## 1. General Information

| College: Agriculture |  | Department: Interdepartmental |  |  |  |
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| Current Major Name: | Agricultural Biotechnology | Proposed Major Name: |  |  |  |
| Current Degree Title: | BS | Proposed Degree Title: |  |  |  |
| Formal Option(s): |  | Proposed Formal Option(s): |  |  |  |
| Specialty Field w/in Formal Option: |  | Proposed Specialty Field |  |  |  |
| Date of Contact with Associate Provost for Academic Administration ${ }^{1}$ : 06/21/2011 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bulletin (yr \& pgs): | 07-08, 83-85 CIP Code ${ }^{1}$ : | $\underline{26.1201}$ |  | Today's Date | 09/26/2011 |
| Accrediting Agency (if applicable): N/A |  |  |  |  |  |
| Requested Effective Date: $\boxtimes$ Semester following approval. |  |  | OR $\quad \square$ Specific Date ${ }^{2}$ : |  |  |
| Dept. Contact Person: | Daniel K. Howe | Phone: | 218-1113 | Email: dkh | ve2@uky.edu |

## 2. General Education Curriculum for this Program:

The new General Education curriculum is comprised of the equivalent of 30 credit hours of course work. There are, however, some courses that exceed 3 credits \& this would result in more than 30 credits in some majors.

- There is no foreign language requirement for the new Gen Ed curriculum.
- There is no General Education Electives requirement.

Please list the courses/credit hours currently used to fulfill the University Studies/General Education curriculum:
Mathematics--MA 109 or math ACT of 26+ -- 0-3
Foreign language--two years of the same language in high school -- 0
Inference/logic--MA 123 or MA 113 or MA 137 --3-4
Written communication--ENG 104 --4
Oral Communications--GEN 100 or GEN 200--3
Natural Science--CHE 105 \& 107--6
Social Science--choose 3 from list--6
Humanities--choose from list--6
Cross cultural--choose from list--3
USP Electives--BIO 150 \& 152--6
Total--37-41
Please identify below the suggested courses/credit hours to fulfill the General Education curriculum.

| General Education Area | Course | Credit Hrs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| I. Intellectual Inquiry (one course in each area) |  |  |
| Arts and Creativity | choose from list | $\underline{3}$ |
| Humanities | choose from list | $\underline{3}$ |
| Social Sciences | choose from list | $\underline{3}$ |

[^0]| Natural/Physical/Mathematical | CHE 105/111 | 4 |
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| II. Composition and Communication |  |  |
| Composition and Communication I | CIS or WRD 110 | 3 |
| Composition and Communication II | CIS or WRD 111 | 3 |
| III. Quantitative Reasoning (one course in each area) |  |  |
| Quantitative Foundations ${ }^{3}$ | 123 or 113 or 137 | 3-4 |
| Statistical Inferential Reasoning | STA 210 | $\underline{3}$ |
| IV. Citizenship (one course in each area) |  |  |
| Community, Culture and Citizenship in the USA | GEN 100 | $\underline{3}$ |
| Global Dynamics | choose from list | $\underline{3}$ |
| Total General Education Hours |  | 31-32 |

3. Explain whether the proposed changes to the program (as described in sections 4 to 12) involve courses offered by another department/program. Routing Signature Log must include approval by faculty of additional department(s).

N/A
4. Explain how satisfaction of the University Graduation Writing Requirement will be changed.

| Current | Proposed |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ Standard University course offering. <br> List: | $\square$ Standard University course offering. <br> List: <br> $\square$ |
| $\square$ Specific course - list: | $\square$ |

5. List any changes to college-level requirements that must be satisfied.

| Current | Proposed |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ Standard college requirement. | $\square$ Standard college requirement. |
| List: | List: <br> $\square$ |
| $\square$ Specific required course - list: | $\square$ |

6. List pre-major or pre-professional course requirements that will change, including credit hours.
Current Proposed
7. List the major's course requirements that will change, including credit hours.

| Current | Proposed |
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8. Does the pgm require a minor AND does the proposed change affect the required minor? $\square$ N/A $\square$ Yes $\square$ No If "Yes," indicate current courses and proposed changes below.

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\text { Current } & \text { Proposed }
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## 9. Does the proposed change affect any option(s)?



