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The University of Vermont reserves the right to make changes in the course offerings, degree requirements, charges, and regulations and procedures contained herein as educational and financial considerations require, subject to and consistent with established procedures and authorizations for making such changes.

Although its legal title is The University of Vermont and State Agricultural College, the University is known to its students and alumni as UVM. This popular abbreviation is derived from the Latin Universitas Viridis Montis, University of the Green Mountains.

The colors of the University are Green and Gold. The mascot is the catamount.

The University of Vermont
Equal Opportunity in Educational Programs and Activities Policy

The University of Vermont and State Agricultural College is committed to a policy of equal educational opportunity. The University therefore prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national or ethnic origin, age, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, or disability, as those terms are defined under applicable law, in admitting students to its programs and facilities and in administering its admissions policies, educational policies, scholarships and loan programs, athletic and other institutionally administered programs or activities made available to students at the University. The University also prohibits unlawful harassment defined in 16 V.S.A. §11 (a) (26) as verbal or physical conduct based on a student’s race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, or disability and which has the purpose or effect of substantially interfering with a student’s educational performance or creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive environment. Sexual harassment is more fully defined in the University’s Policies and Procedures Governing Complaints of Discrimination and Sexual Harassment.

Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action Policy

The University of Vermont and State Agricultural College is committed to a policy of equal employment opportunity and to a program of affirmative action in order to fulfill that policy. The University will accordingly recruit and hire into all positions qualified persons in light of job-related requirements, and will not unlawfully discriminate against applicants and employees in employment matters on the basis of unlawful criteria, such as race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, disability, age, or status as a disabled or Vietnam-Era Veteran, as these terms are defined under applicable law. In addition, The University of Vermont recognizes that sexual harassment is a form of unlawful sex discrimination, and it is therefore the policy of the University that sexual harassment will not be tolerated.
Correspondence

Please address all inquiries and correspondence concerning applications and admission to the Graduate College Admissions Office, The University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont 05405-0160; telephone (802) 656-2699. For other matters concerning the Dean, telephone (802) 656-3160; E-mail: graduate.admissions@uvm.edu; FAX (802) 656-0519.

Address requests for transcripts from The University of Vermont to the Registrar, The University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont 05405-0160; telephone (802) 656-2045.

Address requests for Summer Session and Evening Division information to the Office of Continuing Education, The University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont 05405-3525; telephone (802) 656-2085.

Information on graduate programs at the University is also available on the World Wide Web at http://www.uvm.edu/~gradcoll/home.html.

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The University of Vermont

THE UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT AND BURLINGTON COMMUNITY

The University of Vermont was founded in 1791, taking its place among the handful of colleges founded in this country in the eighteenth century for the higher education of young colonials and Americans of the first postrevolutionary generation. The University was the fifth New England college chartered (after Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, and Brown), the second established by a state to grant the bachelor's degree, and the twentieth in the nation to do so.

The University pioneered in yet another area of society, that of giving women equal status with men in higher education, by becoming the first institution in the country to admit women to full membership in the scholarly society, Phi Beta Kappa.

Though it has enjoyed a long tradition of substantial private support, University development has been identified closely with that of the State since 1791 when Vermont's founding General Assembly granted a charter to the University and set aside about 29,000 acres throughout the State with the intent that rents from this land would support the new educational institution. The same Vermont General Assembly established that the bylaws of the University should give no preference to any religious sect or denomination or discriminate against any, making The University of Vermont the first in this country to go on public record as supporting freedom of religion upon its campus.

The University of Vermont consists of the Colleges of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Engineering and Mathematics, Education and Social Services, Medicine, and the Graduate College; the Schools of Allied Health Sciences, Business Administration, Natural Resources, and Nursing; and Continuing Education.

With a population of about 39,000, Burlington is Vermont's largest city. The greater Burlington area of approximately 132,000 inhabitants is divided between pleasant suburbs and picturesque farms and woodland. Burlington enjoys magnificent views of Lake Champlain and the Adirondack Mountains to the west and Vermont's Green Mountains to the east. Easily available outdoor activities include swimming, boating, hiking, climbing, and skiing.

Some 200 miles northwest of Boston, 300 miles north of New York City, and about 100 miles south of Montreal, Burlington is served by major airlines, buses, and Amtrak, and is contiguous to Vermont's interstate highway system.

THE GRADUATE COLLEGE

The Graduate College of The University of Vermont is responsible for all advanced degree programs except the program leading to the degree of Doctor of Medicine. The Mission Statement for the Graduate College is as follows: The mission of the Graduate College is to provide the environment for high quality graduate education by stimulating and supporting the intellectual and professional development of a diverse faculty and student body; by promoting interdisciplinary and innovative forms of scholarship, research, and curricula; and by recognizing scholarly excellence.

Although the Graduate College was established formally in 1952, the University recognized early the value of graduate education, awarding its first master's degree in 1807. Today, the Graduate College offers 72 different master's programs of study and 20 doctoral programs. During the 1995-96 academic year, 326 master's and 58 doctoral degrees were awarded. The College enrolls approximately 1,200 students, with about 350 of these pursuing the doctorate.

The combination of sound library holdings, laboratories, and computer facilities, along with the engaging size of the University, affords a unique opportunity to pursue high quality graduate programs in a challenging yet personable environment.

A variety of scholarships, fellowships, assistantships, and loan programs are available in limited numbers to students with solid and sustained records of academic performance.

The Graduate College is served by an Executive Committee composed of ten faculty and a graduate student member. The Executive Committee works closely with the Dean of the Graduate College to insure comprehensive and outstanding programs of study.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARS

The University Scholar Awards program was established by the Graduate College to recognize outstanding and sustained contributions of University faculty to research and scholarship in their disciplines. Each year, four faculty members are selected for this award. For the academic year 1996-97, the University Scholars are Howard Ball (Political Science and Public Administration), Susan Brody Hasazi (Education), Mark T. Nelson (Pharmacology and Molecular Physiology and Biophysics), and Kurt E. Oughstun (Electrical Engineering and Mathematics).
For the academic year 1995-96, the University Scholars were: Mark E. Bouton (Psychology), Kenneth I. Gross (Mathematics), Joseph J. Schall (Biology), and Alan P. Wertheimer (Political Science).

GRADUATE FACULTY TEACHING AWARD

The Graduate Faculty Teaching Award, given to one member of the Graduate Faculty each year, recognizes excellence in the teaching and mentoring of graduate students. The most recent recipients of this award are Professors Carol Green-Hernandez, Nursing (1996-97); and Rebecca McCauley, Communication Sciences (1995-96).

GRADUATE TEACHING FELLOW AWARD

Each year, a number of graduate students who serve as Graduate Teaching Fellows are recognized for their teaching excellence; one of those is named Graduate Teaching Fellow of the Year. The two most recent recipients of the Graduate Teaching Fellow of the Year Award are Wendy Cass, Botany, 1996; and Michael Ghia, Plant and Soil Science, 1995.

RESOURCES FOR RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP, AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

The University Libraries and Media Services. In the Bailey/Howe Library, the main unit of the University libraries, are located the services and print and electronic collections relating to the humanities, social sciences, and many of the sciences. This library holds the largest book and map collection in Vermont, and maintains a representative collection of major periodicals, scholarly journals, indexes, and abstracting services. It is a depository for United States and Canadian government publications. The Special Collections Department includes the Wilbur Collection of Vermontiana, rare books, literary and historical manuscripts, and the papers of many individuals associated with the state and the federal government. A separate Chemistry and Physics Library is located in the Cook Physical Sciences Building. Collections in medicine and the health sciences are located in the Dana Medical Library. Materials in the Libraries' collections are accessible through the online catalog, LUIS. A wide choice of electronic resources are made available through the Libraries' information gateway, Sage. Sage provides access, in a fully integrated way, to LUIS, full text magazines and newspapers, a wide variety of indexes, a number of specialized reference works, and the World Wide Web. Sage is reached from workstations in the libraries, from residence rooms, and from locations off campus. Audiovisual materials are located...
in the Media Resources Department of the Bailey/Howe Library and in the Dana Medical Library. The Library Research Annex (located directly east of the corner of East Avenue and Carrigan Drive) contains many older and less used monographs, serials, periodicals, and government documents from the Libraries. It also houses the UVM archives; many large, modern manuscript collections; and other older and rare printed materials from the Special Collections Department. It has public hours and a delivery service.

The Graduate Study Room (302 Bailey/Howe) is intended for quiet study and can be accessed by graduate students who have a key to the room. It has open and oversized carrels, one Macintosh and one IBM computer, and lockers for secure storage. Applications for a key and a locker are directed to the Supervisor of the Circulation Department at the B/H Library.

Computing and Information Technologies. Computing and information technologies play a vital role in the UVM. The Division of Computing and Information Technology (CIT) offers a wide range of computing services and resources:

- Public microcomputer labs equipped with Macintosh and DOS/Windows systems and software for word processing, spreadsheets, statistics, scientific visualization, and design are available in several locations on campus, including Graduate Study Area in Bailey/Howe Library, and of course the libraries' information gateway (SAGE on UNIX). All labs are networked, allowing access to UVM's host systems as well as to national and international resources available through the Internet.

- Electronic mail is freely available and widely used.

- High-end Macintosh, Intel, and Unix workstations, flatbed and slide scanners, laser disks, CD-ROMs, and other specialized hardware for exploring, testing, and developing computing, visualization, and multimedia applications are available.

- Microcomputers from major vendors can be purchased at substantial educational discounts.

- Free publications, workshops, tutorials, and telephone support are provided.

- CIT supports a variety of host systems, including several IBM AIX (UNIX) systems, a DEC Alpha OSF system, two DEC VAX/VMS hosts, and an IBM VM/CMS host.

In addition, many other parts of the University provide specialized computing resources.

**GRADNET.** GRADNET is the electronic forum where graduate students, faculty, and staff discuss issues, research topics, graduate student life, and announcements that pertain to the graduate community. Subscribing is free. All it takes is a UVM electronic mail (e-mail) account. Information on subscribing is provided at Graduate Student Orientation or at the Graduate College.

**The Robert Hull Fleming Museum.** The Robert Hull Fleming Museum houses comprehensive collections representing artistic achievements of world cultures, prehistoric to contemporary. Through the exhibition and interpretation of works of art, anthropological artifacts, and other cultural objects, the Museum serves as a center for the visual arts and provides opportunities for multicultural and interdisciplinary education for the University and the people of Vermont.

Exhibitions are frequently augmented by lectures, gallery talks, and films. The Museum also houses class and seminar rooms for art history, anthropology, and other courses.

**Sponsored and Institutional Research.** The University received over $41 million exclusively for sponsored research funding during fiscal year 1995, and ranks nationally as one of the 100 leading universities in terms of sponsored research support. In addition, there are a substantial number of faculty research projects supported, in part, by institutional research committees. Graduate students frequently serve as integral parts of faculty research projects in a wide range of disciplines.

**The George Aiken Lectures.** The annual George Aiken Lectures, established in honor of Vermont's dean of the United States Senate, focus on issues of national and international importance. They bring together speakers of prominence, University faculty, and the University community to achieve greater understanding of significant human concerns.

**The Vermont Seminars.** The Vermont Seminars program augments the focus of teaching and research at the University and enriches educational offerings by bringing to campus individuals from a variety of walks of life, including faculty, statespersons, distinguished citizens, and leaders in special fields.

**The George Bishop Lane Artists' Series.** The Lane Series, inaugurated in 1955 by a gift in honor of George Bishop Lane of the Class of 1883, allows the University to bring annually to the campus and the Burlington area a continuing program of outstanding musical, theatrical, dance, and other artistic productions for a moderate admissions fee. The Series is planned and produced by an advisory committee comprised of faculty, students, and townspeople.

**Graduate College Research Day.** In the spring each year, the Graduate College recognizes formally the research undertaken by graduate students. A full day is devoted to talks and poster presentations by students from all of the disciplines. The entire University community has the opportunity to see and hear about the high quality research that graduate students conduct.
The Degree Programs of the Graduate College

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| Postsophomore students in   |
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| permitted to apply credit   |
| from appropriate medical    |
| courses in which a letter   |
| grade of A, B, or C is      |
| earned toward a M.S. or a    |
| Ph.D. degree. Such students |
| are enrolled in the         |
| Graduate College for one    |
| or more years to pursue     |
| research and enroll in      |
| those courses that normally |
| are not included within     |
| their medical program of    |
| study. While students       |
| are working toward both the |
| M.D. and M.S. or Ph.D.,     |
| completion of each degree    |
| need not occur at the same  |
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APPLICATION POLICIES, DEADLINES, AND PROCEDURES

Eligibility. To be eligible for admission to any program, applicants must hold a U.S. baccalaureate degree earned prior to the date of first graduate enrollment at The University of Vermont or else a degree from a foreign institution judged to be equivalent by the Graduate College. If the degree is from an unaccredited institution, students must submit both general and advanced subject GRE scores. Individual degree programs may have additional requirements as described in the program listings in the back section of this catalogue. A number of departments and programs provide opportunities for selected UVM undergraduates to participate in Accelerated Master's Programs (AMPs). For more information see page 17.

Application and Financial Aid Deadlines

Admission. It is in the applicant's best interest to make sure that application materials are filed well in advance of deadlines. Most programs can accommodate only a limited number of new graduate students each year.

April 1 is the application deadline for fall enrollment in all programs, except the following:

- Botany and Agricultural Biochemistry
- Cell and Molecular Biology
- Civil and Environmental Engineering
- Communication Sciences
- Counseling
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Educational Leadership and Policy Studies
- Educational Leadership
- Educational Studies
- Field Naturalist
- Geology
- Higher Education and Student Affairs
- Historic Preservation
- Interdisciplinary
- Public Administration
- Natural Resource Planning
- Natural Resources
- Psychology
- Reading and Language Art
- Social Work
- Special Education

Although some programs are willing on occasion to review late applications, we urge you to contact specific programs before filing a late application. Some programs accept applications for January admission. Please contact the appropriate program regarding its policy on spring admissions.

Financial Aid. The deadline for all students seeking financial aid in the form of fellowships or assistantships is March 1, or the program application deadline, whichever is earlier. For information regarding financial assistance available, consult "Fellowships, Assistantships, Traineeships, Stipends, and Grants," page 27 and "Financial Aid," page 29.

Admission Procedure for Full- or Part-Time Students

Degree Students. Application forms are available from the Graduate Admissions Office, 333 Waterman Building, The University of Vermont, Burlington, VT 05405-0160.

Applicants who are U.S. citizens must provide the following material. All but the test scores must be submitted together in one package.

- The original and two copies of the completed application form and the statement of purpose.
- Scores from appropriate standard graduate admission test(s) taken within five years of the date of application. Test scores are required for any applicant seeking financial aid in the form of fellowships or assistantships. For additional information, see "Graduate Admission Tests" below and consult the program listings that follow.
- Two official transcripts from each college or university attended. UVM students must request the Registrar to send their transcripts to the Graduate College Admissions Office.
- Letters of recommendation from three persons qualified to assess your potential for graduate work. College or university placement files are accepted. Photocopied references are acceptable only with original signatures; facsimile references are not acceptable.
- A $25 nonrefundable application fee.

International applicants must provide the following materials. All but the test scores must be submitted in one package.

- The original and two copies of the completed application form and the statement of purpose.
- Scores from appropriate standard graduate admission test(s) taken within five years of the date of application. Test scores are required for all applicants seeking financial aid in the form of a fellowship or assistantship. For additional information, see "Graduate Admission Tests" below.
c. Scores from the Test of English as a Second Language (TOEFL) if your native language is not English or if your formal education has been conducted in a language other than English. A score of at least 550 is required for admission; a minimum score of 600 is required by some departments and for any applicant seeking fellowships or assistantships. Information about the TOEFL examination is available from the Educational Testing Service, Box 6151, Princeton, NJ 08541-6151, U.S.A.

d. Two official transcripts from each college or university attended and, if necessary, an English translation of the transcripts.

e. Letters of recommendation from three persons qualified to assess your potential for graduate work. College or university placement files are accepted. Photocopied references are acceptable only with original signatures; facsimile references are not acceptable.

f. A $25 nonrefundable application fee; in U.S. dollars, by check or money order made payable to The University of Vermont.

g. For purposes of obtaining a visa, the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service requires that all international students submit evidence of independent financial support in the form of a signed statement from a bank or scholarship source. Appropriate forms will be sent with the application materials.

Application Review Process. As soon as an application is received in the Graduate College Admissions Office, a file is established. Completed files are forwarded to the appropriate program.

Committees in each program review applications thoroughly. The statement of purpose is extremely important, as are test scores and past academic performance. Letters of support are weighed carefully. Programs must also consider external factors, such as the number of spaces they can make available to new applicants.

Recommendations to admit or not admit, to provide financial aid or not, are made by the programs and forwarded to the Graduate College where they are reviewed. Letters of acceptance or denial are sent from the Graduate College. Offers of financial support are made directly by programs.

If you do not hear anything regarding your application after a sufficient amount of time, please call the Graduate College Admissions Office (802-656-2699). Questions about admission to individual programs should be directed to the appropriate program.

All documents received in support of an application, except irreplaceable foreign materials or term papers and essays required by some departments, become the property of the Graduate College and cannot be returned, copied, or transferred.

It is the applicant’s responsibility to ensure that all supporting materials for an application are received by the appropriate deadline.

Acceptance and Candidacy for Advanced Degrees. Applicants for the master’s degree may be admitted to graduate studies or accepted to candidacy for the degree concurrent with admission. Acceptance to candidacy for the master’s degree is granted only to those students who have met fully all undergraduate course prerequisites required for the graduate degree program and all departmental requirements for candidacy (e.g., course work, examinations, professional certification where applicable). The approval of the department and the Dean is required for concurrent admission and acceptance to candidacy.

Candidacy for the doctoral degree requires a full year of graduate study in residence at The University of Vermont. In addition, most programs require satisfactory completion of a qualifying examination. A doctoral student is accepted to candidacy upon the approval of the student’s Studies Committee, the department or departments concerned, and the Dean of the Graduate College.

Nondegree Students. Persons who have completed a baccalaureate degree and wish to take courses that do not carry graduate credit or wish to take courses for graduate credit but do not seek a degree, do not need to make formal application to the Graduate College, but may enroll through Continuing Education. For more information, contact Continuing Education, 322 South Prospect Street, Burlington, VT 05405; (802-656-2085); 1-800-639-9210 or email ebernun@moose.uvm.edu.

Nondegree students are limited to a maximum of six course credit hours per semester unless additional enrollment is approved by the Dean of the Graduate College. A nondegree student who has accumulated nine credit hours of graduate course work at the University must seek approval for further enrollment from the Dean of the Graduate College.

GRADUATE ADMISSION TESTS

Information about admission tests is available from most college testing centers or as follows: Graduate Record Examinations, Educational Testing Service, Box 6000, Princeton, NJ 08541-6000 or Graduate Management Admission Test, Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 6103, Princeton, NJ 08541-6103. The GRE can be taken in computerized or paper versions. Information is also available from the GRE web site, http://www.gre.org. Those considering application to a graduate program must remember that it can take four to six weeks for the Graduate College to receive the results of test scores from paper and pencil examinations.

Most graduate programs require applicants to submit graduate admission test scores, such as the GRE (Graduate Record Examination) or the GMAT (Graduate Management Admission Test). Many programs in Education will accept scores on the Miller Analogies Test in lieu of the GRE. Applicants should consult the listing of the program to which they are applying to determine exactly which test scores are required. Scores which are submitted must be from tests taken within five years of the date of application. Every student who is seeking financial aid in the form of an assistantship or fellowship is required to submit GRE or GMAT scores from tests taken within five years of the date of application.
ENROLLMENT POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Health Record. The University requires that all students file a personal health and immunization record with the Student Health Service at the time of first enrollment. Appropriate forms are sent with registration material. They are also available at the Student Health Center, 425 Pearl Street.

Registration. Consult the Academic Calendar printed in the front of this catalogue for registration dates. Students register for courses at the time and in the manner designated by the University Registrar. Course lists are published each semester by the Registrar’s Office. Early registration is encouraged for presently enrolled graduate students.

Students should consult with their program advisor before using touch tone registration. All charges for the ensuing semester must be paid, or otherwise provided for, before registration is completed.

Graduate Course Levels. Courses which may apply towards a graduate program are generally numbered 200 and above. Courses numbered 400 or above are limited to candidates for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy; courses numbered 300 to 399 are limited to graduate students unless special permission is given by the appropriate department or program. Please consult individual programs for possible exceptions.

Course Loads. Normally, full-time nonfunded graduate students enroll for nine to 12 hours per semester; full-time funded students, six to ten hours. Maximum enrollment is 15 hours per semester, and nine hours summer. Enrollment in excess of the normal full-time course load requires written approval from your advisor and the Dean of the Graduate College.

Auditing Classes. Courses may be taken for audit; however, tuition for the credit hours is charged as usual. Under no circumstances will graduate credit or a grade be allowed for audited courses. A student wishing to audit a course must meet minimum levels of performance set by the instructor at the time of registration in order to receive an audit grade on a transcript. Tuition scholarships funded by the Graduate College do not cover tuition for audited courses.

Physical Education Classes. Students may not enroll in physical education classes without prior approval by the Dean of the Graduate College. Graduate College tuition scholarships do not cover any fees for physical education activities.

Credit by Examination. A student may, under certain circumstances, receive credit for a course by taking an examination. A fee of $35 per credit is charged for each examination. Any credit earned by examination applies to the total number of credit hours allowed for validation and transfer (See “Transfer or Validation of Previous Credit,” page 19). Appropriate forms to initiate the process of credit by examination are available in the Registrar’s Office.

Add/Drop. Courses may be added or dropped only during the first two weeks of classes. Appropriate drop/add forms are available from the program or the Registrar’s Office. After the first week of classes an instructor may refuse admission to a course if certain material (such as laboratories) cannot be made up and the loss of this work would seriously affect the quality of the educational experience of the student seeking to enter the course. Faculty are not required to give make-up examinations, papers, or quizzes. No drops are allowed after the second week of classes except in cases where a student is enrolled by administrative error and as a result has not attended the course.

Withdrawal from Courses. Between the end of the second week to the end of the ninth week of classes, withdrawal requires a student to complete a Course Withdrawal form, available from the Registrar’s Office. Withdrawal forms must include the signatures of the student’s advisor and course instructor. The instructor sends the form to the Registrar’s Office. The instructor also records the withdrawal grade on the final grade sheet which is sent to the Registrar at the end of the semester.

Between the ninth week and the last day of classes, withdrawal requires students to petition the Dean of the Graduate College explaining that they are unable to continue in the course due to circumstances beyond their control. Such a petition must contain conclusive evidence, properly documented, of the situation which prevents the completion of the course. Acceptable reasons do not include dissatisfaction with performance in a course or with an expected grade, with the course or the instructor, or the desire to change a major or program. If the petition is approved, the withdrawal procedure follows that process described above.

Undergraduate Enrollment for Graduate Credit. UVM senior undergraduates may enroll for graduate credit at UVM under the following circumstances: the course must be available for graduate credit; total enrollment including the graduate course must not exceed 12 credit hours in the semester in which the course is taken; the course must not be computed as part of the bachelor’s degree; permission to seek such graduate credit must be requested of the Dean of the Graduate College in writing by the Dean of the undergraduate college or school prior to enrollment for such credit. Such graduate credit is limited to six hours. It can be used only at UVM if and when the student is admitted to UVM graduate program and only if the course is judged appropriate by the student’s advisor for the graduate program. Generally, other institutions will not accept such credit, earned before award of the bachelor’s degree, in transfer to their graduate programs.

Accelerated Master’s Degree Programs (AMPs). It is possible for highly qualified UVM undergraduates to be accepted into some UVM graduate programs prior to the awarding of the baccalaureate degree. This Accelerated Master’s Program (AMP) option is available for admission to UVM graduate programs in Animal and Food Sciences, Biomedical Technology, Biostatistics, Curriculum and Instruction, History, Materials Science, Mathematics, Mechanical Engineering, Professional Education, Public Adminis-
ination, and Statistics. Please consult the program listing in the UVM undergraduate catalogue and in this Graduate Catalogue for details.

Grading Policies. Letter grades are used to indicate levels of performance in courses as follows: A, excellent; B, good; C, fair; F, failure. Designations of S, satisfactory, and U, unsatisfactory, are used to indicate levels of performance for credits received in Thesis or Dissertation Research and may be used to indicate levels of performance in a Seminar. There are no quality points associated with the letter grades of S and U.

A candidate for a graduate degree must complete the program with a minimum overall grade-point average of 3.00. For the purpose of determining a grade-point average, the following applies: A+, 4.00; A, 4.00; A-, 3.67; B+, 3.33; B, 3.00; B-, 2.67; C+, 2.33; C, 2.00; C-, 1.67; F, 0.00. A course may be repeated for credit only when failed and only once; only the second grade is then considered. Both grades remain on the student's transcript.

A student may be dismissed from the Graduate College if two grades or more below a B (3.00), or the designation of U in Thesis or Dissertation Research or Seminar are received.

The designation "Inc" or "I" applies to work of acceptable quality when the full amount is not completed because of illness or emergency. It can be awarded only with the prior permission of the Dean of the Graduate College. The Dean may set the limit of time when the work of the course is to be completed. In no case shall this time be set longer than the beginning of the corresponding semester of the next academic year.

The grade of XC (Extended Course) is awarded at the end of the semester to a student who is enrolled in an identified course the nature of which makes it unreasonable or impossible for the student to complete the required work within the regular semester.

Students who withdraw from a course after the date prescribed by the Registrar will receive the grade of W - withdrawn. The grade W does not enter into the grade-point average (GPA).

Graduate students may elect to take an undergraduate course on a satisfactory (S) - unsatisfactory (U) basis provided permission is obtained, prior to enrollment, from the department or program chairperson and the Dean of the Graduate College and a letter grade is not required by the Studies Committee for purposes of evaluation. Courses at the 200 level or above other than Seminar or Thesis/Dissertation Research may not be taken on a satisfactory (S) - unsatisfactory (U) basis for graduate credit.

A grade, other than Inc/I or XC, may be changed only if there was an error in its calculation. In cases in which a student requests reconsideration of a grade for a course already taken, the grade change, if any, must be made by the instructor and approved by the Dean by the end of the first month of the following semester unless an extension has been granted by the Dean within the first month of the following semester.

Dismissal. Students whose academic progress is deemed unsatisfactory at any time may be dismissed from the Graduate College by the Dean upon consultation with the student's department or program. In addition, students may be dismissed if (a) they receive two grades or more below a B (3.00), or (b) they receive a U (Unsatisfactory) in their Thesis or Dissertation Research or Seminar.

CHANGE OF PROGRAM
If a duly admitted student wishes to change to a different program offered at UVM, a request must be made by the student in writing to the Dean of the Graduate College. Upon receipt of the request, the student's file will be forwarded to the Chairperson of the desired program for review. If both the faculty of the desired program and the Dean of the Graduate College approve, the formal transfer of program is made in the Graduate College Office with notification to the former program chairperson, new program chairperson, the student, and the Registrar. The time limit for completion of the degree runs from the date of matriculation in the new program, with credit brought in subject to the appropriate transfer limitation.

CONTINUOUS REGISTRATION
Students who have completed all credits required for the degree but have not completed all graduation requirements must enroll each semester for Continuous Registration (GRAD 900) and pay a $100 Continuous Registration fee each semester until all degree requirements are completed, including removing incomplete grades; passing the comprehensive examination; or completing a thesis or dissertation.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE
A leave of absence suspends the time limit for degree completion for the duration of the leave. It does not suspend the time limit for the completion of individual courses.

Eligibility. Only students who have not enrolled for all course credit requirements may request a leave of absence. The maximum leave is one year. Students who have enrolled for all required credits but have not completed all degree requirements, such as passing the comprehensive examination or completing a thesis or dissertation, are not eligible for a leave of absence but must register for Continuous Registration.

Procedure. Students request a leave of absence from their program director or chairperson. If the program approves the request, the chairperson or director completes the Leave of Absence form available from the Graduate College Office and forwards it to the Dean for approval. A leave of absence does not take effect until after approval has been received from both the program chairperson or director and the Dean of the Graduate College. Any student who does not enroll following termination of the leave of absence will be deactivated from the Graduate College.
DEACTIVATION AND REACTIVATION

Deactivation is equivalent to withdrawal from a graduate program. Students who do not enroll in their program following the termination of the leave of absence will be deactivated from the Graduate College by the Graduate Dean. Students who, prior to completing enrollment for all credit requirements for a graduate program, do not enroll for one or more credits for a period of one calendar year and are not on an approved leave of absence will be deactivated from the College by the Graduate Dean.

Reactivation into a program requires the approval of the program and a petition to the Graduate College. Students seeking reactivation must pay a $25 Reactivation fee and all other fees, including current and back Continuous Registration fees if applicable.

WITHDRAWAL FROM DEGREE PROGRAM

Students must notify the Graduate Dean’s Office in writing of their intent to withdraw from a degree program. However, if a student does not register at The University of Vermont for course work, thesis or dissertation research, or continuous registration for a period of more than one calendar year, and does not notify the department or the Graduate Dean’s Office in writing, the student will be considered to have withdrawn from the degree program. It will be necessary to apply for reactivation and pay a reactivation fee if the student wishes to resume the graduate program.

TRANSFER, VALIDATION, AND EXAMINATION CREDIT

A limited number of graduate course credits acquired through transfer, validation, or examination may be included as part of a student’s program of study with approval of the program faculty and the Dean of the Graduate College. Transfer credits involve courses taken at another institution that are credited to the student’s graduate program. Validation credit includes any course work or credit by examination that was earned at The University of Vermont prior to formal admission and is approved by the graduate program for inclusion in the student’s program of study. Credit by examination is earned by arranging through a program faculty member to take an examination that tests the student’s skills and knowledge in a particular area of study appropriate for inclusion in the student’s degree program.

Approval of credit: Approval of credit is granted by the graduate program based on the specific program requirements described in the Graduate College Catalogue as well as (1) the number of credits requested, (2) the appropriateness of credit for inclusion in the degree program, and (3) the currency of the credit. These criteria are described below. Any exceptions must be approved by the program faculty and the Dean of the Graduate College.

Number of credits: Master’s degree students are allowed a maximum of nine hours of transfer credit, validation credit, and/or credit by examination; Doctor of Philosophy students are allowed a maximum of 24 credits; and Doctor of Education students are allowed no more than nine hours of credit. This means that all Master’s students take at least 21 credits at The University of Vermont after admission; Doctor of Philosophy at least 51 credits; and Doctor of Education at least 47 credits after admission. For Master’s programs that require more than 40 credits, program faculty may, in individual cases, allow more than nine transfer credits. In all cases, students must take at least one half of their degree credits at The University of Vermont and adhere to all requirements stipulated by graduate program.

If an applicant is enrolled as a nondegree student in appropriate graduate courses under the advisement of the program during the semester in which the application is approved for admission, up to six hours of credit from that semester may be applied to the degree program. This credit will not reduce the number of validation or transfer credit hours available.

Appropriateness of credit: Transfer, validation, and examination credit must be approved by the program faculty as appropriate for inclusion as part of the student’s degree requirements. Credit cannot be awarded for (1) courses taken as part of the requirement for an undergraduate degree program, (2) courses that would not receive graduate credit if taken at The University of Vermont, (3) courses with a grade lower than 3.0, (4) thesis or dissertation research credits received at another institution, and (5) credit by examination given by another institution.

Currency of credit: Transfer, validation, and examination credit must be taken within seven years of completion of the masters degree and within nine years of completion of the doctoral degree. Students wishing to apply for readmission to a program after deactivation must demonstrate currency of knowledge in the field of study to which they are applying. Currency of knowledge must be formally evaluated by the program faculty. In addition, the returning student must complete a program of study including at least two courses in the current program.

Concurrent Master’s and Doctor of Philosophy Credit

Up to 24 hours of course work for which graduate credit is earned at UVM in a master’s degree program, whether a master’s degree is received or not, may be applied toward a Ph.D. at UVM provided they are appropriate for the Ph.D. program.

No provision is made for a person to employ the same credit to satisfy two master’s degrees at The University of Vermont.

MAXIMUM TIME LIMITS FOR DEGREE COMPLETION

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Individual departments may set deadlines within these time limits.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

General Requirements for the Master’s Degree

In addition to the requirements described below, individual programs may have their own specific requirements. Students should read and familiarize themselves with their program’s requirements. Some of them are detailed in this catalogue under individual program listings and other requirements are available from the director or chairperson of each program.

Credit Hours. Most master’s degrees require a minimum of 30 hours of credit. Consult individual program descriptions for exceptions. In programs that require a thesis, the number of credit hours earned in thesis research may vary between six (minimum) and 15 (maximum) and is included as part of the 30-hour minimum. Consult individual programs for specific information. With the prior approval of their department and the Graduate College students may apply one 100-level, three-credit course towards their graduate program. A student’s advisor must petition the Graduate College for approval before the student enrolls in the course. Consult individual programs for further limitations. Under no circumstances will a course numbered below 100 be applicable to a master’s program.

Minimum Residence Requirements. Candidates for the master’s degree must satisfactorily complete 21 hours of graduate credit. The residency requirement is completed by courses that (1) are taken for graduate credit through The University of Vermont either in the academic year or summer on the main campus or at off-campus locations, and (2) are taken after the student has been admitted to the Graduate College. Some programs may require more than the above minimum hours in residence. Consult with the individual program.

Comprehensive Examination. All master’s degree students are required to pass a written and/or oral comprehensive examination in their field of specialization. If both formats are used, satisfactory completion of the written examination is prerequisite to standing for the oral examination. All comprehensive examinations are to be taken on The University of Vermont campus in Burlington. One re-examination only is permitted for any comprehensive examination. The comprehensive examination is not the same as an oral thesis defense and must be satisfactorily passed before defending the thesis. Consult individual program descriptions for specific information.

When students plan to take their comprehensive examination they should enroll in GRAD 397: Master’s Comprehensive Examination. There is no fee. A grade of “S” or “U” is recorded.

Research and Thesis. Consult the program description to determine whether a thesis is required. If a thesis is required, the candidate for the master’s degree undertakes a problem of original research under the supervision of a member of the Graduate College Faculty in the department of specialization. At the conclusion of the research, the student must present a thesis which embodies the results of the work and demonstrates the capability for independent research.

Thesis Format. Students are required by the Graduate College to use computer software appropriate to the discipline to format their thesis. An unformatted thesis will not be accepted by the Graduate College for the Format/Record Check. A thesis must be prepared and submitted in compliance with the “Guidelines for Writing a Thesis or Dissertation” available from the Graduate College Office. A formatted copy of the thesis must be submitted to the Graduate College for a Format/Record Check at least three weeks prior to the scheduled defense. Students must also provide defendable copies of the thesis to members of their Thesis Defense Examination Committee at least two weeks before the scheduled examination. Individual departments may require earlier deadlines.

Students must enroll in GRAD 399: Thesis Defense prior to defending their thesis. The oral defense of a thesis can be scheduled only after successful completion of the comprehensive examination and the submission of an original copy of the thesis to the Graduate College for a Format/Record Check.

Thesis Defense Examination Committee. The Thesis Defense Committee consists of at least three University of Vermont faculty members, at least two of whom must be regular members of the Graduate Faculty. Ordinarily, two committee members will be from the candidate’s program, including the thesis advisor. The third member, who acts as chair of the committee, must be a member of the Graduate Faculty, must be from a different program and department than the candidate, and must be approved by the Graduate Dean upon nomination by the thesis advisor.

The Chairperson of the Thesis Defense Committee has the responsibility for ensuring proper conduct of the examination, appropriate documentation of the results, and that the signatures of endorsement are added to the acceptance page of the thesis following a successful defense.

The acceptability of the thesis is determined by the Thesis Defense Committee. A grade of "S" or "U" is awarded. If a student’s Defense Examination performance is not satisfactory, then only one re-examination is permitted. After a successful thesis defense, candidates must forward an original and two copies of the corrected thesis to the Graduate College within the time period specified by the Thesis Defense Examination Committee, and/or the Graduate College.

Options within Master of Arts and Master of Science Programs. At least 21 hours of graduate credit, including credit for the thesis and research leading to the thesis, must be earned in the field of specialization. All course credit included in these 21 hours must be earned in courses which have been approved for graduate credit. Students may wish to in-
clude in their programs up to nine hours of graduate level courses outside their fields of specialization. These courses must be approved in advance by the student’s advisor or studies committee.

Additional Requirements for the Master of Arts in Teaching. The MAT degree is intended for people who are already licensed as secondary school teachers or who will complete teacher licensure requirements before graduation. For already licensed teachers, the program requires a minimum of 30 credit hours of course work; at least 21 hours in the field of specialization and at least six in education. For those seeking teacher licensure, the program requires at least 30 credit hours of education course work and at least 21 hours in the field of specialization. The individual program of study for each MAT student must be approved by their faculty advisor in their field of specialization and their faculty advisor in the Department of Education.

In addition to the comprehensive examination in the field of specialization, students must also take a comprehensive examination in the field of education. Consult specific program listings for additional requirements for this degree program.

Additional Requirement for the Master of Science for Teachers. Applicants for the Master of Science for Teachers must be licensed teachers. Students in a Master of Science for Teachers program may apply more than one three-hour, 100-level course toward their degree. Consult specific department listings for additional requirements and policies related to this degree program.

General Requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Education

Please consult the program description for specific degree requirements.

General Requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

In addition to the requirements described below, individual programs may have their own specific requirements. Students should consult and familiarize themselves with their program requirements. Some of them are detailed in this catalogue under individual program listings and other requirements are available from the director or chairperson of each program.

Credit Hours. The degree of Doctor of Philosophy requires a minimum of 75 credit hours earned in courses and in dissertation research. A minimum of 15 hours in courses used in compilation of the grade-point average must be taken in residence at The University of Vermont. Consult individual programs for additional information. Generally, the first year of each doctoral program consists almost entirely of required courses. With the prior approval of their department and the Graduate College, students may apply two 100-level, three-credit courses towards their graduate programs. A student’s advisor must petition the Graduate College for approval before the student enrolls in the course. Consult individual programs for further limitations. Under no circum-

stances will a course numbered below 100 be applicable to a doctoral program.

Minimum Residence Requirements. Candidates for the doctoral degree must satisfactorily complete a minimum of 51 hours in residence. The residency requirement is completed by courses that (1) are taken for graduate credit through The University of Vermont either in the academic year or summer on the main campus or at off-campus locations, and (2) are taken after the student has been admitted to the Graduate College. Some programs may require more than the above minimum hours in residence. Consult with the individual program.

Teaching Requirement. All doctoral candidates must acquire appropriate teaching experience in their chosen fields prior to the award of the degree. The nature and amount of teaching, for which no academic credit is allowed, will be determined by each candidate’s program.

Language Requirement. Consult the program listings to determine whether demonstration of competency in one or more foreign languages is required. The requirement is fulfilled by an examination administered by the program or in conjunction with the appropriate language department. Enroll for the examination as GRAD 485. There is no fee for taking the exam. The examination is awarded the grade of “S” (Satisfactory) or “U” (Unsatisfactory). It may be taken more than once if a grade of “U” is awarded.

If department policy substitutes competence in computer literacy, the language requirement may be fulfilled either by completing appropriate Computer Science courses with a grade of B (3.00) or better, or by satisfactorily completing an examination composed and graded by the staff of the Computing and Information Technologies Center. Individual programs may set additional requirements.

Studies Committee. It is the responsibility of the Studies Committee to supervise the graduate student’s program and to review progress at regular intervals. A Studies Committee consisting of at least three regular members of the Graduate Faculty is appointed by the department chairperson or designated departmental representative and approved by the Dean of the Graduate College as soon as possible following enrollment in the Graduate College, unless the student’s department employs an alternative approved procedure. The Chairperson of the Studies Committee serves as the student’s academic advisor and also as the dissertation advisor or supervisor. Only a regular member of the Graduate Faculty can serve as an advisor of a doctoral dissertation. On occasion, it may be appropriate for a professional other than a regular member of the Graduate Faculty to serve as a member of a Studies Committee. In such cases, written approval of such a member must be obtained from the Dean of the Graduate College prior to the student’s beginning dissertation research.

Comprehensive Examination. A written comprehensive examination in the field of study must be passed by the candidate at least six months before the dissertation is submitted. The examination must be prepared by the department concerned, in consultation
with the candidate’s Studies Committee. Only one re-examination is permitted. Success in the written comprehensive examination is prerequisite to standing for the oral Dissertation Defense Examination. All examinations are taken on The University of Vermont campus in Burlington. Some programs also require an oral comprehensive examination.

Students must enroll in GRAD 497: Doctoral Comprehensive Examination prior to taking the comprehensive examination. There is no fee. A grade of "S" or "U" is recorded.

Research and Dissertation. Each candidate, while in residence at The University of Vermont, must complete an acceptable original research project which contributes new knowledge or techniques in an academic field. Each candidate must enroll in a minimum of 20 credits of dissertation research. Only a member of the Graduate Faculty may supervise dissertation research for the Ph.D.

Dissertation Format. Students are required by the Graduate College to use computer software appropriate to the discipline to format their dissertation. An unformatted dissertation will not be accepted by the Graduate College for the Format/Record Check. A dissertation must be prepared and submitted in compliance with the "Guidelines for Writing a Thesis or Dissertation" available from the Graduate College Office and your program’s blue handbook. A formatted copy of the dissertation must be submitted to the Graduate College for a Format/Record Check at least three weeks prior to the scheduled oral defense. Each student must also provide defendable copies of the dissertation to members of the Dissertation Defense Examination Committee at least two weeks before the scheduled examination. Individual departments may require earlier deadlines.

Students must enroll in GRAD 499: Dissertation Defense prior to defending their thesis.

The oral defense of a dissertation can be scheduled only after successful completion of the comprehensive examination and the submission of an original copy of the dissertation to the Graduate College for a Format/Record Check.

Dissertation Defense Examination Committee. Upon receipt of a completed dissertation, the Dean of the Graduate College will appoint a Dissertation Defense Committee based upon nominations submitted by the candidate’s advisor. The Dissertation Defense Committee consists of a minimum of four University of Vermont faculty members, usually all regular members of the Graduate Faculty. At least two Graduate Faculty members must be from inside the department. At least one Graduate Faculty member must be from outside the candidate’s department and program. This member will be designated Chairperson by the Graduate Dean upon nomination by the dissertation advisor. Individual programs may require more than four committee members or have other specific membership requirements.

