

Advisor: _____
 Date: _____ Entry Catalog _____

MS in Biology
 Program: **Non-Thesis**

Advisee _____
 Student ID No _____

Required Group A

Required Group B

Additional Requirements

Group A – Molecular, Cellular, Physiological, and Developmental area - choose two (2) of the following:

- BY 403G
- BY 412G
- BY 413G
- BY 431G
- BY 434G
- BY 445G
- BY 450G
- BY 451G
- BY 473G
- BY 477G
- BY 479G
- MBY 464G

Group B – Organismal, Ecological, and Evolutionary area – choose two (2) of the following:

- BY 402G
- BY 405G
- BY 406G
- BY 407G
- BY 422G
- BY 432G
- BY 438G
- BY 439G
- BY 440G
- BY 452G
- BY 453G
- BY 455G
- BY 458G
- BY 460G
- BY 475G
- BY 476G
- MBY 412G
- MBY 415G
- MBY 423G
- MBY 460G
- MBY 461G
- MBY 462G
- MBY 486G
- MBY 487G

- BY 594
- BY 595 *

see Non-Thesis Options and Procedures in your catalog

Seminars – choose two (2) of the following:

- BY 570
- BY 571
- BY 572
- BY 573
- BY 574
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- BY 577

Electives:

Remaining hours (36 hour minimum) will be electives in biology.

- BY ___
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General Information:

The advisee is responsible for completion of ALL Departmental and University requirements for graduation (as set forth in your entry catalog). This checklist is designed to assist the Biology Major in making reasonable progress towards satisfying these requirements.

Non-Thesis option requires a minimum of 36 credit hours, of which 50% must be at the 500 level, and the completion of an acceptable original paper and a comprehensive examination. Students must maintain an overall 3.0 gpa for all courses attempted. No more than 6 credit hours of C work are allowed. Incomplete grades must be removed within 12 months. There is a 6 year limit to course work to complete this degree.

The advisee needs to be aware that certain events can slow his/her progress towards graduating on time, such as: routinely dropping courses; failing to maintain an overall minimal GPA of 3.0 (B).

* BY 595 should be taken during the semester that an acceptable original research paper is completed.

You must contact the Associate Dean of the College of Graduate Studies for an appointment prior to your graduating.