

**UNDERGRADUATE COUNCIL
Request for Change(s)**

Originating unit requesting change

Type of Change requested:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course number(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Course prerequisite(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Program description |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course title | <input type="checkbox"/> | Drop course(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Program requirements |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course description | <input type="checkbox"/> | Drop program(s) | | |

Semester and year change(s) take effect:

Appropriate computer abbreviation if
course title is more than 30 spaces:

Briefly summarize the change requested:

Programs Only

Program Name: _____

Current Code: _____ Proposed New Code (list 2): _____ or _____
(ex: INDE-BFA)

Can have second major: ____ Yes ____ No

Current 6-digit CIP Code: _____

Does the change require a new or change in CIP code? ____ Yes ____ No

If yes, what is the proposed 6-digit CIP code? _____

*for reference, please visit: <https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/resources.aspx?v=56>

Catalog copy

Present catalog copy (paste-up from catalog is acceptable).

Proposed change(s). (Include exact catalog copy as desired. Underline changes)

1. What is the justification for the change(s) requested?
2. If applicable, explain how the change(s) will affect the current program outcomes and assessment mechanisms.
3. **Faculty Resources:** How will the unit provide faculty support for this change and any other impact this change may have on other current departmental listings.

4. **Educational Resources:** Will this change require additional resources not currently available (e.g. space, equipment, library, other)? YES
If yes, list additional resources needed. NO

5. If this change affects other units of the University, include a statement signed by the chairperson(s) of the affected unit(s).

6. If cross-listed, provide evidence of approval by all curriculum committees appropriate to both the originating and cross-listed units.

Approval signature of chairperson of originating unit

Present catalog copy:

Neuroscience, BS

Requirements

The program of study requires a minimum of 78 hours, on a 124-hour degree, consisting of:

Biology (20 hours)

A. Required courses (8 hours):

BIOL 10501	Introductory Biology Lab I	1
BIOL 10503	Introductory Biology I	3
BIOL 10511	Introductory Biology Lab II	1
BIOL 10513	Introductory Biology II	3

Proposed changes:

Neuroscience, BS

Requirements

The program of study requires a minimum of 79 hours, on a 124-hour degree, consisting of:

Biology (20 hours)

A. Required courses (9 hours):

BIOL 10501	Introductory Biology Lab I	4
BIOL 10503	The Unity of Life: Molecules to Cells	3
BIOL 10511	Introductory Biology Lab II	4
BIOL 10513	The Diversity of Life: Organisms to Ecosystems	3
BIOL 10523	Introduction to Biological Investigation	3

Re: Neuroscience program change

Akkaraju, Giridhar

Tue 3/1/2022 4:18 PM

To: Petursdottir, Anna <a.petursdottir@tcu.edu>;

Anna,
BIOL10523 will be the only biology lab offered this fall and will replace both BIOL 10501 and 10511). It would be a good idea for Neuroscience to change the degree requirements to reflect this.

Thanks!

Giri

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Date: Tuesday, March 1, 2022 at 4:03 PM

To: "Akkaraju, Giridhar" <g.akkaraju@tcu.edu>

Cc: Boehm Gary <g.boehm@tcu.edu>

Subject: Neuroscience program change

Hi Giri,

We are submitting a Neuroscience program change corresponding to the recent change in introductory BIOL course offerings.

Can you please confirm that the Biology department approves of Neuroscience majors taking the new lab BIOL 10523 (instead of BIOL 10501 and 10511, which are no longer offered)?

3/9/22, 2:14 PM

Re: Neuroscience program change - Petursdottir, Anna

Thank you!

Anna

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