The Chairperson of the Dissertation Defense Committee has the responsibility for ensuring proper conduct of the examination, appropriate documentation of the results, and that the signatures of endorsement are added to the acceptance page of the dissertation following a successful defense.

The acceptability of the dissertation is determined by the Dissertation Defense Committee. A grade of “S” or “U” is awarded. If a student’s Defense Examination performance is not satisfactory, then only one re-examination is permitted.

After a successful dissertation defense, candidates must forward an original and three copies of the corrected dissertation to the Graduate College within the time period specified by the Dissertation Defense Examination Committee and/or the Graduate College.

STUDENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Students have the responsibility to familiarize themselves with the policies and procedures of the University, the Graduate College, and their department or program. Students are primarily responsible for knowing the degree requirements and following the policies which govern their academic program. If students have concerns or doubts about individual policies and procedures and are not sure where to turn for help, they may contact their advisor, their program or department chairperson, or the Graduate College Office.

University policies and those of the Graduate College are contained in The Cat’s Tale and this catalogue, respectively. Copies of The Cat’s Tale are available to new graduate students and may also be obtained from the Graduate College and the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs. In cases of conflict, the Graduate Catalogue supersedes academic policies in The Cat’s Tale.

Advising. Unless a department or program employs an alternative approved procedure, each graduate student will have a faculty advisor to advise on matters of course selection, research direction, and overall guidance from admission to the Graduate College to completion of degree requirements. The initial advisor is assigned by the Department Chairperson or the Department Coordinator for graduate students prior to or shortly after enrolling in the Graduate College. If an initial advisor is not assigned by either of the above parties within two weeks after the initiation of course work in a given graduate program, the student is encouraged to contact an Associate Dean of the Graduate College in order to address this matter. Many times, one faculty member serves as an initial advisor for several students, and it is not uncommon that the advisor may change as the student’s program and research interests become refined and definitive.

Another common model, especially in doctoral programs, is a Studies Committee comprised of appropriate faculty who share a student’s scholarly and professional interests. The committee meets regularly to discuss the student’s progress and consult with the student regarding academic development.

While there are a variety of advising models, students have the right to consult regularly with their academic advisor or studies committee.

Professional Ethics and Academic Honesty. Graduate students are required to adhere to the highest standards of professionalism as students, re-
searchers, and teachers, and the University, in order to encourage a positive atmosphere in all phases of academic learning, teaching and research, created specific guidelines and policies regarding academic honesty. They are outlined in The Cat's Tale and are also available from the Office of the Provost.

**Sexual Harassment.** No member of the University community may sexually harass another. Unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature constitute sexual harassment when:

a. submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual’s employment or education;

b. submission to or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis for academic or employment decisions affecting that individual; or

c. such conduct has the purpose or effect of substantially interfering with an individual’s academic or professional performance or creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive employment, educational, or living environment.

Any University of Vermont student having a complaint of sexual harassment should notify the Office of Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity; students may also contact the Vice President for Student Affairs. If a student has personal concerns regarding sexual harassment, confidential counseling can be arranged through the Counseling and Testing Center. Policies and procedures governing complaints of sexual harassment are available in the office of each dean, department head, and chairperson as well as in the Bailey/Howe Library.

**Discrimination.** The University community will not tolerate discrimination. The Notice of Nondiscrimination, including a statement regarding policies, is published in the front of this catalogue.

**Appeals.** Students who believe that they have (1) suffered a violation of due process, (2) been subject to a decision with no rational basis or an abuse of discretion, or (3) suffered a violation of a fundamental right may file a grievance, following procedures outlined in The Cat’s Tale.

The Graduate College specifically hears all grievances regarding policies and procedures within the province of the Graduate College or any that affect graduate education. Specifically excluded are grievances that contest grades on grounds other than those enumerated above.

A grievance properly begins within the student’s own department by an appeal to a program director or chair. If this does not resolve the grievance, the student can present the grievance in writing to the Dean of the Graduate College. Grievances must state clearly and precisely the basis for appeal and provide supporting evidence that a student’s rights have been jeopardized. The Dean may recommend that the grievance be reviewed by the Graduate College Executive Committee. The Dean is the final arbiter of Graduate College regulations. Students retain the right to appeal the Dean’s decision to the Provost.

If the grievance does not fall within the province of the Graduate College, consult The Cat’s Tale regarding University grievance policy and procedures.

**Transcripts.** An official transcript is the reproduction of a complete, unabridged permanent academic record validated with the University seal, facsimile signature of the Registrar, and date of issue. A Key to Transcript is included. Currently enrolled as well as former graduate students may obtain an official transcript of their permanent academic record by writing the Office of the Registrar, 360 Waterman Building. Please allow a minimum of one week for normal processing and three weeks following the end of a semester. Transcripts are not released when there is an indebtedness to the University.

**Access to Records.** Students have the right to review any of their educational records maintained by the University. Students also have the right to have all educational records maintained in a confidential manner. In appropriate situations, students may choose to waive some or all of these protections, but such waivers must be clearly stated in writing. If a student believes an educational record contains information which is inaccurate, a hearing may be scheduled to seek appropriate modification. Requests for reviews of records should be made to the Registrar.

**Name and Address Exclusion.** The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 grants to all University students the right not to have personal information contained in the records of the University released to any individual, agency, or organization. UVM includes the following categories under personal information subject to release:

- **Category I** Name, address, telephone number, dates of attendance;
- **Category II** Class, previous institution(s) attended, major field of study, awards, honors (including dean’s list), degree(s) conferred (including dates);
- **Category III** Past and present participation in officially recognized sports and activities, physical factors (height, weight);
- **Category IV** Date and place of birth.

Students who do not wish to have one or all of the above categories of information released should fill out an information exclusion card at the Registrar's Office.

**CONFERRAL OF GRADUATE DEGREES**

Degrees are conferred only in October, March, and May of each year. Diplomas are issued only in May.

It is the graduate student’s responsibility to make sure that their name has been submitted to the Deans Office of the Graduate College for Graduation.
Educational and Living Expenses

The tuition and fee charges listed here are for 1996-97 only and are subject to change in future years.

Tuition. Rates for the 1996-97 academic year are as follows: For Vermont residents, $280.50 per credit hour; for nonresidents of Vermont, $701 per credit hour.

The lower rates for Vermont residents are made possible by a subvention to the University from the State of Vermont.

GRADUATE STUDENT FEES

Application Fee. All applications for admission must be accompanied by a $25 application fee. This fee is nonrefundable.

Continuous Registration Fee: GRAD 900. A fee of $100 per semester is charged each graduate student who has enrolled for all credits required in the degree program but who has not completed all degree requirements (e.g. comprehensive examination, thesis defense) in order to maintain continuous enrollment. Students who have not cleared grades of I or XC, but who have enrolled for all required course work must pay this fee.

Comprehensive Fee. Students pay a Comprehensive Fee each semester according to the following schedule: 0-3 (including Continuous Registration), no fee; 4 credits, $44; 5 credits, $50; 6 credits, $56; 7 credits, $62; 8 credits, $68; 9–11.5 credits, $74; 12 or more $199.50 (includes health fee).

Transportation Fee. A $48 per year ($24 per semester) fee is charged to all students enrolled for 12 or more hours. This fee is assessed to fund the capital and operating costs for the all-campus shuttle.

Student Health Fee. A health fee is included in the full-time Comprehensive Fee. Students enrolled for fewer than 12 credit hours are eligible for University Health Services by paying a health fee of $117.50 per semester.

Student Accident and Sickness Insurance. Through an arrangement with a commercial insurance company, students are able to procure health insurance which is designed to provide coverage for services beyond those provided by the Student Health Center. There is an additional charge for this extended coverage beyond the student health fee. The 1996-97 cost for one year’s coverage for single students is $565. Married students may obtain coverage for their spouse and children. Further details are available from the Student Health Center. To participate in this insurance, the student health fee must be paid each semester as well as the additional insurance premium.

Reactivation Fee. Reactivation following withdrawal without an approved leave of absence requires payment of a $25 reactivation fee.

Advanced Degree Fee. The fee charged to each advanced degree recipient is as follows:

- Doctoral Degree: $25
- Master's Degree (with thesis): 20
- Master's Degree (without thesis): 10

This fee may be paid at any time but must be paid prior to the deadline established for submission of doctoral dissertations or master’s theses for each of the three graduation periods.

It is the responsibility of the degree candidate to pay the appropriate advanced degree fee at the Graduate College Office, 335 Waterman, in order to have a degree awarded.

Housing and Living Expenses. The University offers a variety of housing opportunities. Jeanne Mance Hall at the northwest edge of campus offers dormitory accommodations for graduate students. Each room is furnished with a bed, dresser, wardrobe, and refrigerator. A kitchen and laundry center is located on each floor. Computer and study areas are located on the first floor. The maximum rates for the 1996–97 fall and spring semesters are $380 per month for a single room. Summer rates are lower. In addition, a limited number of University-owned apartments are available for married and graduate students. The apartments are located at Fort Ethan Allen in Colchester on a bus route five miles from the main campus. For detailed information about either housing option, contact the Ethan Allen Housing Office, 1007 Ethan Allen Avenue, Colchester, VT 05446 (802-655-0661). If considering University housing, contact the Housing Office as soon as possible.

Graduate students may participate in a variety of meal plans from Marriott Food Services and take their meals at a number of locations around campus.

Rents in the Burlington area vary from approximately $75 per week for a single furnished room to $600 or more per month for a two-bedroom apartment. A single student should expect minimum overall living expenses of approximately $750 per month.

Bill Adjustment. A refund of 100 percent will be processed for enrollment reduction effected prior to the end of the second week of classes; a refund of 50 percent will be allowed for reductions during the third and fourth week of classes; a refund of 25 percent during weeks five through eight; no refund will be processed thereafter. At the end of the semester, an audit will be made of each student’s record. If the audit reveals that total credit hour enrollment is greater than at the end of the specified drop period,
the student will be financially liable for the total enrollment. Students will be charged for all hours as specified in policy statements regarding tuition.

Withdrawals. A student may voluntarily withdraw from the University by notifying the Graduate Dean and the Registrar. The student will receive a refund in accordance with the bill adjustment policy. Date and time of withdrawal normally will be the date the withdrawal notice is received by the Registrar.

Dismissal. If a student is suspended or dismissed, a refund will be processed according to the bill adjustment schedule.

Death. In case of death of the student, tuition which has been paid for the semester during which the death occurs will be refunded fully.

UNIVERSITY RESIDENCY REGULATIONS

IN-STATE STATUS REGULATIONS

The Vermont Legislature has established a lower rate of tuition for students who are Vermont residents. These regulations define eligibility requirements for in-state status classification. All students at The University of Vermont and State Agricultural College (UVM) shall be assigned in-state or out-of-state status classification consistent with these regulations. A Vermont domicile must be established for a student to be eligible for in-state status.

In-State Status Classification Rules

1. Domicile shall mean a person’s true, fixed, and permanent home. It is the place at which one intends to remain indefinitely and to which one intends to return when absent.
2. As one element of domicile, a student must reside in Vermont continuously for one year prior to the semester for which in-state status is sought.
3. A residence established for the purpose of attending UVM shall not by itself constitute domicile.
4. An applicant becoming a student within one year of first moving to the state shall have created a rebuttable presumption that residency in Vermont is for the purpose of attending UVM and/or acquiring in-state status for tuition purposes.
5. A domicile or residency classification assigned by a public or private authority neither qualifies nor disqualifies a student for UVM in-state status. Such classification may be taken into consideration, however, in determining the student’s status at UVM.
6. It shall be presumed that a student who has not reached the age of majority (18) holds the domicile of his/her parents or legal guardian(s).
7. Receipt of financial support by a student from his/her family shall create a rebuttable presumption that the student domicile is with his/her family, regardless of whether the student has reached the age of 18.
8. A student who has not reached the age of 18 whose parents are legally separated or divorced shall be rebuttably presumed to hold the domicile of the parent with legal custody.
9. A student of parents legally separated or divorced may be granted in-state status if a non-custodial or joint custodial parent is domiciled in Vermont and has contributed more than 50 percent of financial support for at least one year prior to the semester for which in-state status is sought.
10. The burden of proof as to eligibility for in-state status rests with the student. Eligibility must be established by clear and convincing evidence.

In-State Status Classification Documentation

11. The student must submit with the application form all relevant information.
12. The classification decision shall be based upon information furnished by the student, information requested of the student, and other relevant information available consistent with University policies and procedures and legal guidelines.
13. Testimony, written documents, affidavits, verifications, and/or other evidence may be requested.
14. The student’s failure to produce information requested may adversely affect the decision for in-state status.
15. A student or others furnishing information may request the deletion from documents of irrelevant private data.

In-State Status Classification Appeals

16. The decision of the Residency Officer must be appealed in writing to the Residency Appellate Officer within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of the Residency Officer’s written decision. Appeal to the Residency Appellate Officer is the final appeal at UVM.

In-State Status Reclassification

17. A student who does not qualify for in-state status classification may reapply for such classification each subsequent semester.
18. In-state status classification becomes effective the first semester following the date of successful application.

Re-Examination of Classification Status

19. Classification status may be re-examined upon the initiative of the Residency Officer in the exercise of sound discretion. Circumstances such as periodic enrollment may be cause for re-examination.

Adopted by the Board of Trustees, December 14, 1974; amended June 13, 1981, and May 2, 1987. These regulations took effect with the 1987-88 academic year.
Fellowships, Assistantships, Traineeships, Stipends, and Grants

Students who wish to be considered for fellowships as well as admission must submit completed applications, with supporting materials, by March 1 of the academic year preceding that for which application is made, or the program's application deadline, whichever is earlier. Any applicant requesting fellowship, assistantship, or traineeship support must submit an official copy of the Graduate Record Examination score report.

Application for fellowships is made by completing the appropriate section on the application form. No separate form is required except where indicated in the descriptions below.

Tuition scholarships accompanying Graduate Teaching, College, Research, and Student Affairs Assistantships do not cover physical education courses and activities nor do they cover courses numbered below 200 except upon prior approval of the Dean of the Graduate College.

GRADUATE COLLEGE FELLOWSHIPS

The Graduate College offers ten fellowships in support of master's degree programs in the social sciences and humanities. Five fellowships provide a one year stipend (currently $4,000) and a full tuition scholarship (36-credit hour maximum) for the degree program (one-two years). The remaining five fellowships provide the tuition scholarship only.

The fellowships are open to prospective students in the social sciences and humanities at the time of application. Holders of Graduate College Fellowships are required to carry full-time enrollment towards an advanced degree. The fellowships are not renewable.

GRADUATE TEACHING FELLOWSHIPS AND GRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

Graduate Teaching Fellowships are awarded by many of the departments offering graduate work. Graduate Teaching Fellows are generally appointed for nine months with stipends averaging $10,225 for 1996-97. Normally, Teaching Fellows enroll for a minimum of six to a maximum of ten hours per semester. In addition to the stipend, the fellowship award includes a tuition scholarship covering the number of credit hours specified in the award letter, but not to exceed ten credit hours per semester, during the period of the fellowship.

Graduate Research Fellowships are awarded in some of the science departments offering graduate work. Research Fellows may be appointed for nine or 12 months with stipends generally ranging from $10,225 to $13,350 and a tuition scholarship (see limits in Teaching Fellowship description). A maximum of half-time assistance in the department is expected of Graduate Teaching and Research Fellows, and they must expect that more than one academic year will be necessary to complete the requirements for the master's degree. If a Teaching or Research Fellow is a candidate for the doctoral degree, at least four calendar years must be anticipated for completion of the academic program. Generally, fellows are appointed in the departments in which they are doing graduate work.

Appointments are announced on or about the first week in April.

STUDENT AFFAIRS ASSISTANTSHIPS

Within the Division of Student Affairs, several assistantships are made available annually. Each assistantship provides graduate students a professional opportunity to support and develop the Division's goals and activities in its work with students. The candidates selected to fill these positions are assigned administrative and advisory positions in the residence halls, departments within the Division, and in other student services areas. Graduate students who hold Student Affairs Assistantships will gain valuable experience in the areas of group advising, administration, personnel advising, and educational programming. Such positions are open to either married or single students who have been accepted for graduate work in any of the academic programs of the University. The majority of graduate students are enrolled in the Higher Education and Student Affairs graduate program. Selection is based upon academic record, character, recommendations, and quality of related experiences. A personal interview is required. Requests for applications and additional information should be addressed to the Division of Student Affairs, Nicholson House, 41 South Prospect Street, Burlington, VT 05405-0094. Questions can also be directed via the internet at: stuaffastn@uvm.edu Completed applications must be received by February 1 for full consideration. Applications received after February 1 will be considered only for unanticipated openings. Appointments will be announced on or about May 1.
FELLOWSHIPS, ASSISTANTSHIPS, TRAINEESHIPS, STIPENDS, AND GRANTS

GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS
Graduate Assistantships are generally available when a department member receives a grant from a source external to the University. The appointment may be for either nine or 12 months at a starting salary of about $15,500 and $18,000 per appointment period (1996-97). Part of the salary is for tuition at the in-state rate with a maximum enrollment of ten credit hours each semester and nine credit hours during the summer session (12-month appointments).

A maximum of one-half time assistance on the research project is expected and more than one academic year will be necessary for the completion of the master's degree and at least four calendar years for completion of the doctoral degree. For information on the availability of assistantships, contact the chairperson of the department.

GRADUATE TRAINEESHIPS
Graduate Traineeships are available in certain departments through grants from various state and federal agencies. Traineeships are available currently to graduate students enrolled in the following departments or programs: Biochemistry, Biology, Cell and Molecular Biology, Communication Sciences, Pathology, Psychology, and Social Work. These traineeships generally include both a stipend and tuition scholarship.

SUMMER RESEARCH STIPENDS
To promote graduate scholarship and to assist students in completing their programs in a timely and successful manner, the Graduate College provides a limited number of summer research stipends to graduate students. The stipends, awarded competitively, are designed to help students devote the summer to some phase of their dissertation, thesis, or final research project. Details about the stipends are available from the Graduate College Office.

TRAVEL GRANTS
The Graduate College upon recommendation from the Graduate Student Advisory Committee provides mini-travel grants to help students underwrite the cost of attending conferences where they will present papers or posters of their research. These funds are awarded three times a year on a matching basis with the student's home program or department. Applications for grants are available from the Graduate College Office.

OTHER FELLOWSHIPS
A limited number of fellowships established by private donors are available periodically in selected departments.

UVM OPPORTUNITY FELLOWSHIPS
The Graduate Dean's Office administers fellowships to increase campus diversity in graduate programs. These fellowships, which are generally funded at a level equivalent to Graduate Teaching Fellowships, are available to students pursuing advanced degrees in any subject area at UVM. Please indicate interest in these fellowships on the application form.
Financial Aid

The University has several options designed to help graduate students finance their UVM education. In order to ensure that the financial aid application process is understandable and accessible, each applicant is assigned to a "service team" within the Financial Aid Office. Whenever a student has a question about his or her financial aid status, he or she may call upon the members of the service team who will be familiar with the applicant's particular circumstances.

Limited amounts of need-based financial aid are available for students enrolled in the UVM Graduate College. Much of the available aid consists of low interest student loans, repayable after graduation or upon withdrawal from the University. Those students with financial need who do not receive supplemental assistance in the form of assistantships or fellowships may find that their need-based financial assistance is insufficient to meet their entire cost of attendance. It is important, therefore, for graduate students to fully assess their costs and resources before making a final decision about attendance.

The University provides, through the Office of Financial Aid, long-term loans and/or work-study jobs for students based upon demonstrated need remaining after all assistantships, fellowships, training grants, and any other source of financial assistance are considered.

In order to be considered for financial assistance, an applicant must meet the following requirements:

1. U.S. citizenship (or permanent resident status).
2. At least half-time enrollment.
3. Financial need as determined by federal eligibility requirements.

Application for financial aid should be made as soon after application for admission to the University as possible. In order to apply for aid, graduate students are required to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The priority deadline for filing a FAFSA is March 1 of each year. Applicants may also be asked to provide copies of prior year income tax returns and other supporting documentation. All graduate student applicants for aid must arrange to have Financial Aid Transcripts from institutions previously attended mailed to the UVM Office of Financial Aid. After admission to the University and upon submission of all required documentation, applicants will be notified of financial aid eligibility.

LOAN PROGRAMS

- **FEDERAL DIRECT STAFFORD LOAN PROGRAM.** The Federal Direct Stafford Loan Program is available for needy graduate students. Because The University of Vermont participates in the Federal Direct Loan Program, these loans may be obtained directly from the UVM Office of Financial Aid. Graduate students are eligible to borrow a maximum $8,500 per year, depending upon the level of their need. A cumulative loan limit of $65,500 is allowed for a combination of graduate and undergraduate Stafford Loan borrowing. Federal Direct Stafford Loans are interest-free while the student is enrolled at least half-time in a degree program. The interest rate thereafter is variable and repayment begins six months after leaving school or reducing enrollment to less than half-time.

- **UNSUBSIDIZED FEDERAL DIRECT STAFFORD LOAN PROGRAM.** The Unsubsidized Federal Direct Stafford Loan Program provides loan funding up to a maximum of $10,000 per year, with a cumulative total of $73,000 (including undergraduate borrowing). Payments on the loan principal may be deferred until after graduation. Repayment of interest (the rate is variable) begins 60 days following receipt of the loan check.

- **PERKINS LOAN PROGRAM.** A very limited number of Perkins Student Loans are available for graduate students and are administered by The University of Vermont. The amount of the loan will depend upon available funds. Perkins Loans are interest-free while the student is enrolled at least half-time in a degree program. The interest rate thereafter is five percent and repayment begins six months after leaving school or reducing enrollment to less than half-time.

JOB PROGRAMS

- **FEDERAL WORK-STUDY PROGRAM.** A limited amount of Federal Work-Study funding is available for needy graduate students. The Federal Work-Study Program provides financial assistance through employment on campus or with certain kinds of off-campus agencies. Students have the opportunity to select jobs in their field of study, interest, and skills.

- The Center for Career Development assists students in locating other part-time job opportunities. Students should contact the Career Development Office, E Building, Living/Learning Complex.
APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL AID
Application forms are available from the Office of Financial Aid, 330 Waterman Building. Only one application (The Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is needed in order to apply for aid. The aid application priority date is March 1. Applications mailed to the Federal Processor after that date will be reviewed according to the date of submission. If additional information is required, the Office of Financial Aid will contact the student. Please note that any tuition grants, fellowships or assistantships are considered a financial aid resource, and must be considered before other University student aid will be awarded.

FINANCIAL AID REFUND POLICY
For students receiving financial aid, change in student status or credit hour load may result in revision or loss of financial aid, depending on the regulations governing the particular aid programs involved.

SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS FOR FINANCIAL AID RECIPIENTS
In order to maintain eligibility for financial aid, matriculated undergraduate and graduate students must progress at a rate that ensures completion of their degree programs within a reasonable time frame. Beginning with the first semester of study in a degree program at The University of Vermont, a federal financial aid recipient is required to accumulate earned hours totaling at least 75% of the number of hours attempted. Each student’s progress will be measured at the end of each year of attendance to ensure adherence to this standard.

All students must have attained at least a 2.0 overall cumulative grade-point average in order to continue to qualify for assistance.

Any student not meeting the standard described above will be placed on Financial Aid Probationary Status for a one-year period (during which aid eligibility will be maintained). Should the student not meet the required credit standard or cumulative grade-point average standard by the end of that probationary year, the student’s eligibility for additional financial aid will be withdrawn until the student has met the required standard.

Students whose aid is withdrawn for not maintaining academic progress according to the standard outlined above may appeal their loss of aid by writing to the Director of Financial Aid. The decision to withhold aid eligibility may be overridden by the Director and a five member appeals committee in circumstances which warrant special consideration. Such circumstances may include but are not limited to medical emergencies or family crises which resulted in the student’s not meeting the stated requirements.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
More detailed information about the financial aid opportunities and procedures may be obtained from the UVM Office of Financial Aid located in Waterman Building Room 330. Staff may be reached at (802) 656-3156.

The awarding of financial aid is administered in accordance with the University’s guidelines on nondiscrimination described in this catalogue.

VETERANS BENEFITS
Students who are eligible to receive educational benefits from the Veterans Administration may obtain advice from the Center for Career Development, E Building, Living/Learning Center, (802) 656-3450.

NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL STUDENT PROGRAM
An opportunity for qualified legal residents of New England states to enroll at reduced rates for programs which are not offered by the home state university but are offered in another New England state is available under an arrangement entitled the New England Regional Student Program. A list of available graduate programs is available in the “Apple Book” and may be examined in the Graduate College Admissions Office or obtained from the New England Board of Higher Education, 45 Temple Place, Boston, MA 02111.

Applicants must indicate clearly, both in their initial inquiries and on their application forms, that they are seeking admission under the terms of the New England Regional Student Program. In cases where the program of study is clearly unique or distinctive to the out-of-state institution, the UVM Graduate College Dean’s Office will certify directly the applicant’s eligibility to apply under the New England Regional Student Program. In cases where an apparently similar program of study is available at both institutions involved, the graduate deans of the two institutions will determine whether regional student status is appropriate.
Support Services for Graduate Students

Graduate Student Advisory Committee. The Graduate Student Advisory Committee (GSAC), comprised of graduate student representatives from each of the colleges and schools, provides a forum for discussion of graduate student issues and assists the Dean and the Executive Committee in matters affecting graduate students. Issues considered by GSAC range from the academic through professional development and student life. GSAC sponsors occasional social events and conducts a mini-grants program to support, in part, expenses associated with student travel for professional purposes.

Center for Cultural Pluralism. The Center develops and promotes programs to enhance cultural awareness on campus and within the local community. Student involvement in the planning and facilitation of such programs is a primary goal. Programs range from educational colloquia and cultural dinners to sponsored campus/community-wide ethnic weeks. Guest speakers, films, and cultural performances help bring campus attention to the African-American, Asian-American, Latino-American, and Native-American portions of our past and present day American society. Past programs have included dance troupes and speakers such as Attallah Shabazz, Cornel West, bell hooks, Kevin Locke, Benito Torres, KRS-1, Chuck D, Elizabeth Martinez, Daruba bin-Wahad, Angela Davis, Henry Cisneros, Dith Pran, Uri Kokia, Tanaquil Jones, Reverend Ralph Abernathy, Russell Means, Spike Lee, Benjamin Hooks, Dick Gregory, and Shirley Chisholm.

The Center serves as a gathering place for members of the academic community to meet and share their cultural heritage through a variety of social, cultural, and educational events.

The Center for Cultural Pluralism also provides a place where students can come to relax and study. Typewriters, television, VCR, computer facilities, and even a kitchen are available. By providing special programs to increase cultural awareness and appreciation on campus and within the community, the Center serves an important mission of being “a place of sharing.”

The Center for Cultural Pluralism is located in the Blundell House on Redstone Campus, (802) 656-3819. Visitors are welcome.

Center for Career Development. The Center for Career Development provides assistance in establishing placement credential files, interviewing techniques, and resume writing. Center personnel also provide individual assistance in developing job searches. An extensive career library contains information on full-time positions, along with occupational briefs, job market trends, salary surveys, and company literature. In addition, the office lists limited part-time and summer job opportunities.

Counseling Center. The Counseling Center is a campus resource available to students, faculty, and staff. The Center offers confidential individual and group counseling services, and workshops on topics including stress management, study skills, assertiveness, and life planning.

Student Health Center. The Student Health Center is available to all students (except those in the College of Medicine) for primary and preventive health care. Most of these services are covered by the health fee (see page 20). Students entering the University are required to furnish the Health Center with a complete immunization record, to include two valid measles (Rubeola) vaccinations, and a medical history. A physical exam is not required.

Because the College of Medicine is located on campus, the Burlington area has a large and sophisticated medical community of which the Health Center is a part. Students requiring consultations are referred to specialists in the area. When necessary, hospitalization is usually arranged at the Medical Center Hospital of Vermont, a teaching hospital located on the edge of the main campus. Note: The University Health Center (UHC) is not the UVM Student Health Center.

The University also makes available to students an optional health insurance plan that provides hospitalization and some outpatient benefits. Full-time students who do not provide proof of adequate health insurance at the time of registration will be required to purchase the University sponsored plan.

Services for Students with Disabilities. Services and accommodations for students with disabilities are coordinated by three offices: the Office of Specialized Student Services certifies and coordinates services for students with physical disabilities, learning disabilities, and attention deficit disorders; the Counseling Center certifies and coordinates services for students with psychological disabilities; the Student Health Center certifies and coordinates services for students with ongoing medical conditions. Services to equalize opportunities in the classroom
and course accommodations are arranged through these offices. Students are encouraged to inform the staff of the appropriate certifying office of any needed services or accommodations at least two weeks in advance of each semester. Current and comprehensive documentation of disability will be required.

The Office of Specialized Student Services, A170 Living/Learning Center, 656-7753, TTY 656-3865.

**Graduate College Workshops.** Each year the Graduate College sponsors writing, teaching, and professional development workshops for graduate students. A teaching workshop held in early September focuses on ways of enhancing undergraduate education by helping teaching fellows better understand the process of educating college students. A winter writing workshop deals with ways of incorporating and strengthening writing across the curriculum and helps graduate students who might be experiencing some difficulty with their own writing. In the spring, a grant-writing workshop provides training for graduate students who wish to learn how to write grant proposals for external funding. A thesis/dissertation format workshop is held three times a year and professional development workshops are semester events.

**Exercise and Wellness.** The University's extensive physical education facilities are available for recreational use by faculty, staff, and students during hours not devoted to specific instruction. Swimming, handball, skating, tennis, squash, and many other individual and group activities are available for interested participants.

In addition to the physical education facilities, the University has an active Outing Club. There are many opportunities in Vermont for participation on either an organized or informal level in such activities as hiking, camping, sailing, swimming, skiing, running, bicycling, and other outdoor activities.
## Course Numbering

Courses numbered 400 or above are limited to candidates for the degrees of Doctor of Education and Doctor of Philosophy; courses numbered 300 to 399 are generally limited to graduate students; courses in this catalogue, numbered 200 through 299, are advanced courses for undergraduates which may also be taken for graduate credit by graduate students. To obtain graduate credit, the graduate student generally is expected to meet higher qualitative and/or quantitative expectations than the undergraduate student. Courses numbered 100 to 199 may not be taken for graduate credit except upon recommendation of a student’s Studies Committee and with the authorization of the Dean of the Graduate College prior to enrollment. Authorization will be limited to one appropriate course (three credit hours) for a master’s program and to two appropriate courses (six credit hours) for a doctoral program. Graduate students may take additional 100-level courses beyond these values, but graduate credit will not be allowed for such courses. Graduate programs designed for the Master of Science for Teachers degree (M.S.T.) are exempted from this rule. Nondegree students are not permitted to receive graduate credit for courses numbered 100-199. Under no circumstances will graduate credit be allowed for a course numbered below 100.

The form 201, 202 indicates that two such courses may be taken independently for credit.

The form 201-202 indicates that such courses may not be taken independently for credit and, unless otherwise stated, must be taken in the sequence indicated.

The number of credit hours per semester is indicated in each course description that follows.

All prerequisites cited refer to courses as numbered at The University of Vermont.

A student who lacks the stated prerequisites for a course, but is otherwise qualified to take it, may be permitted to enroll by the instructor.

While every attempt has been made to list only courses that actually will be offered, the College necessarily must reserve the right to withdraw scheduled offerings or substitute for them should circumstances make such changes necessary.

## Graduate Degree Programs and Courses of Instruction

### Agricultural Biochemistry (AGBI)

*Professors Barrington (Chairperson), Weller; Associate Professors Baribault, Currier.*

Research programs include identification of proteins in plant parts (D. Weller); and mechanism of biorecognition between host plant and rhizobia (W. Currier). Members of our faculty participate in the interdisciplinary Cell and Molecular Biology Program (see separate listing in this catalogue).

### Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Master of Science

An undergraduate major in biochemistry, chemistry, nutrition, or biology including a year in organic chemistry, with laboratory. Courses in biochemistry, and organic chemistry are strongly recommended. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination (general).

### Requirements for Advancement to Candidacy for the Degree of Master of Science

Satisfactory completion of one year of study and completion of admission requirements.

### Minimum Degree Requirements

Agricultural Biochemistry 201, 202, 220, 221, 230, 231, 381-384; thesis research (ten to 15 hours).

## Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

Same as admission for Master of Science degree. Physical chemistry, courses in cellular and molecular biology, mathematics, and physics suitable for student’s program are recommended.

### Requirements for Advancement to Candidacy for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

Completion of a full year of graduate study and residency at The University of Vermont. One year of laboratory courses in molecular or cellular biochemistry; approval of the Student’s Studies Committee and the Graduate College Dean.

### Minimum Degree Requirements

Biochemistry 301-302; advanced courses in chemistry (six hours); additional course work as determined by Student’s Studies Committee; participation in seminar throughout residency; doctoral dissertation research (20 to 35 hours).

### Courses Offered

#### 201 General Biochemistry

Broad coverage of biochemistry including principles of analytical biochemistry. *Prerequisite:* Chemistry 42 or 141 or equivalent. Three hours and lab (one hour) as 202. Weller.

#### 202 General Biochemistry Laboratory (0-3)

Introduction to techniques and equipment used for the isolation and quantitative analysis of amino acids, proteins, sugars, and enzymes in biological materials. *Prerequisite:* Credit for or concurrent enrollment in 201. One hour. Baribault.

#### 210 Quantitative Biochemistry

Physical principles of biochemical methods and theory with strong emphasis on problem solving and data analysis. *Prerequisite:* 201. Three hours.

#### 220 Molecular Biology

The structure and biological function of nucleic acids, proteins, and enzymes. Emphasis is on optical, electrophoretic, and ultracentrifugal methods. *Prerequisite:* 201. Three hours and lab (one hour) as 221. Currier.

#### 221 Molecular Biology Laboratory (0-3)

Laboratory practice in protein characterization by disc and SDS-gel electrophoresis and gel isoelectric focusing. DNA separation and
characterization by agarose gel electrophoresis and restriction enzyme digestion. Pre-requisite: Credit for or concurrent enrollment in 220. One hour. Currier, Weller.

230 Advanced Biochemistry. A study of metabolic cycles emphasizing research methods involving radioisotopes and chromatography. Pre-requisite: 201 or permission of the instructor. Three hours and lab (one hour) as 231. Currier.

231 Advanced Biochemistry Laboratory (0-3). Laboratory experimentation emphasizing absorption, ion exchange, affinity, and partition chromatography. Introduction to modern GLC and HPLC techniques and enzyme isolation, purification, and characterization. Pre-requisite: Credit for or concurrent enrollment in 230. One hour. Currier.

250 Plant Biochemistry. The study of specific biochemical principles that are unique to plants concentrating on the biochemistry of plant cell walls, photosynthesis, and secondary metabolites. Pre-requisite: 201. Two hours. Currier.

295 Special Topics. Lectures, readings, laboratory studies, or field trips. Format and subject matter at the instructor’s discretion. Spring, summer, and fall. Pre-requisite: Departmental permission. Credit to be arranged.

301 Special Problems. Pre-requisite: Departmental permission. Credit as arranged.


391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Anatomy and Neurobiology (ANNB)

Professor Emeritus Young; Professors Parsons (Chairperson), Wells; Associate Professors Cornbrooks, Fiekers, Forehand, Freedman, Mave, May, Powers; Assistant Professors Braas, Jaworski, Vizard; Lecturers Ezerman, Fonda, Szilua; EM Coordinator Hendricks; Research Associate Hardwick.

Departmental research activities center around nervous system structure, function, and development. Specific areas of interest include: mechanisms regulating neuronal degeneration, regeneration and plasticity; role of extracellular matrix in glial differentiation; development and pattern formation of somatosensory and autonomic pathways; neurotransmitter and neuropeptide expression and secretion; specific synaptic actions of neurotranscive compounds; modification of calcium and other intracellular signaling pathways in excitable cells; and cardiovascular and gastrointestinal functions in normal and diseased states. World Wide Web: http://sahus.uvm.edu/~neuro/annbpg.html

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Thirty credits of courses and research, including Anatomy and Neurobiology 301, 302, 311; comprehensive examination. Additional credits as arranged for laboratory research leading to a dissertation. A grade of B or better must be obtained in any course taken in Anatomy and Neurobiology.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Bachelor’s degree; one year of organic chemistry/biochemistry; a year of advanced biology; one course in college physics. Additional courses in calculus, differential equations, statistics, computer science, and physical chemistry are recommended. A deficiency in one prerequisite course can be made up in the summer session before entry into the program. A master’s degree is not a prerequisite for the Ph.D. degree. Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Satisfactory completion of required courses and research rotations. Approval of the written and oral portions of the qualifying comprehensive examination.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Anatomy 301, 302, 306, 311, 395 or 396, and 491; Cell and Molecular Biology 301; Physiology and Biophysics 301; Biochemistry 301, 302. Additional elective courses and teaching assignments as arranged with the department; three reading courses; departmental research rotations; dissertation research; credits as required by the Graduate College. Candidacy examination; successful completion of dissertation. A grade of B or better must be obtained in any course taken in Anatomy and Neurobiology.

COURSES OFFERED

Note: Departmental permission is required for all courses.

201 Human Gross Anatomy. Lectures and detailed regional dissections emphasize functional anatomy of major systems (e.g. musculoskeletal, cardiovascular, nervous). Pre-requisite: Permission. Five hours. Mave, May.

202 Neuroanatomy. Structural basis of nervous system function, including spinal reflex organization, detailed analysis of sensory and motor systems, clinical examples, human brain dissection. Pre-requisites: 201 or permission. Three hours. Wells.


302 Neuroscience. A correlated presentation of the neuroanatomy and neurophysiology of the mammalian central nervous system. Lectures, demonstrations, laboratory, and clinical correlation workshops. Four hours. Forehand, Jaworski, Parsons.

306 Techniques in Neurobiology. Discussion, demonstration of techniques used to study the nervous system. Experience with light, fluorescence, electron microscopy; microsurgical procedures; electrophysiological stimulating, recording techniques; neuronal tracing techniques. Pre-requisite: Neuroscience 302. Three hours. Fiekers.

311 Medical Histology. The course as presented to medical students. Microscopic study of cells, tissues, and organs.
emphasizing the correlation of structure and function. Three hours. Cornbrooks, Fiekers.

320 Developmental Neurobiology. Provides fundamental knowledge of cell-to-cell interactions necessary for proper development and organization of the nervous system. Topics include pattern formation, neuronal differentiation, axon guidance, and target interactions. Prerequisite: Neuroscience 302 or consent of instructor. Variable credit. Cornbrooks, Forehand. Alternate years.

323 Neurochemistry. Biochemistry of the nervous system. Topics include ion channels, synaptic function, neurotransmitters and neuropeptides, signal transduction, and hormones in brain function. Prerequisite: 302 or Cell and Molecular Biology 301 or Biochemistry 301, 302. Variable credit. Braas, May. Alternate years.


342 Special Dissections in Gross Anatomy. A detailed and independent study of a single anatomical region, utilizing gross, microscopic, and embryologic materials. Prerequisite: 301. Credit as arranged. Fonda, Powers.


381, 382 Seminar in Anatomy and Neurobiology. Research presentations and critical review of the literature in various areas of anatomical and neurological sciences. One hour.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395, 396 Special Topics in Neuroscience. A supplementary course to the medical neuroscience course (Neuroscience 302) designed for graduate students which will provide more detailed information concerning selected topics in neurobiology. Prerequisite: Neuroscience 302. Variable credit. Parsons.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Animal and Food Sciences (ASCI)

Professors Bruinley (Chairperson), Carew, C. Donnelly, Foss, Kindstedt, Welch; Associate Professors Chen, Gilmore, Plaut; Assistant Professors Bertei, Niehler, Nichols, Politis; Extension Professor Gibson; Research Professor Pankey; Adjunct Professors Ballard, S. Donnelly, Hsieh, Ross, Thomas, Turk.

Research activities in basic and applied science encompass a broad range of interests. The areas of study and research include nutrition; physiology; diseases of cattle affecting quality milk production; dairy foods; chemistry; microbiology; quality control aspects of the food industry.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

An acceptable undergraduate major in the animal sciences, chemistry, biology, or a related field. Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination must be presented. In some of the animal health areas, a degree of Doctor of Veterinary Medicine may be helpful.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

The applicant must satisfy the requirements of the Graduate College and pass the general qualifying examination administered by the Department of Animal and Food Sciences.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Fifteen to 21 hours in Animal Sciences and one of several related fields; thesis research (nine to 15 hours). An Accelerated Master's Program (AMP) is available for students majoring in Animal and Food Sciences, Biological Sciences, or Dairy Foods. Further details can be obtained from the Department of Animal and Food Sciences, 102 Terrill Hall, (802) 656-2070.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination must be presented.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

The applicant must satisfy the prerequisites of the Graduate College and pass the general qualifying examination administered by the Department of Animal and Food Sciences.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The Department of Animal and Food Sciences believes each graduate program has its individual needs and must be arranged accordingly. The candidate must meet all the requirements as prescribed by the Graduate College for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. In addition, all courses and seminars as established by the Studies Committee must be satisfactorily met, doctoral research must be completed, and an acceptable dissertation written and defended. In accord with the policy of the Animal and Food Sciences Department, all doctoral students will be provided the opportunity to participate in the Department’s undergraduate teaching program. Proficiency in a modern foreign language or computer language and programming is optional at the discretion of the Studies Committee.

201 Fermented Dairy Foods. Fundamental processes involved in the manufacture of domestic and imported cheese varieties and other cultured dairy foods. Acquired knowledge of manufacturing procedures applied at pilot plant level. Prerequisites: A course in organic chemistry Agricultural Biochemistry 201 or permission. Four hours. Kindstedt. Alternate years.

203 Food Microbiology. Desirable and undesirable activities of bacteria in foods. Mechanics of food-borne infection and intoxication. Laboratory methods to enumerate and identify microorganisms associated with foods. Prerequisites: Microbiology 65 or 66, a course in biochemistry or permission. Four hours. S. Donnelly.

206 Principles of Food Engineering. Engineering fundamentals involved in food industry. Conservation of mass and energy; thermodynamics; fluid mechanics; conduction, convection and radiation heat transfer; refrigeration; freezing; psychrometrics; and drying. Prerequisites: 104 or 106; Physics 11 or 31; calculus required (Math. 19) or permission. Four hours. Chen.

