

NEUROSCIENCE MAJOR PLANNING FORM (1-26-06)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADVISER \_\_\_\_\_

DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS:

ONE COURSE IN EACH OF

- Arts & Expression - AEX
- Humanities - HUM
- Social Science - SSC
- Math & Foreign Language - MFL

TWO COURSES IN EACH OF

- NATURAL SCIENCES/SCIENCE STUDIES (ONE WITH LAB) - NSC
- DIVERSITY IN TWO DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS - DIV

COURSE PLAN

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COURSE #	NAME	DIST	COURSE #	NAME	DIST
FIRST YEAR			FIRST YEAR SEMINAR		
BIO 101	GENERAL BIOLOGY	NCS	BIO 102	GENERAL BIOLOGY	NCS
CHEM 103	GENERAL CHEMISTRY		CHEM 103	GENERAL CHEMISTRY	
PSYC 100 or 101	INTRO. PSYCHOLOGY				
	FIRST YEAR PROGRAM				
	GPA _____			GPA _____	
	CUM. GPA _____			CUM. GPA _____	
SOPHOMORE			SOPHOMORE		
BIO 288	INTRO NEUROSCIENCE		BIO 389	ADVANCED NEUROSCIENCE	
CHEM 221	ORGANIC CHEMISTRY		CHEM 222	ORGANIC CHEMISTRY (HIGHLY RECOMMENDED)	
PSYC 205	RESEARCH METHODS IN PSYC.				
or					
MATH 113	STATISTICS				
	GPA _____			GPA _____	
	CUM. GPA _____			CUM. GPA _____	
JUNIOR			JUNIOR		
ELECTIVES			ELECTIVES		
	GPA _____			GPA _____	
	CUM. GPA _____			CUM. GPA _____	
SENIOR			SENIOR		
NS 489	SENIOR RESEARCH		NS 490 or 499	SENIOR RESEARCH or HONORS RESEARCH	
ELECTIVES			ELECTIVES		
	GPA _____			GPA _____	
	CUM. GPA _____			CUM. GPA _____	

PRIOR APPROVAL IS REQUIRED TO TRANSFER COURSE CREDIT FROM OTHER INSTITUTIONS AND ABROAD PROGRAMS

**Curriculum:** Core courses required by both tracks

General Biology (101, 102)	3 units	
General Chemistry (103, 104)	2.5 units	
Organic Chemistry (221)	1.25 units	
Introductory Psychology (100 or 101)	1 unit	
Intro. & Adv. Neuroscience (Bio 247, 348)	2 units	
Senior Research: Neuroscience	1-2 units	= 10 - 11 courses sub-total

Cellular Neuroscience Track

**Students must take** either Statistics (Math 113) or  
Research Methods in Psychology (PSYC 205)

Students need to select one of the following:

Genetics (BIOL 245 or 246)  
Introduction to Cell Biology (BIOL 250)  
Animal Physiology (BIOL 326)

PLUS a minimum of 2 additional **units** of courses from:

Genetics (BIOL 245 or 246)  
Introduction Cell Bio. (BIOL 250)  
Endocrinology (BIOL 270)  
Developmental Biology (BIOL 312)  
Animal Physiology (BIOL 326)  
Advanced Animal Physiology (BIOL 386)  
Cell and Molecular Basis of Memory (BIOL 348)  
Research Methods in Confocal Microscopy (BIOL 392, .5 units)  
Microscopy Project (BIOL 393, .5 units)  
Research Methods in Molecular Biology (BIOL 395)  
Biochemistry (CHEM 309)  
Advanced Biochemistry (CHEM 415)

\*Unless indicated each course is equal to 1 unit

Behavioral/Organismal Track

**Students must take** Research Methods in Psychology  
(PSYC 205)

Plus a minimum of 4 units from the list of courses below:

Hormones & Behavior (PYSC 326)  
Sensation & Perception (PYSC 327)  
Physiological Psychology (PYSC 331)  
Learning (PYSC 401)  
Memory and Cognition (PSYC 402)  
Animal Behavior (PYCH 432)  
Cognitive Neuropsychology (PSYC 480)  
Animal Physiology. (BIOL 326)  
Advanced Animal Physiology (BIOL 386)

\*Unless indicated each course is equal to 1 unit

\*\*At least 2 of the 4 required elective courses must be taken  
with a laboratory - all of the biology course listed above  
must be taken with lab where as the psychology courses  
may be taken with or without lab.