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Curriculum Proposal Cover Sheet - University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

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Check all appropriate lines and complete information as requested. Use a separate cover sheet for each course proposal and for each program proposal.

1. Course Proposals (check all that apply)

New Course Course Prefix Change Course Deletion
 Course Revision Course Number and/or Title Change Catalog Description Change

BIOL 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment BIOL 323 / ENVH 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment
Current Course prefix, number and full title Proposed course prefix, number and full title, if changing

2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate

This course is also proposed as a Liberal Studies Course. Other: (e.g., Women's Studies, Pan-African)
 This course is also proposed as an Honors College Course.

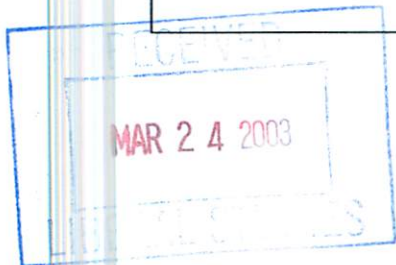
3. Program Proposals

New Degree Program Program Title Change Other
 New Minor Program New Track Catalog Description Change Program Revision

Current program name Proposed program name, if changing

4. Approvals	Date
Department Curriculum Committee Chair(s) <i>Arthur Stahl</i>	3.24.03
Department Chair(s) <i>Alhams</i>	3/24/03
College Curriculum Committee Chair <i>[Signature]</i>	3/24/03
College Dean <i>[Signature]</i>	3/24/03
Director of Liberal Studies *	
Director of Honors College *	
Provost *	
Additional signatures as appropriate: (include title)	
UWUCC Co-Chairs <i>Gail Schuist</i>	4/22/03

* where applicable



Syllabus of Record

I. Catalog Descriptions

BIOL 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment 3 credits
3 lecture hours
0 laboratory hours
(3c-0l-3sh)

Prerequisites: BIOL 104 or 112, CHEM 102 or 112; or permission

Study of uptake, distribution, metabolism, and excretion of environmental chemicals; mechanisms of their toxicity; and their effects on major organ systems. Knowledge of these topics will be applied to risk assessment procedures. (Also offered as ENVH 323; may not be taken for duplicate credit)

ENVH 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment 3 credits
3 lecture hours
0 laboratory hours
(3c-0l-3sh)

Prerequisites: Prerequisites: BIOL 104 or 112, CHEM 102 or 112; or permission

Study of uptake, distribution, metabolism, and excretion of environmental chemicals; mechanisms of their toxicity; and their effects on major organ systems. Knowledge of these topics will be applied to risk assessment procedures. (Also offered as BIOL 323; may not be taken for duplicate credit)

II. Listing of Proposed Changes

A. Old Title & Number

BIOL 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment

B. New Title & Number

BIOL 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment

ENVH 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment

C. Justification/Rationale for Changes

BIOL 323 Introduction to Toxicology and Risk Assessment will be cross-listed as an ENVH course; indicating that it is appropriate as a Biology Elective for biology and biology-education majors, and as a Controlled Elective for Environmental Health majors. Courses offered by the Department of Biology and designed for environmental health majors will now carry an ENVH prefix. The catalog descriptions for BIOL 323 and ENVH 323 have been slightly modified to indicate that these courses cannot be taken for duplicate credit. These changes will strengthen the Environmental Health Curriculum Revision by grouping all environmental health-related courses under the new ENVH prefix.

III Letters of Support or Acknowledgement

Not Applicable