212 Animal Genetics and Breeding. Principles of quantitative and statistical genetics studied in relation to animal breeding. Methods of selection and schemes of mating discussed. Prerequisites: Statistics and biology or permission. Four hours. Gilmore.
213, 214 Dairy Herd Management. Organization and operation of dairy enterprises. Theories and methods of application of feeding, breeding, and management programs and principles. Prerequisites: 110 or equivalent. Four hours. Gibson.

215 Physiology of Reproduction and Lactation. Fundamental principles of the physiology of reproduction and lactation with emphasis on, but not limited to, farm animals. Prerequisite: 120 or permission. Four hours. Plaut. Alternate years.

216 Endocrinology. Physiology of endocrine and autocrine/paracrine systems and growth factors. Prerequisites: Course in both biology and physiology; one course in anatomy desirable. Concurrent enrollment in 217 required. Three hours. Plaut. Alternate years.

217 Endocrinology Laboratory. Laboratory techniques used in endocrine research. Prerequisites: Corequisite 216 and permission. One hour.

220 Lactation and Milking. The history and development of machine milking and dairy herd automation. Material to be covered includes mammary anatomy, physiology and immunology as well as methods of collection and storage of milk of good hygienic quality. Prerequisites: 194/195, 141 or 142 or permission. A chemistry course, preferably Agricultural Biochemistry 201. Three hours. Bramley.

230 Agricultural Policy and Ethics. Examines American agriculture and policies from various perspectives — historical, political, ecological, technological, social, economic, and ethical. Emphasis on contemporary issues, policy options, future developments. Prerequisites: Junior standing or permission. Three hours. Rogers.

282 Animal Sciences Graduate Seminar. Reports and discussions of problems and special investigations in selected fields. One to three hours. Pankey.

297, 298 Special Problems in Animal Sciences. Research activity under direction of a faculty member whose approval has been given. Written proposal and report are required. Prerequisite: Permission. May enroll more than once for maximum of six hours. Coordinator.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Anthropology (See page 104.)

Art (See page 104.)

Biochemistry (BIOC)

Professors Chiu, Collen, Cutroneo, Long, Mann (Chairperson), Meyer, Sobel, J. Thanassi, Woodworth; Associate Professors Auletta, Hart, P. Tracy; Adjunct Associate Professors Grabb, Harris; Assistant Professors Franklyn, Marzial, R. Tracy; Research Associates Professors Church, Mason, N. Tracy; Gibson.

Current research programs include regulation of gene expression in developing and neoplastic tissues (J.F. Chiu); physiology and biochemistry of thrombosis (D. Collen); molecular biology of visual cycle proteins (J. Crabb); regulation of procollagen synthesis (K. Cutroneo); protein-nucleic acid recognition (C. Franklyn); environmental, nutritional, and hormonal modulators of pulmonary defense mechanisms (B. Hart); molecular biology, cloning and expression of blood coagulation proteins; site-specific mutagenesis (G. Long); protein structure by multi-dimen­sional high field NMR techniques (B. Lyons); macromolecular assembly in blood coagulation and bone formation (K. Mann); transport of iron into cells by receptor mediated iron-binding proteins (A. Mason); enzymology of protein and nucleic acid processing and breakdown (W. Meyer); enzymology of DNA replication, recombination and repair (S. Morrical); thrombosis, thrombolysis, and coronary artery disease (B. Sobel); cellular interactions with coagulation proteins (R. Tracy); determination of thrombosis related cardiovascular disease risk factors (R. Tracy); nature of the binding of metals to proteins, particularly the iron-binding proteins of blood plasma (R. Woodworth).

Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Master of Science or for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

Satisfactory score on the Graduate Record Examination including the subject (advanced) portion. In addition:

Year courses in organic chemistry, physical chemistry, and physics (equivalent to Chemistry 141, 142 or 145; 144, Chemistry 162 and Physics 15, 16); quantitative chemistry; mathematics through differential and integral calculus, a year course in a biological science.

Requirements for Advancement to Candidacy for the Degree of Master of Science or for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

Under most circumstances, meeting the requirements for admission as stated above will allow advancement to either degree program.

Minimum Degree Requirements for the Degree of Master of Science

Thirty credit hours, 16 of which must be taken from graduate courses offered by the Department of Biochemistry, including Biochemistry 301, 302, 303, 381, and 391 or 392.

Thesis Option

Up to 14 credit hours of Master's Thesis Research (391).

Nonthesis Option

Up to eight credit hours of Independent Literature Research (392).

Minimum Degree Requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

A total of 75 hours, including 20 hours from graduate courses offered by the Department of Biochemistry including Biochemistry 301, 302 or 305-306, 303 and participation throughout residence in Biochemistry Seminars; three hours from graduate courses offered by the Department of Chemistry; ten additional hours from courses in physical or biological sciences; 30 hours of Doctoral Dissertation Research.

Courses Offered

Biochemistry 212, 213, 301-302, 303, 305-306, and 381 are offered annually. Advanced courses are given in alternate years.

212 Biochemistry of Human Disease. Disorders of hemoglobin, iron bilirubin; biochemistry of diabetes, pancreatitis, atherosclerosis, liver and kidney dysfunction; acid-base balance; gene therapy; diagnostic enzymology. Prerequisites: Chemistry 42 or 141, Agricultural Biochemistry 201 or permission. Three hours per semester. Hart.

213 Biomedical Biochemistry Laboratory. Introduction to basic principles underlying biochemical analysis in areas of
biomedical interest. Prerequisites: Concurrent registration in Biochemistry 212 or permission. One hour per semester. Meyer.

301, 302 General Biochemistry, Parts I and II. Survey for science majors. Part I (301): chemistry, structure, metabolism, and function of proteins, carbohydrates, lipids; enzymes, bioenergetics and respiratory processes. Part II (302): amino acids, nucleic acids, protein synthesis, cellular and physiological control mechanisms. Prerequisites: Chemistry 141, 142 or 143, 144, and departmental permission. Three hours per semester.

303 Biochemistry Laboratory. Experimental work designed to demonstrate important principles and to illustrate methods and techniques of modern biochemistry. Prerequisites: 301, 302 or 305-306, or concurrent registration therein, and departmental permission. One to four hours. Meyer, Coordinator.

305-306 Medical Biochemistry. A survey course in human biochemistry, with particular emphasis on medical applications. Prerequisites: For medical students only. If taken as M.D./Ph.D. student – Six credits. Thanassi.

307, 308 Special Topics in Biochemistry. Areas of biochemistry not treated in concurrent advanced course offerings. Prerequisites: 301, 302 or 305-306; Chemistry 162. One to three hours per semester.

320 General Enzymology. General consideration of enzyme nomenclature, purification, assay, kinetics, mechanisms, cofactors, active sites, subunit structure, allosteric and regulatory properties, and control of multienzyme systems. Prerequisites: 301, 302, or 305-306; Chemistry 162. Three hours. Meyer.


371 Physical Biochemistry. Protein interaction, solubility and fractionation, electrophoresis, sedimentation, phase rule study, diffusion, viscosity, spectrophotometry, and related topics. Prerequisites: 301, 302 or 306; Chemistry 160 or 162. Three hours. Woodworth.

375 Cancer Biology. Overview of cancer biology for health science students. Foundation for cancer research. Lecture format; interdisciplinary viewpoint; outside lectures. Prerequisites: 301-302 or 305-306; under special circumstances, 212. Three hours per semester. Chiu.

381 Seminar. A review of recent developments and current literature in the various fields of biochemistry. Prerequisite: Departmental permission. One hour per semester.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

392 Independent Literature Research. Reading and literature research culminating in a paper on a topic of current interest in biochemistry. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

**Biology (BIOL)**

Professors Bell, Heinrich, Schall, Van Houten (Chairperson); Associate Professors Davison, Goodnight, Gotelli, Kilpatrick, Landesman, Stevens; Assistant Professors Brody, Conn, Schneider, Vigoreaux; Adjunct Professor Herbers; Adjunct Assistant Professors Hayashi, Jakob, Sato, Serrero, Stevens.

Faculty research interests fall into two broad groupings, developmental biology/cell and molecular biology/physiology and ecology/evolution/natural history. Current ongoing research projects include: taxonomy and natural history of insects, particularly Rhysodid beetles; parasite-host ecology, evolution and development of plant-animal interactions; population and community ecology of lizards; evolution of insect societies, behavioral ecology; population genetics and molecular systematics in organisms as diverse as Hawaiian rodents, Polynesian black flies and neotropical mosquitoes; genetic differentiation and evolution in structured populations; population genetics, cytoplasmically inherited reproductive incompatibility, evolutionary consequences of parasite-host interactions; physiological energetics of insects; molecular biology of signal transduction and development; identification of novel muscle proteins by means of biochemical and genetic approaches, how molecular interactions define mechanical properties of muscles; genetics of chemoreception and chemotactic behavior of protozoa; electrophysiological basis of swimming behavior analysis of G protein signaling in Drosophila using genetic, molecular and immunohistochemical approaches.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

An undergraduate major in Biology or its equivalent. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section. Acceptability to the faculty member with whom the candidate wishes to do thesis research.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Satisfactory completion of a qualifying examination.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Biology Graduate Colloquia, hours 11 to 18 additional hours in biology and related fields; thesis research (eight to 15 hours). Each candidate must participate in the teaching of at least one undergraduate course.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING**

The department offers a program leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Teaching (see page 20). Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section, are requirements for acceptance for this degree.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS (BIOLOGY)**

A bachelor's degree from an accredited institution and certification as a teacher of biology or an associated field. At least three years of secondary school teaching. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE M.S.T. (BIOLOGY)**

Thirty hours of course work to include a selection of courses in the Departments of Botany and Biology which will broaden and balance the undergraduate work in biology. At least two 200-level courses in each department. Courses in four of the five following areas: anatomy; morphology and systematics; genetics; developmental biology, and environmental biology. Up to 12 hours of 100-level courses may be used for the above requirements where approved by the advisor and the Dean. Appropriate courses in related science departments may be used to complete the required 30 hours. No thesis is required; however,
each degree recipient must complete a written and oral examination.

**Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy**

Satisfactory completion of: college level courses appropriate for science majors including a year of mathematics, a year of physics, organic chemistry, at least one year of biology; the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section; and acceptability to the faculty member with whom the candidate wishes to do dissertation research. Deficiencies in prerequisites may be made up after entering the program.

**Requirements for Advancement to Candidacy for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy**

The diagnostic examination prior to registration for the first semester; the comprehensive exam; minimum requirement course work of 30 hours and additional courses as required by the advisor and Studies Committee; at least one academic year of graduate study at The University of Vermont.

**Minimum Degree Requirements**

Of the 75 credit hours required for the degree, at least 50 hours must be earned in courses suitable for graduate credit and must include six hours of Graduate Colloquia. The selection of courses will be designated for each student by his/her advisor and Studies Committee. At least 20, but not more than 45, credits must be earned in dissertation research. Each candidate must participate in the teaching of at least one undergraduate course.

**Courses Offered**

Prerequisites for all courses: as listed, or equivalent, or by permission of instructor.

202 Quantitative Biology. Mathematical concepts applied to biological problems such as growth, metabolism, temperature effects, kinetics, and graphic interpretation of data. Statistics will not be treated. Prerequisite: An intermediate level course in biology, Math. 9, or permission. Three hours. Davison.


205 Advanced Genetics Laboratory. Lecture/discussions alternated with laboratories to provide experiences with genetic techniques. Bench work and data analysis are emphasized. Prerequisite: Biology 101. Four hours. Van Houten.

208 Morphology and Evolution of Insects. Interrelationships, fossil history, comparative anatomy of major insect groups. Morphology and way of life of representatives of important insect orders and classes of arthropods. Prerequisite: 104 or Biology 102. Four hours. Bell. Alternate years.

209 Field Zoology. Collection, identification of invertebrates; September field work. Half of student's collection is identified to species. Prerequisite: 104 or Biology 102. Four hours. Bell.

212 Comparative Histology. Anatomy of tissues, chiefly vertebrate. Tissue similarities and specializations of organs among the various groups of animals in relation to function. Prerequisite: 104. Four hours. Landesman.


219 Comparative and Functional Vertebrate Anatomy. Structure, function, and phylogeny; evolutionary and functional trends; investigation of the structure of all chordate groups. Prerequisite: 104. Four hours. Kilpatrick. Alternate years.

223 Developmental Biology. An analysis of the cellular, subcellular, molecular, and genetic mechanisms that operate during oogenesis and embryogenesis in invertebrate and vertebrate organisms. Prerequisites: Biology 101, 103. Three hours. Landesman.

225 Physiological Ecology. Processes by which animals cope with moderate, changing, and extreme environments. Prerequisites: 104 and Biology 102. Three hours. Heinrich.

238 Winter Ecology. Natural history and winter adaptation of plants and animals of western Maine. Field work during winter break, oral and written reports completed during spring semester. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Heinrich.

246 Ecological Parasitology. Parasite-host interactions examined with evolutionary perspective. Topics include the origin of parasites, evolution of virulence, and ecological consequences of parasitism. Laboratory includes original experiments. Prerequisite: 102. Four hours. Schall.

254 Population Genetics. The forces that change gene frequencies in populations are examined. Topics include Hardy-Weinberg-Castle equilibrium, selection, mutation, migration, genetic drift, and quantitative genetics. Prerequisites: 102; calculus and statistics recommended. Four hours. Stevens.

255 Comparative Reproductive Physiology. Various means by which animals reproduce. Special emphasis on the embryological origin and evolutionary relationships of sex cell differentiation. Prerequisites: 104; permission. Three hours. Davison.

263 Genetics of Cell Cycle Regulation. Molecular events during the cell cycle; mutants defective in cell cycling; comparison of normal and transformed (cancer) cell cycling. Prerequisite: Biology 101 or permission. Three hours. Van Houten. Alternate years.

264 Community Ecology. Theoretical and empirical analyses of community structure. Topics include population growth, metapopulation dynamics, competition, predation, species diversity, niches, disturbance, succession, island biogeography, and conservation biology. Prerequisites Biology 102, at least junior standing. Three hours. Gotelli.

265 Developmental Molecular Genetics. Current topics in developmental genetics explored through lectures and discussions of current literature; emphasis on molecular approaches. Prerequisite: Biology 101. Three hours. Van Houten. Alternate years.

267 Molecular Endocrinology. Study of hormone action at the cellular and molecular level. Prerequisite: Biology 101. Four hours.

270 Speciation and Phylogeny. Contributions of modern research in such fields as genetics, systematics, distribution, and serology to problems of evolutionary change. Prerequisite: Biology 101 (102 recommended). Three hours. Kilpatrick. Alternate years.

281 Seminar. Review and discussion of current research. Attendance required of Zoology graduate students. Seniors in zoological research programs are expected to enroll. Without credit.

283 Ecology-Evolution Seminar. Research presentations and critical review of the current literature. Prerequisite: Graduate standing. Zero or one hour.
Biomedical Engineering (Interdisciplinary)

The program in Biomedical Engineering is interdisciplinary and offers the Master of Science degree. Graduate students obtain the M.S. degree through a program administered cooperatively by the Mechanical Engineering and Electrical Engineering departments. The program is directed jointly by Tony S. Keller (Mechanical Engineering), Richard G. Absher (Computer Science/Electrical Engineering) and Bruce D. Beynon (Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation).

Participating faculty with strong commitments to biomedical engineering research and education are from the departments of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mathematics and Statistics, Mechanical Engineering, Molecular Physiology and Biophysics, Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation, Physical Therapy, and Physics. The extensive research facilities of the participating faculty and departments are available to all graduate students enrolled in the program, and the program provides the flexibility necessary for students to gain competence in the area of their choice. Research includes: Bioinstrumentation, Biomechanics, Biomedical Imaging, Biomedical Systems and Signal Analysis, Clinical Engineering, Implant Design, Rehabilitation Engineering, Simulation, and Biostatistics.

Students in the program are generally supported by sponsored research projects, participating departments and training grants. Inquiries about current research and funding opportunities should be directed to Laurel Zeno, Vermont Space Grant Consortium, 332B Votey Bldg., Burlington, VT 05405; Phone: (802) 656-1429; Fax: (802) 656-8802. Web server: http://www.emba.uvm.edu/EM/Engineering/MF/naja/First.html

Research includes: (Absher) electronics test engineering, speech signal processing, adaptive control systems; (Beynon) sports medicine, ankle, knee, shoulder and spine biomechanics, low back pain; (Clark) health care technology planning, management and database systems, instruments for research and testing of medical devices; (Hamrell) mechanisms of sarcomere function, normal and diseased heart muscle, viral myocarditis; (Haugh) statistical process control and quality improvement, medical and dental biostatistics, orthopaedics & rehabilitation, low back pain, pharmacokinetics, reliability estimation, time series and transfer function analysis; (Hazard) spinal disability risk factors, trunk lifting capacity, low back pain; (Huston) vibrations, wind engineering, aeroelasticity of long span bridges, dynamics of machines, dynamic behavior of the human body, smart structures; (Johnson) sports, shoulder and knee biomechanics, trauma; (Keller) spine mechanics, material and structural properties of biologic tissues, orthopaedic implant biomechanics and design, and skeletal growth and remodeling; (Krag) normal and degenerative disc biomechanics, spinal instrumentation, spinal disorders; (Lakin) applied mathematics, analysis of the intracranial system; (Laible) computational mechanics, biomechanics of flow and transport modeling in biologic materials; (Low) cell and tissue remodeling; (Maughan) molecular biophysics of muscle contraction; (Renström) sports medicine, lower and upper extremity ligament and tendon injuries, and biomechanics; (Stokes) biomechanics of spine and spinal deformity; (Warshaw) smooth muscle physiology, including structure/function relationship of molecular muscle motors; (Weisman) ergonomics, rehabilitation engineering, low back pain; (Wu) muscle mechanics, molecular mechanics, ultrasonic bio-sensors, ultrasonic heating and enhanced anti-cancer action.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Students applying for admission to the graduate program must meet the general requirements of admission of The University of Vermont Graduate College. Admission is competitive and students are selected on the basis of their scholastic preparation and intellectual capacity. The following minimum preparation is recommended:

Biology, Chemistry: Two semesters each, or four introductory courses in the following subjects - anatomy, biology, biophysics, chemistry, physiology.

Engineering: Two introductory courses in one or more of the following subjects - biomechanics, mechanics, thermodynamics, electrical engineering, control theory, or fluid mechanics.

Mathematics: One course past differential equations.

Physics: Two semesters of physics.

Special arrangements may be made, on an individual basis, for students who are highly prepared in one area, but less well prepared in another.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Completion of any deficient admission requirements.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Candidates for the degree of Master of Science must complete 30 graduate credit hours of an approved program of study, including 18-24 semester credits of graduate-level courses approved by the program faculty and distributed as follows: Physiology and Biophysics (eight credits); engineering sub specialty (electrical, civil, or mechanical engineering), seven-11 credits; physics, mathematics or engineering elective, three credits. In addition, the candidate must present a research thesis (six-12 credits) and pass a final oral examination. Most candidates complete a six-seven credit thesis.
**Biomedical Technology (BMT)**

Associate Professors Howard, Huat (Director), Reed, Sullivan; Assistant Professor Chen.

The Department of Biomedical Technologies offers a Master of Science degree providing in-depth preparation in the biomedical sciences. It is an appropriate course of study for professionals interested in advanced clinical practice, research and development, education or the pursuit of further graduate opportunities.

Opportunities for research include: regulation of cell growth, infectious diseases, quality control, coagulation enzymology, platelet immunology, and other projects offered in conjunction with various basic science and clinical departments in the College of Medicine and the Fletcher Allen Health Care.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Completion of an accredited baccalaureate program in medical laboratory science, nuclear medicine technology, radiation therapy or related fields, and national certification or equivalent in one of these areas. A minimum of one year’s pertinent professional experience is preferred. GRE aptitude score is required.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Satisfactory completion of a two semester, graduate-level course in Biochemistry (equivalent to Biochemistry 301-302) and the comprehensive examination.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Thirty credits total consisting of at least the following: Biomedical Technology 381 (two credits), thesis research (six credits), biochemistry lecture (six credits), clinically-related sciences (six credits) plus other approved courses. A non-credit teaching practicum in the Department’s undergraduate programs is required.

**ACCELERATED MASTERS PROGRAM IN BIOMEDICAL TECHNOLOGY**

A master’s degree in Biomedical Technology can be earned in a shortened time by careful planning in the junior and senior years at UVM. Students should discuss this possibility with the Department Graduate Program Director as soon as they think they might be interested in this program. For example, the M.S. could be earned in one additional year, as six credits of undergraduate courses may also be counted concurrently towards the M.S. degree requirements.

To be eligible for the AMP a student must be a declared major in one of the Department’s program offerings. After application for admission to the Graduate College is accepted, up to six approved credits on concurrent undergraduate/graduate credit basis are taken. Eligible courses include BMT 242, 244, 281, 293 and a maximum of 2 credits selected from BMT 229, 239, 249, 259 and 269. Other admission requirements are a minimum G.P.A. of 2.67 in the basic science core (CHEM 23 & 24, CHEM 42 or 141 & 142, ANPS 19 & 20 or BIOL 1 & 2, MATH 19 or higher); and an overall G.P.A. of 3.0 or higher. Following admission, students are required to take at least 3 credit hours of undergraduate research. After graduation with the B.S. degree, students are eligible to become a candidate for the M.S. degree. Applications and further information may be obtained from the Graduate Program Director in the Department.

**COURSES OFFERED**

381 Special Topics Seminar. Presentation and discussion of current areas of importance to professionals. Seminar emphasizes clinical pathophysiology, education, administration and research. Students, faculty and guests present topics of interest for analysis and discussion. One hour per semester. S/U grading.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395 Advanced Topics. Lecture, directed reading or laboratory experiences on advanced or contemporary topics not presently included in other course offerings. Prerequisite: Permission. One to three hours.

**Biostatistics**

This program is administered through the Statistics Program in close collaboration with the faculty and staff of the Medical Biostatistics Unit of the College of Medicine. Dr. Larry Haugh is the program director.

The program offers a concentration in biostatistics leading to the M.S. degree. The curriculum takes full advantage of courses taught in the Statistics Program and includes experience in a variety of health, biomedical, and related research projects in the College of Medicine. This experience is designed to provide candidates with opportunities to use their academic training and work experience in defining research problems, formulating rational methods of inquiry, and gathering, analyzing, and interpreting data. The Medical Biostatistics research activities cover the full range of studies that take place within an academic medicine environment. These include population-based health surveys of various types and evaluations of health promotion programs and professional education activities, such as community intervention studies to prevent adolescent smoking, to enable women to quit smoking, and to promote breast cancer screening. They also include clinical studies of disability due to low back pain, bioengineering experiment design and measurement studies, and clinical trials for neurologic diseases, as well as data from other preclinical, clinical, and epidemiologic studies. Emphasis is placed on learning to perform computerized data analysis as the statistician in a research team.

Opportunities are also available for biostatistical and biomedical research related to problems in agriculture and the life sciences, as well as natural resources. Collaborating faculty in these areas are available to provide consulting or research experiences. Opportunities include multivariate or spatial data analyses for ongoing wildlife and water quality studies. (See also Statistics Program description.)

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

An undergraduate major which provides a foundation for the application of statistical methodology and concepts to health and biomedical or agriculture/natural resource problems. In particular, premedicine majors who have delayed their application to medical school will be well suited for the program. It is anticipated that candidates will have completed three semesters of calculus including matrix algebra methods. However, provisional admission to the program can be given prior to the completion of these requirements. Computer experience is desirable. The Graduate Record Examination is strongly advised and is required of any applicant who wishes to be considered for a teaching fellowship or research assistantship. Current undergraduate students at The University of Vermont should contact the program director for details on the Accelerated Master’s Program.
MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Plan A: (Thesis) A 30-hour degree program, which includes 24 semester hours of approved course work. This must include Biostatistics 200, 221, 223, 231, 241 or 261, 321, 323, other Biostatistics courses numbered 201 or above (except 211), and other quantitative methods courses, plus six semester hours of approved thesis research (391).

Plan B: (Nonthesis) A 33-hour degree program which includes 30 semester hours of approved course work. This must include Biostatistics 200, 221, 223, 231, 241 or 261, 321, 323, other Biostatistics courses numbered 201 or above (except 211), and other quantitative methods courses, and three semester hours of approved statistical research (381).

Under both plans, students must have or acquire a knowledge of the material in Biostatistics 201 and 211, and are expected to participate in the projects of the College of Medicine Biometry Facility as advised, and to attend the regular colloquium series as part of their training. The comprehensive examination covers knowledge acquired in the core courses of the program. During the latter part of their training the students will be expected to take major responsibility for some project, including the presentation of the final report for this project.

COURSES OFFERED


211, 221 Statistical Methods I and II. See Statistics 211, 221.


229 Reliability and Survival Analysis. See Statistics 229.

231 Experimental Design. See Statistics 231.


261, 262 Statistical Theory I, II. See Statistics 261, 262.


381 Statistical Research. See Statistics 381.


391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.


Botany (BOT)

Professors Barrington (Chairperson), Etherton, Ullrich, Worley; Research Associate Professor Lintilhar; Assistant Professors Hoffmann, Hughes, Malofsky, Paris, Tureny; Research Assistant Professors Perkins; Adjunct Professor Tyre.

The Botany Department has ongoing research programs in: ecology and evolution including physiological ecology of aquatic plants, effects of acid depositions on forest ecosystems, physiological ecology of acid depositions, systematic and evolution of vascular plants, biogeography; physiology including morphogenesis and developmental biology of embryonic plant systems, mineral nutrition, growth and development, translocation, cellular electrophysiology, membrane function, amino acid transport, aluminum effects on cell membranes; and cell and molecular biology including molecular genetics; recombinant DNA of fungi and plant molecular development.

The Botany Department participates actively in the Cell and Molecular Biology Program which provides opportunities for interdisciplinary research with other life science departments.

The Botany Department offers a multidisciplinary non-thesis program leading to the degree of Master of Science, Field Naturalist Option. Enrollment is limited to a small number of mature, highly talented individuals who have demonstrated sustained interest in field aspects of the natural sciences. The program is designed to provide students with: (1) a solid grounding in field-related sciences; (2) the ability to integrate scientific disciplines into a coherent whole at the landscape level; (3) the ability to evaluate sites from a number of perspectives and/or criteria; (4) the ability to translate scientific insights into ecologically sound decisions; and (5) the ability to communicate effectively to a wide range of audiences.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

The equivalent of a UVM major or minor in a natural or physical science. Satisfactory scores on the Verbal and Math sections of the Graduate Record Examination.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

A total of 30 credits of course work and thesis research. A minimum of 15 credits of course work should be in botany, other natural sciences, and supporting fields, and at least nine credits should be in thesis research.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE, FIELD NATURALIST OPTION

An undergraduate or graduate degree in earth or life sciences is expected; additionally, a demonstrated commitment to field sciences (e.g., participation in environmental and conservation organizations, workshops, field trips, research); strong scores on the Graduate Record Examination. A subject (advanced) test in biology or geology is advised for students who lack an undergraduate degree in natural sciences. Recent college graduates are encouraged to pursue interests outside academe before application to the Field Naturalist program.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Thirty credit hours of courses to include at least two courses in each of three core areas: (1) life science; (2) earth science; and (3) ecology, the course selection to be determined by the student's studies committee. Enrollment in the Field Naturalist Practicum (Botany 311) each semes-
ter; oral comprehensive examination the fourth semester; written field research project (Botany 392) at the end of the fourth semester.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING**
The Department offers a program leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Teaching (see page 21). Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination general (aptitude) section are requirements for acceptance for this degree.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE M.S.T. (BIOLOGY)**
Thirty hours of course work to include a selection of courses in the Departments of Botany and Biology which will broaden and balance the undergraduate work in biology. At least two 200-level courses in each department. Courses in four of the five following areas: anatomy; morphology and systematics; genetics; developmental biology; and environmental biology. Up to 12 hours of 100-level courses may be used for the above requirement where approved by the advisor and the Dean. Appropriate courses in related science departments may be used to complete the required 30 hours. No thesis is required; however, each degree recipient must complete a written and oral examination.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**
The equivalent of a UVM major or minor in a natural or physical science. Satisfactory scores on the Verbal and Math sections of the Graduate Record Examination.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**
Completion of one academic year in graduate study at the University of Vermont; completion of any language requirement; the candidate must demonstrate ability to comprehend the contents of articles in the biological sciences in a modern foreign language appropriate to the student specialty and approved by the Studies Committee.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**
A total of 75 credits of course work and dissertation research. At least 20 credits should be in dissertation research. In addition, each candidate must participate in six semester hours of supervised teaching.

**COURSES OFFERED**

**205 Mineral Nutrition of Plants.** Role of essential elements for plant growth including classical and modern approaches to the study of ion availability and transport. *Prerequisite:* 104 or equivalent. Three hours. Etherton. Alternate years, 1996-97.

**209 Biology of Ferns.** Evolutionary biology; a survey of New England ferns and their phylogenetic relationships; current research emphasizing morphological, biogeographical, genetic, and physicochemical aspects of speciation. *Prerequisites:* 108; 132 or 101 recommended or equivalent. Three hours. Barrington. Alternate years, 1997-98.

**213 Plant Communities.** Plant sociology; structure and organization of the plant community; sampling methods and analysis of data; climatic and edaphic factors; field work. *Prerequisite:* 109 or permission. Three hours.

**223 Fundamentals of Field Science.** Pattern and process in natural systems. Weekly discussions of unifying questions in science with field labs teaching sampling and analysis of vegetation, soils, and animals. *Prerequisites:* Permission. Three hours. Hughes.

**229 Water Relations of Plants.** See Forestry 229.

**232 Botany Field Trip.** Trips to selected environments outside Vermont. Led by several faculty members representing different fields of Botany. Overall, integrated approach to ecology, structure, and function. One hour. Christmas or spring vacation or end of school year.

**234 Ecology of Freshwater Algae.** Environmental factors influencing distribution and seasonal succession; quantitative methods for estimating standing crop productivity; kinetics of algal growth; competitive and synergistic interactions. *Prerequisite:* 160 or Biology 102 or equivalent. Three hours. Alternate years, 1997-98.

**241 Tropical Plant Systematics.** Principles and methods of angiosperm phylology. Recent systematic and evolutionary research on flowering plants; survey of tropical flowering plant families. Student presentations on recent research. *Prerequisite:* 109 or equivalent. Four hours. Barrington. Alternate years, 1996-97.

**250 Microtechnique.** Theory and practice in the preparation of biological materials for anatomical and cytological study, including histochemistry and photomicrography. *Prerequisites:* Introductory chemistry; some knowledge of organic chemistry, anatomy, or cytology is desirable. Three hours. Alternate years.

**251 Principles of Light Microscopy.** Introduction to the optics, construction and care of the light microscope. Theory of phase and interference contrast, fluorescence, and video methods. *Prerequisites:* One year of Physics (six credits), or permission. Alternate years, 1996-97. One hour. Lintilhac.

**252 Molecular Genetics: Regulation of Gene Expression in Eukaryotes.** How cells control the flow of genetic information from gene into active gene product. Distinction between quiescent and active genes; mechanisms of genetic communication/regulation. *Prerequisites:* Biology 101 or Agricultural Biochemistry 201 or Biochemistry 301, or equivalent; others by permission. Cross-listing: Biology 252, Cell and Molecular Biology 252. Three hours. Ulrich. Alternate years, 1996-97.

**254 Genetics of Fungi.** Understanding the classical and molecular genetics of fungi with respect to their contribution in agriculture, basic genetics, biotechnological industries, recombinant DNA and gene expression. *Prerequisites:* Biology 101 or Agricultural Biochemistry 201 or Biochemistry 301, or equivalents; others by permission. Cross-listing: Cell and Molecular Biology 254. Three hours. Ulrich. Alternate years, 1998-99.

**256 Advanced Plant Genetics.** Review of major topics in higher plant genetics and cytogenetics. Designed to be applied to the systematics, breeding, and gene engineering of higher plants. *Prerequisite:* 132 or Biology 101 or equivalent. Three hours.

**257 Physiology of the Plant Cell.** Detailed study of photosynthesis, plant cell membrane function, and plant cell...
growth. Prerequisites: 104; Chemistry 141, 142 or Chemistry 42; Physics 11, 12 or 31, 42 or equivalents. Four hours. Eber(-tortn. Alternate years, 1997–98.

258 Biology of the Fungi. Taxonomy, genetics, physiology, ecology, and economic importance of the fungi. Representatives of each major group are explored with respect to the above. Includes microbiological techniques and laboratory culture of the fungi. Prerequisites: 101 or 104 or 132 or permission. Four hours. Ulrich. Alternate years, 1997-98.


281 Botany Seminar. Presentations of personal research by faculty, graduate students, and outside guest speakers. Attendance required of botany graduate students and seniors in botanical research programs. Without credit.

295 Special Topics. For advanced students within areas of expertise of faculty and staff. Aspects of ecology, physiology, genetics, cytology, mycology, pteridology, paleobotany, phycology, membrane physiology, cell biology. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged.

301 Cell and Molecular Biology. Advanced survey of cell organelles, their composition, origin, and the relationship between their structure and function. Emphasis on recent literature and current controversies. Prerequisites: Chemistry 142, graduate standing in biology or permission. Three hours. Cross-listing: Cell and Molecular Biology 301.

311 Field Naturalist Practicum. Landscape analysis; planning and designing field projects; integrated problem solving. Prerequisites: Enrollment in the Field Naturalist program. Variable hours up to three.

351 Selected Problems in Modern Botany. Subject matter varies. Topics will stress current graduate student and staff research interests in a journal review or presentation-discussion format. Prerequisite: Permission. One to three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

392 Master's Project Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

**Business Administration (BSAD)**

Professors Brandenburg, Grimnell, Lamer, Swartt, Shirlard; Associate Professors Averyt, Cats-Baril, Dempsey, Gatti, Garidon, Hunt, Jesse, Kraushaar, McIntosh, Parke, Sinkula, Tashman, Thompson; Assistant Professors Baker, Battelle, Clark, Nordeaver, Wilson.

Management is the art of applying principles of the mathematical and social sciences to decision making in an organizational environment characterized by uncertainty and limited resources. The program is designed (1) to develop the individual's ability to practice the art and (2) to build a foundation that will facilitate and encourage the continuation of this development beyond a formal university setting. Courses in the program emphasize the understanding and critical evaluation of conceptual and theoretical principles relevant to the decision process in the functional areas of business.

Upon completion of the program, students will have been exposed to each functional area, will have been required to demonstrate an ability to engage in individual and group research projects, and will have demonstrated capacity to present coherently and defend their views orally and in writing.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES AND FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

The MBA program consists of Prerequisite, First-Year, and Second-Year courses. Equivalent undergraduate course work can be used to satisfy prerequisites. A student can be admitted to the Graduate College prior to the successful completion of prerequisites. However, prerequisites must be successfully completed before a student is admitted to candidacy for the MBA degree. Enrollment in First- and Second-Year courses is restricted to students who have been accepted for admission to the Graduate College.

All applicants must meet the general requirements for admission to the Graduate College. In addition to transcripts of prior undergraduate and graduate training, the applicant is required to submit scores on the Graduate Management Admissions Test. (GMAT scores are accepted in lieu of Graduate Record Examination scores for financial assistance in this program.) To determine high promise of success in the MBA Program, an evaluation is made of the following: previous academic performance, satisfactory scores on the GMAT, relevant work experience, writing ability, and recommendations.

The MBA program is accredited by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Students must complete all of the courses listed. Prerequisite courses must be completed before enrollment in any First-Year courses. Successful completion of a comprehensive exam is also required.

**Prerequisite Courses**

(Equivalent UVM courses shown in parentheses)

- Principles of Economics (Economics 11, 12) 6.0 hours
- Calculus (Math. 19) 3.0
- Computer Programming (Computer Science 11) 3.0 12.0 hours

**First-Year Courses**

- BSAD 304 Managerial Economics 3.0 hours
- BSAD 305 Fundamentals of Marketing Management 3.0
- BSAD 306 Fundamentals of Accounting 3.0
- BSAD 307 Organization and Management Studies 3.0
- BSAD 308 Corporate Finance 3.0
- BSAD 309 Fundamentals of Legal Environment of Business 3.0
- BSAD 313 Statistical Analysis for Management 3.0
- 300-Level Elective Course 3.0 24.0 hours

**Second-Year Courses**

- BSAD 340 Production and Operations Management 3.0 hours
- BSAD 345 Management Information Systems 3.0
- BSAD 375 Organizational Theory 3.0
- BSAD 380 Managerial Finance 3.0
- BSAD 396 Business Policy 3.0
- Three 300-Level Elective Courses 9.0 24.0 hours

The First-Year and Second-Year course groupings imply a course load for a full-time student of 12 credits per semester. Part-time students typically will enroll in six credits of course work per semester. Normally, First-Year courses will be completed before enrollment in Second-Year courses.
Certain First-Year courses may be waived in the event of previous academic work and/or successful completion of a qualifying examination. Depending on the particular course waived, replacement by an appropriate 300-level elective course may be required. A minimum of 30 hours of 300-level credits must be completed at UVM for the MBA degree.

COURSES OFFERED

304 Managerial Economics. Application of economic, mathematical, and statistical models to managerial decision making. Emphasis given to optimization techniques, spreadsheet analyses, decision trees, and cost/benefit analysis. Prerequisites: MBA standing. Three hours.

305 Fundamentals of Marketing Management. Accelerated course on marketing principles and theory. Analytical approach to study of product pricing strategies; distribution, communication, and promotion; consumer behavior and development of corporate marketing strategy. Prerequisite: MBA standing. Three hours.

306 Fundamentals of Accounting. Introduction to basic concepts, assumptions, conventions providing foundation for developing financial statements. Analysis, interpretation of the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in financial position. Prerequisite: MBA standing. Three hours.

307 Organization and Management Studies. A survey course of the principles of management and organization behavior. The fundamentals of planning, organizing, leading, staffing, and controlling are covered. Particular attention is given to organization theory and behavior, including topics such as motivation, group behavior and decision making. All areas are covered in an international context. Prerequisite: MBA standing. Three hours.

308 Corporate Finance. An introduction to financial decision making in the firm. Decisions related to acquisition and allocation of funds are examined and practiced through cases and problems. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 306. Three hours.


313 Statistical Analysis for Management. Data analysis and communication of statistical information for managerial decision making. Methods of modeling relationships, comparing strategies, and assessing probabilities. Instruction in computer use. Prerequisite: MBA standing. Three hours.

337 International Trade and Investment Policy. Examination of international trade rules of the GATT and the pending World Trade Organization; analysis of the impact on domestic and international firms. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 309. Three hours.

340 Production and Operations Management. Study of the operations function in manufacturing and service organizations. Design, planning, and control are examined, with emphasis on managerial analysis and decision making. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 313. Three hours.

341 Forecasting. Modern forecasting methods and practices including smoothing, regression, econometric and Box-Jenkins models; combining forecasts and forecasting simulations. Professional software used for developing forecasts. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 313 or equivalent. Three hours.


345 Management Information Systems. An introduction to the design and implementation of management information systems. A theoretical framework is developed and applied by students to an information system. Prerequisite: MBA standing. Three hours.


347 Analysis of Decision Support Systems. Normative guidelines to design, implement, and evaluate information systems that support unstructured managerial tasks. The guidelines are developed by analyzing information distortion in organizations. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 307, 345. Three hours.

352 Marketing Channels. Analysis of marketing channels as social, economic, and political systems. Topics include inter-firm relations, legal environment and logistics. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 305. Three hours.

359 Marketing Policy. Concepts from quantitative methods, economics, behavioral sciences applied to marketing management. Includes: marketing opportunities, organizing for marketing, planning marketing programs, control of marketing effort. Case book method. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 305. Three hours.


365 Management Accounting. Study of development, utilization of accounting information for product costing and pricing purposes, for routine planning and control of organizational activities, for decision-making purposes. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 306. Three hours.

371 Personnel Administration. Critical examination of contemporary problems, controversies in personnel administration. Current issues, topics (affirmative action, discrimination in employment) covered with more traditional topics of wage and salary administration, etc. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 307. Three hours.


376 The Management of Change in Organizations. Applied behavioral science perspective adopted to identify conceptual issues, develop diagnostic skills, examine alternative interventions strategies relevant to accomplishment of planned changes in organizational systems. Prerequisites: MBA standing, 307. Three hours.

379 Strategic Management. Case studies of existing organizations are used to illustrate the intellectual, social processes of adaptation to a changing environment; strategy formulation, implementation. Not offered every year. Prerequisites: MBA standing, completion of First-Year courses. Three hours.

380 Managerial Finance. Focus on key financial decisions that affect the value of the firms. Topics: capital structure, leasing, mergers and acquisitions, capital market theories
and evidence. **Prerequisites:** MBA standing, 308. Three hours.

382 **Investment and Portfolio Analysis.** Examination of the investment decision process. Specific topics include operations of equity securities markets, market efficiency, capital asset pricing model, and portfolio management. **Prerequisites:** MBA standing, 308. Three hours.

384 **Financial Markets and Interest Rates.** Study of level and structure of interest rates. Topics: flow of funds accounting, market vs. natural rate of interest, interest rate structure; behavior of interest rates over business cycle. **Prerequisites:** MBA standing, 308. Three hours.

394 **Independent Readings and Research.** Allows a student to pursue independent research under the direction of a faculty member. Normally, the course will include a research paper. **Prerequisites:** MBA standing, permission of the Graduate Studies Committee. One to three hours.

395 **Special Topics.** Topics and material that may develop later into a regular course offering; in addition, it may include topics and material offered only once. **Prerequisites:** MBA standing, permission of the Graduate Studies Committee. One to three hours.

396 **Business Policy.** A case course focusing on the resolution of complex cases involving simultaneous solutions of problems in two or more functional areas. **Prerequisites:** MBA standing; last semester of study. Three hours.

Cell and Molecular Biology (Interdisciplinary)

Participating faculty are from the following departments: Anatomy and Neurobiology; Animal and Food Science; Biochemistry; Biology; Botany; Civil and Environmental Engineering; Medicine; Microbiology and Molecular Genetics; Molecular Physiology and Biophysics; Neurology; Obstetrics and Gynecology; Pathology; Pediatrics; Pharmacology; Physics; Psychiatry.

