histology** Four hours per week. To be taken concurrently with BIO 5332.

**BIO 5343. Animal Embryology** Study of reproduction and development in animals, including reproductive systems, gamete formation, fertilization, early cleavage, formation of germ layers, and development of the organ systems. Lecture three hours per week.

**BIO 5351. Laboratory for Mammalogy** Three hours per week. To be taken concurrently with BIO 5352. Special course fees may apply.

**BIO 5352. Mammalogy** Classification, distribution, structure, ecology, adaptations, and economic importance of mammals. Lecture two hours per week. Prerequisites, BIO 1301,1303.

**BIO 5361. Laboratory for Mammalian Neurobiology** Two hours per week. To be taken concurrently with BIO 5363. Special course fees may apply.

**BIO 5362. Applied Aquaculture** Field course in which principles are applied within several aquaculture business settings. Intended for the student interested in wildlife and fisheries biology. Prerequisites, BIO 4311 AND 4312.

**BIO 5363. Mammalian Neurobiology** A detailed study of the mammalian nervous system with particular emphasis on morphological aspects. Lecture three hours per week. Prerequisites, BIO 1301, 1303, 2201, 2203 or permission of professor.

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**BIO 5401. Laboratory for Ichthyology** Two hours per week. To be taken concurrently with BIO 5402. Special course fees may apply.

**BIO 5402. Ichthyology** The taxonomy, distribution, natural history, and economic importance of fishes, with emphasis on Arkansas species. Lecture two hours per week. Prerequisites, BIO 1301, 1303.

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