If "Yes," indicate current courses and proposed changes below, including credit hours, and also specialties and subspecialties, if any.

| Current | Proposed |
| :--- | :--- |

10. Does the change affect pgm requirements for number of credit hrs outside the major subject in a related field?

If so, indicate current courses and proposed changes below.

| Current | Proposed |
| :--- | :--- |

11. Does the change affect pgm requirements for technical or professional support electives? If so, indicate current courses and proposed changes below.

| Current |
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| "Tier 1" Specialty Support list, from which one must <br> be chosen: <br> ASC 364 <br> BIO 315 <br> BIO 350 <br> BIO 430G <br> BIO 476G <br> BIO/PGY 502 <br> BIO 515 <br> BIO 550 <br> BIO 580 <br> PGY/MI 590 |

Proposed
"Tier 1" Specialty Support list, from which one must be chosen:
ASC 364
BIO 315
BIO 350
BIO/PGY 502
12. Does the change affect a minimum number of free credit hours or support electives?

If "Yes," indicate current courses and proposed changes below.

| Current <br> Selected to complete the 132 hours required for <br> graduation (minimum of 8 credit hours) | Proposed <br> Selected to complete the 128 hours required for <br> graduation (minimum of 4 credit hours).The <br> reduction to 4 total elective credits is designed to |
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| accommodate one 3-credit course and/or one or <br> several of the multiple 1-credit optional workshops |  |
| that are suggested to ABT students (e.g., CHE 195, |  |
| 197, 295, 297, MA 193). |  |

13. Summary of changes in required credit hours:

|  |  | Current | Proposed |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| a. | Credit Hours of Premajor or Preprofessional Courses: | - | - |
| b. | Credit Hours of Major's Requirements: | - |  |
| c. | Credit Hours for Required Minor: |  |  |

d. Credit Hours Needed for a Specific Option:
e. Credit Hours Outside of Major Subject in Related Field:
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f. Credit Hours in Technical or Professional Support Electives: $\square$
g. Minimum Credit Hours of Free/Supportive Electives:
100
h. Total Credit Hours Required by Level:

| $\underline{8}$ | $\underline{4}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| $\underline{132}$ | $\underline{128}$ |

14. Rationale for Change(s) - if rationale involves accreditation requirements, please include specific references to that.

The total credit hours needed for graduation will be reduced from 132 to 128 credits since 132 credit hours was deemed excessive and provided no educational benefit to the students. The change in total credit hours will be accomplished by reducing the number of elective credits, and is designed to accommodate one 3credit course and/or one or several of the multiple 1-credit optional workshops that are suggested to ABT students (e.g., CHE 195, 197, 295, 297, MA 193).

The list of "Tier 1" Specialty Support courses (at least one course from this list is required) is being reduced since the current list includes several courses that are no longer offered.
15. List below the typical semester by semester program for the major. If multiple options are available, attach a separate sheet for each option.

| YEAR 1- FALL: <br> (e.g. "BIO 103; 3 credits") | see attachment | YEAR 1 - SPRING: | - |
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| YEAR 2-FALL: | - |  | YEAR 2 - SPRING: |

## Signature Routing Log

## General Information:

Current Degree Title and Major Name: BS in Agricultural Biotechnology
Proposal Contact Person Name: Daniel K. Howe Phone: $\underline{\text { 218-1113 Email: dkhowe2@uky.edu }}$

INSTRUCTIONS:
Identify the groups or individuals reviewing the proposal; note the date of approval; offer a contact person for each entry; and obtain signature of person authorized to report approval.

## Internal College Approvals and Course Cross-listing Approvals:

| Reviewing Group | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Date } \\ \text { Approved }\end{array}$ | Contact Person (name/phone/email) | Signature |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{array}{l}\text { ABT Coordinating } \\ \text { Committee }\end{array}$ | $05 / 25 / 2011$ | Daniel K. Howe /218-1113/ |  |
| dkhowe2@uky.edu |  |  |  |$]$

## External-to-College Approvals:

| Council | Date <br> Approved | Signature | Approval of <br> Revision |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Undergraduate Council | $10 / 11 / 2011$ | Sharon Gill |  |
| Graduate Council |  |  |  |
| Health Care Colleges Council |  |  |  |
| Senate Council Approval |  | University Senate Approval |  |

Comments:

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[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Prior to filling out this form, you MUST contact the Associate Provost for Academic Administration (APAA). If you do not know the CIP code, the (APAA) can provide you with that during the contact.
    ${ }^{2}$ Program changes are typically made effective for the semester following approval. No program will be made effective until all approvals are received.

[^1]:    ${ }^{3}$ Note that MA 109 is NOT approved as a Quantitative Foundations course. Students in a major requiring calculus will use a calculus course (MA $113,123,137$ or 138 ) while students not requiring calculus should take MA 111, PHI 120 or another approved course.

[^2]:    ${ }^{4}$ Councils use this space to indicate approval of revisions made subsequent to that council's approval, if deemed necessary by the revising council.