An interdisciplinary program leading to M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Cell and Molecular Biology is offered under the direction of a committee composed of faculty members drawn from the participating departments. The program provides the flexibility necessary for students to gain competence in the area of their choice. The extensive research facilities of the participating departments are available to all graduate students enrolled in the program. Inquiries should be directed to the Cell and Molecular Biology Program Director Miles Hacker, Department of Pharmacology.

Research includes: (Absher) cellular aging and cellular mechanisms of pulmonary fibrosis; (Albertini) human somatic-cell genetic mutations, histocompatibility genetics; (Bateman) gene expression; (Bednar); (Bhushan); (Brass) regulation of neuroendocrine peptides and receptors; signal transduction; (Bramley); (Brann); (Budd) T-lymphocyte development in autoimmune mice; (Burke) RNA splicing, biological catalysis by RNA; (Chiu) regulation of gene activities in developing and necrotic tissues; (Church) structure and function of blood coagulation proteins; (Cornbrooks) nervous system development and regeneration; (Crabb) protein chemistry, peptide synthesis and sequencing, molecular biology of visual cycle proteins; (Currier) cell-cell interactions in plant-microbe symbiosis; (Ellis) regulation of neuronal receptors and second messengers; (Fishel); (Forehand); (Francklyn); (Gannon) susceptibility of vascular endothelium to oxidant-mediated injury; (Gilmartin) RNA processing and its role in the regulation of gene expression; (Grant) hematopoiesis; (Hacker) cellular and immunologic consequences of chemotherapeutic drugs; (Haeberle) molecular regulation of cell motility and muscle contraction; (Happ) hormonal control of differentiation in insects; (Hart) metal toxicity in the lung; (Heintz) protein-DNA interactions at eucaryotic origins of replication; control of the eucaryotic cell cycle; (Huber) immune mechanisms of tissue damage in viral infections; (Huot); (Jakeman) signal transduction through protein kinase C; (Johnson) control of cell polarity in yeast; (Jones); (Kelley) growth factor/cytokine involvement in proliferation and protein/connective tissue turnover; (Kenny); (Kow); (Kurjan) cell-cell interactions involved in yeast mating; (Lannigan); (Long) structure and function of blood proteins; (Macara); (Mann) biochemistry of blood coagulation; (Maughan) molecular mechanisms of muscle contraction and protein assembly in Drosophila; (Mawe); (May) regulation of neuroptide expression; molecular endocrinology; (McKeegan) vascular, prostate, and liver cell biology; (Melamede); (Meyer) enzymology of protein kinases and nucleases; (Mitchell); (Moehring) biochemical and molecular genetics of microbial toxin action and virus replication; (Morrical); (Mossman) carcinogenesis of tracheobronchial tree, pulmonary fibrosis; (Nicklas) molecular genetics of human mutation, human gene mapping; (Nevoty) molecular genetics of development in fungi; (Osol); (Parsons) synaptic physiology and pharmacology, mechanisms of transmitter interactions at autonomic neurons; nicotinic activation and inactivation at the motor end plate; (Patel); (Pederson) assembly and function of transcription complexes in chromatin; (Plant); (Polli); (Pratt) role of DNA methylation in regulation of gene expression; (Raper) molecular genetics of development in a lower eukaryote; (Sachs); (J.D. Sato) monoclonal antibodies to growth factor receptors and growth factor action; (Schaeffer) maintenance and induction of the carcinogenic state; (Serrero) hormonal control and gene expression of adipose differentiation at the cellular and molecular levels; (Shackford); (Shatos); (Shreeve) biochemistry and molecular pharmacology of receptors; (Stevens) cellular and molecular biology of tissue damage by toxic chemicals and its repair; (Taatjes) glycocalyx reactions in the Golgi apparatus, immunocytochemistry; (Tierney); (P. Tracy) cellular interactions with coagulation proteins as related to hemostasis and thrombosis; (R. Tracy) relationship of coagulation to heart disease; (Tritton) membrane alterations induced by chemotherapeutic and toxic agents; (Ullrich) mating-type regulation of gene expression in fungi; (J. Van Houten) genetic analysis of chemoendocrine transduction in Paramecium; (Vigoreaux); (Wallace) biological consequences of oxidative DNA damage, DNA repair; (Weaver) DNA content and cell-cycle kinetics of neoplasia; (Woodcock-Mitchell); (Woodworth) biochemistry of ion-binding and ion-transport proteins; cellular ion metabolisms; (Wu).

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE AND FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

Biology (three semesters, including genetics), chemistry through organic, mathematics through calculus, physics (two semesters), physical chemistry. Satisfactory scores (60 percentile) on general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination. Students who do not have all of the courses listed but who have a good academic record will be considered for admission to the program. Deficiencies may be made up after matriculation.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Completion of any deficient admission requirements.
MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Thirty hours of graduate level credit including Cell Biology 301-302 and one course in each of the following areas: genetics, biochemistry (one year); a techniques course approved by the Studies Committee; cell biology seminar each semester; thesis research.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Completion of any deficient admission requirements including one seminar of physical chemistry equivalent to chemistry 160.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Cell Biology 301-302, one course in each of the three following areas: genetics, biochemistry (one year), and techniques course approved by the Studies Committee; a minimum of 11 additional hours of course work. Studies Committee will advise course selection. Dissertation research, minimum 20 credits. All students must demonstrate satisfactory progress: finish minimum course work within three years; finish cumulative exam within prescribed time limits; participate in seminar program.

The expected sequence for all first year students in the fall is CLBI 301, biochemistry, CLBI 381, and CLBI 391 or 491; in the spring is CLBI 302, biochemistry, CLBI 381 and CLBI 391 or 491. Additional courses or substitutions are offered with flexibility, but must have permission of the Program Director.

COURSES OFFERED

295 Special Topics. Credit as arranged.
301 Cell and Molecular Biology. Advanced survey of cell organelles, their composition, origin, and the relationship between their structure and function. Emphasis on recent literature and current controversies. Prerequisites: Chemistry 142, graduate standing in biology or permission. Three hours. Cross-listing: Biology 301. Vigeaures.
302 Specialized Cells and Cell Processes. Current issues and research in the field of plant, invertebrate, mammalian cell, and molecular biology. Prerequisite: Cell Biology 301. Three hours. Also offered through W. A. Jones Cell Science Center. Cross-listing: Biology 302. Schneider.
381 Seminar. One hour.
391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.
491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Chemistry (CHEM)

Professors Allen, Bushweller (Chairperson), Flanagan, Geiger, Jenett, Kruphol, Kuehne, Strauss, White; Associate Professors Gold- berg, Lemston, Weltin; Assistant Professors Landry, Madalengoitia.

Current research in organic chemistry includes detailed NMR studies of intramolecular stereochemistry, design and synthesis of peptide mimics, applications of molecular diversity to catalyst design, syntheses of medicinally valuable natural products, isolation and structure determination of natural products, studies of the stereochemistry of Cα-lysation of α-ions, decarboxylation of geminal diesters, biomimetic syntheses, preparation of benzosoporphans and their analogues which have chemotherapeutic potential, synthesis and reactions of hybrid organic-inorganic polymers, and mechanistic studies of organic chemical reactions.

Physical chemistry research projects include hydrogen absorption by metals, alloys, and intermetallic compounds with a view toward storage of hydrogen as a fuel, theoretical studies of the electronic structure of chemical bonds in small molecules using ab initio variation calculations, chemical thermodynamics, statistical mechanical modeling of chemical systems, and the use of various types of molecular spectroscopy, such as fluorescence, magnetic resonance, and IR/Raman, to address questions of structure, bonding, and dynamics in chemical and biophysical systems.

Research in inorganic chemistry includes investigations of the syntheses, structure, and spectroscopic properties of main-group ring systems and polymers with an emphasis on phosphazenes and borazines, electrochemical control of the structure and reactivity of transition metal complexes, solid state structure by x-ray diffraction, dynamic NMR studies of the stereodynamics of various metal-phosphine complexes, and organotransition metal chemistry. Additional research areas include materials chemistry, solid state chemistry, mesoporous materials, biomimeralization, and chemical vapor deposition.

Research in analytical chemistry includes electrochemical studies of transition metal complexes and organometallic complexes, electron spin resonance studies of materials in unusual oxidation states, novel reactions of reactive compounds generated electrochemically under high vacuum, studies of factors influencing heterogeneous electron transport process in nonaqueous media, studies of transient, imploding plasmas as solid sample atomizers for atomic spectroscopy, the development of instrumentation and techniques suitable for the direct localized and bulk trace elemental analysis of nonconducting solid samples via atomic spectrometry.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS (PHYSICAL SCIENCES)

An undergraduate major in an appropriate field. Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination. Completion of at least one full year of teaching.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS (PHYSICAL SCIENCES)

Successful completion of Physics 128, Chemistry 141 and 162, and Mathematics 121, or their equivalents. (These courses may have been taken at the undergraduate level, as part of this graduate program, or credit may be obtained by transfer or examination.)

A program is also offered leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Teaching (see page 21).

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS (PHYSICAL SCIENCES)

The above prerequisites for admission to candidacy must be supplemented by: (1) completion of 30 hours of credit, of which at least 18 must be in Physical Sciences Option (A) or (B) as described below. The remaining 12 credits may be chosen, with the consent of the Joint Advisory Committee, from appropriate courses above 100 in science, engineering, mathematics, and education (credit in education courses is limited to six semester hours); (2) successful completion of a comprehensive examination administered by the Joint Advisory Committee.

Physical Sciences Option (A): Nine semester hours of Physics numbered 128 and above, Chemistry 231 and six semester hours of Chemistry chosen from Chemistry 161, 232, 201, 264, and 241. This option is primarily for teachers of chemistry.
Physical Sciences Option (B): nine semester hours of Chemistry numbered 141 and above and nine hours of Physics in courses numbered above 200. This option is primarily for teachers of physics.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

An undergraduate major in an appropriate field. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination general (aptitude) section for those requesting financial assistance.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

The requirements for admission to candidacy for the Master of Science degree are: (1) proficiency in three areas of chemistry evidenced by the biannual qualifying examinations or completion of designated courses at this university; (2) one semester of residence; (3) at least 15 hours of formal course work including (a) six hours of graduate-level courses in the chemical field of specialization, (b) three hours of graduate-level chemistry courses not in the area of concentration, (c) Chemistry 386 (only for those electing Plan A), and (d) Chemistry 381 (Seminar), and (4) maintenance of an overall point-hour ratio of 3.00. Students studying in the Master of Science degree program are advised to take the cumulative examinations in their specialty.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

The above prerequisites for admission to candidacy must be supplemented in either of the following two ways:

**Plan A:** Completion of 12 hours of Masters Thesis Research (Chemistry 391) and submission of a satisfactory thesis; (2) completion of at least 30 hours of graduate credit (courses and Masters Thesis Research); and (3) one additional hour of Chemistry 381 (Seminar).

**Plan B:** Completion of six hours of Independent Literature Research Project (Chemistry 395); (2) completion of at least 30 hours of graduate credit (courses and Literature Research Project); and (3) one additional hour of Chemistry 381 (Seminar).

M.S. students should decide at the beginning of their program whether they will pursue Option A or Option B and inform the Department and Graduate College of their decisions.

A reading knowledge of German is also required.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

An undergraduate major in an appropriate field. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination general (aptitude) section for those requesting financial assistance.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

It is expected that a student will ordinarily complete the following requirements for admission to candidacy by the end of the second year of residence: (1) at least 15 hours of research (Chemistry 491); (2) satisfactory performance in the cumulative examinations in the specialty field; (3) demonstration of basic competence in four fields of chemistry (analytical, inorganic, organic, and physical) through the biannual qualifying examinations or completion of prescribed courses at The University of Vermont; (4) three hours of teaching; (5) one year of residence; (6) the following courses are required: Chemistry 386 (two credits) and 381 (two credits), three semester hours of credit of advanced level work in three of the five areas of chemistry (analytical, biochemistry, inorganic, organic, and physical).

The remainder of each student's program will be determined by a departmental studies committee on the basis of qualifying examination performance, background, and research interests. In the normal course of events a student should expect to devote much of the first year to formal course work; (7) maintenance of an overall point-hour ratio of 3.25.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

In addition to the above requirements a student must: (1) complete a doctoral research project, write an acceptable dissertation, and defend it; (2) present a total of 75 hours of credit in course work and dissertation research, and (3) make an oral and written presentation of an original research proposal, Chemistry 388 (at least six months prior to the submission of the dissertation). The student must also demonstrate a reading knowledge of scientific German and of either French, Russian, or computer programming.

**COURSES OFFERED**

Prerequisites for all courses: as listed, or equivalent, or by permission of instructor.

201 Advanced Chemistry Laboratory (1-6). Laboratory and discussion only. Laboratory problems requiring modern analytical, physical, and inorganic synthetic techniques. Prerequisites: 146, 221, credit for or concurrent enrollment in 161 or 162. Three hours.

202 Advanced Chemistry Laboratory (0-6). Laboratory only. Laboratory problems requiring modern analytical, physical, and inorganic synthetic techniques. Prerequisite: 201. Two hours.

214 Polymer Chemistry. Polymer size and weight distribution. Kinetic models for step polymerization, addition polymerization, copolymerization. Physical properties, characterization of polymers in the solid state and in solution. Prerequisites: 142 or 144, 162. Three hours. Allen.

221 Instrumental Analysis. Systematic survey of modern methods of chemical analysis. Fundamental principles and applications of spectroscopy, electrochemistry, and separation techniques. Prerequisites: 142 or 144, 162. Three hours. Allen.

222 Advanced Analytical Chemistry. In-depth coverage of selected modern instrumental methods of chemical analysis, emphasizing most recent developments in spectroscopy, electrochemistry, and separation techniques. Prerequisite: 221. Three hours. Geiger, Goldberg.


225 Electroanalytical Chemistry. Principles of modern electrochemical analysis, mainly finite current methods volumetry, polarography, chronocoulometry, cyclic voltammetry, double layer theory, electron transfer kinetics. Three hours. Geiger.


227, 228 Special Topics in Analytical Chemistry. Selected topics of current interest in the area of analytical chemistry. New techniques and methodologies, especially in chemical instrumentation. Credit as arranged. Geiger, Goldberg.
231 Inorganic Chemistry. Survey of inorganic systems. Symmetry, group theory, structure, bonding, acid-base chemistry, crystal field theory. Chemistry of solid state, ionic, covalent and electron deficient systems. Prerequisite: 162. Three hours. Allen, Landry.

232 Advanced Inorganic Chemistry. Ligand field and molecular orbital theories applied to transition metal complexes, introduction to organometallic chemistry, inorganic reaction mechanisms, bioinorganic chemistry. Prerequisite: 251. Three hours. Allen, Landry.


236 Physical Inorganic Chemistry. Fundamental physical basis for spectroscopic techniques, other observable phenomena important to inorganic chemistry. Topics: ligand field theory, magnetism, magnetic resonance, Mossbauer spectroscopy, optical activity. Prerequisites: 161, 231. Three hours. Allen, Landry.

237, 238 Special Topics in Inorganic Chemistry. Areas of current interest involving inorganic systems such as bioinorganic, solid state and polymers with unusual properties. Credit as arranged. Allen, Landry.

241 Advanced Organic Chemistry. Stereochemistry, reactivity criteria, reaction mechanisms and synthetic methods are stressed. Reactive intermediates such as carbanions, carbocations, carbenes, and free radicals are used to systematize mechanistic discussions. Prerequisites: 142 or 144, 162. Three hours. Krapcho, Kuehne, Madalengoitia, Strauss.

242 Advanced Organic Chemistry. Mechanistic considerations of reactions which include enolates, additions (such as cycloadditions, hydroborations, etc.), annelations, oxidations, rearrangements, eliminations, and approaches to multistep syntheses. Prerequisites: 241. Three hours. Krapcho, Kuehne, Madalengoitia.


253 Practical NMR Spectroscopy. Introduction to high resolution pulsed Fourier transform nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy. Chemical shifts, scalar coupling, relaxation, molecular symmetry considerations, chemical exchange effects. Prerequisites: 142 or 144, 161. Three hours. Bushweller.

257, 258 Special Topics in Organic Chemistry. Advanced level discussion of specific topics in organic chemistry of current interest such as photochemistry, carbenes, bioorganic chemistry, magnetic resonance, etc. Credit as arranged. Bushweller, Jewett, Krapcho, Kuehne, Madalengoitia, Strauss.

262 Chemical Thermodynamics. Systematic study of the application of thermodynamics to chemical problems. Concepts of statistical thermodynamics introduced. Prerequisites: 161, 162. Three hours. Flanagan.


267, 268 Special Topics in Physical Chemistry. Advanced discussion of physical chemistry and chemical physics, group theory, solid state, molecular orbital theory, irreversible thermodynamics, kinetics and mechanisms, solution theory, calculations, spectroscopy. Credit as arranged. Flanagan, Leenstra, Weltin.

285, 286 Special Topics. Selected topics of an interdisciplinary nature, designed particularly for advanced undergraduate chemistry majors. Possible subjects include environmental chemistry, chemical technology, chemical economics. Offered as occasions arise. Variable credit.

342 Natural Products — The Alkaloids. The major classes of alkaloids surveyed from a biogenetic point of view. Classical and modern degradation methods, total syntheses and biosynthetic incorporation of labeled compounds. Prerequisite: Credit or concurrent enrollment in 242. Three hours. Alternate years. Kuehne.

344 Natural Products — The Terpenes. The chemistry of mono, sesqui, di and triterpenes, including degradations, structure proofs, total syntheses, rearrangement reactions, and biogenesis. Prerequisite: Credit or concurrent enrollment in 242. Three hours. Alternate years. Kuehne.

363 Quantum Chemistry. Applications of quantum mechanical techniques to problems of chemical interest. Prerequisite: 263. Three hours. Offered as occasion warrants. Weltin.

381, 382 Seminar. Current problems and literature. One hour.

386 Methods of Chemical Investigation. Introduction to advanced modern chemical methods. Prerequisite: Permission. Two hours.

388 Research Problem Conception and Solution. Independent origination of research problems and the methods of their solution. Required of all doctoral candidates. Prerequisite: Permission of department. This course shall be completed at least six months in advance of the Ph.D. dissertation defense, and in no case later than the end of the seventh semester of graduate studies at UVM. One hour.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395 Independent Literature Research Project. Reading and literature research culminating in the preparation of a comprehensive and critical review of a topic of current interest in chemistry. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Civil and Environmental Engineering (CE)

Professors Beliveau, Cassell, Dawson, Hemmensway, Laible, Oppenlander, Pinder; Associate Professors Dougherty, Deuner, Olson (Chairperson); Assistant Professor Hayden (Graduate Coordinator); Adjunct Professor Knight; Research Assistant Professors Guarnercia, Karatzas, Rizzo.

Graduate programs in Civil and Environmental Engineering that lead to the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees are offered. The curricular and research programs emphasize engineering related to environmental issues; in addition, biomechanical, structural, geotechnical, and transportation studies are possible at the master’s level.

Research includes groundwater pollution and optimal remediation design, indoor air pollution and related health effects, computational methods for high-performance com-
puters, circulation and contaminant transport in lakes and estuaries, environmental restoration, hazardous waste management and landfill siting, mathematical modeling of chemical and mechanical processes in the spine, and dynamic behavior of structures.

Generally, enrollment in the Ph.D. program is limited to full-time students.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

A bachelor’s degree and the approval of this Department. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination general (aptitude) section. International students whose native language is not English or who have not received their education in English are required to submit satisfactory results from the TOEFL examination. Completed applications are due February 1.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Specific course work may be required of those who lack a sufficiently strong engineering background.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

The above requirements for advancement to candidacy must be supplemented in either of the two following ways:

**Plan A:** Completion of advanced courses in civil and environmental engineering, mathematics, and other approved disciplines and the completion of an acceptable master’s thesis. At least 30 hours must be accumulated, six to nine of them in thesis research.

**Plan B:** Completion of 36 hours of advanced courses in civil and environmental engineering, mathematics, and other approved disciplines.

Students must declare which option they intend to pursue at the beginning of their program.

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN WATER RESOURCES**

A Master of Science in Water Resources administered by the School of Natural Resources is also available. The program is established with an interdisciplinary faculty from Natural Resources, Geology, and Civil and Environmental Engineering. See the catalogue section entitled Water Resources for more information.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

An undergraduate degree in an appropriate field of study and demonstrated academic performance as measured by grades and satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination general (aptitude) section. Applicants whose native language is not English or who have not received their education in English must present satisfactory results in the TOEFL examination. Completed applications are due February 1.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

It is ordinarily expected that a student will complete the following requirements for advancement to candidacy prior to the end of the second year in the program: (1) one year of residency at UVM; (2) teaching experience in one course; (3) at least 12 credit hours of research; (4) at least 15 credit hours of course work at the graduate level acceptable to the student’s Studies Committee; (5) satisfactory performance on a comprehensive examination that includes a written part and an oral part; and (6) satisfactory record of performance in courses and in teaching and research assignments.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

In addition to advancement to candidacy, the student must (1) present at least 75 credit hours in approved course work and research (including those required for advancement to candidacy), of which at least 35 credit hours are in research and six credit hours are in course work in disciplines ancillary to Civil and Environmental Engineering; and (2) write and successfully defend an acceptable dissertation.

**COURSES OFFERED**

210 Airphoto Interpretation. Aerial photographic interpretation; principles of stereoscopic viewing; identification of airphoto features related to landform, vegetation, drainage, soils, topography; use of airphoto interpretation in soil identification. Three hours.

220 Introduction to Finite Element Analysis. Introduction to finite element analysis; applications in solid mechanics, hydrodynamics, and transport; analysis of model behavior; Fourier analysis. Computer project required. *Prerequisite:* Computer programming, linear algebra, and PDE’s, or permission of instructor. Three hours.

248 Hazardous Waste Management Engineering. Management of hazardous and industrial waste from generation to disposal; pollution prevention within industry; waste minimization, recovery, reuse, treatment technologies; environmental regulations, risk assessment, costs and public policy; group projects. *Prerequisite:* senior standing in engineering or sciences. Three hours. Hayden.

251 Environmental Facilities Design — Wastewater. Design wastewater conveyance and treatment facilities; sewage-treatment plant design, and equipment selection. *Prerequisite:* 151 or equivalent. Three hours.

252 Industrial Hygiene. Industrial hygiene problems; effects of pollutants on health; threshold limit values, and emphasis on the engineering, evaluation of the hazard and control techniques. *Prerequisite:* Chemistry 5 and Physics 25 or equivalent. Three hours.

253 Air Pollution. Sources of air pollution, methods of measurement, standards, transport theory and control techniques used. Emphasis on source measurement and contaminant control design. *Prerequisites:* Chemistry and Math. 21 or equivalent. Three hours.


255 Physical/Chemical Processes for Water & Wastewater Treatment. Theory and application of physical/chemical processes for treating water and wastewater; reactor dynamics, mass transfer, absorption, ion exchange, precipitation/coagulation, sedimentation, filtration, membrane processes; bench-scale and pilot-scale experimentation. *Prerequisites:* 150, 151, 154 or equivalent or permission. Three hours. Hayden.

256 Biological Processes for Water & Wastewater Treatment. Theory and application of biological processes for treating industrial and domestic wastewaters and contaminated groundwater; microbiological considerations; aerobic and anaerobic processes; reactor design, in-situ bioremediation; bench-scale and pilot-scale experimentation. *Prerequisites:* 151 and 154 or equivalent or permission. Three hours. Hayden.
259 Measurement of Airborne Contaminants. Quantifying airborne contaminants from processes and ambient levels. Laboratories demonstrate calibration and measurement, stack sampling, and ambient air monitoring, and specific contaminant generation and measurement. Prerequisite: 252 or 253 or permission. Three hours.

260 Hydrology. The basic theory of precipitation, runoff, infiltration, and groundwater; precipitation and runoff data; and application of data for use in development of water resources. Prerequisite: 160, Statistics 141 or equivalent. Three hours.

261 Open Channel Flow. Application of basic laws of fluid mechanics to flow in open channels; channel design, transition structures; riprap, culverts; gradually-varied flow problems including flood plain, floodway studies. Prerequisite: 160 or equivalent. Three hours.

265 Groundwater Hydrology. Principles of groundwater hydraulics, well characteristics, aquifers; and use of numerical methods to solve groundwater flow problems. Prerequisites: Math. 121 or equivalent, programming experience or permission.

280 Applied Soil Mechanics. Use of soil mechanics in evaluation of building foundations, braced excavations, earth structures; lateral earth pressures, pile foundations, caisson foundations, slope stability, and construction problems. Prerequisite: 180 or equivalent. Three hours.

282 Engineering Properties of Soils. Study of soil properties influencing engineering behavior of soils; soil mineralogy, physicochemical concepts, plasticity properties, permeability, and compaction; laboratory study of soil index properties, permeability, compaction tests. Prerequisite: 180 or equivalent. Three hours.

283 Designing with Geosynthetics. Geotextiles, geogrids, geonets, geomembranes, geocomposites, geopipes; design for separation, reinforcement, filtration, drainage, erosion control, liners. Applications in transportation, drainage, solid waste containment. Material testing, behavior. Prerequisites: 180 or permission. Three hours.

290 Engineering Investigation. Independent investigation of a special topic under the guidance of a staff member. Preparation of an engineering report is required. Three hours.

295 Special Topics. Special topics in recently developed technical areas. Prerequisite: Senior or graduate enrollment. Hours and credits as arranged.

304, 305 Advanced Engineering Analysis I, II. Sec Mechanical Engineering 304, 305. Prerequisites: Math 271 or Math 290; CE 304 for CE 305. Three hours. Cross-listings: ME 304, 305; Math 275, 276.


360 Advanced Hydrology. Application of statistics to engineering hydrology; concept, use of instantaneous unit hydrograph; study of runoff models; flow through porous media; design techniques for water resources projects. Prerequisites: 260, Math. 271 or permission. Three hours. Offered as occasion warrants.


390 Advanced Topics in Civil and Environmental Engineering. Special topics to intensify the programs of graduate students in civil and environmental engineering. Hours and credits to be arranged.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395 Advanced Special Topics. Advanced topics in recently developed technical areas. Hours and credits as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Classics (CLAS)

Emeritus Professors Bliss, Davison, Gilloeland; Professors Ambrose, R.H. Rodgers, Schlunk; Associate Professor B. Saylor Rodgers (Chairperson).

Current research interests include Early Greek Literature; the Attic orators; Greek Drama; archaeology; philosophy; Mycenaean and Homeric Greece; Cicero's rhetorical works; Vergil; lyric and elegiac poetry; Petronius; satire; Roman Imperial Families; Mythology; Etruscoology; Medieval Studies.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

An undergraduate major or minor or the equivalent; a reading knowledge of a modern foreign language, usually French, German, or Italian.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Eighteen hours of advanced courses in Greek and Latin, six hours of which must be 381; six additional hours in Greek and Latin, History, or Philosophy; thesis research (normally six hours). Comprehensive examinations in Greek and Latin translation, at least one modern foreign language, Greek and Roman history, and literature and philology are required. In addition to course work, students will have a reading list of authors in Greek and Latin.

Those who expect the department's recommendation to go on to a Ph.D. elsewhere must show competence in both German and French by the end of their first year of graduate study.

A program is also offered leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Teaching (see page 21). Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination are prerequisite for acceptance to candidacy for this degree.

COURSES OFFERED

GREEK (GRK)

201 Greek Orators. Selected speeches of Lysias and Demosthenes. Three hours. B. Saylor Rodgers. Alternate years.

202 Greek Comedy. Two plays of Aristophanes. Three hours. Ambrose. Alternate years.

203 Greek Historians. Thucydides, Books I and II; selections from Herodotus and Xenophon's Helenica. Three hours. B. Saylor Rodgers. Alternate years.

204 Greek Tragedy. Sophocles, Antigone, and Euripides, Medea, or two equivalent plays. Three hours. Ambrose. Alternate years.

205 Greek Philosophers. Dialogues of Plato with attention to language and dialectical method; Aristotle, Xenophon or Presocratic philosophers may be read. Three hours. B. Saylor Rodgers. Alternate years.

206 Greek Epic. Reading in the Iliad and Odyssey. Problems of epic composition and language together with mythological and historical background. Three hours. Schlunk. Alternate years.
**COMMUNICATION SCIENCES**

**Graduate Program. Credit as arranged.**

**The faculty does research in speech and language development and disorders, speech physiology and perception, and hearing disorders.**

227 *Greek Lyric Poetry.* A study of early Greek personal, elegiac, and choral poetry from Archilochus to Pindar, including Sappho and Alcaeus, Simonides and Bacchylides. **Prerequisite:** Two years of college Greek or equivalent. Three hours. Schlunk. Alternate years.

295, 296 **Advanced Special Topics.** Advanced special topics or seminars in Greek beyond the scope of existing formal courses. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Credit as arranged, maximum of six hours for graduate students.

**LATIN (LAT)**

203 *Republican Prose.* Extensive reading in Caesar and Sallust, and in the speeches of Cicero. Three hours. B. Saylor Rodgers. Alternate years.

204 *Epic Poets.* Extensive reading in Lucretius, Vergil, Ovid, and others. Three hours. Ambrose; Schlunk. Alternate years.


252 *Comedy.* Two plays of Plautus and Terence. Study of the precursors of this literary form. Three hours. Ambrose. Alternate years.

253 *Roman Oratory.* Selections from Cicero’s *De Oratore, Orator, Brutus,* and from his speeches. Historical development of forensic and other rhetorical canons. Three hours. B. Saylor Rodgers. Alternate years.


256 *Satire.* Selections from Horace and Persius; Juvenal, Petronius. Study of the development of this literary form. Three hours. R. Rodgers. Alternate years.

271 *Silver Latin.* Extensive reading of post-Augustan authors not included in other advanced courses. Three hours. R. Rodgers. Alternate years.

295, 296 **Advanced Special Topics.** Advanced special topics or seminars in Latin beyond the scope of existing formal courses. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Credit as arranged, maximum of six hours for graduate students.

**GREEK AND LATIN (GKLT)**

300 *Proseminar.* Introduction to philology. Students will normally take this their first semester. Three hours. Ambrose.

381 *Seminar.* Intensive study at the graduate level of Greek and Latin authors not read in the candidate’s undergraduate program. Credit as arranged.

391 *Master’s Thesis Research.* Credit as arranged. Normally total six hours.

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**Communication Sciences (CMSI)**

**Professor Guitar (Chairman); Associate Professor McCauley; Research Associate Professor Prelock; Assistant Professors Kahn, Needleman, Roberts; Lecturers Houghton, Winslow. Staff: Melissa Bruce, M.S., (CCC-SP), Dinah Smith, M.A., (CCGA), Gayle Bell-Frost, M.A., (CCC-SP), Mary Alice Farro, M.A., (CCC-SP).**

The faculty does research in speech and language development and disorders, speech physiology and perception, and hearing disorders.

**The Master of Science degree program in Communication Sciences is accredited for speech-language pathology by the Educational Standards Board of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA). The Eleanor M. Luse Center for Communication Disorders, which shares quarters with the Department and is a primary practicum site, holds accreditation from the Professional Services Board of ASHA in both Speech Pathology and Audiology. Students are required to fulfill academic requirements for the Certificate of Clinical Competence-Speech Language Pathology of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association. All students are supervised by clinically certified members of the faculty and staff of the E.M. Luse Center.**

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution; satisfactory performance on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination. Completion of courses equivalent to CMSI 80 (Introduction to Communication Sciences) or an introductory course in linguistics, CMSI 90 (Phonetics). CMSI 94 (Development of Spoken Language), CMSI 101 (Speech Science) or a course in speech anatomy or physiology, CMSI 281 (Cognitive Neuroscience) or an equivalent neuroscience course, a course in statistics, and a course in developmental or child psychology. In order to be accepted into the program, applicants must have completed or be currently enrolled in a sufficient number of prerequisite courses so that they will have no more than one outstanding course at the time of their admission.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Satisfactory completion of the written comprehensive examinations. Students will not be admitted to candidacy if prerequisite grades are incomplete. Students may write the comprehensive examination only in or following that semester in which they have completed 30 semester credits of graduate study and 300 hours of supervised clinical practicum.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

**Thesis Option**

The student will complete 34 hours of graduate level courses and six additional credits for conducting the research leading to an M.S. thesis. All research-oriented students will be encouraged to pursue this option. Courses taken must include six credits in audiology.

**Nonthesis Option**

The student will complete 40 hours of graduate level coursework. These include at least 30 credits in Speech-Language Pathology, six credits in Audiology, and four credits in Clinic Study. Students are also required to give a diagnostic and/or therapeutic presentation which will be critiqued by the faculty as a whole.

**COURSES OFFERED**

Prerequisites for all courses: as listed, or equivalent, or by permission of instructor.

208 *Cognition and Language.* Study of cognition and language in terms of mental representation models: contemporary models of memory, as well as capacity theories of language comprehension and production. **Prerequisites:** Psychology 109 or 110 or Statistics 111 or 141 or permission. Three hours. Kahn. Cross-listing: Psychology 208.

215 *Cognition and Aging.* Changes in both sensory and cognitive aspects of aging, including changes in vision,
hearing, perception, learning, and memory. **Prerequisites:** 208 or permission. Three hours. Kahn. Cross-listing: Psychology 215.

271 **Audiological Assessment.** Examination of basic parameters in measurement of hearing. Pure tone testing, masking, impedance, and speech evaluations. **Prerequisites:** 105 or permission. Three hours. Houghton.

272 **Auditory Habilitation of Hearing Impaired Children.** Survey of the handicapping effect of hearing disorders on the developing child and the principles of rehabilitation utilized for treatment of this disorder. **Prerequisites:** Fifteen credits in CMSI, including 94, 271 or equivalent. Three hours. Houghton.

281 **Cognitive Neuroscience.** The structure and organization of the human central nervous system as relative to higher cognitive and linguistic behaviors. **Prerequisites:** Nine credits in CMSI at the 200 level. Three hours. Kahn.

287 **Current Research in Normal and Disordered Language Acquisition.** Recent advances in the study of child language. **Prerequisite:** 94. Three hours.

291, 292 **Clinical Study.** Supervised practicum experiences with children and adults presenting disorders of speech, hearing, and language. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Credit as arranged.

293, 294 **Seminar.** **Prerequisite:** Permission. Variable credit.

310 **Preparation and Management of Speech and Language Evaluation and Therapy.** Principles of behavioral observation, analysis and modification as they apply to the assessment and remediation of communication disorders. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Bruce.

373 **Pediatric Audiology.** Methods and techniques for hearing evaluations in children. The audiologist in the school system. **Prerequisites:** 105, permission. Three hours.

377 **Habilitation and Rehabilitation Procedures for Hearing Impaired Adults.** Electronic, social, linguistic, acoustic, psychological, and pedagogical principles of rehabilitation of the hard of hearing. **Prerequisites:** 94, 271. Three hours. Houghton.

380 **Research Methods in Communication Disorders.** Empirical research methodology as applied to the study of normal and deficient speech and hearing processes. Students analyze data statistically and write a research proposal. Three hours.

381, 382 **Advanced Readings.** Readings, with conferences, intended to contribute to the programs of graduate students in phases of communication science and disorders for which formal courses are not available. Credit as arranged, up to three hours each semester.

383 **Seminar in Language/Learning Disabilities.** Theories of language/learning disabilities relevant to diagnosis and treatment are reviewed. Recent research and identification/management procedures are also stressed. **Prerequisite:** 387, or permission. Three hours.

384 **Articulation-Phonological Disorders.** Etiology, diagnosis, pathology, and habilitation and rehabilitation of articulation of speech. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. McCaulley.

385 **Voice Disorders.** Study of normal and abnormal laryngeal anatomy and physiology as they relate to diagnoses and treatment of a wide variety of vocal pathologies. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Bellin-Frost.

386 **Adult Neuropathologies.** Etiology, pathology, diagnosis, and principles of rehabilitation of CNS pathologies affecting communication. Emphasis on motor speech disorders and cognitive consequences of traumatic brain injury. **Prerequisites:** 281, 389 or equivalent. Three hours. Kahn.

387 **Language Disorders.** Identification, evaluation, and rehabilitation procedures for children with language disabilities. **Prerequisite:** 94. Three hours.

388 **Stuttering.** Study of adult and child fluency disorders which focuses upon symptomatology, etiology, diagnosis, and rehabilitation of stuttering patients. **Prerequisite:** 94. Three hours. Guitar.

389 **Adult Aphasia.** Study of linguistic and cognitive impairments associated with stroke and other types of neuropathologies in the adult patient. Emphasis on rehabilitation strategies, principles, and procedures. **Prerequisite:** 281. Three hours. Kahn.

391 **Master’s Thesis Research.** Credit as arranged.

**Community Development and Applied Economics (CDAE)**

Professor Hallrendt (Chair); Associate Professors Bloom, Ferreira, Fife, Ford, Kolodinsky, Peluse, Schmidt, Walsh; Assistant Professors Petrito, Sullivan; Research Assistant Professor Wring; Lecturers Ashman, Gayer, Patterson; Extension Professor Bigalow; Extension Associate Professors Harris, Scannell; Extension Assistant Professors Carlson, Wackernagel; Adjunct Lecturers Frits, McElroy.

The mission of the Department of Community Development and Applied Economics is to study and seek to understand the structures and institutions that impact the quality of life of rural people. The department places special emphasis on research which will contribute to identifying opportunities for the development of sustainable communities, rural-based small businesses, agriculture and consumers. The mission reflects the land-grant goal of integrating teaching, research, and outreach to contribute to maintaining a vital rural economy that preserves and promotes ecological soundness, social responsibility, and consumer confidence.

The Department offers a Master of Science Degree with two options: Agricultural Economics and International Development. The Department also offers the degree of Master of Extension Education to improve the knowledge and competencies of the student in a career field coupled with preparation for adult education leadership functions. For all options and degrees, the student selects an option and then develops, with a studies committee usually consisting of three faculty members, an academic program.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

An undergraduate degree in agriculture, economics, business administration, forestry, natural sciences or, a related area.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Advanced courses in agricultural and resource economics, general economics, or related fields, 21 to 24 hours; thesis research six to nine hours; for a total of 30 hours.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF EXTENSION EDUCATION**

An undergraduate degree with an acceptable major area of specialization.

All students must present satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination. Transcripts are evaluated on an individual basis.

Students who are deficient in key subject areas or where transcript grades appear to be marginal may be required to complete satisfactorily certain courses before acceptance as a degree candidate.
MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS
A minimum of 30 semester hours in courses numbered above 200 is required. At least 12 semester hours will be completed in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, including at least six semester hours in education courses offered by the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences. A minimum of 18 additional semester hours will be selected to meet individualized program objectives. Normally, no thesis is required.

The candidate may complete the degree requirements through Summer Session, Evening Division, and/or full-timetime residency. A candidate will be expected to spend at least one semester or a minimum of two summers in residence at The University of Vermont campus in Burlington.

This requirement may be completed by an internship or practicum experience approved by the candidate’s studies committee.

Comprehensive Examination
a. A written comprehensive examination in the field of specialization.

b. A comprehensive oral examination in the field of specialization.

A candidate is expected to complete at least six semester hours in the Department of Community Development and Applied Economics. Usually courses in political science, sociology, and/or research will be taken. Not more than six hours of independent study are allowed in a candidate’s program. One year of satisfactory professional experience. Students who do not have the professional experience must complete a field experience in addition to the minimum degree requirements. Inquiries should be directed to Professor Thomas F. Patterson.

COURSES OFFERED
201 Farm Business Management. Organization and operation of successful farm business emphasizing resource allocation, production efficiency, and marginal analysis. Field trips required. Prerequisites: 61 or Economics 12, 167, or permission. Three hours. Alternate years. Offered jointly with 266.

205 Rural Communities in Modern Society. Changing structure, dynamics of rural social organization in the context of modernization and urbanization. Emphasis on rural communities in the U.S. Three hours. Diouf, Schmidt, Smith. (Cross-listed as Sociology 205.)

207 Markets, Food, and Consumers. Learn how producers, processors, wholesalers, cooperatives, retailers, consumers, and governments affect the movement of food and fiber products through the production-marketing chain. Prerequisites: 61 or equivalent. Three hours. Alternate years.

208 Agricultural Policy and Ethics. An examination of American agriculture and policies from various perspectives — historical, political, ecological, technological, social, economic, and ethical. Emphasis on contemporary issues, policy options, and future development. Prerequisites: 61 or Economics 12, permission. Three hours. Rogers (Animal Sciences), Schmidt.

218 Community Organization and Development. Communities as changing sociocultural organizational complexes within modern society. Problems of formulation, implementation of alternative change strategies. Three hours. Diouf, Schmidt. (Cross-listed as Sociology 207.)

233 Rural Planning. Study of rural, regional water, and natural resource planning concepts and principles. Field exercises in plan evaluation, carrying capacity, agricultural land protection, growth control. Prerequisites: 61 or equivalent, senior standing. Three hours. (Cross-listed as Geography 233.)

237 Economics of Sustainable Agriculture. Comparative economic analysis of small vs. large scale, full vs. part-time farming, traditional vs. alternative agricultural systems, specialization vs. diversification, and issues in agricultural sustainability. Prerequisites: 61 or Economics 12, or permission. Three hours. Ford, Pelsue.

253 Macroeconomics for Applied Economists. Explore macroeconomic principles and concepts as they affect individuals and businesses in local, regional, national, and global economics. Prerequisites: Economics 11, and CDAE 61 or Economics 12. Three hours. Spring.

254 Microeconomics for Applied Economists. The study of economic choices of individuals and firms, and the analysis of competitive and noncompetitive markets. Emphasis on application of intermediate microeconomic theory. Prerequisites: 61 or Economics 12, Mathematics 19, or permission. Three hours. Fall.


257 Small Business Planning. Instruction and guidance in the actual process of preparing a business plan. Students prepare a business plan including a market analysis; and legal, financial, and operational plans. Prerequisites: 85, 266, or equivalent. Four hours. Fife, Fritz, McElvany.

272 Seminar on World Food Problems and Policies. Review of recent books and periodical literature; discussion and written or oral reports on topics of contemporary interest. Prerequisites: Permission. Three hours. Ford. Alternate years with 273.

273 Agricultural Planning and Project Development. Agricultural sector planning and project development processes with a focus on policy instruments; links between agriculture and the rest of the economy; data requirements; and activity preparation, evaluation, and implementation. Prerequisite: 171 or permission. Three hours. Ford. Alternate years with 272.

287 Spatial Analysis. (See Geography 287.) Three hours.

292 Seminar. Reports, discussions, and investigations in selected fields. May enroll more than once up to six hours. One to three hours. Halbrendt.

295 Special Topics. Lectures or readings on contemporary issues in Community Development and Applied Economics. Enrollment may be more than once, up to 12 hours.

351 Research Methods. Developing research projects with the scientific methods; evaluating alternative literature review, sampling, surveying, and analytic methods; and reporting the results. Prerequisite: Three hours of statistics. Three hours.

377 Practicum in Extension Education. Advanced supervised practicum to provide direct involvement in extension education and training settings. Individually planned to apply course-related learning in an applied setting. Prerequisites: Completion of at least six hours in appropriate 200-level CDAE courses or permission. Variable credit: one to 12 hours. Only for students pursuing the M.Ed. degree.
Computer Science (CS)

Professor Colbourn; Associate Professor Hegner; Assistant Professors Banash, Pruesse, Xue, Yang; Lecturers Douglas, Epstien, Erickson.

Research activities in Computer Science encompass a broad range of topics including formal language theory, operating systems, simulation, architecture, networking, artificial intelligence, and performance evaluation.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Bachelor's degree. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination. Mathematics 21, 22, 121, 124 or the equivalent; Statistics 151 or the equivalent; Computer Science 21, 26, 101 or the equivalent.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Mathematics 104; Electrical Engineering 131; Computer Science 103, 104, or their equivalent.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Thesis Option
Thirty hours of which six to nine hours will be thesis research, the remainder is course work.

Nonthesis Option
Thirty-three hours of course work.

Students in both options must take or have completed the equivalent of Computer Science 201, 202 or 203, 222, 224, 243, and must take additional graduate level courses in Computer Science, or related areas with departmental permission, to fulfill the credit hour requirements.

COURSES OFFERED

Prerequisites for all courses: as listed, or equivalent, or by permission of instructor.

200 Discrete Simulation. See Civil Engineering 227. No CS graduate credit.

201 Operating System (3-0). Supervisory and control software for multiprogrammed computer systems. Processes synchronization, interprocess communication, scheduling, memory management, resource allocation, performance evaluation, object-oriented systems, case studies. Prerequisite: 104. Three hours.

202 Compiler Construction (3-0). Practice in design and implementation of translators for ALGOL-like languages. Regular and context-free grammars, parsing, code generation for stack and register machines. Interpreters. Run-time storage administration for block-structured languages. Prerequisites: 105, 104 and 243. Three hours.

203 Programming Languages II (3-0). Formal specification and program correctness. Multitasking and parallelism. Object-oriented and applicative languages. Introduction to translator design. Prerequisites: 103, 104. Three hours.

207 Operating Systems Laboratory. Programming workshops and assignments that develop or modify various components of an operating system. Prerequisites: previous or concurrent enrollment in 201; permission. One hour.


223 Introduction to Formal Language Theory (3-0). (Same as Math. 223). Introduction to theory and applications of context-free languages. Phrase structure and context-free grammars, normal forms, pushdown automata, decision problems, power series in noncommuting variable, applications to parsing. Prerequisites: 243 highly recommended, Math. 52 or 104. Three hours.


251 Introduction to Machine Intelligence. Introduction to methods for realizing intelligent behavior in computers. Knowledge representation, planning, and learning. Selected applications such as natural language understanding and vision. Prerequisites: 103 and 104. Three hours.

260 Parallel Algorithms and Programming Techniques. Taxonomy of parallel computers, basic concepts for parallel computing, effectiveness and scalability, parallel algorithms for a variety of problems, message-passing parallel programming paradigm and data-parallel languages. Prerequisites: 104 or permission. Three hours.

294 Independent Study. Independent readings and investigation under the direction of a faculty member. Prerequisite: Permission. Variable, one to three hours; may be repeated for a maximum six hours.

295 Special Topics in Computer Sciences. Lectures, reports, and directed readings on advanced topics. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

321 Advanced Computer Architecture (3-0). Study of advances in computer architecture. Topics may include: distributed and multiprocessor systems, array and vector processors, data driven architecture, memory hierarchies, and management schemes. Prerequisite: 222. Three hours.

323 Computer Networks (3-0). Introduction to network terminology and classification methods. Topics will include switching techniques, wide area networks, network services, standards and local area networks. Prerequisite: 201. Three hours.

331 Database Management Systems (3-0). Introduction to the design and implementation of modern database management systems. Data models, query languages, concurrency control, and crash recovery. Prerequisites: 201, 203, 243. Three hours.

341 Program Verification and Semantics (3-0). Introduction to predicate calculus. Partial and total correctness. Recursive programs and recursively defined data types. Denotational defined data types. Denotational and operational semantics. Prerequisites: 103, 243. Three hours.


344 Algebraic Theory of Automata (3-0). Use of algebraic methods to study automata and languages. Decomposition of machines and Krohn-Rhodes theorem. Hierarchies of ra-
tional and context free languages. Prerequisites: 243, Math.

346 Theory of NP-Completeness (3-0). Classes P and NP, Cook’s Theorem, techniques for proving NP-Completeness, NP-hard problems, approximation algorithms and schemes, probabilistic algorithms and schemes, P vs. NP. Prerequisites: 224, 243. Three hours.

351 Knowledge Representation (3-0). Systematic study of the methods of representing and retrieving information in modern computers. Logical models, semantic nets, procedural nets, and rule systems. Prerequisites: 224 and 251. Three hours.

353 Automated Reasoning (3-0). Study of deduction algorithms for knowledge base systems. Propositional calculus, Quantification Theory, Gödel’s Incompleteness Theorem, Turing's Theorem, Herbrand-Gödel Computability, Resolution Principle, equality and inequality relations. Prerequisites: 243. Three hours.

361 Advanced Operating Systems (3-0). Topics covered will generally be chosen from one or more of the following areas: detailed case studies, distributed systems, real-time systems, object-oriented systems, and security. Prerequisites: 201, 222. Three hours.


391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

394 Independent Study. Independent readings and investigation under the direction of a faculty member. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged (three to six hours).

395 Advanced Topics in Computer Science (3-0). Subject will vary from year to year. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

**Education**

Professors Emeriti Boller, Bright, Carlson, Ducharme, Gobin, Grams, Greig, Hanley, Hood, Hunt, Peterson, Rippa; Professors Abruscato, Agne, Conrad, Fishell, Fox, Hasazi, Larson, Letteri, Nash, Shimam, Williams; Associate Professors Athen, Barbour, Burrows, Clarke, Ehr, Fitzgerald, Gleone, Goldhaber, Griffin, Hunter, Lang, Meyers, B. Nichols, Paolucci-Whitecomb, Pizzo, Raikhone, Sandaal, Shelton, Stevenson, Wessinger; Assistant Professors Burdett, Capone, Manning, Mosenthal, Salembier; Research Associate Professors Clominger, Giongoco; Research Assistant Professors Hamilton, Lund, Wellkonvitz; Visiting Associate Professors Proulx, Richardson; Visiting Assistant Professor Keogh; Lecturers Bakeman, Collins, Cravelli-Cheng, Dennis, Edelman, Fiebelkorn, T. Fox, Godek, Kay, Leo, Morris, Mueller, Razza, Ross-Allen, Schattman, Shepherd, Sugarman, Taft, Yuan; Extension Associate Professor E. Nichols.

The College of Education and Social Services offers numerous opportunities for graduate study in preparation for special competencies in a variety of fields which include practica, research problems, and in-service relationships with cooperating school systems and social service agencies. The programs in various areas of specialization are described below.

Satisfactory performance on the aptitude sections (verbal and quantitative) of the Graduate Record Examination or Miller Analogies Test (MAT) is required for admission to the Graduate College for students pursuing the degrees of Master of Education, Master of Science, and Doctor of Education.

**DOCTOR OF EDUCATION IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AND POLICY STUDIES**

A Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) degree is offered in Educational Leadership and Policy Studies. This is an applied research based program for professionals serving in educational management positions in schools and school-related organizations; e.g., state departments of education, professional associations, higher education, and human service agencies.

Program emphases include: the design and implementation of educational research; policy studies; adaptation of theoretical constructs and models related to leadership and change in educational and social service settings; knowledge and skills in interorganizational relationships; budget and strategic planning and program evaluation.

This program has been designed to respond to the expanding demands placed on leaders in educational and human service organizations where they are increasingly expected to design and supervise local research and varied evaluative studies; interpret and apply recent national research findings; analyze and apply governmental regulations and court decisions; develop organizational responses to emerging social expectations; organize and lead staff development programs; understand and apply broad-based economic principles and social and fiscal policy; develop and manage budgets; assess and respond to the psychological needs of educational consumers; employ effective interpersonal management and decision-making skills.

**PREREQUISITES FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES**

Applicants must possess a master's degree or equivalent, from an accredited institution and a cumulative grade-point average of 3.00 for previous graduate study. Other requirements include satisfactory scores on the General Test of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Miller Analogies Test (MAT), a representative scholarly writing sample and a resume.

Students admitted to graduate studies must complete successfully a core of study consisting of courses in research, foundational, and policy studies, and organizational change and leadership. Upon such completion and submission of a qualifying paper, students will be considered for candidacy for the degree. Students must also pass a written comprehensive examination prior to the award of the degree of Doctor of Education.

**PREREQUISITES FOR ACCEPTANCE TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF EDUCATION**

Satisfactory completion of all core requirements and the qualifying paper will satisfy the prerequisites for acceptance to candidacy.

Requirements for the degree of Doctor of Education include a minimum of 56 semester credit hours of doctoral studies completed at UVM following formal admission to the program with the following distribution.

15 semester hours in the core courses (minimum)
21 semester hours general distribution (minimum)
Dissertation Research — 20 semester hours (minimum).

All course credit hours beyond the core are distributed in educational leadership, research, critical perspectives, organizational change and selected specialty content areas.

**TRANSFER OF CREDIT**

A maximum of nine (9) semester hours may be accepted in transfer from an accredited graduate program or by validation of credit. Transfer or validation credit may be completed prior to admission to the Doctor of Education Program.
provided that the credit is approved by the student's Studies Committee and that the credit conforms to all other Graduate College requirements.

**RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT**

The residency requirement for the Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) degree consists of the following:

1. Completion of the five core courses (15 semester hours), and
2. Completion of 12 semester credit hours of work during two contiguous semesters beyond the core.

For further requirements concerning Studies Committees, Research and Dissertations, and the Dissertation Defense Examination Committee, refer to “General Requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy,” page 21.

Application deadline, including receipt of GRE or MAT scores, is May 1.

Detailed information on the course of study is available from Program Director, Susan Hasazi, Professor, The University of Vermont, Office of the Dean, College of Education and Social Services, 311 Waterman Bldg., Burlington, VT 05405-0160.

**MAJOR OF EDUCATION**

For admission to a Master of Education program, the applicant must present satisfactory scores for the Graduate Record Examination (general portion) or Miller Analogies Test (MAT) at the time of application for admission. Before the degree is awarded, the candidate must have completed one year of successful teaching experience or other educational service. This requirement may be fulfilled by satisfactory completion of student teaching, an internship, or a practicum.

The graduate program of each student admitted to candidacy for the degree of Master of Education is planned and supervised by an advisor in the respective program area. Program planning is based upon the student’s undergraduate curriculum, professional experience, and aims and purposes in pursuing the master’s degree.

Each program must include a minimum of either 30 semester hours of approved course work or 24 hours earned in courses and six hours in thesis research. Contingent on a candidate’s background and interests and on program specification, this requirement may be fulfilled by satisfactory completion of student teaching, an internship, or a practicum.

The residency requirement for the Doctor of Education degree is awarded, the candidate must have completed one year of successful teaching experience or other educational service. This requirement may be fulfilled by satisfactory completion of student teaching, an internship, or a practicum.

The following certificate programs are offered for post-baccalaureate study by the College of Education and Social Services. They do not lead to a graduate degree and are not accepted by the College for credit.

**POST-BACCALAUREATE TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM**

The Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program is designed for individuals who have a bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year institution and who want to become licensed to teach in Vermont. The basic program fulfills the professional education requirements for state licensure. Areas and levels of licensure include: Grades K-12 — art, music, physical education; Grades K-6 (elementary) — general elementary education, physical education; Grades 7-12 (secondary) — English, foreign language, mathematics, physical education, science, social studies.

Applicants to the Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program must meet the following entrance criteria:

1. Hold a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution of higher education.
2. Possess a general education background based on those studies known as liberal arts which embrace the broad areas of a social and behavioral sciences, mathematics, biological and physical sciences, the humanities, and the arts.
3. Demonstrate a commitment to the teaching profession.
4. Have obtained an overall GPA of 2.5 in undergraduate course work.
5. For elementary candidates: Previous course work must include 30 semester hours in a single liberal arts aca-
The Department of Education consists of several programs of study in the following areas: Consulting Teacher/Learning Specialist, Curriculum Theory, Curriculum Development, and Reintegration Specialist, and Intensive Special Education. A minor in special education may be earned.

The Post-Baccalaureate curriculum includes both undergraduate and graduate courses. Nine graduate credits may apply toward the M.Ed. degree at UVM, contingent on acceptance into the Graduate College.

The deadline for applications is April 1 for the next academic year. Course work begins during the summer or fall, depending upon the area of licensure. Applications are accepted and considered only once each year with updated informational materials and application forms available in January. Requests for further information about the PBTP Program and application forms may be obtained by contacting the PBTP Coordinator, Department of Education, 533 Waterman Building.

**CERTIFICATE OF ADVANCED STUDY**

A Certificate of Advanced Study (sixth-year certificate), a 30- to 36-graduate credit hour program beyond the master’s degree, is offered in the following fields:

- **a. Educational Leadership.** A program designed to prepare administrators and planners for public schools, educational and social agencies, and middle management positions in higher education.

- **b. Counseling.** Individuals who have completed a master’s degree in Counseling are eligible for admission to the C.A.S. program. The program is designed to further develop skills in counseling, consultation, and program planning and coordination.

- **c. Integrated Studies.** A program designed for students who have completed their master’s degree and are interested in exploring a self-designed, integrated program of study drawing upon graduate level experiences currently provided by departments of Integrated Professional Studies and Education of the College of Education and Social Services. The program does not lead to any type of state license.

Inquiries about these three programs can be addressed to the Coordinator of the respective program in 228 Waterman Building.

The Program in Special Education offers the Certificate of Advanced Study to students with appropriate master’s degrees in the following areas: consulting teacher/learning specialist, early intervention, essential early education, integration specialist, and intensive special education. A minimum of 30 credit hours of course work is required.

**DEPARTMENTS**

I. Education:

The Department of Education consists of several programs of instruction. The following programs offer concentrations of study at the graduate level:

- **Curriculum and Instruction.** This master’s program is designed to develop leadership in such educational settings as teaching, curriculum theory, curriculum development, and related areas of research for elementary and secondary public and private school settings. Areas of focus within the M.Ed. in addition to those described in detail below include elementary or secondary education, information technology, and health/physical education. The program is also appropriate for those with teaching roles in human services agencies.

Programs are developed to provide a comprehensive background in fields basic to instruction and curriculum development as well as the application of that knowledge to a specialized field. They include courses aimed at the examination and improvement of instructional practices in elementary and secondary schools, and understanding of curriculum theory and the application of curriculum development. Opportunities for independent study and research are encouraged in the specializations represented in the course offerings of the Department of Education.

Within Curriculum and Instruction, the Licensure Master of Education program for secondary teachers is designed for those students who aspire to earn both a master’s degree and a license to teach in secondary public schools in one academic year and two summers. The program particularly welcomes students from UVM and northeastern colleges and universities majoring in Arts and Sciences, Agriculture and Natural Resources who have completed majors in Humanities, the Arts, Social Sciences, Science and Mathematics. Students will become licensed to teach in grades seven through twelve. With additional study an endorsement for the middle grades may be earned.

UVM students who are in their third year of study for the Bachelor’s degree may apply to the Accelerated Licensure Master of Education program during the third year. These students, when accepted, may complete nine semester hours, six of which may be counted towards the minimum requirements for the Master’s degree. Application forms and further information may be obtained from the Department of Education.

Inquiries regarding this program should be addressed to Donna Rowe, Department of Education.

As in the education of teachers enrolled for pre-service degrees work at the graduate level also draws upon other divisions of the University, thus enabling the College to develop strong programs of professional education which include academic offerings in the various teaching fields in elementary and secondary education. Degree concentrations, in addition to those listed below, can be developed on an interdisciplinary basis responding to student strengths and needs.

Courses in professional education include: 207, 209, 211, 217, 218, 225, 226, 227, 228, 241, 244, 245, 248, 256, 257, 259, 261, 270, 271, 321, 333, and 345.

Inquiries regarding these programs should be addressed to Darlene Nelligan.

- **Educational Leadership.** This program is designed to prepare leaders for public schools, educational and social agencies, and middle management positions in higher education. The M.Ed. program for licensure usually requires 30 to 42 credit hours of courses including seminars, or area internships, and research experiences. The Certificate of Advanced Study (C.A.S.) Program usually requires 30 to 36 credit hours of study beyond the M.Ed. requirements.

Courses with an administration/planning focus include: 264, 266, 268, 280, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 353, 354, 355, 356, and 358.

Inquiries regarding this program should be addressed to Professor Robert Carlson.

- **Educational Studies.** The Foundations of Education faculty offer graduate courses in foundations of education and a master’s degree in Educational Studies. The degree program
is a research and scholarship based program for students from a diversity of educational fields including instruction, administration, policymaking and analysis, social services, state departments of education, allied educational professions (counselors, health care personnel, journalists), school boards, and international education. Students study past, present, and future educational problems and practices from the perspectives of the several disciplines; and they make cross disciplinary connections to discover the themes common to all the disciplines as well as to the theory and practice of education. Students study the process of making professional judgments about educational practice that include ethical, political, historical, literary, cultural, and social considerations. They strive to understand more profoundly not only the "what" and the "how" of the education professions, but the "why" as well.

Students in this program learn how to become competent scholars and researchers in the field of education by knowing the pertinent literature, staying abreast of the latest policy developments in the field, and communicating this information effectively to various audiences through competent, discipline-based research, publication, and teaching. Students also strive to acquire the values, understandings, and skills necessary to advance a conception of the good society scholars and researchers in the field of education by knowing their research around problems of interest to them.

The master's degree in Educational Studies is tailored to the intellectual and professional interests of the student. Students plan their course of study with a faculty advisor in the program. Students are urged to elect courses and organize their research around problems of interest to them.

Courses applicable to the Educational Studies Program include: 204, 205, 206, 209, 255, 302, 303, 314, 347, 352, and 354.

Inquiries regarding this program should be addressed to Professor David R. Conrad.

Reading and Language Arts. The purpose of this program area is to prepare teachers and specialists in the field of reading. Classroom teachers, reading specialists or consultants, supervisors, administrators are responsible for developing programs which will enable every student to attain their maximum proficieny in the use of reading and language. To meet this end, several courses have been devised which focus on classroom reading instruction and reading difficulties. Through the Reading Center, students also have opportunities for laboratory experiences as well as for research and study in reading, literature, and language arts.

Courses in reading and language arts include: 222, 223, 234, 375, 376, 378, and 379.

Inquiries regarding this program should be addressed to Professor Marjorie Lipson.

Special Education. This master's program is designed to prepare students to collaborate with families, educators, and other professionals and service agencies in the development, implementation and evaluation of instructional programs and supports for learners with disabilities in integrated school and community settings. The program requires that students have appropriate professional experience. Three primary areas of emphasis within the program are Consulting Teacher/Learning Specialist, Essential Early Education and Intensive Special Education. All three areas have State of Vermont approved licensure endorsement tracks, and successful completion leads to a licensure endorsement for special education in Vermont. Students seeking admission to a licensure endorsement track must meet additional requirements. The program requires EDSP 301 and 387 and the appropriate sections of 310 and 311, as well as a full year internship. Additional courses are required specific to each area for a usual total of 36 hours. Contact the Special Education Program for assistance with questions on admissions requirements.

Consulting Teacher/Learning Specialist. Students are prepared to collaborate with families, educators and other professionals in the design, implementation and evaluation of instruction for learners with mild to moderate handicaps in integrated regular elementary or secondary classrooms.

Essential Early Education. Students are prepared to provide individualized, family-centered special education services to young children with handicaps and their families through both direct and collaborative delivery systems coordinated with social service agencies in integrated home, preschool and community settings in rural areas.

Intensive Special Education. Students are prepared to provide direct and collaborative instruction to learners with severe handicaps on the basis of identified activities, skills, adaptations and transitions needed for learners to function in current and future integrated school, home and other community environments, with services involving learners' parents and a variety of professional disciplines.

In addition, a Certificate of Advanced Study (sixth-year certificate) (see page 57) with a usual total of 36 credit hour program may be arranged for applicants who have already earned a Master's degree.

Additional information on the above should be requested from the Chairperson.

II. Integrated Professional Studies:

Counseling Program (Master of Science). This degree program prepares individuals to develop professional knowledge and skill in counseling and psychotherapy for use in school guidance, college settings, and community social service agencies. The school counseling course of study is state-approved to meet the requirements of the State of Vermont for licensing as a school counselor, K-12. The community counseling program meets degree requirements for application to become a certified Clinical Mental Health Counselor as defined by Vermont legislation. Graduates are encouraged to seek ongoing supervision, consultation, and continuing professional education throughout their careers.

To achieve professional competence, students are expected to become knowledgeable and skilled in the following areas: dynamics of human growth and development; social and cultural foundations; theory and practice of helping relationships; group dynamics and leadership; lifestyle and career development; appraisal techniques; research and evaluation; professional orientation; administrative and planning concepts; personal growth and development (including self-awareness, interpersonal relations, and physical and mental health). Supervised internship in an appropriate field setting is of major importance in the program.

The specific composition of students' programs, designed with the assistance of a faculty advisor, is based on University, College, and Program requirements as well as the individual student's background, current needs and desires, and future goals. Learning experiences consist of a balance between theory and supervised practice.

Fifty-eight semester hours of course work are required for completion of the Counseling Program. Students are expected to have at least 18 credit hours in education, psychology, social work, sociology, anthropology or related areas prior to admission, including at least one course in life-span human development. Students in the school counseling program may be required to take prerequisite course work in education if their background in understanding of the school environment is weak. Successful completion of the program is based on the demonstration of appropriate knowledge,
relevant skills, and personal characteristics, as well as the accumulation of credits.

The Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP), a specialized accrediting body recognized by the Council on Postsecondary Accreditation (COAPA) has conferred accreditation to both the program in Community Counseling (M.S.) and the program in School Counseling (M.S.)

In addition to the general admissions procedures, a résumé and a personal or group interview is required of each applicant. For a more detailed description of the program, contact Professor James Peterson, Department of Integrated Professional Studies, Waterman Building.

Higher Education and Student Affairs Administration. The graduate program in Higher Education and Student Affairs Administration is designed to prepare professionals to apply human development, organizational, and counseling principles to their work with students in higher education. Graduates of the master’s degree program possess substantial knowledge in human development, research and evaluation, campus ecology, administration and planning, organizational development, higher education policy, and counseling. Graduates assist colleges and universities in attaining the goals of higher education by serving as policy makers, student service providers, educators, counselors, researchers, activities programmers, consultants, evaluators, and administrators.

The curriculum, including learning modules, practica internships, and graduate assistantships, combine to integrate conceptual knowledge with administrative practice. This curriculum enables all students in the program to gain an understanding of the student affairs profession, concepts of college student development, history of American higher education, counseling and intervention strategies, professional ethics, research competencies, and the administration of American colleges and universities. An array of 60 practicum internships in student affairs offices and academic departments helps students to integrate their conceptual knowledge with student affairs practice.

Students in the higher education and student affairs graduate program typically hold a 20 hour per week graduate assistantship in student affairs offices, residential life, or academic support units. Stipends cover tuition and fees for 20 credit hours of study each year and a bimonthly salary. Hall Advisor positions in Residential Life have room and board deducted from their stipend payments.

Courses required for the M.Ed. degree in Higher Education and Student Affairs include: 297, 360, 362, 380, 385, 387, and 397. Forty credit hours are required for the M.Ed. degree.

There is also a Higher Education concentration in the Educational Leadership and Policy Studies doctoral degree (Ed.D.) which requires the same core courses (see Ed.D.) and a program of studies focusing on the administration of student affairs programs in higher education.

Inquiries regarding these programs should be addressed to Professor Deborah Hunter.

Interdisciplinary Major. This degree program is for students who wish to pursue an individually designed, integrated program of study. The program draws primarily from graduate courses in Administration and Planning, Counseling, Higher Education and Student Affairs Administration, and Educational Studies but may include courses from other departments within the College and the University. A minimum of 36 credit hours is required for completion of the program. The program is ideally suited for persons whose personal and professional development requires a combination of course work not readily available in other graduate programs, or for individuals who plan to assume new or emerging roles in the fields of education or social and human services.

Applicants should have a clear understanding of how the Interdisciplinary Program will serve their career goals. For this reason, major emphasis in admissions is placed upon the applicant’s Statement of Purpose. Applicants are strongly encouraged to contact the Department of Integrated Professional Studies, Waterman Building, prior to making application for admission. Detailed information about the program and admissions criteria will be supplied upon request.

Inquiries regarding this program should be addressed to Professor Robert Nash.

COURSES OFFERED

The College of Education and Social Services offers the following courses on a program basis. Departmental permission is required for enrollment.

200 Contemporary Issues. Designed so that its content and structure may accommodate special issues not especially appropriate within the boundaries of an existing course. Prerequisites: Twelve hours in education and related areas. One to six hours. (ECHD, EDAP, EDCO, EDHE, EDLS, EDMU, EDPE, EDSC, EDSP, EDSS)

295 Laboratory Experience in Education. Supervised field work designed to give students experience in specialized areas for their professional development. Prerequisites: Permission of the Coordinator of Professional Laboratory Experiences. One to six hours. (ECHD, EDAP, EDCO, EDHE, EDLS, EDMU, EDPE, EDSC, EDSP, EDSS)

310 Internship for Specialized Personnel in Education. Students will undertake an approved internship in an institution which reflects the particular area of interest and needs of the student. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged. (ECHD, EDAP, EDCO, EDHE, EDLS, EDMU, EDPE, EDSC, EDSP, EDSS)

320 Professional Problems in Education. Designed to cover selected educational problems in depth. The major emphasis will be on intensive and critical analysis of the literature and practice in a given area. Three hours. (ECHD, EDAP, EDCO, EDHE, EDLS, EDMU, EDPE, EDSC, EDSP, EDSS)

392 Teaching Internship. Supervised teaching experiences on a full-time basis, with related seminars in teaching subject. Prerequisite: Permission of coordinator of Professional Laboratory Experiences. Three to eight hours. (ECHD, EDEI, EDHE, EDPE, EDSC, EDSP, EDSS)

391 Master's Thesis Research. Thesis topic must be approved by a faculty committee. Credit as arranged. (ECHD, EDAP, EDCO, EDHE, EDLS, EDMU, EDPE, EDSC, EDSP, EDSS)

397 Problems in Education. Individual work on a research problem selected by the student in consultation with a staff member. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas; endorsement by a sponsoring faculty member. One to six hours. (ECHD, EDAP, EDCO, EDHE, EDLS, EDMU, EDPE, EDSC, EDSP, EDSS)

ECHD—EARLY CHILDHOOD AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

(See page 104.)

EDLP—LEADERSHIP AND POLICY STUDIES

264 Evaluation in Education and Social Services. For educational and social service personnel. Overview of the state-of-the-art of evaluation, emerging concepts, related models. Potential applications to settings; systematic data analysis. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education or permission. Three hours.
266 Educational Finance. National, state, and local practices in educational financing and taxation; educational policies and incentives in funding; other revenue sources; financial expenditure procedures. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education or permission. Two to three hours.

268 Educational Law. Legal basis for education. State and Federal statutes; related court cases; Attorney General opinions; Special Education procedures; Vermont State Board and State Education Department policies; regulations. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education or permission. Two to three hours.

280 School Business Management. Analysis of basic management concepts applied to administering schools. Topics include leadership/management trends, types of budgets, risk management, planning, and other personnel and business operations issues. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education. Three hours.

291 Special Topics in Organizational and Human Resource Development. Special issues in counseling, administra­tion and planning, social work, or higher education and interdisciplinary dialogue. Three hours.

332 Seminar in Administration and Planning. Opportunity for students to experience, apply selected administration and planning concepts, skills through seminar and selected simulations of public school and social service organizational settings. Three hours.

334 Effecting and Managing Change in Educational and Social Service Organizations. Change processes and models, the dynamics of change within the organization, and external factors affecting change. Managerial, leadership, and organizational factors and conditions impacting on innovations; change phases of initiation, implementation, and institutionalization. Prerequisite: Twelve hours of graduate study. Three hours.

335 Staff Evaluation and Development. Supervisory roles, behavior, responsibilities, and relationships in educational and social service organizations; processes for evaluating the performance, promoting the development of staff, and increasing organization effectiveness. Three hours.

336 Curriculum Management in Educational and Social Service Organizations. Approaches to coordinating and managing curriculum or programs at the classroom, department, or organizational level; examination of factors effecting design and delivery of curriculum; developing curriculum guides and assessment methods. Prerequisites: 18 hours of education and related areas or appropriate professional certification. Three hours.

337 Political Processes in Education and Social Service Organizations. Political and operational relationships between schools, agencies, and other organizations at all governmental levels. Policy development, working with policy boards, and coordinating organizational and community activities. Three hours.

352 Analysis of Educational and Social Service Organizations. Organizations as open or closed systems; examinations of goals, power, conflict, leadership, decision-making roles, communication; diagnosing causes of organizational problems; factors aiding, impeding organizational change. Three hours.

353 Seminar in Organizational Leadership. Roles, functions, relationships and responsibilities in maintaining and changing organizations; leadership styles and behavior; trends and issues impacting on organizations. Three hours.

354 General and Social Systems Theory. General Systems Theory is analyzed in terms of its utility for examining social systems, macrosystems analysis of research, planning, and interdisciplinary dialogue. Three hours.


356, 357 Seminar in Futurism and Planning. Knowledge, values, attitudes relating to concepts about the future; alternative futures, trend analysis, goal setting; planning processes applied to educational and social service organizations. Six hours (each semester can be taken independently).

358 Seminar in Community Education. The seminar participants will analyze the Community Education process, relate the process to community development, and develop strategies for the planning and implementation of Communication Education. Three hours.

367 Human Behavior in Education Systems. This course will enable students in the Doctorate in Education program to understand and assess human behavior as it affects and is affected by education systems. Prerequisite: Ed.D. students have priority. Three hours.

372 Leadership and the Creative Imagination. Leadership in societal organizations as presented in literature, other media. Students will demonstrate abilities to integrate leadership theory, principles, personal beliefs, practices with literary and other media models. Prerequisite: Ed.D. students have priority. Three hours.

386 Organization and Human Resource Development. The concept and practice of organization development, analysis of and laboratory experience in the utilization of intervention methodologies. Prerequisite: One course relating to human relations and one course relating to organizations or equivalent, or permission. Three hours.

387 Collaborative Consultation. (See EDSF 387.)

409 Applied Educational Research. Links educational research methodology with principles of systems change in order to provide a knowledge base for conducting applied educational research. Prerequisite: Doctoral level standing. Three hours.

432 Seminar in Small Systems Administration and Planning. Designed to familiarize participants with knowledge and research relevant to developing an applied theory of action for administering small rural educational systems. Prerequisite: Doctoral level standing. Three hours.

437 Seminar on Education Policy. An examination of the nature and function of education policy, emphasizing the structure and processes in education policy formulation and implementation. Prerequisite: Doctoral level standing. Three hours.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

EDCO—COUNSELING

220 Developmental Perspectives in Counseling. Approaches to understanding human behavior in applied settings emphasizing behavior development as an interpersonal process. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and psychology. Three hours.

291 Special Topics in Counseling. Special issues in counselling, administration and planning, social work or higher education not appropriate to content of existing courses. Courses reflect the social services orientation of the Department of Integrated Professional Studies. Variable credit.

310 Counseling Strategies for Teachers. Counseling strategies appropriate for use in the classroom for class management assessment and utilization of different learning styles, and promotion of positive behavior change. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Peterson.

321 Theory and Practice in Consultation. The consultation relationship in educational and social service settings. Prerequisites: EDCO 220, permission. Three hours.
350 Professional Issues in Counseling. Critical analysis of the various facets of counseling within the current cultural setting. Special emphasis upon goals of the helping process and their justification. Prequisite: Twelve hours in education and psychology. Three hours.

351 Using Tests in Counseling. Techniques used to explore the psychology of individual differences and group assessment. Experience given in taking, administering, interpreting various tests; study project for application to any setting. Prequisite: Twelve hours in education. Three hours.

360 Diagnosis and Treatment Planning in Counseling. Psychosocial, sociocultural, and historical definitions of deviant behaviors; assessment and diagnosis of mental illness according to DSM-III-R categories; treatment modalities; referral processes and prevention strategies. Taught from counseling perspective. Prequisites: Permission. Preference given to mental health counselors. Three hours.

361 Counseling in the Community. Basic issues, populations, needs, resources, and professional training for work as counselors in community mental health settings; policy and practice in Vermont’s mental health system. Prequisite: Permission. Three hours.

368 Life Style/Life Script Assessment. Technique for developing an individual’s subjective method of perceiving life events. Applications of the technique in various counseling modalities. Practice in use of technique. Prequisites: EDCO 220, 374, permission. Three hours.


371 Counseling in the Secondary School. Study of secondary school guidance with focus on a comprehensive developmental model. Topics include foundations, counselor role, curriculum, delivery systems, development and organization of programs, and counseling the adolescent. Prequisites: 374 or equivalent. Three hours. Peterson.

374 Counseling Theory and Practice. Theoretical and practical approach to understanding of the counseling process. Refinement of personal philosophy, theory of counseling, and implementation in practice. Prequisites: Twelve hours in education and/or psychology, permission.

375 Laboratory Experience in Counseling. Supervised practice in counseling techniques. Students develop skills and receive feedback. Use is made of videotape facilities. Prequisites: Counseling majors only, concurrently enrolled in EDCO 374 or permission. Three hours.

376 Chemical Dependency: Etiology & Treatment. Development (self, family, trauma) and resolution of chemical dependency. Cognitive-behavioral, psychoanalytic, systemic, and eclectic orientations. Experiential psychotherapy techniques and project required. Prequisites: Senior status. Graduate status or degree in clinical fields (Counseling, Psychology, Social Work, Nursing, PreMed, Medicine, Special Education) or Continuing Education status with permission. Three hours. Quintilliani.

380 Professional Problems in Counseling. Covers selected counseling and counseling-related problems in depth. Major emphasis on interpersonal and critical analysis of the literature and practice in a given area. Three hours.

381 Counseling for Lifestyle and Career Development. Counseling applied to helping people plan and live satisfying vocational careers within the context of optimal lifestyles: issues of gender, age, race, ethnicity, SES considered. Prequisite: 374 and 375 or their equivalent. Three hours.

383 Counseling Practicum. Introductory supervised experience in counseling in a field setting. Includes 100 hours working as a counselor with a minimum of 40 hours of direct service experience. Prequisites: 350, 374, 375 and permission. Open only to master’s candidates in counseling program. One hour. Peterson, Ponzo, Schepp.


386 Organizational Development for Counseling and Related Services. The concept and practice of organization development, analysis of and laboratory experience in the utilization of intervention methodologies. Prequisite: Permission. Three hours.


393 Advanced Study in the Theory and Practice of Group Counseling. Advanced study of group counseling theory as applied to group establishment and intervention strategies. A field experience in group counseling is required. Three hours.

394 Special Topics in Counseling. Special issues in counseling, administration and planning, social work, higher education not appropriate to content of existing courses. Courses will reflect the social services orientation of the Department of Integrated Professional Studies. Variable credit.

395 Sexuality Counseling and Therapy. Facilitates the transfer of general counseling and therapy skills to work with sexual issues. Study and practice cover both remediation and prevention. Prequisite: Eighteen hours graduate course work in counseling or psychology, or permission. Three hours. Schepp.

397 Independent Study in Counseling. Individual work in counseling or counseling related area selected by student in consultation with faculty. Must follow University and program criteria. Prequisites: Twelve hours in education and related areas; endorsement by a sponsoring faculty member. One to six hours.

399 Program Completion Seminar. Students are aided in preparation of a scholarly paper to be presented and discussed in seminar and submitted for publication review. Prequisite: Major in counseling program in final or next to final semester. One hour. Ponzo.

EDEL—ELEME NTARY EDUCATION

222 Cultivating Children’s Literacy in the Elementary/Middle School Classroom. Contemporary research and
practicе related to the development of strategic, motivated, and independent readers and writers. Emphasis on inte‐
grating reading and writing within collaborative environ­ments. Prerequisites: Twelve hours in education and/or re­lated areas including an introductory course in reading or permission. Three hours.

234 Literature and Language for Children and Youth. Characteristics, interests, reading habits of children and youth; selection, evaluation of literature. Organizing book units for teaching literature, for content areas. Emphasis on development of oral, written expression. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas or permission. Three hours.

241 Science for the Elementary School. Examination of elementary school science programs. Emphasis on methods and materials relating to construction, use of science units for children in grades K–6. Prerequisites: Twelve hours in education and related areas, or permission. Three hours.

244 Social Studies in the Elementary School. Study of literature, research, and problems in teaching social studies in the elementary school. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.


270 Kindergarten Methods and Organization. Objectives, organization, curriculum, methods and materials, and relationships of kindergarten preschool experiences. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

271 Kindergarten Education with Laboratory Experi­ences. Designed to acquaint the prospective kindergarten teacher with educational research conducted by Piaget, Bruner, Montessori, and others with experiences provided for working with children of kindergarten age. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

375 Literacy Assessment: Understanding Individual Dif­ferences. Designing and using assessment strategies to improve and adapt instruction. Identify, evaluate, and document literacy development, emphasizing students at risk of reading failure. Prerequisite: EDEL 222 or permission. Three hours.

376 Laboratory Experiences in Reading and Related Lan­guage Instruction. Approaches for prevention, correction of reading and written language difficulties. Supervised teaching of individuals and/or small groups experiencing reading and language problems. Apprenticeships in reading instructional programs. Prerequisite: 375. Three hours.

378 Advanced Study and Research in Reading and Re­lated Language Arts. Survey of research, comparison and evaluation of emerging programs design and development of projects in reading. Prerequisite: Fifteen hours in education including nine hours in the field of reading and language education or permission. Three hours.

379 Seminar in Reading Instruction. Study of reading relative to total curriculum. Significant trends, concepts related to specific problems, programs in reading and language arts instruction; role of supervisor and reading consul­tant. Prerequisite: Fifteen hours of education including nine hours in the field of reading and language education or permission. Three hours.

EDFS—FOUNDATIONS

203 Social, Historical and Philosophical Foundations of Education. Critical examination of central educational/social issues and values with special emphasis on the struggle for justice and equality. Themes include schooling and social class, race, and gender; the purposes of education; and the responsibilities of teachers. Prerequisite: Admission to licensing program. Three hours. Conrad, Glesne, Nash, Shiman.

204 Seminar in Educational History. Selected topics in history of education. Education in democratic and authori­tarian social orders. Topics: education of women, black heritage, American higher education in transition. Prre­quisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas or permission. Three hours.

205 History of American Education. Educational princi­pals and practices in the U.S. as they relate to the main cur­rents of social history. Key ideas of historic and contempo­rary significance. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas or permission. Three hours.

206 Comparative Education. Study of educational policy and practice in selected countries. Focus on the making of citizens, achievement of equity goals, and related develop­ment issues in China, Japan, Kenya/Tanzania, and Com­monwealth Independent States. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.


255 School as a Social Institution. Examination of the school and related social institutions, focus on themes, in­cluding: social class, race, ethnicity, socialization, role of the family, social change. Prerequisite: Twelve hours of education and related areas. Three hours.

302 Philosophy of Education. Critical examination of key beliefs and values in current philosophies of helping, e.g. phenomenological, behavioral, holistic, as practiced in a va­riety of educational and social service institutions. Prereq­uisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

303 The Ethics of Helping Relationships. Clarification of ethical dimensions of professional rights and obligations for educators, counselors, administrators, other helping professionals. Examination of selected ethical controversies currently facing the helping professionals. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

314 Modes of Inquiry. A critical analysis of the various conceptual and methodological foundations of theory and practice in education and the human services. Prerequisites: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

347 Qualitative Research Methods. Introduces students to qualitative methods as a research paradigm and develops skills in ethnographic techniques of field observation, interviewing, and data analysis. Out-of-class fieldwork required. Prerequisite: Master's or doctoral level standing or permission. Three hours. Glesne.

352 Seminar in Aesthetic Education. A critical examina­tion of aesthetic values in contemporary society. The aes­thetic quality of natural and built environment with impli­cations for present and future educational practice given special attention. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

354 Anthropological Perspectives on Education and Social Services. Examination of formal and non-formal education as means to produce and alleviate cultural conflict. Incorporates an autobiographical approach to studying socio-cultural implications of schooling and social services. Emphasis on Third World situations. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.
369 Ethics in Educational and Social Services Administration. Critical examination of theories of ethical decision making. Implications for leadership in educational, social service settings. Ethical investigation utilizing research, scholarship, actual incidents, case studies, role playing. Prerequisite: Ed.D. students have priority. Three hours.

455 Social Processes and Educational Institutions. Relationships among ideology, social control, social class, policies, practices within educational institutions. Research related to curricular orientation, evaluation and selection, and school and classroom organization. Prerequisite: Doctoral level standing. Three hours.

EDHE—HEALTH EDUCATION

208 School Health Programs. Organization of the total school health program. Problems and administration in the area of school environment, health services, health education, and school-community relationship. Prerequisite: 46 or equivalent. Three hours.

211 Community Health Education. Government and voluntary agencies' sociological, historical, educational, environmental, and medical influences. Role of community health educator in these influences and major American health concerns. Prerequisite: EDHE 46 or equivalent. Three hours.

220 Stress Management for Health Professionals. Psychological, physiological, and sociological aspects of stress. Theory, practices, teaching techniques, and application relevant to teaching students and/or clients. Prerequisites: EDHE 46 or equivalent. Three hours. Pahnos.

EDHI—HIGHER EDUCATION

332 Adult Development and Education. Critical examination of research on adult learners in higher education, development theory, and reentry issues facing older students. Analysis and application of proposals for new adult-oriented educational programs. Three hours.


362 College Students in America. Examination of the diversity of college students today, and the developmental issues arising during the college experience. Three hours.

383 Higher Education Administration and Organization. Introduction to concepts of administration and organization as applied to contemporary higher education setting. Characteristics of organizations, dynamic elements of administration, and theories and processes of change. Three hours.

385 Student Affairs Profession. Overview of the work of the student affairs profession, including philosophical base, historical development, current practices, and future trends. Prerequisite: Enrollment open only to Higher Education and Student Affairs students. Three hours.

387 Seminar in Higher Education. Designed for graduate students concentrating in programs in Higher Education. Analysis and discussion of current issues and problems in higher education. One to three hours.

395 Laboratory Experience. Practica internships, offered in various University departments and offices, enable students to integrate conceptual knowledge with professional practices. Prerequisite: Graduate standing in HESA. Two hours.

397 Problems in Higher Education. Research project required for M.Ed. in HESA. Two hours.

EDLI—LIBRARY SCIENC E

272 Managing School Library Media Centers. Overview of administrative issues, including development of policies and procedures, budget preparation, personnel administration, and public relations. Focus on information technology and literacy. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas, or permission. Three hours. Schubert.

273 Organizing School Library Media Center Collections. Introduction to cataloging of print and non-print materials, Dewey Decimal Classification, application of microcomputers to catalog and circulation services. Prerequisite: 272 or equivalent. Three hours. Lanius, MacLennan.

274 Designing Instruction for School Library Media Centers. Designing library instruction for integration with curricula and collaborating to create effective lessons. Issues surrounding active learning, critical thinking, learning styles, and assessment are examined. Prerequisite: 272 or equivalent. Three hours. Reit.

275 Developing School Library Media Center Collections. Evaluating and selecting books, periodicals, audiovisuals, software, and other materials for full range of student ages and ability levels. Maintaining collection, weeding, using interlibrary loan, and dealing with censorship. Prerequisite: 272 or equivalent. Three hours. Greene.

276 Information Sources and Services for School Library Media Centers. Helping students and teachers find information using print, online, CD-ROM and other resources. Developing interview skills and selecting materials for elementary and secondary core collections. Prerequisite: 272 or equivalent. Three hours. Brew, Philbin.

277 Information Technologies for School Library Media Centers. Selecting, using, and maintaining full range of media equipment, including audiovisual and computer based systems. Designing and improving presentation facilities for media. Prerequisites: 272 or equivalent. Three hours. Brew, Ross, Whitby.

EDLS—LEARNING STUDIES

212 Child and Adolescent Psychology. Children and adults are emerging individuals. Impacts of sociocultural ethics, values, institutions on individuals. Topics: human needs, values, self concept, personal freedom, bureaucratic society, cross-cultural issues. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and/or related areas. Three hours.

377 Seminar in Educational Psychology. Personal values, attitudes, beliefs related to learning. Psychological research of the teaching-learning process. Research use in analysis of educational processes. Applications for educational settings. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.
290 Basic Concepts in Music Education. Disciplinary backgrounds, historical and philosophical foundations; fundamental consideration of the functions of music in the schools; development of a personal philosophy. Three hours.

390 Organization and Administration of Music Education. Study of the organization and administration of vocal and instrumental music in the public schools. Prerequisites: Teaching experience or permission. Three hours.

EDPE—PHYSICAL EDUCATION

201 Administration of Athletic Program. Background for effective administration of the athletic program of schools. Includes scheduling, budgeting, management, equipment, policy, public relations, and education justification. Prerequisite: Twelve hours of education and psychology. Three hours.

203 Principles of Physical Education. Principles basic to sound philosophy of physical education for appraisal of historical development; relationship to health education, recreation, and other areas; foundation and functions of physical education. Prerequisites: Admission to the program and permission. Three hours.

220 Sport in Society. Examines sport as a social institution, emphasizing interpersonal relationships between sport and the social context in which it exists; analyzes functions and dysfunctions of sport in contemporary society. Prerequisites: Sociology 1 or 19, or equivalent. Three hours. Wessinger.

240 Principles of Motor Learning and Human Performance. Nature of motor learning; factors affecting motor learning (motivation, emotion, stress); concepts of transfer, retention; alternatives in teaching, coaching methodologies based upon applied principles in motor learning. Prerequisites: 166, ECHD 62 or 63, or equivalent. Three hours.

241 Seminar in Physical Education and Athletics. Examination and analysis of contemporary issues and trends in physical education and athletics not especially appropriate within the boundaries of an existing course. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in physical education and related areas. Variable credit (two to four hours).

253 Curriculum Design in Health and Physical Education. Philosophy, techniques of curriculum innovation in health and physical education. Inter-relationships between student needs and interests, teaching methodology, evaluative procedures, community involvement, administrative organization patterns. Prerequisites: 104, 105, 46, 155 or equivalent. Three hours.

260 Adaptive Physical Education. Recognition, prevention, correction of functional, structural deviations from normal body mechanics. Organization of programs adapted to needs of handicapped individuals in both special class and mainstreamed settings. Prerequisite: 155, 104, 105 or equivalent teaching experience. Three hours.

EDSC—SECONDARY EDUCATION

207 Adolescent Learning from a Behavioral and Cognitive Perspective. In-depth examination of cognitive learning theory and its background in behavioral and other learning theories, with application to teaching in a secondary setting. Prerequisites: Acceptance to licensing program. Three hours. Clarke, Fishell, Letteri, Parks.

209 Practicum in Teaching. Working with teachers and students in a secondary school, licensing candidates will assess the needs of students, document effects of direct service and the need for new curriculum. Prerequisites: 203, 207 or concurrent enrollment. Three hours. Clarke, Erb, Fishell, Sandoval.

215 Reading in the Secondary School. Design of methods and materials for integrating reading and learning skills in content instruction. Focus on learning support for at risk learners. Prerequisites: 203, 207, 209 or concurrent enrollment. Three hours. Clarke, Lang, Mekkelsen.

216 General Methods for Secondary Teachers. Development of teaching methods for secondary instruction, adaptation to learning styles, models of teaching with design, lesson planning and assessment, with focus on cross-disciplinary collaboration. Prerequisites: 203, 207, 209 or concurrent enrollment. Three hours. Clarke, Erb, Fishell, Griffin, Gross.


223 Reading Programs in Secondary Schools and Colleges. Relationship of reading to learning study of organization, instructional procedures, and materials for developing reading improvement programs for secondary and college students; reading in content areas. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and/or related areas or permission. Three hours.

225 Teaching Social Studies in Secondary Schools. Includes multiple teaching modes, questioning techniques, micro-teaching laboratory, analysis of historical content to determine students' prerequisite cognitive skills and processes for construction of historical scenarios. Prerequisite: Twelve hours of education and related areas. Three hours.

226 Teaching Internship. Collaboration with professional teachers in design and implementation of effective instruction, with special focus on developing programs in a high school setting. Prerequisites: 203, 207, 209, 215, 216 and Special Methods. Eight to twelve weeks. Agne, Clarke, Erb, Fishell, Griffin, Gross, Sandoval.

227 Teaching Science in Secondary Schools. Consideration of science curricula and instructional strategies for grades 7–12. Topics may include: teaching science as problem solving, research in science teaching, affective education through science. Prerequisites: Twelve hours in education and related areas or permission. Three hours.

228 Literature in the Junior-Senior High School Curriculum. (Literary Criticism for Teachers.) Three hours.


230 Teaching for Results. Analysis of planning, curriculum, design, teaching, evaluation and classroom management from the perspective of research and practice. Special focus on the student with special needs. Prerequisites: Concurrent enrollment in 226. Three hours. Clarke, Erb, Fishell.

257 Teaching Mathematics in Secondary Schools. Contemporary secondary school mathematics curricula and instructional strategies for grades 7–12. Topics may include problem solving, research in mathematics education, use of calculators and computers, manipulatives, and evaluation. Prerequisites: Twelve hours in education and related areas or permission. Three hours.

259 Teaching Foreign Language in the School. (Secondary.) Three hours.

282 Seminar for Prospective Teachers of English. (See English 290.)

294 Seminar for Prospective Teachers of Communication. (See Communication Sciences 294.)

EDSP—SPECIAL EDUCATION

201 Foundations of Special Education. Examination of
historical, current trends in the treatment of individuals with handicaps, including the effects of litigation, legislation, and economic considerations on educational and residential service delivery systems. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas, or permission. Three hours.

207 Cooperative Learning. Theoretical and experiential instruction in procedures to increase social acceptance and academic achievement of exceptional learners in mainstream settings through cooperative learning. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

216 Meeting the Curriculum and Instructional Needs of All Students. Introduction to curriculum and instruction for all students with a focus on individuals who present academic and behavioral challenges. Emphasis on assessment, evaluation, curriculum, instruction, theories of learning and social development. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Salembier, Williams.

217 Instruction for Individuals with Severe Handicaps. Individualized instruction for learners with severe handicaps emphasizing objectives, assessment, task analysis, and behavior analysis. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.


224 Instruction for Individuals with Mild Handicaps. Students apply principles of behavior analysis to improve academic and social skills of individuals with learning disabilities, mental retardation, behavior disorders. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

228 Advanced Instruction for Individuals with Severe Handicaps. Students apply advanced principles of behavior analysis in the development and implementation of instructional programs for learners with moderate and severe handicaps. Prerequisite: Permission and Introductory behavior analysis course. Three hours.

275 Developing Vocational Instruction for Students with Special Needs. Development of instructional strategies for including handicapped students in vocational education. Procedures for developing, implementing, and evaluating individualized vocational plans. Prerequisite: Admission to an approved teacher certification program or permission. Three hours.

290 Curriculum for Individuals with Handicaps. Intensive study of essential curriculum and technology areas related to the development, adaptation, and assessment of students with handicapping conditions. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

296 Special Education Practica for Classroom Teachers. Credit as arranged.

297 Curriculum for Individuals with Handicaps. Students develop and implement a objectives-based curriculum for learners with learning disabilities, mental retardation, behavior disorders, and/or multihandicaps. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

298 Special Education Practicum. Students provide direct instruction for six learners with learning disabilities, mental retardation, behavior disorders, and/or multihandicaps. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged.

301 History and Systems of Services for Individuals with Handicaps. Historical and current trends in treatment of individuals with handicaps, including effects of litigation, legislation, economic consideration in education, vocational, residential service delivery systems. Prerequisite: Acceptance as candidate for M.Ed. degree in special education, or permission. Three hours.

302 Physical and Developmental Characteristics of Individuals with Multihandicaps. Normal development — birth through six years, developmental disorders, handicapping conditions. Medical, health considerations for multihandicapped. Management of multihandicapped learner through employment of appropriate handling, positioning, feeding, toileting procedures. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

310, 311 Curriculum and Technology in Special Education. Curricular and assessment areas essential to education of handicapped students. Development, adaptation of curricula and assessment in early education, elementary and secondary and adult levels for mild, moderate, and severe handicapping conditions. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

312, 313 Advanced Behavior Principles in Special Education. A survey on behavior theory and research applications for learners with learning disabilities, mental retardation, behavior disorders, and multihandicaps. Prerequisite: Acceptance to M.Ed. program or permission. Three hours.

316 Research Seminar in Special Education. Research which addresses key issues in special education is reviewed and evaluated. Students write and present a research review with attention to practitioner needs. Prerequisites: EDSP 301, 310, 312, a course in quantitative research design. Three hours.

317 Design and Evaluation of Education for Individuals with Severe Handicaps. Students analyze, adapt curricula for severely handicapped, utilizing knowledge of normal, abnormal motor development, feeding techniques, adaptive, prosthetic devices, medical aspects, parent professional partnership, socialization, normalization, legal aspects. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

320 Laboratory Experience in Education: Educational Programming for Students with Severe Handicaps. Students identify, evaluate severely handicapped learners, demonstrate competency in handling, positioning, feeding. Current skill levels assessed, educational programs designed, including objectives, teaching/learning procedures, evaluation, measurement. Prerequisites: Master's degree or equivalent, permission. Three hours.

322 Internship in Special Education: The Triadic Model of Consultation. Competency-based instruction in oral and written communication, consultation, and workshop level training is provided. Students apply the consultation model in an educational setting. Prerequisites: EDSP 310, 312 or permission. Three hours.

323 Internship in Special Education: Systems Development. Competency-based instruction in planning for system level development and change. Students apply systems theory in an educational setting. Prerequisites: EDSP 310, 312 or permission. Three hours.

384 Teaching-Internship in Special Education: Course Development and Implementation. Instruction in developing competency-based courses in special education for in-service teacher training. Practicum involves team teaching with University special education faculty. Prerequisites: Certification as a Consulting Teacher/Learning Specialist and permission. Six hours.

385 Teaching Internship: Advanced Systems Development and Management in Special Education. Competency-based instruction in developing and adapting technological programs for advanced system-level change. Prerequisite: EDSP 319 (six hours), permission. Three to six hours.
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386 Teaching Internship: Management of Learning Environments for the Handicapped. Implementation of data-based individualized education in one-to-one, small group, and large group instruction for severely handicapped student(s) in special or regular classrooms. Prerequisites: EDSP 217, 290, 228 or permission. Variable credit.

387 Collaborative Consultation. Adult development and group dynamics theory provide the knowledge base for collaborating with parents and teachers to meet the diverse needs of students with disabilities. Three hours. Fitzgerald. Cross listings: EDAP 387, EDSS 387.

EDSS—EDUCATION

211 Educational Measurements. The essential principles of measurement in education. Topics include validity, reliability, principles of test construction, item analysis, and analysis of standardized tests as they apply to the classroom. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

215 The Gifted Child. Three hours.


245 Applications of Microcomputers in Elementary and Secondary School Curricula. For elementary, secondary educators with experience in simple programming. Design of instructional procedures, integrating computers into school curriculum. Use of computer software to teach basic skills, reasoning, thinking skills. Prerequisites: Computer Science 3 or equivalent, permission. Three hours.

248 Educational Media. Modern instructional aids, theory and practice, educational media related to psychology of teaching and learning. Prerequisite: Twelve hours in education and related areas. Three hours.

261 Current Directions in Curriculum and Instruction. Current trends, issues, literature, programs, and organizational activities in fields of curriculum and instruction emphasizing areas of individual concern. Focus on elementary and secondary school levels. Prerequisite: Twelve credits in education or equivalent. Three hours.

309 Interdisciplinary Seminar: Social Policy, Education, Social Services. Introduction to interdisciplinary study; the field of policy analysis and social change. Core academic experience for Interdisciplinary Majors. Prerequisites: Interdisciplinary majors; others by permission. Three hours.

313 Statistical Methods in Education and Social Services. Basic concepts of descriptive and inferential statistics. Topics: frequency distributions; measures of central tendency, dispersion; correlation, hypothesis testing. Application of concepts to educational situations. Three hours.

321 School Improvement: Theory and Practice. Analysis of research and practices pertinent to improvement of American schools. Student assignments include synthesis papers and site-specific research projects derived from course studies. Prerequisite: Twelve hours of graduate study in education. Four to six hours.

333 Curriculum Concepts, Planning and Development. Overview of conceptions of curriculum for elementary and secondary education; examination of contemporary curriculum trends, issues; processes for initiating, planning, developing curriculum activities and programs. Prerequisite: Twelve hours of education or permission. Three hours.

336 Professional Writing. Problems in writing faced by professionals in educational and human service settings. Students write reports, critiques, reviews; analyze examples of published work; receive detailed critiques of their work. Three hours.

343 The Study of Teaching. Study of the art and science with emphasis on students’ own teaching. Current research on teaching and self-study are major foci. Prerequisites: Twelve hours of education, teaching experience. Three hours.

363 Seminar in the Analysis of Curriculum and Instruction. A case study analysis of the design, implementation, and evaluation of selected curricular and instructional improvements. Prerequisites: Ed.D. students have priority. Three hours.

349 Quasi-Experimentation in Education and Social Services. Quasi-experimental designs are analyzed, compared, and contrasted with “true experiments.” Strategies for addressing threats to the validity of quasi-experiments are studied. Design exemplars are evaluated. Prerequisite: EDSP 313, or Psychology 340, or Statistics 211, or equivalent. Three hours.

387 Collaborative Consultation. (See EDSP 387.)

Electrical Engineering (EE)

Professors Absher, Evering, Mirchandani, Oughstun, Williams; Professors Emeritus Anderson, Rush; Associate Professors Fuhr, Snapp, Stavrakakis, Titcomb, Varhie

Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy programs are offered. Candidates normally have obtained the Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering prior to application for admission but other applicants are encouraged to consider the program if they have extensive background in mathematics and the basic sciences. In such cases, it may be necessary for a student to complete the entrance qualifications without receiving credit toward graduate studies. The general requirements for admission as outlined under the “Regulations of the Graduate College” must be met. Areas of research expertise are control systems, biomedical engineering, plasma physics, solid state physical electronics, electro-optics, information processing, communication theory, semiconductor materials, devices and integrated circuits (VLSI).

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

An accredited bachelor’s degree in an appropriate field.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

An accredited bachelor’s degree in electrical engineering or equivalent education.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Advanced courses in electrical engineering, physics, and mathematics (18 to 24) with at least 15 credit hours appropriately distributed in approved areas of study in the Computer Science and Electrical Engineering Department; thesis research (six to 12 hours).

Although a thesis is normally required in the program leading to the M.S. in Electrical Engineering, the thesis may be waived with departmental approval, in favor of additional courses. In such cases, the student will be expected to have considerable professional experience, or to submit high quality technical reports as evidence of professional maturity.
REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO
GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
A master’s degree in electrical engineering or the equivalent.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO
CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
Successful completion of Ph.D. comprehensive examinations.

The majority of students will have completed a core program comprising graduate courses before taking the comprehensive examination.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE
DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
At least 45 credit hours in courses and seminars and 20 credit hours in dissertation. Four courses are to be chosen from a major area of concentration and two from a minor. The requirements specified under the “Policies of the Graduate College” must also be met. A total of 75 credit hours is required.

COURSES OFFERED

201 Linear System Theory (3-0). Basic concepts in system theory; linear algebra; state space representation; stability; controllability; and observability. Applications of these concepts. Prerequisite: 171 or permission. Three hours.

209 Transient Phenomena (3-0). Complex variable basis of Laplace and Fourier Transforms; applications to transient behavior of lumped and distributed parameter systems, root locus, Nyquist criterion, two-dimensional field problems. Prerequisites: 4, Math. 121 or equivalent. Three hours.

210 Introduction to Control Systems (3-0). Analysis and design of continuous and discrete time control systems; stability signal flow, performance criteria, classical and state variable methods, simulation design tools, computer-based realizations. Prerequisites: 171 or permission. Three hours.

221 Principles of VLSI Digital Circuit Design (3-3). The design, layout, and simulation of VLSI digital circuits. Emphasis on custom, laboratory design; general topics will include memory, PLA, ALU, and elemental arithmetic circuits. Prerequisites: 121, 131, 163 or equivalent. Three hours.

222 Principles of VLSI Analog Circuit Design. The design, layout, and simulation of VLSI analog circuits. Emphasis on small signal models and circuits used in operational amplifiers. Prerequisites: 121, 163, permission. Three hours.


227 Biomedical Measurements, Instrumentation, and Systems. Biomedical and clinical engineering in research, industry, and healthcare institutions. Measurement techniques and instrumentation. Integrated biomedical monitoring, diagnostic, and therapeutic systems. Prerequisites: 121, Physiology and Biophysics 101, and permission. Three hours.

228 Sensors. Sensor design, interrogation and implementation. A wide variety of electrical, electronic, optical, mechanical, and cross-disciplinary devices. System designs, measurement techniques and methodologies. Prerequisites: Senior standing in Engineering or Physics. Three hours.

231 Digital Computer Design I (3-0). Hardware organization and realization, hardwired and microprogrammed control units, interrupt and I/O systems. A hardware design language is introduced and used for computer design. Prerequisites: 131, and either 134 or CS 101 or permission. Three hours.

232 Digital Computer Design II (3-0). Memory designs, error control, high-speed addition, multiplication, and division, floating-point arithmetic, cpu enhancements, testing and design for testability. Prerequisite: 231. Three hours.

233 Microprocessor-Based Systems and Applications. Basic principles of mini-microcomputers: A/D, D/A; channels, magnetic devices, display devices, mechanical devices; interface designs of analog systems to mini/microcomputers; principles of microprogramming; bit-slice-based microcomputers. Prerequisite: Permission. Computer Science 101 desirable. Four hours.

240 Boundary Value Problems in Electromagnetism (3-0). Problems of Electromagnetism emphasizing Helmholtz theorem, uniqueness theorems, and numerical methods. Prerequisite: 141 or equivalent. Three hours.

242 Electromagnetic Theory II. Macroscopic Maxwell theory, boundary conditions and dispersion relations for spatio-temporal fields. Electromagnetic wave propagation, reflection and transmission, guided waves, radiation, scattering and diffraction phenomena. Prerequisite: 240 or permission. Three hours.

245 Lasers and Electro-Optical Devices (3-0). A theoretical description of light-matter interactions in photon emitting resonant cavities and a practical understanding of laser design and operation. Prerequisites: 141, Physics 128, permission. Three hours.

246 Engineering Optics. Applications of optics to the solution of engineering problems. Optical signal processing, fiber optic sensors, integrated optics. Prerequisites: 245 or permission. Three hours.

250 Test Engineering (3-0). Parametric, structural, functional, characterization and stress testing of components and subsystems. Test methods, strategies, planning, and economics. Test equipment hardware and software. Prerequisites: 121, 131. Three hours.

251 Digital System Testing and Testable Design (3-0). Circuit failures, fault models, testing and test pattern generation, logic and fault simulation, design for testability, scan design, test interfaces, design for built-in self-test. Prerequisite: 131. Three hours.

261 Solid State Materials and Devices I. Energy band theory, effective mass, band structure effect on electronic properties of solids. Transport of electrons and holes in bulk materials and across interfaces. Homojunctions, heterojunctions, Schottky barriers. Prerequisite: 165 or equivalent. Three hours.


266 Science and Technology of Integrated Circuits (3-0). Science and technology of integrated circuit fabrication, interaction of processing with material properties, electrical performance, economy, and manufacturability. Prerequisites: 163 or 261 and concurrent registration in 164 or 262. Three hours.


271 Least Squares Estimation and Filtering. Foundations


276 Image Processing and Coding (3-3). Image enhancement techniques by point and spatial operations. Data compression techniques to include scalar quantization entropy coding, transform and sub-band coding. Labs on PC hardware; PC and Unix-based software. Prerequisites: 270 recommended, 275. Four hours.


281 through 284 Seminars (1-0). Presentation and discussion of advanced electrical engineering problems and current developments. Prerequisite: Graduate engineering enrollment. One hour.

285 Engineering Design Analysis and Synthesis. Advanced engineering problem solving, analytical techniques and simulations involving control systems, digital electronics, computer hardware and software; technical writing and documentation emphasized. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

295 Special Topics. Formulation and solution of theoretical and practical problems dealing with electrical circuits, apparatus, machines, or systems. Prerequisites: 4. Three hours.

310 Digital Control Systems (3-0). Digital control system analysis and design using transform, algebraic, and state space methods. Sampled data systems, stability, quantization effects, sample rate selection, computer-based realization. Prerequisites: 210 or permission. Three hours.

312 Introduction to Optimal Control Systems (3-0). Optimal control problem formulation and solution; including the calculus of variations, Pontryagin's maximum principle, Hamilton-Jacobi theory, dynamic programming, and computational methods. Prerequisite: 310. Three hours.

314, 315 Nonlinear System Theory (3-0). Basic nonlinear methods including computational and geometrical techniques for analysis of nonlinear systems. Describing function methods and bifurcation and catastrophe theory. Sensitivity and stability considerations. Prerequisite: 201 or Math. 230. Three hours.


340, 341 Special Topics in Electromagnetic Field Theory (3-0). For advanced students in the field of electromagnetism. Topics selected from the special interests of staff with lectures and readings from current literature. Three hours.


348 Optical Field Theory II. Classical theory of coherence and statistical optics. The Van Cittert-Zernike theorem, partial coherence. Rigorous diffraction theory, the optics of metals and crystal optics. Prerequisites: 270, 347. Three hours.


365 Optical Properties of Solids (3-0). Optical and optoelectronic properties of semiconductors. Applications to photodetectors, solar cells, light emitting diodes and lasers. Prerequisites: 242, 262, Physics 273. Three hours.


373, 374 Digital Communication (3-0). Source entropy and channel capacity; signal representation; optimal detector for Gaussian channels; digital modulation/demodulation schemes; error probability; block/convolutional codes; Viterbi algorithm; real channels. Prerequisites: 174, 270, 373 for 374. Three hours.

378 Special Topics in Statistical Communication and Related Fields. Coding for communication or computer systems, pattern recognition and learning machines, artificial intelligence, etc., selected from special interests of staff with lectures and readings from current literature. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395 Advanced Special Topics. Advanced topics of current interest in electrical engineering. Prerequisites: Permission. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

The following courses are offered infrequently but may be taught when sufficient student interest is demonstrated.

251 Applications of Linear Algebra. Three hours.

272 Information Theory. Three hours.


319, 320 Special Topics in Control System Theory. Three hours.

345 Electromagnetic Antennas and Propagation. Three hours.

367 Solid State and Semiconductor Theory II. Three hours.

**Engineering Physics**

A program of advanced study in physics and engineering to prepare students for research and development positions in mission-oriented organizations. Advanced courses in both physics and engineering are required as is a comprehensive examination and a thesis based upon the application of physical principles to a real or simulated engineering problem. A nonthesis option is available to students who have
already demonstrated ability to perform research and report the results in written and oral form.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Students with an accredited bachelor's degree in computer science, engineering, applied mathematics, or physics are normally considered for admission to the program. Submission of scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examination is required.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

The student is expected to have completed the following courses: Math. 271, 272 (applied mathematics), ME 50 or Physics 211 (intermediate mechanics), ME 101 (materials engineering), Physics 265, ME 41, or ME 115 (thermal science), Physics 213, 214 or EE 143, 144 (electromagnetism), Physics 273 (quantum mechanics), Physics 242 or EE 263, 264 (solid state physics).

Since these are prerequisites to the degree program, and not the program itself, any of these course prerequisites may be replaced by a demonstration of equivalent knowledge of their content, to the satisfaction of the Studies Committee. Demonstrated ability to program scientific or technical problems in Fortran, or an equivalent language.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Thesis Option

Completion of 30 credits of study approved by the Studies Committee, which must include Physics 341, 342, and 362, not fewer than six credits in graduate engineering courses, and six credits in Physics 391 (thesis research). This option requires submission of a thesis based on an independent investigation demanding the application of physical principles to a real or simulated engineering problem approved by the Studies Committee.

Nonthesis Option

Students who are offered the nonthesis option must elect to replace the requirement of Physics 391 with Physics 381, 382.

Examinations

All students are required to pass the regularly offered Physics Comprehensive Examination, administered annually circa the end of May. Students submitting a thesis (Physics 391) must pass the usual Thesis Examination.

English (ENG)

Professors Biddle, Bradley, Broughton (Chairperson), Eschholz, Fuhailer, Gutman, Huddle, Manchel, Orth, Poggi, Rao, Shepherd, Stephany (Director of Graduate Studies), Thompson, Warhol; Associate Professors M.J. Dickerson, Edwards, Magistrale, Meamane, Simone, Stanton, Swerdlisch; Assistant Professors Barnaby, Baruth, Kate, Lin, Schnell, Welch, Winter.

The research interests of the faculty of the Department of English and library resources permit graduate students to undertake thesis subjects in virtually all fields of the discipline.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

An undergraduate major in English or its equivalent; satis-factory scores on the general (aptitude) and subject (literature in English) Graduate Record Examinations; demonstration of proficiency in writing by a detailed statement concerning the purpose in pursuing graduate study in English. If admitted conditionally the student must complete satisfactorily a stipulated number of hours (usually six) of graduate level work.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Satisfactory completion of 18 hours of appropriate credit.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Thesis Option

Completion of 24 hours of course work, including English 320, 330, 340 or 350, 360, 370 or 201-296, and at least nine additional hours (at least three of these nine in English or Humanities, at most six in related fields). Candidates must submit a customized reading list, pass a comprehensive exam based on it, and complete six additional hours by writing an acceptable thesis and defending it successfully (ENG 391).

Nonthesis Option

Completion of 30 hours of course work, including English 320, 330, 340 or 350, 360, 370 or 201-296, and at least fifteen additional hours (at least nine of these in English or Humanities, at most six in related fields). Candidates must pass a three-part comprehensive examination based on set Departmental reading lists, and must receive a grade of B+ or better on two seminar papers submitted to an ad hoc faculty Reading Committee (ENG 392).

Both Options

All M.A. candidates in English must demonstrate a reading knowledge of a foreign language by examination or by advanced coursework.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

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MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

Thirty credit hours of course work; 24 in English (including English 320, 330, 340 or 350, 360, 370 or 201-296, and at least nine additional hours of course work in English—up to six of these in a related field), plus a comprehensive examination in English. Also, a minimum of 30 semester hours of undergraduate and graduate education courses numbered above 200, of which not fewer than six hours must be taken at UVM, plus a comprehensive examination in education. See page 20 for further details.

COURSES OFFERED

At the 200 level, the Department of English offers several seminars each semester which are numbered as described below. The specified topics vary each semester, depending on the instructors assigned. Graduate students must obtain the permission of the Director of Graduate Studies in English to enroll in 200-level courses and will only participate in these undergraduate seminars under special circumstances.

201, 202 Seminar in English Language or Critical Theory.
211, 212 Seminar in Composition and Rhetoric.
221, 222 Seminar in Literature to 1800.
Environmental Studies (See page 105.)

French (FREN)

Professors Carrard, Kuizenga (Chair), Senécal, Whatley (Director of Graduate Studies); Associate Professors Crichfield, Van Slyke; Assistant Professor Whitebook.

Opportunities for thesis research in French literature are offered in all areas from the medieval through the 20th century, as well as French-Canadian literature and African literature of French expression.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

An undergraduate major in French or equivalent. Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examinations.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Twenty-four hours in French, which may include six hours in a related field, and in addition:

Plan A: Thesis research (six hours).
Plan B: Two research papers (six hours).

A program is also offered leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Teaching. Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) Graduate Record Examinations are requirements for admission to graduate studies for the M.A.T.

COURSES OFFERED

The following courses are available for graduate credit. They are divided into courses concerned primarily with advanced language study and those which treat literature. In literature, the 200-level courses, open to both undergraduates and graduates, cover the history of French literature from its origins to the present time by means of division into centuries and genres. Emphasis is placed on major figures and works, with a view to studying them for their intrinsic value as well as in their historical context. For more detailed information on specific courses, consult with department chairperson and the course instructor.

French Language

209 Advanced Grammar. Comparative grammatical study centered on the specific problems encountered by Anglophones in written and spoken French. Three hours. Carrard, van Slyke.

211 History of the French Language. The development of French through sound and structure, from late Latin through the twelfth century. Alternate years. Three hours. Whitebook.

215 Methods of Text Analysis. Introduction to procedures and terminology used in analysis of texts of various genres. Three hours. Carrard.

216 Stylistics. Study of idiomatic difficulties faced by people who learn French; translation; analysis of the various "levels of speech" in French, with their stylistic features. Three hours. Carrard.

French Literature and Civilization

225 Medieval French Literature. First semester; Old French Language; 12th century epics, e.g. La Chanson de Roland, Le Pèlerinage de Charlemagne, Breton lays; Marie de France. Three hours. Whitebook.

226 Medieval French Literature. Second semester; Romances: Chrétien de Troyes, Guillaume de Lorris and Jean de Meung; lyric poetry, Machaut; Pisan; Charles d'Orléans; fables and miracles. Prerequisite: 225. Three hours. Whitebook.
245. Literature of the French Renaissance. Readings in fiction, poetry, and essays. Rabelais; the lyric poets Louise Labé, Ronsard, and Du Bellay; the tales of Marguerite de Navarre; Montaigne. Three hours. Kuizenga, Whately.

246. The Baroque Age, 1600–1650. The literature after France's civil wars, up to the triumph of classicism: religious, lyric, and political poetry; idealistic, picaroque and fantastic novels; baroque drama; Pascal. Three hours. Whately.

247. Seventeenth Century Prose. Creation of the modern novel, evolution of psychological and ethical writing. Topics include women writers, the moralistes, memoirs, relationships between socio-political structures and literary production. Three hours. Kuizenga.


249. 18th Century Literature. Writers of the early Enlightenment. Possible topics: the impact of the new science; the literary reflection of new social types; the "pursuit of happiness." Three hours. Whately.

250. 18th Century Literature. Rousseau, Diderot, Laclos, Sade: the generation before the Revolution. Possible topics: the attempts to define "natural man;" the relationship between the arts and morality, between liberty and libertinism. Three hours. Whately.


252. Revolution and Reaction in 19th Century Narrative. Study of the representations of major social issues of the period, such as power, class, money and women. Representative authors: Balzac, Flaubert, Sand, Stendhal, Zola. Three hours. Van Slyke.

253, 254. 20th Century Literature. Selected topics dealing with poetry and/or narrative related either to an historical period or a literary movement. Three hours. Carrard.

255. Topics in 20th Century French Theatre. Subjects may include: le théâtre traditionnel, le théâtre "de l'absurde", le théâtre de la marge, a combination of all the above. Each may be repeated up to six hours. Three hours.

256. Québec Literature I. A study of contemporary (1960–1985) major works of fiction, poetry, and drama. Authors studied include Anne Hébert, Michel Tremblay, Jacques Godbout, Gaston Miron. Three hours. Senécal.

257. Québec Literature II. A continuation of 256, encompassing fiction, poetry, and theatre from 1940 to 1975. Three hours. Senécal.


259. Contemporary French Thought: The Linguistic Model. Study of the model of structural analysis established by Saussure and its adaptations to other domains of contemporary thought such as anthropology, psychoanalysis and philosophy. Taught entirely in French. Three hours. Van Slyke.

260. Topics in French Culture. In-depth study of a major aspect of French culture. See Schedule of Courses for specific offering. Prerequisite: FREN 191, or HIST 135, or HIST 136, or permission of instructor. Three hours.


262. Advanced Special Topics. Three hours.

263. Advanced Readings and Research. Three hours.


Geography (GEOG)

Professors Bodman (Chairperson), Gade; Associate Professors Barnum, Lind, Seager; Assistant Professor Hannah.

Faculty research interests include most systematic aspects of geography, especially from an historical perspective. Technical interests are in cartography, remote sensing, and quantitative methods. Regional interests and field experiences are almost world-wide in scope.

Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Master of Arts

Evidence of a strong interest in geography. Satisfactory scores on the general (verbal and quantitative) portion of the Graduate Record Examination.

Requirements for Advancement to Candidacy for the Degree of Master of Arts

Twelve semester hours or its equivalent in geography and supporting courses in related fields or demonstrated proficiency in geography which would be assurance of success in graduate study.

Minimum Degree Requirements

Twenty-one hours in geography courses including 201, 287, or a reading knowledge of a foreign language, and six hours of thesis research (391); nine additional hours in geography or a related field. For additional information, please write to the Graduate Program Coordinator, Department of Geography.

Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Master of Arts in Teaching

See page 21.

Courses Offered

Admission to the following courses for graduate credit requires the approval of the Graduate Program Coordinator in geography.

201. Perspectives on Geography. Geographic concepts and research methodology; the formulation, conduct, and presentation of a research effort. Three hours.

210. Special Topics in Regional Geography. Specialized study of a particular region. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.


261. Problems in Vermont Geography. Three hours.
**Thesis and advanced courses in geology must total at least**

**Satisfactory completion of one year of graduate study plus a**

**An undergraduate major in an appropriate field:** 12 semester hours in geology; satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination. Year courses in general chemistry, physics or biology, and calculus or in an applicable course at another institution, or recognized experience with a state survey, U.S. Geological Survey, an oceanographic institute, a geomineralogical group or industry. Satisfactory completion will be determined by the Departmental Studies Committee.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS**

1. A bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution;
2. Certification as a teacher of a physical or natural science;
3. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination (general portion).  

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS**

Satisfactory completion of one year of graduate study plus departmental recommendation.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN TEACHING (GEOLOGY)**

Thirty hours of course work that will strengthen the student’s background in earth science. Up to 12 hours of 100-level courses may be chosen if applicable. Course work may be chosen from supporting subject areas as well as from geology. Each student, in conference with an advisor, will develop a program suited to his/her needs and background. No thesis is required; however, each degree recipient must complete a general written or oral examination. A program is also offered leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Teaching (see page 21).

**COURSES OFFERED**

**201 Advanced Field Geology (1-6).** Advanced field mapping techniques, analysis of field data, preparation of geological maps and reports. **Prerequisite:** GEOL 200 or equivalent. Three hours. Doolan, Mehrten.  

**210 Systems Dynamics and Earth Science.** Analysis of generic systems with examples from physical and natural sciences. Geophysical systems emphasized. Laboratories involve computer analysis of system structure and behavior over time. **Prerequisites:** GEOL 100 or equivalent. Three hours. Doolan, Rushmer.

**220 Invertebrate Paleontology (2-3).** Classification, geological distribution, evolution, paleoecology, and morphology of major invertebrate fossil groups. **Prerequisites:** GEOL 121 or equivalent. Three hours. Hunt.

**230 Advanced Igneous and Metamorphic Petrology (3–3).** Application of phase equilibria, elemental and isotopic data, and textural interpretations to problems in igneous and metamorphic petrology, stressing modern theories of tectonics and petrogenesis. **Prerequisites:** GEOL 131 or equivalent. Four hours. Doolan, Rushmer.

**235 Geochemistry of Natural Waters.** Basic concepts of chemical equilibria applied to natural waters, including thermodynamics, pH, oxidation–reduction, weathering, and solution equilibria. **Prerequisites:** GEOL 110, Chemistry 1, 2 or permission of instructor. Three hours. Drake.

**241 Clastic Depositional Systems.** Selected readings and field studies emphasizing the interpretation of clastic sedimentary deposits including transportation, processes of sedimentation, and geomorphology of ancient and recent sedimentary environments. **Prerequisites:** GEOL 153 or equivalent. Three hours. Mehrten. Alternate years.

245 Carbonate Depositional Environments. Paleoenvironmental analysis of carbonate rocks including selected readings, field investigations, and petrographic studies. *Prerequisite:* 243 or equivalent. Three hours. Mehrten. Alternate years.

247 Carbonate Petrology Laboratory. The study of carbonate rocks in hand specimen and thin section. *Prerequisite:* Concurrent enrollment in 245. One hour. Mehrten.

251 Recent Sedimentation (1–6). Investigation of recent sedimentary environments using geolimnological and oceanographic techniques. Groups and individual projects. *Prerequisite:* 155 or equivalent. Three hours. Young.

252 Soil Classification and Land Use. (See Plant and Soil Science 261.) Three hours.


260 Structural Geology (3–3). Rock deformation, description, and geometry of structural types, and the interpretation of structures of all sizes in terms of finite strain and causal stress fields. *Prerequisite:* 101, 110, Physics 11 or permission. Four hours. Stanley.

270 Toxic and Hazardous Substances in Surface and Ground Water. (See Natural Resources 270.) Three hours.

271 Effect of Human Activities on the Lake Champlain Ecosystem. (See Natural Resources 271.) Three hours.

272a, b Regional Geology. 272a (one credit): Discussion of the geology of a selected region of North America; 272b (three credits): A four-week summer field trip to the area in question. *Prerequisites:* 101, 110; 272a for 272b or equivalent. Four hours.

273 Geology of the Appalachians. Origin of mountain belts; the Appalachian mountain system discussed in terms of tectonics and geologic processes active in modern continental margins. *Prerequisites:* 101, 131 or equivalent. Three hours. Doolan.


276 Water Quality Analysis and Interpretation. (See Natural Resources 276.) Three hours.

278 Principles of Aquatic Systems. (See Natural Resources 278.) Three hours.

295, 296 Special Topics. Special topics or seminars in Geology beyond the scope of existing formal courses. Maximum of six hours toward graduate degree.

340 Petrology and Tectonics. Application of igneous and metamorphic petrology to problems in tectonophysics, including petrochemistry of the earth’s crust and upper mantle and the internal structure of orogenetic belts. *Prerequisite:* Permission. Three hours. Doolan, Rushmer.


351 Surface Processes and Quaternary Geology Seminar. Discussion and critique of scientific literature pertaining to Earth surface history and processes. Critical examination of author’s methods, data, and assumptions. Student-led discussions. Specific focus changes yearly. *Prerequisites:* Graduate standing in Science, Natural Resources or Engineering or permission. One to three hours. Bierman.

352 Environmental Geology Seminar. Geologic constraints on environmental problems including: groundwater flow, contaminant transport, slope stability, climate change, sedimentation, deforestation and earthquake hazards. Extensive readings and student-led discussions. *Prerequisites:* Graduate standing in Science, Natural Resources or Engineering or permission. One to three hours. Bierman.

360 Structural Analysis of Deformed Rocks. Mechanisms of rock deformation; fracture phenomena and analysis; fault zone characteristics; fold generation analysis. Stress and strain interpretation of deformational features in rocks and minerals. Field work. *Prerequisite:* 260 or equivalent. Four hours. Stanley.

361 Advanced Structural Geology. Selected topics in analytical structural geology. *Prerequisite:* 260 or equivalent. Three hours. Stanley.

371 Advanced Readings. Readings and research projects intended to contribute to the program of graduate students in areas of geology for which formal courses are not available. *Prerequisite:* Graduate standing in geology. One to three hours.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

German (GERM)

Professors Mahoney, Mieder (Chairperson), Sems; Associate Professors Richel, Schreckenberger.

Current research interests include East German literature; history of the German language; medieval literature; literature of the 18th, 19th, and 20th centuries; and folklore.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

An undergraduate major in German, including a year course in literature and a year course in advanced composition and conversation or the equivalent. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examinations general (aptitude) section.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Thirty hours of graduate level courses including German 281, 282 or 295, 296; additional courses in German, which may include two advanced courses in a related field (six hours), thesis research (six to 12 hours).

The department also offers a program leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Teaching (see page 21). Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination general (aptitude) section are prerequisite to acceptance to candidacy for this degree.

COURSES OFFERED

201 Methods of Research and Bibliography. Introduction to tools and methods of research, including major bibliographical sources, reference works, dictionaries, editions, and journals concerned with German literature, language, and folklore. *Prerequisites:* Two 100 level courses or permission. Three hours. Mieder. Alternate years.

202 Expository Writing. Improvement of writing skills through work with authentic texts from different content areas (literature, media, science, business). Emphasis on stylistic development and sophisticated vocabulary-building. *Prerequisites:* Two 100 level courses or permission. Three hours. Mieder, Schreckenberger. Alternate years.

213 History of the German Language. Historical and linguistic development of the German language from Indo-European to the present, with emphasis on sound shifts, the 16th century, and the modern age. *Prerequisites:*
155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mieder. Alternate years.

214 Middle Ages. Analysis and discussion of several "Minnesang" poets (esp. Walther and Neidhart), the Nibelungenlied, the courtly epics Erce, Parzial and Tristan, and the satirical epic Helmbrecht. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mieder. Alternate years.

225 Goethe. Study of Goethe's accomplishments in poetry, drama, and the novel during major phases of his literary career: "Sturm und Drang," Classicism, and Romanticism. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mahoney, Richel. Alternate years.

226 Schiller. Major attention will be paid to Schiller's development as a dramatist (from Die Räuber to Wilhelm Tell) as well as to his contributions to German Classicism. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mahoney, Richel. Alternate years.

237 19th-Century Prose. Literary and stylistic analysis of prose works by Tieck, Kleist, Stifter, Gotthelf, Droste-Hülshoff, Storm, Keller, and Hauptmann with emphasis on Romanticism, Poetic Realism, and Naturalism. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mahoney, Richel. Alternate years.

238 19th-Century Drama. Analysis of plays by Tieck, Koziubue, Kleist, Büchner, Grillparzer, Nestroy, Hebbel, and Hauptmann. Consideration of traditional Viennese "Volkstheater" and the period's major literary movements. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mahoney, Richel. Alternate years.

247 German Literature from 1890 to 1945. Naturalism, Symbolism, Expressionism and subsequent trends through readings of authors such as Hauptmann, Rilke, Kaiser, Kafka, Mann, and Brecht. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Schreckenberger, Scrase. Alternate years.

248 Contemporary German Literature. Literary movements and their major representatives from 1945 to the present, including relevant socio-political, intellectual, and cultural aspects. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Schreckenberger, Scrase. Alternate years.

251 German Folklore. Verbal folklore genres (fairy tales, legends, folk songs, and proverbs) treated in their relation to literature, mass media, and popular culture. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Schreckenberger, Scrase. Alternate years.

252 Faust. Focus on one of the major themes of world literature. Readings include the "Volkbuch" of 1587, and works by Marlowe, Goethe and Thomas Mann. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Richel. Alternate years.

263 German Romanticism. Study of major works by authors such as Friedrich Schlegel, Novalis, Brentano, Hoffmann, and Eichendorff in their literary, artistic, philosophical, and socio-political contexts. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mahoney. Alternate years.

264 German Lyric Poetry. The lyric genre and the historical development of German poetry from the age of Goethe to the present. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Scrase. Alternate years.

271 Proverbs. Diachronic and synchronic survey of German proverbs, proverbial expressions, and wellerisms, emphasizing their use and function in literature, art, mass media, advertisements and oral communication. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Scrase. Alternate years.

273 German Intellectual Movements. A survey of developments in art, music, philosophy, and social thought from the Enlightenment to 1945, with particular attention to their impact on German literature. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Mahoney. Alternate years.

275 Fin-de-Siècle. Prevalent literary and intellectual movements at the turn of the 20th century in their historical, socio-political, and cultural contexts. Study of Nietzsche, Freud, Rilke, Hofmannsthal, Schnitzler, and Mann. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Schreckenberger. Alternate years.

276 Brecht and the Modern Drama. Brecht's revolutionary concept of "epic theatre" in theory and practice and its influence on subsequent dramatists, including Dürrenmatt, Frisch, Handke, Hochhuth, Müller, and Weiss. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Richel. Alternate years.

278 GDR Fiction. GDR fiction in its literary, historical, and social contexts, with reference to major developments in the GDR from 1949-89. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Scrase. Alternate years.

279 The German Short Story After 1945. Aesthetic and thematic evolution of the short story and its relation to historical, political, and cultural developments from 1945 to the present. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Schreckenberger. Alternate years.

281 Seminar on Literary Genre, Period, or Theme. Study of a literary genre, period, or theme through close readings of representative texts supplemented by lectures and reports on socio-cultural context. May be repeated. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Scrase. Alternate years.

282 Seminar on a Particular Author or Authors. Study of author(s) through close readings of representative texts supplemented by lectures and reports on the works' socio-cultural context. May be repeated. Prerequisites: 155 or 156 and one other 100 level course or permission. Three hours. Scrase. Alternate years.

295, 296 Advanced Special Topics. Advanced courses or seminars on topics beyond the scope of existing departmental offerings. See Schedule of Courses for specific titles.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.
program is designed to develop future leaders to help fos­
ter economic growth through the stewardship of historic
resources and to provide a focus within northern New Eng­
land for research on and public awareness of the region's
outstanding built environment. The program sponsors
summer courses in Historic Preservation. Through its
Architectural Conservation and Education Service, it also
provides technical preservation and educational services on
an contract basis. The program has been certified as meet­
ing standards for professional training established by the
National Council for Preservation Education.

Applicants desiring financial aid may be nominated for
Graduate College Fellowships or for Graduate Teaching
Fellowships in the History Department.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE
STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF
SCIENCE IN HISTORIC PRESERVATION

(1) A baccalaureate degree with a major in a preservation-
related field such as architecture, architectural history, his­
tory, planning, business administration, economics, engi­
eering, interior design, law, or environmental studies. (2)
Applicants must take the general (aptitude) portion of the
Graduate Record Examination and submit a sample inde­
pendent research paper, design project, or other evidence
of preservation-related professional ability. Almost all suc­
cessful applicants have spent at least a year in a preserva­tion-related job or volunteer work after the baccalaureate.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO
CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF
MASTER OF SCIENCE

Admission to this highly competitive program constitutes
acceptance to candidacy as well.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE
MASTER OF SCIENCE

(1) Thirty-six credit hours of course work. A minimum of
24 credit hours (including an internship or thesis) must be
taken in historic preservation. Participants are urged to
choose electives that will fill in gaps in their previous train­
ing. (2) A comprehensive examination given during the
third semester. (3) An internship in a preservation agency,
or a written thesis. This may be undertaken upon comple­tion
of two or three semesters of concentrated course work.
At the conclusion of the internship, an oral presentation
describing work accomplished will be given before a jury of
practicing professionals for evaluation. (4) Historic Preser­
vation 201, 203, 204, 205, 301, 302 and 303 or 304 are re­
quired courses for the degree. Students will also normally
take Historic Preservation 307 (Advanced Architectural
Conservation), History 351 (Proseminar in American Cul­
tural History) and Art 207 (Seminar in American Architec­
ture and Design) unless they have had sufficient back­
grounds in these areas.

COURSES OFFERED

201 Architecture, Landscape, and History. An examina­tion
of methods for deciphering the underlying cultural and
environmental forces that have shaped the nation's build­
ings, towns, cities, and rural landscapes. Prerequisites: An advanced course in one of the following areas: Ameri­
кан History, Architectural History, Historical or Cultural
Geography, Archeology, or by permission. Three hours.
McCullough.

202 Special Topics. Courses are offered yearly by visiting
faculty under this number, in specialized areas of historic
preservation, through Continuing Education.

203 Conservation Techniques for Historic Structures. Struc­
tural systems, materials found in historic resources;
methods for conservation. Preservation of brick, stone,
wood, plaster, metals, paints, etc. Introducing new systems
into structures without violating historical integrity. Three
hours. Visser.

204 Historic Preservation: Development Economics. Sur­
evency of economic, financial aspects of real estate develop­
ment pertaining to preservation and adaptive use (market
studies, pro formas). Field trips. Actual proposal develop­
ment for under-utilized historic properties. Three hours.
Lang.

205 Historic Preservation Law. Legal issues in conserva­tion
of the built environment. Basic legal techniques for
protection of historic structures (historic districts, protec­tive
legislation, easements, covenants). Study of significant
court decisions. Three hours. Groschner, McCullough.

301 Historic Preservation Contemporary Practice. De­
tailed study of current historic preservation practices
through field trips, seminars with practicing professionals;
technical training in architectural taxonomy, environ­
mental impact review, funding solicitation, preservation
agency administration. Six hours. Gilbertson, Visser,
Wadhams, and distinguished visiting lecturers.

302 Community Preservation Project. Third-semester
graduate students apply developed professional skills to ac­tual community preservation problems. Projects include
strategy development, securing and allocating funds, re­
search, advocacy, and implementation. Prerequisites: 301,
graduate status in the Historic Preservation Program. Three
hours. Wadhams.

303 Internship. Participants will devote a semester to pres­
ervation within an appropriate institution or agency. Three
hours. Visser.

307 Advanced Architectural Conservation. Advanced mi­
croscopic and macroscopic analysis of historic structures
through site investigations, laboratory research, and semi­
nars. Prerequisite: 203. Three hours. Visser.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395 Special Topics. Credit as arranged. Visser.

397 Special Readings and Research. Credit as arranged.

History (HST)

Professors Emeriti Daniels, Davison, Felt, Hand, Liens, Schmoke,l
Schults, Spieh; Professors Andrae, Ginde (Director ALANA
Studies Program), Hutton (Chairperson), Metcalf (Director, Ca­
nadian Studies Program), Overfield, Selye, Steffen, Stoler, Stout;
Associate Professors Coleman, Rodgers, Se, True (Director of
Graduate Studies), Youngblood; Assistant Professors Balagh, 
Bergen, Brown, Gustafson, McNaas; Research Associate Professor
Visser (Interim Director, Historic Preservation Program); Adjunct
Assistant Professors Fene, Krueger; Visiting Assistant Professor Herren.

Research interests include American colonial, revolution­
ary, federal, 19th- and 20th-century eras as well as Ameri­
can cultural, intellectual, military, social, state and local his­
tory. History of Native American, U.S. People of Color, and
U.S. Women, and U.S. foreign relations; Medieval Europe;
Renaissance and Reformation; histories of Canada, China,
England, England (Tudor-Stuart and Georgian periods), France;
modern Germany; social and cultural history of Russia and
the Soviet Union; the modern Middle East and Islam;
Mexico, Central America, and the Caribbean; history of
music; history of science; ethnohistory; popular culture; his­
torigraphy; material culture; global history.
REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS AND MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

Applicants should have an undergraduate major in history, or in a related field of the social sciences or humanities with the equivalent of a minor in history. They must take the Graduate Record Examination and submit with the application a sample of writing, such as a research paper done in the course of undergraduate study.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Each student's Studies Committee will certify admission to candidacy when it has approved a course of study (which may include remedial work such as courses in appropriate foreign languages) and a tentative thesis topic.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

See page 21.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Twenty-four hours in History, including six hours in thesis research and six additional hours in History or a related field. The Comprehensive Examination, in which questions must be passed in at least two different historical areas, must be taken by the end of the third semester. Completion and successful oral defense of a thesis.

ACCELERATED MASTER'S PROGRAM (AMP)

History majors in their third year of undergraduate standing at UVM may apply to the department for the AMP in history. Students accepted into the program will during their senior year work simultaneously on their B.A. and M.A. requirements, toward which they may count up to six concurrent credits. Application forms and further information may be obtained from the Director of Graduate Studies, Department of History.

COURSES OFFERED

The specific subject matter of each seminar will vary according to the instructor's interests. Graduate work in seminars, however, generally consists of extensive reading in the secondary literature of the field and the application of that material in a major research paper.

201 Architecture, Landscape, and History. (Same as Historical Preservation 201.) Three hours. Visser.

209, 210 Seminar in Global History. Selected topics on the nature and results of interactions among the world's peoples. History 209: to 1500, History 210: since 1500. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history. Three hours. Andrea, Overfield.

221, 222 Seminar in Ancient History. Selected aspects of Near Eastern, Greek, or Roman history (e.g. trade and colonization, imperialism, social and political institutions, cultural and intellectual developments). Three hours. Rodgers.

224 Seminar in Medieval Europe. Selected topics on Europe from the fall of Rome to the Renaissance. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history. Three hours. Andrea.

225 Seminar in Early Modern Europe. Selected topics on European history from the Renaissance to the French Revolution. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history. Three hours. Metcalfe, Overfield, Steffens.


228 Seminar on Popular Culture. History of the attitudes of ordinary people towards everyday life in European society from the Middle Ages to the present. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history. Three hours. Hutton.

237 Seminar in Russian History before 1917. Selected topics in Russian intellectual, social, and cultural history focusing on the period 1825–1917. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history including 137. Three hours. Youngblood.

238 Seminar in Soviet History. Selected topics in Soviet social and cultural history from the Bolshevik Revolution to the death of Stalin (1917–53). Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history including 137. Three hours. Youngblood.

245 Islamic Intellectual History. In-depth study of Islam, focusing on ideas rather than events. Topics include law, Sufism, art, philosophy and resurgent Islam. Prerequisites: 145 or permission. Three hours. Saad.

246 Seminar on Modern Middle East. Historical analysis of the major conflicts in the region, emphasizing the roles of nationalism, religion, foreign influences, and war. Prerequisites: 146 or permission. Three hours. Saad.

250 Seminar in East Asian History. Topics in the history of East Asia. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history. Three hours. McIsaac, Seybolt.

252 Seminar on China. Selected topics in the history of China. Prerequisites: 12 hours of history including 150 or equivalent. Three hours. McIsaac, Seybolt.


265 Seminar in Canadian History. Topics in 19th and 20th-century Canadian history: national development, regionalism, multiculturalism, and international relations. Three hours. See.

271, 272 Seminar in U.S. Social History. Topics in U.S. Social History. 271: to the Civil War; 272: Civil War to the Present. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history. Three hours. Gustafson.


277 Colonial Origins of American Society. How European patterns of life and systems of belief eroded in 17th and 18th century America and evolved into a distinctly American society. Prerequisites: Permission, 4 courses in the social sciences including at least 2 in history (25 and 177 recommended) and at least 1 from anthropology, economics, geography, religion, or sociology. Three hours. Stout.

278 Colonial Origins of U.S. Government. Evolution of government (local to national levels) from English background through establishment of the U.S. Constitution, emphasizing political and constitutional aspects of the American Revolution. Prerequisites: Permission, 4 courses in the social sciences including at least 2 in history (at least 1 above 100, 177 or 277 recommended) and 1 political science. Three hours. Stout.

284 Seminar in Vermont History. Topical approach to Vermont history through original research utilizing primary sources available at UVM, the Vermont Historical Society, and the Vermont State Archives. Prerequisites: Permission, 184. Three hours. Brown.

285 Seminar in History of Science. Selected topics in the history of science. Prerequisites: Permission, 12 hours of history. Three hours. Steffens.
The program in Materials Science is multidisciplinary. It is involved with the mechanical, electrical, chemical, and physical properties of materials — primarily solids — and applications of these materials. It is multidisciplinary in the sense that it combines the theoretical and experimental capabilities of a variety of disciplines and applies them to the solution of complex scientific and engineering problems. Problems such as corrosion, analysis and synthesis of electronic materials, development of bulk and thin film electronic devices and integrated circuits, optimization of mechanical properties of structural materials, and failure analysis are typical examples requiring such an interdisciplinary approach. The course program gives a broad background in materials. It also provides flexibility allowing specialization in particular areas of interest.

The program in Materials Science offers the Master of Science degree and the Doctor of Philosophy degree. Each student must meet the general requirements for admission as outlined under the Regulations of the Graduate College. Students in the program are sponsored by the participating department which best reflects the students' backgrounds and interests.

ACCELERATED MASTERS PROGRAM IN MATERIALS SCIENCE

The program offers an Accelerated Masters Program leading to both B.S. and M.S. degrees in five years. The program is open to undergraduate chemistry, physics, electrical engineering, and mechanical engineering majors. Interested students should contact the Materials Science Director by the beginning of their junior year.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

A bachelor's degree in physics, chemistry, metallurgy, engineering, materials science, or mathematics. Applicants with other backgrounds will be evaluated individually.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The above requirements for admission must be supplemented in either of the following ways:

Plan A

With Thesis: 30 graduate credit hours of an approved program of study including at least 18 credit hours of course work; completion of at least one three-credit hour course in each of the following categories; solid state theory, quantum mechanics, applied mathematics, and materials properties of solids; satisfactory completion of a comprehensive examination, and satisfactory completion of an M.S. thesis including its defense at an oral examination.

Plan B

Without Thesis: 30 credit hours of an approved program of study; completion of at least one three-credit hour course in each of the following categories: solid state theory, quantum mechanics, applied mathematics, and materials properties of solids, and satisfactory completion of a comprehensive examination.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

An accredited master's degree (or equivalent) in physics, chemistry, metallurgy, engineering, mathematics, or materials science.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Successful completion of a Ph.D. comprehensive examination in Materials Science and demonstrated competence in computer programming. The comprehensive examination includes the areas of quantum mechanics, solid state theory, applied mathematics, thermodynamics, and materials properties of solids.
MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

In addition to the above, the following are required:
A minimum of 75 graduate credit hours including a minimum of 20 in dissertation research. An overall grade-point average in graduate courses of 3.25 or better. Completion of at least one three-credit hour course in each of the following categories: solid state theory, quantum mechanics, applied mathematics, thermodynamics and kinetics, and one course in each of two categories dealing with materials properties of solids. Satisfactory completion of a Ph.D dissertation including its defense at an oral examination.

COURSES OFFERED

The program of Materials Science will offer a seminar course each semester (See Director or Advisor for appropriate details), as well as thesis or dissertation research. All other courses in a student's program are offered by the individual departments — primarily Chemistry, Electrical Engineering, Mathematics, Mechanical Engineering, Physics, and Statistics.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Mathematics (MATH)

Professors Archdeacon, Ashikaga, Burgmeier, Cooke, Costanza, Dioniz, Foote, Golden, Grass, Haugh, Lakin (Chair), Pinker, Wright; Research Professor Alevog; Associate Professors Bentil, Dummit, Mickey, Oughton, Sands, Son, Wilson, Yu; Assistant Professors Buzas, Yang, Lecturers Brown, Johansson, Karstens, Kast, Larson, Lauer, MacPherson, Marenzy, Peterbaugh, Read.

The Department of Mathematics offers programs towards the Master of Science, Master of Science in Teaching, Master of Arts in Teaching, and the Doctor of Philosophy in Mathematical Sciences. There are two areas of concentration: pure mathematics and applied mathematics. The programs emphasize the interaction between these two areas and the common role of scientific computation. Students can take courses common to both areas, enabling them to gain an appreciation of the mathematical techniques and the connections between theory and applications.

The department offers an Accelerated Master's Program (AMP) leading to a B.S. and M.S. degree in five years. Interested students should contact the department by the end of their sophomore year.

Department research interests include classical analysis, harmonic analysis, Fourier analysis, approximation theory, algebra, number theory, graph theory, combinatorics, fluid mechanics, biomathematics, differential equations, numerical analysis, and modeling.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE AND DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Because of the breadth of pure and applied mathematics, it is recognized that applicants for admission will have diverse backgrounds. Admission requirements are therefore flexible. Applicants should have demonstrated strength in either pure or applied mathematics, a bachelor's degree with a major in mathematics or a closely related discipline, and satisfactory scores on both the general and subject (mathematics) sections of the Graduate Record Examination.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Each student must complete one of the following options:

a. Twenty-four semester hours of acceptable graduate credits in advanced mathematics course; six semester hours of thesis research culminating in a master's thesis, or

b. Thirty semester hours of acceptable graduate credits in advanced mathematics courses; no thesis required.

Under either option students must take, or acquire knowledge of the content in, the following courses: Math. 251, 331, 335, and either 252, 273, 274, or 339. Students must satisfactorily complete at least four 300-level mathematics courses and the seminar 382. By approval of the student's advisor, up to six hours from an area of minor concentration may be used to fulfill the degree requirements.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Successful completion of four qualifying examinations, three written and one oral, in one of the areas of concentration.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Each student must complete the four qualifying exams and an approved plan of study including at least 75 credit hours in course work or dissertation research. The student is required to write a doctoral dissertation and pass a final oral defense of that dissertation. The Department requires two semesters of college-teaching experience. Students are expected to demonstrate appropriate proficiency in the use of computers. There is no formal language requirement.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS

A bachelor's degree from an accredited institution and certification as a teacher of mathematics. Experience teaching secondary school mathematics. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS

Thirty hours of course work in mathematics. With the approval of their advisor, students may choose courses from the 100-level or from closely related fields. The student must pass an oral comprehensive examination. No thesis is required.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

Thirty hours of course work, including at least 21 in mathematics and six in education. Students must be certified to teach. With the approval of their advisor, students may choose courses from the 100-level or from closely related fields. The student must pass an oral comprehensive examination in mathematics and additional required examinations in education. No thesis is required.

COURSES OFFERED

207 Probability Theory. (Same as Statistics 251.)

221 Deterministic Models in Operations Research. The linear programming problem. Simplex algorithm, dual problem, sensitivity analysis, goal programming. Dynamic programming and network problems. Prerequisites: 124; 121 desirable or equivalent. Three hours.
222 **Stochastic Models in Operations Research.** Development and solution of some typical stochastic models. Markov chains, queuing problems, inventory models and dynamic programming under uncertainty. **Prerequisites:** 207 or Statistics 151, or permission. Three hours.

223 **Introduction to Formal Language Theory.** (Same as Computer Science 223.)

224 **Analysis of Algorithms.** (Same as Computer Science 224.)

230 **Ordinary Differential Equations.** Solutions of ordinary differential equations, the Laplace transformations, series solutions of differential equations. **Prerequisites:** 121, corequisite 124 or permission of instructor. Credit will not be granted for more than one of the courses 230 or 271. Credit will not count toward a graduate degree in Mathematics. Three hours.

236 **Calculus of Variations.** Necessary conditions of Euler, Legendre, Weierstrass, and Jacobi for minimizing integrals. Sufficiency proofs. Variation and eigenvalue problems. Hamilton-Jacobi equations. **Prerequisite:** 230. Three hours. Alternate years.

237 **Introduction to Numerical Analysis.** Error analysis, root-finding, interpolation, least squares, quadrature, linear equations, numerical solution of ordinary differential equations. **Prerequisites:** 121, and 124 or 271, knowledge of computer programming. Three hours.

238 **Numerical Differential Equations.** Numerical solutions of differential equations: initial-value and boundary-value problems; finite difference and finite element methods. **Prerequisites:** 237, either 230 or 271 recommended. Three hours.

240 **Fourier Series and Integral Transforms.** Fourier series, orthogonal functions, integral transforms, and boundary value problems. **Prerequisite:** 250 or 271. Three hours.

241 **Analysis in Several Real Variables I.** Properties of the real numbers, metric spaces, infinite sequences and series, continuity. **Prerequisites:** 121, 124, or equivalent. Three hours.

242 **Analysis in Several Real Variables II.** Differentiation in R^n, Riemann-Stieljes integral, uniform convergence of functions, Inverse and Implicit Function Theorems. **Prerequisite:** 241. Three hours.

243 **Introduction to Theoretical Computer Science.** (Same as Computer Science 243.)

251 **Abstract Algebra I.** Basic theory of groups, rings, fields, homomorphisms, and isomorphisms. **Prerequisites:** 124 or permission. Three hours.

252 **Abstract Algebra II.** Modules, vector spaces, linear transformations, rational and Jordan canonical forms. Finite fields, field extensions, and Galois theory leading to the insolvability of quintic equations. **Prerequisite:** 251. Three hours.

255 **Elementary Number Theory.** Divisibility, prime numbers, Diophantine equations, congruence of numbers, and methods of solving congruences. **Prerequisite:** 52 or 104, or equivalent. Three hours.

257 **Topics in Group Theory.** Topics may include abstract group theory, representation theory, classical groups, Lie groups. **Prerequisite:** 251. Three hours. Alternate years.

260 **Foundations of Geometry.** Geometry as an axiomatic science; various non-Euclidean geometries; relationships existing between Euclidean plane geometry and other geometries; invariant properties. **Prerequisite:** 52 or 104, or equivalent. Three hours.

264 **Vector Analysis.** Gradient, curl and divergence, Green, Gauss and Stokes Theorems, applications to physics, tensor analysis. **Prerequisites:** 121, and 124 or 271, or equivalent. Three hours. Alternate years.

271 **Applied Mathematics for Engineers and Scientists.** Matrix theory, Linear Ordinary Differential Equations. Emphasis on methods of solution, including numerical methods. No credit for mathematics majors. Credit will not be granted for more than one of 230 or 271. **Corequisite:** 121 or equivalent. Three hours.

272 **Applied Analysis.** Partial differential equations of mathematical physics, calculus of variations, functions of a complex variable, Cauchy's Theorem, integral formula, conformal mapping. **Prerequisite:** 230 or 271. Three hours.

273 **Combinatorial Graph Theory.** Paths and trees, connectivity, Eulerian and Hamiltonian cycles, matchings, edge and vertex colorings, planar graphs, Euler's formula and the Four Color Theorem, networks. **Prerequisite:** 102 or 104 or equivalent. Three hours.

274 **Numerical Linear Algebra.** Direct and iterative methods for solving linear equations, least square factorization methods, eigenvalue computations, ill-conditioning and stability. **Prerequisite:** 237. Three hours.

275, 276 **Advanced Engineering Analysis I, II.** See Mechanical Engineering 304, 305. **Prerequisites:** 271 or 230; 275 for 276. Cross-listings: Mechanical Engineering 304, 305; Civil Engineering 304, 305.

295 **Special Topics.** Lectures, reports, and directed readings on advanced topics as announced. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Credit as arranged. Offered as occasion warrants.

325 **Algebraic Theory of Automata.** Use of algebraic methods to study automata and languages. Decomposition of machines and Krohn-Rhodes Theorem. Hierarchies of rational and context free languages. **Prerequisites:** 243, 251. Three hours.

330 **Advanced Ordinary Differential Equations.** Linear and nonlinear systems, approximate solutions, existence, uniqueness, dependence on initial conditions, stability, asymptotic behavior, singularities, self-adjoint problems. **Prerequisite:** 230. Three hours.

331 **Theory of Functions of Complex Variables.** Differentiation, integration, Cauchy-Riemann equations, infinite series, properties of analytic continuation, Laurent series, calculus of residues, contour integration, meromorphic functions, conformal mappings, Riemann surfaces. **Prerequisite:** 242. Four hours.

332 **Approximation Theory.** Interpolation and approximation by interpolation, uniform approximation in normed linear spaces, spline functions, orthogonal polynomials. Least square, and Chebychev approximations, rational functions. **Prerequisites:** 124, 237. Three hours.

333 **Theory of Functions of Real Variables.** The theory of Lebesgue integration, Lebesgue measure, sequences of functions, absolute continuity, properties of L^p-spaces. **Prerequisite:** 242. Four hours.

335, 336 **Advanced Real Analysis.** L^1-spaces, L^p-spaces; Hilbert, Banach spaces; linear functionals, linear operators; completely continuous operators (including symmetric); Fredholm alternative; Hilbert-Schmidt theory; unitary operators; Bochner's Theorem; Fourier-Plancherel, Watson transforms. **Prerequisites:** 295; 335 for 336. Three hours.

339 **Partial Differential Equations.** Classification of equations, linear equations, first order equations, second order elliptic, parabolic, and hyperbolic equations, uniqueness and existence of solutions. **Prerequisites:** 230, 242. Three hours.

342 **Computability and Recursive Function Theory.** (Same as Computer Science 342.)
The above prerequisites for acceptance to candidacy must be completed in advanced courses in mechanical engineering, mathematics, and other approved courses in lieu of thesis.

Students should decide which option they intend to pursue at the beginning of their program. Part-time students normally use Plan B.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

An accredited master's degree in mechanical engineering or its equivalent.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

Successful completion of the Ph.D. comprehensive written examinations.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

The degree of Doctor of Philosophy requires of candidates a minimum of 75 credit hours to be earned in course and dissertation research. At least 40 credit hours must be earned in courses and seminars and a minimum of 25 credit hours must be earned in dissertation research. Candidates must be able to comprehend the literature of their field in at least one foreign language provided it is required for their dissertation work. The requirements specified under "Policies of the Graduate College" must also be met.

**COURSES OFFERED**

203 Machinery Analysis and Synthesis. Kinematic and kinetic analysis of two and three dimensional machines; kinematic synthesis; electromechanical and servo mechanisms; application to robotic mechanisms. Three hours.

207 Biomechanics I. Introduction to the structure and mechanics of the musculoskeletal system. Application of mechanics to bone, tendon, ligaments and other biological materials. Prerequisites: Graduate standing in ME, or permission. Three hours.

208 Biomechanics II. Introduction to biomaterials and the mechanical behavior of bioviscoelastic fluids or solids. Prerequisites: 207 or permission. Three hours.

232 Micromanufacturing Technologies (3-0). Crystal processes; thin films; vacuum, chemical vapor deposition; integrated circuit materials, processes selection. Manufacture of semiconductors, printed circuit boards, microchips, wafers. Micromachining, microfilming; precision instruments. Prerequisite: 161 or equivalent. Three hours.

235 Turbomachinery Vibration Analysis and Testing. Vibration in rotating machines; vibration measurement techniques; machinery condition and degradation; condition monitoring and predictive maintenance; industrial vibration techniques including proximity probes, accelerometers, FFT analyzer. Prerequisite: 244. Two hours. Francis, Hundal, Japikse.

241 Combustion Processes. Combustion thermodynamics; chemical kinetics; laminar flames, premixed and diffusion; turbulent flames; ignition, explosion, and detonation; droplet combustion; flame spread; large scale fires; rocket combustion. Three hours.

243 Fluid Dynamics (3-0). Inviscid incompressible flows; compressible flows; openchannel flows; turbomachinery. Prerequisites: 143 and Math. 271 or equivalent. Three hours.

244 Introduction to Turbomachinery Analysis. Fundamental turbomachinery principles of fluid mechanics, thermodynamics, and structural analysis; basic equations and computational techniques for analysis and design and

245 **Advanced Heat Transfer.** Transient heat conduction; integral methods; convection; formulation and solution; boiling, condensation; radiant heat exchange in enclosures and with emitting-absorbing gases, advanced view factors. *Prerequisite*: Permission. Three hours.

246 **Centrifugal Compressors.** Fluid dynamic and thermodynamic principles of centrifugal compressor design and design practice; limits of stable operation and instability prediction and control. *Prerequisite*: 244. Two hours. Francis, Japikse.

247 **Centrifugal Pumps.** Centrifugal pump design principles and practice; performance limits; cavitation; design tools and pump design optimization. *Prerequisite*: 244. Two hours. Francis, Japikse.

248 **Turbomachinery Special Topics.** Content in axial fans/compressors; axial, radial or steam turbines; CFD, dynamics/rotordynamics, or materials for turbomachinery; power plant or refrigeration cycle developments; turbocharged and compound IC-engines. *Prerequisite*: 244. One or two hours. Francis, Japikse.


272 **Mechanical Behavior of Materials.** Elastic and plastic behavior of single crystals, polycrystals; dislocations; approximate plastic analysis; anisotropic materials; hardness; residual stress; brittle, transitional, ductile fractures; fatigue; damping; creep, surface phenomena. *Prerequisite*: 101. permission. Three hours.


281, 282 **Seminar.** Presentation and discussion of advanced mechanical engineering problems and current developments. One hour.

283 **Laboratory Techniques for Turbomachinery Development.** Instruments and transducers for performance, flow, and structural measurements in turbomachinery; the role of test data in design and development; experimental data acquisition and processing. *Prerequisite*: 244. Two hours. Francis, Japikse.

295 **Special Topics.** Special topics in recently developed technical areas. Three hours.

301 **Introduction to Biomedical Engineering (3–0).** Introduction to basic biomedical engineering science; biomedical computing and pattern recognition, biomedical instrumentation and signal analysis, biomechanics, biomaterials, rehabilitation engineering, physiological transport phenomena, intelligent systems. Three hours.

304, 305 **Advanced Engineering Analysis I, II.** Problems in analysis in engineering, including ordinary and partial differential equations, special functions, matrices, tensor analysis, variational calculus, complex variables, perturbation methods. *Prerequisites*: Math. 271 or Math. 290; ME 304 for ME 305. Three hours. Cross-listings: CE 304, 305; Math 275, 276.

320 **Special Problems in Elasticity.** Advanced topics in the theory of elasticity in which there is a particular student and staff interest. Three hours.

321 **Special Problems in Fluid Mechanics (3–0).** Advanced topics in fluid mechanics in which there is a particular student and staff interest. Three hours.

322 **Special Problems in Dynamics.** Advanced topics in dynamics in which there is a particular student and staff interest. Three hours.

323 **Special Problems in Thermodynamics.** Advanced topics in thermodynamics in which there is a particular student and staff interest. Three hours.

324 **Special Problems in Heat Transfer.** Advanced topics in heat transfer in which there is a particular student and staff interest. Three hours.

325 **Special Problems in Materials.** Advanced topics in behavior of materials in which there is a particular student and staff interest. Three hours.


332 **Engineering Elasticity.** Tensors, complex variable, variational methods. Four hours.

333 **Stress Analysis (Theory and Experiment) (3–0).** Theory and experimental method of measuring static and dynamic stress and strain. Three hours.

336 **Continuum Mechanics (3–0).** Tensors, conservation laws, field equations for solids and fluids. Three hours.


342 **Advanced Combustion.** Equations of reacting mixtures; modeling of steady and unsteady combustion, homogeneous/heterogeneous systems; ignition, explosions, detonations; combustion aerodynamics; turbulence, swirl, sprays. *Prerequisite*: 241 or equivalent. Three hours.

343 **Advanced Fluid Dynamics.** Stress in continuum; kinematics, dynamics; potential fields; Wing theory; Navier-Stokes equation; hydrodynamic stability; turbulence; laminar, turbulent boundary layer theory; transient flows; free laminar, turbulent flows; mixing. Four hours.

344 **Advanced Engineering Thermodynamics.** Microscopic thermodynamics; Maxwell-Boltzmann, Bose-Einstein, Fermi-Dirac statistics; kinetic theory of gases; transport properties, compressed gases, liquids, solid states; chemical systems; irreversible processes; fluctuations. Three hours.

345 **Advanced Heat Transfer.** Generalized equation of heat conduction; classical integral transforms, approximate solutions; thermal boundary layers; forced and free convection; condensation, boiling, ablative cooling; radiation, statistical theory; mass transfer. Three hours.

346 **Advanced Gas Dynamics.** Compressible flow in ducts; friction, heat transfer; shock waves; small perturbation theory; high speed flows; transonic, supersonic, hypersonic flows; methods of characteristics. Aerodynamic heating; rarified gas flows. Three hours.

371 **Advanced Engineering Design Analysis and Synthesis.** Application of fundamental concepts, principles of advanced mathematics, physics, mechanics, electricity, thermodynamics, fluid dynamics, heat transfer, and decision-making processes to design, analysis, synthesis of complex engineering systems. Four hours.

372 **Systems Engineering.** Advanced course in systems engineering, reliability, maintainability, safety, and human
factors engineering. Case studies. Prerequisites: 371 or permission. Three hours.

373 Integrated Mechanism Design Analysis. Application of system analysis, rigid body dynamics, finite elements, fatigue analysis and structural dynamics to an integrated approach to mechanisms design. Prerequisites: 371 or permission. Three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395 Advanced Special Topics. Advanced topics in recently developed technical areas. Prerequisite: Graduate standing only. Three hours.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

The following courses are offered infrequently but may be taught when sufficient student interest is demonstrated.

251 Technology and Society Seminar. Three hours.

262 Thermal Systems. Three hours.

Medical Technology

See Biomedical Technology (BMT), page 40.

Microbiology and Molecular Genetics (MMG)

Professors Albertini, Bramble, Burke, Fives-Taylor, Gump, Kajjan, Macan, T. Moehring, Novotny, Schaefer, Wallace (Chairperson); Associate Professors Burke, Gilmore, Heuts, Johnson, Peterson, Sjogren, Tierney; Assistant Professors Branklyn, Morrical; Research Professor J. Moehring; Research Associate Professors Bateman, Raper; Research Assistant Professors Froeliger, Heckman, Melamede, Meyer; Lecturers Silverstein, Tessman.

Research activities include: The enzymology and regulation of cellular DNA repair processes; development of novel DNA sequencing strategies; self-splicing mechanisms of RNA; structure and assembly of transcription complexes in yeast chromatin; cloning and regulation of yeast ras/rho homologs; cloning and regulation of schizophyllum mating type genes; molecular mechanisms of bacterial adhesion; RNA polymerase II/DNA interactions in eukaryotic cells; genetic recombination in mammalian cells; mRNA processing in mammalian cells; initiation and control of the carcinogenic state; replication of animal viruses and action of protein toxins in mammalian cells; somatic-cell genetic mutations; histocompatibility genetics; protein-DNA interactions at eukaryotic origins of replication; eukaryotic cell cycle; function and regulation of ras superfamily of GTP-binding proteins; effect of bismuth compounds on bacteria causing dysentery and other gastrointestinal diseases.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

One year of biological science; mathematics through elementary calculus; one year course in Physics (Physics 11 and 12 equivalent); chemistry including one year of inorganic chemistry and one year of organic chemistry (equivalent of Chemistry 1, 2, 141 and 142). Prerequisites: 371 or permission. Three hours.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Graduate studies for the degree of Master of Science or Ph.D. degree program in Microbiology and Molecular Genetics. The program would be developed with concurrence of the Dean for Student Affairs.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Applicants may be accepted concurrent with admission, or candidacy may be deferred pending a period of satisfactory graduate study at The University of Vermont. Acceptance to candidacy is granted only to those students who have met all undergraduate course prerequisites.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Participants throughout residence in Thesis Research 391, MMG 211 Prokaryotic Molecular Genetics; approved selected courses offered in the Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics; Biochemistry 301-302; successful completion of thesis. Twenty-four hours of course credits, 16 of which must be taken from courses offered by the Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, and six hours of research credits are required.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Completion of undergraduate course prerequisites; satisfactory performance on teaching assignments, the cumulative examination, and in MMG 390 Research Problem Concept and Solution.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Dissertation Research 491; MMG 211 Prokaryotic Molecular Genetics; MMG 390 Research Proposal Writing; Biochemistry 301-302; approved selected courses from programs in Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, Biochemistry, and other departments at the discretion of the Department and Studies Committee; teaching assignments as arranged by the Department; successful completion of dissertation. Students are expected to develop proficiency in the use of computer language and programming. Thirty hours of course credits, 20 of which must be taken from courses offered by the Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, and 45 hours of research credits are required.

COMBINED MEDICAL COLLEGE AND GRADUATE COLLEGE DEGREE PROGRAMS

Qualified students, following acceptance into the medical college, may simultaneously enroll in the Graduate College for a Master of Science or Ph.D. degree program in Microbiology and Molecular Genetics. The program would be developed with the concurrence of the Dean for Student Affairs in the College of Medicine.

COURSES OFFERED

201 Molecular Cloning Lab. An intensive one-semester advanced laboratory course in which students will learn the fundamentals of recombinant DNA technology through the isolation and characterization of an eukaryotic gene. Prerequisite: 101 or 102, or equivalent. Three hours. Coordinator: Silverstein. Spring semester.
203 Mammalian Cell and Molecular Biology Lab. Students will analyze gene expression in mammalian tissue culture cell lines learning the basic principles and techniques of mammalian cell culture, basic animal virology as well as somatic cell and mammalian molecular genetics. Prerequisite: Biochemistry, Genetics and/or Cell and Molecular Biology courses, permission of coordinator. Four hours. Coordinator: T. Mochringer. Alternate years, 1996-97.

211 Prokaryotic Molecular Genetics. The organization, replication, and expression of genes in prokaryotes. Focus on the genetics of Escherichia coli and its viruses. Prerequisite: Introductory Microbiology, Biochemistry, Genetics, and/or Cell and Molecular Biology courses. Three hours. Coordinator: Novotny. Fall semester.

220 Environmental Microbiology. The activities of microorganisms, primarily bacteria, in air, soil, and water. Prerequisite: A previous course in microbiology. Three hours. Coordinator: Spogran. Alternate years, 1997-98.

222 Clinical Microbiology. Comprehensive study of human pathogenic microorganisms and their disease states in the human. Collecting, handling specimens, pathogenic bacteriology, medical mycology, and virology. Laboratory sessions provide practical experience in handling and identifying these pathogens. Prerequisite: 65 or 66, or equivalent. Immunology recommended but not required. Four hours. Coordinator: Silverstein.

223 Immunology. Analysis of the immune response with respect to structure and function of immunoglobulins and the T cell receptor, tolerance, innate and adaptive immunity, the Major Histocompatibility Complex, hypersensitivity states, cancer, and AIDS. Prerequisite: Permission of Coordinator. Three hours. Coordinator: Silverstein. Alternate years, 1997-98. Fall semester.

225 Eukaryotic Virology. An in-depth analysis of eukaryotic virus-mammalian cell interactions with particular emphasis on mechanisms by which viruses modulate gene expression in infected cells. Prerequisite: 65 or 66, or equivalent. Three hours. Coordinator: Silverstein. Alternate years, 1997-98. Fall semester.

254 Protein: Nucleic Acid Interactions. Cellular, replication, recombination, repair and transcription of DNA, and processing, transport and translation of RNA occur in macromolecular assemblies. Structure, formation and function of these nucloprotein assemblies will be described using examples from prokaryotes, yeast, viruses, and mammalian cells in culture. Prerequisite: 211 or equivalent, Agricultural Biochemistry 201 or Biochemistry 301 and 302 or equivalent. Three hours. Coordinator: Pederson. Alternate years, 1996-97.

295 Special Topics. Supervised investigations in microbiology and molecular genetics. Credit as arranged.

302 Medical Microbiology. Fundamentals of pathogenic microbiology emphasizing mechanisms of disease production and mechanisms of resistance to infection. The ecological rather than taxonomic approach is stressed. Primarily for medical students. Prerequisite: Departmental permission. Four hours. Coordinator: Silverstein.

310 Graduate Seminar. Seminar to focus on specific issues at the forefront of current research in molecular genetics. Meetings will involve student presentation and discussion of research articles. Prerequisite: Permission of Coordinator. Two hours.

312 Yeast Molecular Genetics. The use of lower eukaryotes, such as the yeasts Saccharomyces cerevisiae and Schizosaccharomyces pombe, as model genetic systems to answer questions of basic biological importance. Prerequisite: Introductory Microbiology, Biochemistry, Genetics and/or Cell and Molecular Biology, and permission of Coordinator. Three hours. Coordinator: Johnson. Alternate years, 1997-98.

322 Critical Reading. Students will participate in group discussions to critically evaluate and interpret the experimental data from one assigned paper from the scientific literature per week. Prerequisite: Permission of coordinator. One hour. Coordinator: Kurjan.

390 Research Proposal Writing. Designed to instruct students in the preparation and defense of an original research proposal. Students will defend their grant by oral examination. Prerequisite: Permission of Coordinator. Two hours. Coordinator: Kurjan.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

**Molecular Physiology and Biophysics (PSLB)**

Professors Alpert, Evans, Gibbons, Loo, Nelson, Patlak, Warshaw (Chair); Associate Professors Fujii, Haeberle, Oso, Stirewalt, Webb, Assistant Professors Berger, Jones, Schneider; Research Professor Maughan; Research Associate Professor Mulieri; Research Assistant Professors Mitchell, Peterson, Posada, Rovner, White, Woodcock-Mitchell.

Specific areas of research involve: the molecular basis of contraction in smooth, skeletal and cardiac muscle, including muscle mechanics, energetics, molecular biology, contractile protein biochemistry and regulation, electrophysiology, excitation-contraction coupling, and protein synthesis and turnover; cellular and mechanical regulation of lung function, including properties of cells in vascular, bronchial and alveolar tissue; control of cellular growth and differentiation, including regulation of gene expression by growth factors, hormones and mechanical stretch; chemical signaling in cellular communication, including kinetics of single sodium and calcium channels, cholinergic and adrenergic receptor function, and the neurochemical correlates of hypertrophic behavior and hypertension in rodent models; cardiovascular regulation, including changes in pregnancy and changes in cation transport associated with human hypertension.

Except under special circumstances, admission and award of financial support will be restricted to Ph.D. applicants.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Satisfactory performance on general (aptitude) section of Graduate Record Examination. Year courses in biology, organic chemistry, and physics. These requirements must be completed by the end of the first year of residency.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Satisfactory completion of basic courses and comprehensive exam; formation of studies committee.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR MASTER OF SCIENCE**

PSLB 301, 303, 308, 323; Biochemistry 301-302; other graduate courses as arranged (three hours minimum); thesis research (six to 15 hours).

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

Biology, one year; chemistry, organic and physical; physics, one year; mathematics, through calculus. These require-


The School of Natural Resources offers a Doctor of Philosophy in Natural Resources and four master's degree programs: the Master of Science in Forestry, the Master of Science in Natural Resource Planning, the Master of Science in Water Resources, and the Master of Science in Wildlife and Fisheries Biology.

**Natural Resources (Ph.D.)**

Professors Bergdahl, Cassell, DeHayes, Donnelly, Hannah, Manning, McIntosh, Newton, Reid, Ventris; Associate Professors Copen, Forcier, Gilbert, Hirsh, Hudspeth, Lindsey, Richardson, Wang, Watson; Assistant Professors Ginger, Hughes, Kaza, Kuentzel, Levine, Morrissey; Research Associate Professor Parrish; Research Assistant Professor Scherbatskoy.

The Ph.D. program provides the opportunity for focused, in-depth research in any of the specialties of the school, while fostering an interdisciplinary appreciation and perspective through course work and interactions with ecological, physical, and social scientists in an integrated academic setting. Students can develop programs in areas such as pollution ecology, recreation and tourism, conservation biology, and environmental policy, as well as any of the traditional natural resource disciplines featured in our Masters programs (see below).

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

While an undergraduate degree in a discipline appropriate to the field of study will be considered, applicants with a Master of Science degree are preferred. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination general (aptitude) section. Acceptability to a potential faculty advisor holding an appointment in the School of Natural Resources.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

It is ordinarily expected that a student will complete the following requirements for advancement to candidacy prior to the end of the second year in the program: (1) one year of full-time graduate study in residence at The University of Vermont; (2) teaching experience in one course; (3) at least 12 credit hours of research; (4) at least 15 credit hours of course work at the graduate level acceptable to the student's Studies Committee; (5) satisfactory performance on a comprehensive examination; and (6) a dissertation proposal accepted by the student's Studies Committee.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

The student must (1) present at least 75 credit hours in approved course work and research, including not less than 20 and not more than 35 credit hours in research; (2) have a reading knowledge of a foreign language or an experience living in or working with another foreign or domestic culture (approved by the SNR Graduate Studies Committee); and (3) satisfactorily complete and defend the dissertation.

**Music**

(See page 105.)
The goal of this Master of Science Program is to provide graduate students with advanced training in forestry science and the opportunity to further their knowledge and proficiency in some specialized aspect of forestry. The faculty has research interests which span the broad areas of biometry, ecology, genetics, tree improvement, management, pathology, physiological ecology, policy and administration, remote sensing, and silviculture.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE (FORESTRY)**

Undergraduate degree in forestry or in a discipline related to the intended specific field of study. Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) portion of the Graduate Record Examination.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

The Forestry degree has two options.

**Plan A**

(Thesis Option) Requires 15 to 24 credit hours of advanced forestry and related courses, a comprehensive examination, six to 15 hours of thesis research, and an oral defense of the thesis. A student’s thesis research is often an integral part of ongoing research projects.

**Plan B**

(Project Option) Requires 30 to 33 credit hours of advanced forestry and related courses, a comprehensive examination, three to six hours for a project pertinent to the student’s area of specialization, and an oral defense of the project. The project is typically a forest resources management plan, a major paper, or a series of papers.

**Natural Resource Planning (M.S.)**

Professors Cassell, DeHayes, Manning, McIntosh, Newton, Ventress; Associate Professors Capen, Forier, Gilbert, Hirth, Hudspeth, Lindsay, Richardson, Schmidt, Wang, Watzin; Assistant Professor Ginger, Kaza, Kuwetzel, Morrissey; Research Assistant Professor Scherbatskoy.

This interdisciplinary program prepares students for professional careers with public agencies and private organizations engaged in various aspects of environmental and natural resource planning and management. It provides theoretical and practical course work and experiences for those seeking to be environmentally-sensitive, resource-based planners and managers (town planners, regional planners, environmental regulation officials) as well as those seeking a broad natural resource education in such areas as: ecology and applied ecology; environmental law, policy, and administration; environmental economics; environmental education and interpretation; recreation management and tourism; management information systems (especially GIS), environmental studies, resource conservation, and sustainable development. Integrated resource management involving interdisciplinary problem-solving teams is stressed in most courses.

Efforts of faculty in the School of Natural Resources with the above specialties are augmented by those of colleagues in related fields at UVM, including the Field Naturalist, Public Administration, and Historic Preservation programs and the Center for Rural Studies. The academic program is further enriched by visiting faculty made up of leading Vermont planners and resource managers.

The program focuses on several concepts: seeking synergism between ecological concerns and economic health, considering the capacity of the land to support appropriate development (designing with nature as opposed to stressing technological solutions for transforming nature to meet human needs), understanding the "sense of place," understanding human institutions and behavior, and technical implementation (with emphasis on Geographic Information Systems).

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE (NATURAL RESOURCE PLANNING)**

Undergraduate degree in an appropriate field in the sciences, social services, or humanities/fine arts; satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section; and three letters of recommendation attesting to the candidate’s academic potential for graduate work and motivation for pursuing this degree. Most successful applicants to this highly competitive program have had past experience in an environmental or natural resource-related job, internship, volunteer work, or international travel.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

The Natural Resource Planning program offers two options.

**Plan A**

(Thesis option) Requires at least 24 credit hours of course work in related fields, a comprehensive examination, six hours of thesis research, and an oral defense of the thesis.

**Plan B**

(Project option) Requires at least 30 credit hours of course work in related fields (including five hours of core courses and four distributive courses), a comprehensive examination, six credit hours of project research, and an oral defense of the project.

Irrespective of the plan chosen, students in the Natural Resource Planning Program usually are in residence for two years.

**Water Resources (M.S.)**

Professors Cassell, Donnelly, McIntosh; Associate Professor Wang, Watzin; Assistant Professors Hughes, Levine.

The Master of Science in Water Resources program is designed to provide students with an advanced understanding of water quantity and quality in the natural environment and with the skills and methodologies to analyze and solve technical problems concerning the effects of human activities on water quality and quantity. Current areas of research emphasis include ecotoxicology, integrating dynamic and spatial models; nonpoint source pollution; stream and lake ecology; systems approaches to water resource modeling; water quality modeling; and watershed processes.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE (WATER RESOURCES)**

Undergraduate degree in an appropriate discipline and satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

The Water Resources degree requires 15 to 24 credit hours of course work in water resources and related fields; a comprehensive examination, six to 15 credits of thesis research, and an oral thesis defense.
Wildlife and Fisheries Biology (M.S.)

Associate Professors Capan, Hirth, Waltzis; Research Associate Professor Parrish; Assistant Professor Levine.

The Master of Science program is designed to provide a vehicle for a wildlife or fisheries biologist to develop research abilities and pursue a specialized course of study. Current areas of research emphasis include applied avian ecology, behavioral ecology, big game management, non-game wildlife populations, and freshwater fisheries ecology.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE (WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES BIOLOGY)

Undergraduate degree in wildlife and fisheries biology or management or in the biological sciences. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The Wildlife and Fisheries Biology degree requires 15 to 24 credit hours of course work in wildlife and related fields, a comprehensive examination, six to 15 hours of thesis research, and an oral defense of the thesis. The Studies Committee may require additional undergraduate preparation without credit toward the degree in instances of perceived deficiency.

COURSES OFFERED

FORESTRY (FOR)

205 Mineral Nutrition of Plants. (See Plant and Soil Science 205.)

221 Forest Soils and Site Relations. Forest soils from an ecological perspective. Profile development, physical properties, roots, water relations, nutrient cycling, topographic factors, site quality, and the potential to produce biomass. Prerequisites: 120, Plant and Soil Science 161 and permission. Three hours. Hannah. Alternate years, contact School.

222 Advanced Silviculture. Scientific bases for selected silvicultural practices. Prerequisite: Permission of instructor. Three hours. Hannah. Alternate years, contact School.

225 Tree Structure and Function. Basic anatomy and physiology of trees and other woody plants, emphasizing their unique structural and physiological adaptations to the environment. Prerequisite: Permission of instructor. Three hours. Scherbauskoy.

228 Ecosystem Ecology. Examination of structure and function of ecosystems (emphasizing terrestrial), using a systems approach. Laboratory sessions involve modeling and data analysis. Prerequisites: Biology 1, 2, Chemistry 3, Forestry 120, Natural Resources 140, Math 19, Physics 11; or equivalent. Two hours. Wang. Alternate years, contact School.


231 Integrated Forest Protection. Integration of concepts of forest protection using a holistic ecological approach to forest pest management. Detection, population dynamics, evaluation, prediction, and pest management considerations. Prerequisites: 135, 134 or permission. Three hours. Bergdahl. Alternate years, contact School.

242 Advance Forest Biometry. Advanced principles of estimation, prediction, inventory, and evaluation of forest resources. Use of system analysis techniques in natural resource management. Prerequisite: NR 140 or permission. Three hours. Newton. Alternate years, contact School.

254 Advanced Natural Resource Policy. Advanced seminar in natural resource policy, with emphasis on current issues in forest policy. Prerequisites: Graduate or advanced undergraduate standing; 251 or permission. Three hours. Reidel. Alternate years, contact School.

272 Forest Resources Management. Application of mathematical programming, growth and yield forecasting, and economic analysis to the planning and organization of forests for multiple-use sustained yield production. Prerequisites: 123, 153 or permission. Four hours. Newton.

285 Advanced Special Topics. Advanced special topics courses or seminars in forestry beyond the scope of existing formal courses. Prerequisites: Graduate or advanced undergraduate standing and permission. Credit as arranged.

324 Advanced Forest Genetics. Discussion of the adaptive and physiological nature of genetic variation in forest trees. Analysis of procedures, results, and interpretations of selected forest genetics research. Prerequisites: Statistics 211; FOR 124 or equivalent and permission. Three hours. DeHayes. Alternate years, contact School.

382 Seminar in Research Planning. (See Natural Resources 382.) One hour.

385 Selected Problems in Forestry. Advanced readings, or a special investigation dealing with a topic beyond the scope of existing formal courses. Prerequisites: Permission. Credit as arranged.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

392 Master's Project Research. Credit as arranged.

NATURAL RESOURCES (NR)


220 Landscape Ecology. Study of pattern, process and dynamics in the landscape. Considers the role of landscape pattern in determining habitat quality and ecosystem function. Prerequisites: One biology, one ecology course, or equivalent. Two hours. Wang.

255 Legal Aspects of Planning and Zoning. Comparison of Vermont planning and zoning law with that of other states. Case studies in planning, zoning, and land use controls. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.


244 Quantitative Assessments of Natural Resources. Principles associated with inventories of selected natural resources. Survey of measurement and estimation techniques for land, timber, wildlife, fisheries, surface water, and recreation. Prerequisites: One course in statistical methods, one 200-level natural resource course, permission of instructor. Three hours. Newton.

250 Limnology. Ecology of lakes and reservoirs, including their origin, physics, chemistry and biology, and the effects of anthropogenic perturbations. Prerequisites: An ecology course, a college-level chemistry course. Three hours. Levine.

251 Limnology Laboratory. Field and laboratory experience in limnology, including sampling techniques, physical measurements and analysis of chemical and biological samples. Prerequisites: Previous or concurrent enrollment in 250. One hour. Levine.
252 Visual Resource Planning and Management. Investigates the theories and principles of aesthetics related to landscape perception, and their applications to visual impact assessment and scenic resource planning. Three hours.

254 Advanced Natural Resource Policy. (See Forestry 254.) Three hours. Reidel.

255 Field Methods in Water Resources. Techniques used in field assessment of water quality in rivers and lakes. Case studies on the LaPlatte River and Lake Champlain. Sampling strategies, field measurements and data evaluation. Extensive field work. Prerequisite: NR 102 or equivalent basic course in water. Three hours. McIntosh.

260 Wetlands Ecology and Management. Structure, dynamics and values of natural and artificial wetlands; wetlands management and issues. Prerequisites: Biology 1 and 2, an upper level ecology course. Three hours. Levine.

261 Wetlands Ecology Laboratory. Field and laboratory experience related to wetlands ecology and management. One weekend trip. Prerequisites: Previous or concurrent enrollment in 260. One hour. Hirth.

262 International Problems in Natural Resource Management. Discussion of problems associated with the management of natural resources which have international implications. Topics may include deforestation, desertification, fisheries, wildlife, refuses, fuelwood, pollution. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Hudspeth.

270 Toxic and Hazardous Substances in Surface Waters. The fate of toxic and hazardous pollutants, including trace elements and organics, in surface waters; effects on human health and aquatic biota. Prerequisites: NR 102 or equivalent; Biology 1; Chemistry 23, 42; senior standing. Three hours. McIntosh. Cross-listing: Geology 270.

271 Effect of Human Activities on the Lake Champlain Ecosystem. Physical, chemical and biological characteristics of lakes. Effects of stresses, including nutrient enrichment and toxic substances, on lakes. Corrective measures; coupling of management and science. Prerequisites: One of the following: 102, 276, 278, Biology 236, or equivalent. Three hours. McIntosh. Cross-listing: Geology 271.

272 Assessing Environmental Impact. Application of knowledge of science, policy, social systems, and human behavior to assess impacts arising from use and management of natural resources. Prerequisite: Permission. Four hours.

275 Natural Resource Planning: Theory and Methods. Investigates theoretical development of natural resource planning. Studies planning methods appropriate to protection and use of scenic, recreational, forest, agriculture, and historic resources and ecologically sensitive areas. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

276 Water Quality Analysis and Interpretation. Selected aspects of water chemistry and bioassay as related to surface and ground waters. Laboratory analysis of water quality parameters and data interpretation. Prerequisites: One course in calculus, chemistry, and statistics, or equivalent. Three hours. Cassell. Cross-listing: Geology 276.

278 Principles of Aquatic Systems. Study of physical, chemical and biological principles as related to rivers, streams and lakes. Description of dynamic behavior of these systems using simulation techniques. Prerequisites: NR 170 or equivalent (or as a corequisite), Math 19, Physics 11, Chem 23, 26 or equivalent; senior standing. Three hours. Cassell. Cross-listing: GEOL 278.

279 Watershed Management Hydrology. Fundamental elements of hydrology and contaminant transport in watersheds. Application of dynamic simulation techniques. Discussion of new technologies for watershed management. Prerequisites: NR 170 or equivalent (or as a corequisite), Math 20, Physics 11, Chem 23, 26 or equivalent, senior standing. Three hours.

280 Stream Ecology. Physical, chemical and biological aspects of stream ecosystems. Impacts of human activities such as agriculture, forestry and water withdrawal. Bioassessment techniques using macroinvertebrates and fish. Prerequisites: 1 year biology, 1 year chemistry, NR 104 or 250. Three hours.

285 Advanced Special Topics in Natural Resource Planning. Advanced special topics in natural resource planning beyond the scope of existing formal courses. Prerequisites: Permission. Credit as arranged.

360 Environmental Sociology. An in-depth exploration of how sociologists understand the relationship between a) the physical environment's effects on society, and b) society's effects on the natural environment. Prerequisite: Graduate Standing or permission. Fall, alternate years. Three hours. Kuentzel.

370 Special Topics in Aquatic Toxicology. Discussions of the current literature in aquatic toxicology. Prerequisites: Concurrent enrollment in 270, graduate student standing. One hour. McIntosh.

375 Natural Resource Planning Laboratory. Experiential laboratory applying natural resource planning theory and methods to local or regional issues. Students conduct a planning exercise for a town or region. Prerequisites: To be taken concurrently with 275. One hour.

380 Seminars in Natural Resources. Presentation and discussion of advanced problems, research, and current topics in natural resources by faculty, graduate students, and outside guest speakers. Prerequisites: Permission. 0.5 hours/semester, maximum two hours. School of Natural Resources faculty (Chairman of Curriculum Committee).

382 Seminar in Research Planning. Discussions of the planning and activities associated with graduate student projects and research. Prerequisite: Permission. One hour. Forcier, Newton.

384 Independent Studies in Natural Resources. Readings, with conferences, to provide graduate students with backgrounds and specialized knowledge relating to an area in which an appropriate course is not offered. One to three hours.

385 Special Topics in Natural Resources. Graduate topics and material that may eventually develop into a regular course offering; in addition, it may include topics and material presented only once. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

392 Master's Project Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

RECREATION MANAGEMENT (RM)

225 Economics of Outdoor Recreation and Tourism. A socioeconomics analysis of recreation and tourism as an industry. Emphasis on regional, state, and community impact. Prerequisites: Economics 11, 12 or Resource Economics 61 or equivalent. Three hours. Bevins, Gilbert.

235 Outdoor Recreation Planning. The planning of large wildland areas for outdoor recreation. Emphasis on the planning process relative to the leisure time use of natural resources. Prerequisites: Advanced undergraduate or graduate standing in Recreation Management or permission. Four hours. Lindsay.

240 Wilderness and Wilderness Management. History, philosophy, and management of wilderness, national parks,
and related areas. Prerequisite: 235 or permission. Three hours. Manning.

255 Environmental Interpretation. Philosophy, principles, and techniques of communicating environmental values, natural history processes, and cultural features to visitors to recreational settings through the use of interpretive media. Prerequisite: 235 or permission. Four hours. Hudspeth.

WATER RESOURCES (WR)

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES BIOLOGY (WFB)

232 Ichthyology. Biology of fishes. Study of the structure and function of systems; behavior and ecology of modern fishes. Prerequisites: Zoology 104 or 219 or equivalent, WFB 161. Three hours. Alternate years. Contact School.

272 Wetlands Ecology and Marsh Management Laboratory. Qualitative and quantitative assessment of marsh habitats and wildlife populations, emphasizing management of waterfowl and furbearers. Technical paper required. One weekend trip. Prerequisites: 150; previous or concurrent enrollment in 271 or permission. One hour. Hirsh.


274 Terrestrial Wildlife Laboratory. Laboratory and field experience related to terrestrial species and management of their habitat. Field project required. Prerequisite: Previous or concurrent enrollment in 273. One hour. Hirsh.

275 Wildlife Behavior. Behavior and social organization of game and nongame species as they pertain to population management. Prerequisites: One year of biology, an ecology course, 74 or 174 recommended, or equivalent. Three hours. Hirsh.

279 Marine Ecology. Structure and function of major marine communities, including open ocean, benthos, coral reefs, and estuaries. Emphasis on unique ecological insights gained in the marine environment. Prerequisites: Biology 1 and 2, an ecology course, or instructor permission. Three hours. Watzin.

285, 286 Advanced Special Topics. Credit variable.

352 Modeling and Estimation of Animal Populations. Modeling and analysis of animal population dynamics, as influenced by environmental, ecological, and management factors; estimation of population size, density, survivorship, reproduction, and migration. Prerequisites: Math. 19; NR 140 or Statistics 211; an ecology course. Four hours. Cross-listing: Statistics 352.

387, 388 Graduate Special Problems. Advanced readings or special investigation dealing with a topic beyond the scope of existing formal courses or thesis research, culminating in an acceptable paper. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

Nursing (GRNU)

Professors Hamel-Bissell, McGrath (Interim Dean), Winstead-Fry; Associate Professors Cohen, Gilbert (Associate Dean), Green-Hernandez, Welch; Assistant Professors Botor, Carr; Adjunct Associate Professors Dale, Nosek, Sample.

The Master of Science in nursing prepares professional nurses to assume leadership roles within the discipline of nursing in a variety of settings, to expand knowledge of nursing, develop expertise in a specialized area of nursing and acquire the foundation for doctoral study and continued professional development.

The tracks/majors offered are: Adult Health Nursing, Community Health Nursing and Primary Health Care Nursing. Upon completion of the Adult of Community Health Nursing tracks/majors graduates are eligible to take the ANA certification examination for Adult or Community Health Clinical Nurse Specialist. Upon completion of the Primary Health Care Nursing tracking/majors graduates are eligible to take the ANA certification examination for Adult or Family Nurse Practitioner.

Current research interests of the faculty include: rural health issues, women's health issues, determinants of healthy aging, health promotion, caring, feminist theory, ethical decision making, advanced practice framework, determinants of leadership, alcohol and drug use within a community health context, patient classification, program evaluation, suicide, women's mental health, psychosocial concerns of consumers and health care providers, multidimensional healing, therapeutic touch, diabetes, cancer, and client self-teaching tools.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

A bachelor's degree with a major in nursing, preferably with a grade point average of 3.00 or better including a basic course in statistics. Eligible for licensure as a registered nurse in Vermont. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Exam. Three letters of recommendation from persons who can assess your potential for graduate work. RN's with a bachelor's degree in another field may be admitted upon successful completion of the Bridge Process (a means to assess prior nursing knowledge).

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Under most circumstances, meeting the requirements for admission as stated above will allow advancement to candidacy. Students who appear to be marginal in meeting admission requirements may be required to complete satisfactorily certain courses before acceptance as a degree candidate.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Fourty-two credit hours including thesis (6 credits) or project (3 credits) and successful completion of written comprehensive examination.

COURSES OFFERED

296, 396 Special Topics in Graduate Nursing. Topics of interest to graduate nursing which are based on theory, research or advanced practice. Course content will deal with topics beyond the scope of existing formal courses or thesis research. Prerequisite: Permission. One to six hours.

300 Nursing Research – Application of Quantitative Methods. Study of philosophical assumptions, purposes and methods of quantitative research. Study of statistics and use of quantitative research in nursing. Knowledge and skills related to the research process are applied to delineate a nursing problem and to develop a plan for its study. Prerequisites: Basic statistics course and permission. Three hours.

305 Pathophysiological Phenomena in Nursing Practice. Human response to environmental changes, compensatory mechanisms, aging, and their relationship to disease. Focus
on physiology is related to planning and management of nursing care. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

306 Pharmacotherapeutics in Primary Nursing Care. Pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics, rationale for cost-effective drug selection; potential adverse drug reactions and interactions, appropriate patient counseling. Legal and ethical responsibilities for advanced practice prescribers. Prerequisites: 305 and permission. Three hours.

310 Nursing Theory. Exploration of the concepts, conceptual frameworks, and theories in nursing. Analysis of the current nursing theories with emphasis on the relationship between theory and practice. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

315 Nursing Issues and Health Care Trends. Issues germane to contemporary nursing are explored. Forces influencing health care organizations are discussed with respect to concepts of management, leadership, change, and nursing roles. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

320 Nursing Research: Application of Qualitative Methods. Study of purposes, methods, and strategies underlying historical and philosophical principles, and the implementation of qualitative research in nursing. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

324 Nurse as Administrator - Theory. This course is a critical study of the knowledge and skills necessary to exercise effective leadership in contemporary and dynamic health care systems. Prerequisites: 310, 315, and 300 or 320. Three hours.

326 Nurse as Administrator: Practicum. Provide student with opportunity to integrate administrative theory, operations and research in a variety of settings. Practicum is structured according to the needs of the individual to provide knowledge, skills essential for the nurse administrator. Prerequisite: 324. Three hours.

328 Curriculum and Instruction in Nursing. Study of the development, implementation and evaluation of curricula in collegiate and nursing service education. Prerequisites: 310, 315, and 300 or 320. Three hours.


332 Theory and Practicum in Adult Health Nursing III. Application and synthesis of concepts relevant to advanced practice in adult health nursing, with emphasis on role development. Class and clinical placement. Prerequisites: 331 and one elective. Six hours. Alternate years, fall 1997 and 1999.

333 Advanced Physical and Psychosocial Assessment in Primary Health Care. Advanced skills in health assessment, interviewing, communication, health history, family assessments. Data collection technology relevant to formulating medical and nursing diagnoses. Laboratory and clinical practice in a rural culture. Prerequisite: 305. Three hours.

334 Theory and Practicum in Primary Health Care I. Primary health care of adolescents/adults within the context of the family. Nurse practitioner competencies are introduced. Secondary prevention and principles of rural culture are integrated in practice. Prerequisite: 300, 305, 306, 310, 315, 333. Six hours.

335 Theory and Practicum in Primary Health Care II. Primary health care of adolescents and adults within the context of the family. Technologic systems are used for data integration/differential diagnosis and record keeping. Supervised practice as nurse practitioner. Prerequisite: 334. Prerequisite: 320. Nine hours.


348 Practicum in Nursing Education. A practicum provides opportunity to investigate the roles and functions of the teacher in higher education and/or nursing service settings. Builds on the theory studied in GRNU 328 and focuses on the interactive nature of the teaching-learning process. Prerequisites: 330 or 340; pre/corequisite 328. Three hours.

363 Theory and Practicum in Primary Health Care III for Adults. Student-selected clinical area related to the competencies of nurse practitioner practice. Primary care management and health counseling in ambulatory, institutional or industrial settings. Prerequisite: 335. Six hours.


390 Master's Project. Self-designed clinical paper or innovative production pertinent to advanced nursing practice. Prerequisites: 331, 335 or 341 and permission of academic advisor. Credit as arranged.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Prerequisites: 331, 335 or 341 and approval of Studies Committee. Six hours.

395 Independent Study in Graduate Nursing. Individual work in graduate nursing with a base of theory, research, or advanced practice. Student in consultation with faculty sponsor devises objectives, plan of work, and evaluation for designated credit hours. Prerequisites: Permission of academic advisor and sponsoring faculty. One to six hours as arranged. Graduate Nursing Faculty is selected by student.

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Nutritional Sciences (NUSC)

Professors Carey, Chamblin; Associate Professors Johnson, McArthur, Pinnava, Podhiman, Ross, Sheard, Tzybar (Chairperson); Assistant Professor Clark; Extension Assistant Professor Hurley-Beiro; Lecturer Géges; Adjunct Instructors Defuria, Esrin, Kasloun, Lyons.

The department mission is to study the relationship between nutrition, health, and fitness (preventive nutrition) and be-
between diet and disease (therapeutic nutrition). Faculty research encompasses both basic and applied or community aspects of human nutrition. Research is being conducted on: diet induced hormone mediated changes in metabolism during weight loss and regain; developing behavior modification programs to improve individual eating behaviors and the nutritional status, health and fitness of communities; factors effecting the nutritional status of children and disabled athletes; the relationship between diet and colon cancer and between dietary fiber, cholesterol metabolism and atherosclerosis; physiological factors effecting energy intake and expenditure in aging humans.

A Master of Arts in Teaching degree program is also offered in Occupational and Practical Arts (Family and Consumer Sciences). This degree enhances an in-service teacher’s content expertise or leads to initial licensure. With appropriate elective courses this degree can provide endorsements for teaching in additional subject matter areas such as health and science. Recent research has focused on one of the nutrition facts label, teaching about eating disorders, women and girls in science careers, and intergenerational issues. Inquiries regarding this program should be directed to Professor Valerie Chamberlain in the Department of Nutritional Sciences, 106 Terrill Hall. (802) 656-0035 or 656-3374.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

An undergraduate major in nutrition or a science-related field. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) portion.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Thirty hours including thesis research (six to 15 hours). Twenty-one hours should be earned in the field of specialization; nine hours may be selected from related areas; courses in statistics, research methods, and seminar are required.

**COURSES OFFERED**

Prerequisites for all courses: as listed, or equivalent, or by permission of instructor.

235 Recent Advances in Foods and Nutrition. Interpretation and application of particular topics and trends in foods and nutrition as evidenced through literature and research. May be taken more than once for a maximum of nine hours. Prerequisites: 43, chemistry, physiology, permission. Three hours.


239 Curriculum Development in Human Sciences. Basic principles of curriculum development applied to human sciences education. Unique characteristics and contributions of human sciences education as related to educational, economic, and sociological trends. Prerequisites: Nine hours in education or permission. Three hours. Chamberlain. Fall.

240 Methods in Nutrition Education. Needs assessment, planning, and presenting of appropriate methods and materials for an identified audience in a community, school, or institutional setting emphasizing interpersonal communication, interviewing, and group process skills. Prerequisites: 43 and Speech 11. Three hours. Knisley. Spring.

241 Nutrition and Aging. Study of physiologic, psychologic, sociologic, and economic factors which influence nutrient requirements, nutritional status, and food habits of older people. Prerequisite: 144. Three hours. Poehlman. Spring.

242 Advanced Nutrition. Study of nutrients and their specific functions in metabolic process integrating cellular physiology, biochemistry, and nutrition. Prerequisites: Three hours in nutrition, a course in biochemistry and physiology. Three hours. Tyzbir. Spring.


245 Nutritional Biochemistry. Comprehensive study of metabolism of carbohydrates, lipids, and protein emphasizing hormonal control, nutritional and metabolic interrelationships, and dietary abnormalities (e.g. starvation and obesity). Prerequisites: 242. Three hours. Tyzbir. Fall.

246 Diet and Disease. Examination of the physiologic, biochemical, and psychosocial basis of several disease states with application of the normal and therapeutic food and nutrition principles associated with treatment. Prerequisites: 37, 144, 240, 242. Four hours. Ross. Fall.


248 Community Nutrition. Analysis of current programmatic and policy approaches addressing the major nutrition-related health problems in the U.S. Emphasis on program planning, marketing, and evaluation of community nutrition services. Prerequisite: 246. Three hours. Johnson. Spring.


250 Research Methods in Nutritional Sciences. Advanced research methods, including grant preparation, Institutional Review Board requirements, data analysis and presentation, and selected techniques in advanced nutritional biochemistry. Prerequisites: Biochemistry with a laboratory. Four hours. Pinauro. Spring.

259 Special Topics. Lectures, laboratories, readings, or projects relating to contemporary areas of study. Enrollment may be more than once, maximum of 12 hours in 195 and 295 combined. Graduate students are limited to six hours in 295. Prerequisite: Departmental permission.

296 Field Experience. Professionally-oriented field experience under joint supervision of faculty and business or community representative. Hours arranged; maximum up to 15 hours in 196 and 296 combined. Prerequisite: Departmental permission.

307 Advanced Concepts in Nutrition. Study of biochemistry and physiology of digestion, absorption, and metabolism of nutrients. Methods of estimating and meeting dietary requirements for maintenance, growth, and reproduction of several species. Prerequisite: One of the following: 242 or a 200-level course in biochemistry. Three hours. Alternate years.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.
Obstetrics and Gynecology
(See page 105.)

Pathology (PATH)
Professors Bovill (Chairperson), Craighead, Hardin, Howard, Macara, Massman, Stark, Trainer, Winn; Associate Professors Heinits, Huber, Lynde, MacPherson, Morrow, Pendlebury, Tindle, Tracy, Waters, Yandell; Assistant Professors Adams, Allen, Mattin, Mount, Tastjes, Tang, Tutschka, Weaver, Zarka.

Research interests are in the fields of anatomic, clinical, and experimental pathology. Current studies include histocchemistry, connective tissue pathology and biochemistry, electron microscopy, neoplasia, teratology, immunopathology, virology, and lung diseases.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE
Satisfactory undergraduate or graduate course work in chemistry and the biological sciences. Microbiology and immunology are also recommended but not required. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section. Persons interested in a Ph.D. program may wish to consider the interdisciplinary program in Cell and Molecular Biology in which Pathology participates.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS
Anatomy 311 (three hours), Pathology 305 (three hours), Biochemistry 301-302 (six hours); additional approved courses; thesis research (six to 15 hours).

COURSES OFFERED
301 General Pathology. A study of the processes of injury, repair, neoplasia, degeneration, etc., as they affect cells, tissues, and the human patient. For medical students. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

302 Systemic Pathology. Introduction to diseases, pathologic processes with particular reference to their effects on various organ systems. Instruction in clinical laboratory medicine is correlated with work in systemic pathology. Prerequisites: 301, permission. Eight hours.

305 Pathobiology of Disease. Basic state-of-the-art survey of pathobiological mechanisms for graduate and postdoctoral students who are not candidates for M.D. degree, advanced medical students, and pathology residents. Prerequisites: Required: basic background in chemistry including biochemistry. Desirable: microbiology including fundamental immunology, physiology, histology, permission. Three hours. Alternate year course with Immunopathology 395.

306 Lab – Pathology of Environmental Disease. (Pending approval.)

375 Special Topics in Molecular Pathobiology. Three independent, rotating one-semester modules concerning coronary heart disease, DNA replication, and control of cell cycle. Based on critical review of primary literature. Prerequisites: Biochemistry 301, 302. Three hours. DNA replication module – Heinits, Cell cycle module – Macara, Heart module – Tracy. Cross-listings: Cell cycle module – Microbiology and Molecular Genetics 310 and Zoology 381.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Investigation of a research topic under the direction of an assigned staff member, culminating in an acceptable thesis. Credit as arranged.

Pharmacology (PHRM)
Professors J. Bevan, R. Bevan, Brady, Hacker, McCormack, Nelson (Chairperson), Scollins, Tritton; Associate Professor Shreeve; Assistant Professor DaRon; Research Assistant Professors Bhushan, Bigelow, Knot, Lamer, Lannigan; Research Associates Bixen, Hoppier;

Research interests of the staff include: pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics of anti-AIDS and anticancer drugs; role of membranes in drug action; synthesis, properties and structure-activity relationships of biologically active nitrogen heterocyclic compounds; molecular biological approaches to the development of chemotherapeutic agents; mechanisms of drug resistance; effects of drugs on cellular ionic regulation; pharmacological properties of ion channels; receptor biology and pharmacology; regulation of cardiovascular function; pharmacological and structural differences in blood vessels; growth and development of the vasculature; neurohumoral synaptic transmission and microcirculatory regulation; derangements of human blood vessels in disease states such as hypertension, diabetes, and stroke; vasoactive peptides and their role in circulatory control.

A pre- and postdoctoral training program in clinical pharmacology of anticancer drugs is offered in cooperation with the Vermont Cancer Center.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREES OF MASTER OF SCIENCE AND DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
Year courses in biology, organic chemistry, physics, analytic geometry and calculus; physical chemistry and/or a reading knowledge of one foreign language may be additional prerequisites, depending on the requirements of the research supervisor; acceptable scores on the general (verbal, quantitative) and subject (advanced) sections of the Graduate Record Examination.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE
Pharmacology 301, 302, 303, 381, 391; supporting courses in biochemistry and physiology.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY DEGREE
Physiology and Biophysics 301; Biochemistry 301, 302; Pharmacology 301, 302, 303, 328, 381, 491; Biometrics and Applied Statistics 308.

COURSES OFFERED

290 Topics in Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology. Focus on basic principles, drug interactions with receptors, membranes, synapses, neurotransmitters, macromolecules, cytoskeleton, ion channels and pumps, and mechanisms of drug resistance. Prerequisites: Organic chemistry, biochemistry, biology. Three hours.
301 Medical Pharmacology. The chemical and biological properties of drugs. Prerequisite: Permission. Six hours.

302, 303 Pharmacological Techniques. Experiments conducted under supervision in the areas of drug metabolism, modes of drug action, physicochemical properties of drugs, bioassay, and toxicology. Prerequisite: Permission. Two hours, by arrangement.

328 Introduction to Medicinal Chemistry. Important classes of drugs are surveyed. Emphasis is placed on relationships between physicochemical properties and pharmacologic activity; synthetic aspects are considered. Prerequisite: Chemistry 131-132, or permission. Three hours. McCormack.

372 Special Topics. Topics of current interest and importance in pharmacology are considered in depth through presentations by staff, students, and visiting scientists. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit variable, one to three hours.

373 Readings in Pharmacology. Intensive directed reading in one area of pharmacology. Pharmacology students must choose a topic outside thesis research area. Term paper and seminar on selected topic required. Prerequisite: Permission. Two hours, by arrangement.

381 Seminar. Current developments in pharmacology are presented for discussion by students. Prerequisite: Permission. One hour.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Philosophy (See page 106.)

Physical Therapy (PT)

Associate Professors Held (Chair), Reed; Assistant Professor Wu; Professors Emeriti Feitelberg, Moffroid.

The Master of Science Degree Program is designed for graduate Physical Therapists who desire to expand and enhance their scientific knowledge and professional skills in a scholarly environment in preparation for practicing as an advanced clinician. The advanced clinician is a practitioner with in-depth knowledge who can act as a mentor, coach, advocate, and resource for providers and consumers by demonstrating competent advanced clinical judgment and skill, as well as competent teaching skill, and by promoting research as a critical reader and contributor. The core of the program focuses on the scientific basis of normal and abnormal movement. It is accompanied by courses within a professional practice sequence, as well as a research sequence which will culminate in the completion of a thesis. The program is designed to accommodate practicing clinicians who wish to pursue part-time or full-time graduate studies.

Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Master of Science

Graduate of an accredited entry level physical therapy educational program with a minimum GPA of 2.67 (B-) desired. Submission of scores of the Graduate Record Examination. A minimum score of 1500 on the aptitude portion is expected. Three letters of reference, at least one each from professional and educational sources. Official transcript, completion of approved electives. Completion of a practicum in one of the following areas: teaching, clinical specialty, management, and consultation. Completion of a comprehensive written exam is required prior to the initiation of the masters thesis research. In addition to the exam, the student must defend the research proposal in an oral presentation.

Minimum Degree Requirements

Completion of 36 credits of graduate courses in physical therapy, including six credits of thesis research and six credits of approved electives. Completion of a practicum in one of the following areas: teaching, clinical specialty, management, and consultation. Completion of a comprehensive written exam is required prior to the initiation of the masters thesis research. In addition to the exam, the student must defend the research proposal in an oral presentation.

Courses Offered

300 Research Tutorial. Through seminars, actual research participation, informal discussions, and individual advise- ment, the student will develop a proposal for thesis research. Explore instrumentation, experimental design, and logistics of research. One to three hours. Held.

302 Professional Practice I. Factors influencing professional practice. Societal issues regarding the health care industry and their impact on professional practice. Strategies to manage these environmental forces. Two hours. Feitelberg.

303 Professional Practice II. Analysis of the various professional roles of the Physical Therapist, Focus on the development of skills within each role to promote professional satisfaction and contribution. Prerequisite: 302. Two hours. Feitelberg.

304 Professional Practice Practicum. Practicum experience in a clinical specialty, teaching, management or consultation. Companion seminar to analyze and assess practicum experience. Prerequisites: 302, 303. Two hours. Feitelberg.

311 Motor Function and Dysfunction: Muscle. Structure, function, biomechanics, plasticity, measurement of muscle characteristics, muscle performance in relation to development, aging, nutrition, activity, pathology, elasticity, viscosity and responses to therapeutic interventions. Three hours. Moffroid.

312 Motor Function: Connective Tissue. Structure, function, plasticity and biomechanics of connective tissues will be studied relative to development, aging, nutrition, activity, pathology, compressive and tensile forces, and therapeutic intervention. Three hours. Moffroid.

313 Motor Function and Dysfunction: Energetics & Clinical Application of Exercise Physiology. Utilization of metabolic energy on molecular, cellular and whole organism levels. Quantification of work capacity and energy expenditure with orientation to clinical situations. Prerequisite: 311. Two hours. Reed.

314 Motor Function and Dysfunction: Movement Science. Motor Learning, motor control, and recovery of function; their alterations with pathology, age, sex, and experience; and implications for therapeutic intervention. Prerequisites: 311 or permission. Four hours. Held.

381 Special Topics Seminar. Topics of interest to graduate physical therapists based on theory, research or advanced practice. Content will go beyond the scope of existing courses or thesis research. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisites: Advisor and instructor permission. Two to three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

397 Special Readings and Research. Directed individual study of areas not appropriately covered by existing courses. Prerequisites: Advisor and sponsoring faculty permission. One to three hours.
**Physics (PHYS)**

Professors Arns, Bronn, Detenbeck (Emeritus), Nyborg (Emeritus), Rankin, Scarfone (Emeritus), Smith (Chairperson); Associate Professors Sachs (Emeritus), Spartanian, Wu; Assistant Professors Anderson, Clougherty, Yang.

The Department of Physics offers research opportunities in astrophysics, biophysics, condensed matter physics, and the physics of materials.

Astrophysical research centers on experimental radio astronomy, with particular emphasis on pulsars and the interstellar medium. Observations are carried out using major instruments of the U.S. National Observatories and generally involve computer analysis and interpretation.

Research in biophysical ultrasound is directed toward an understanding of the physical principles involved when ultrasound interacts with living systems. This often involves collaboration with the College of Medicine. Acoustical and optical tweezers permit manipulating single cells without touching them. New forms of ultrasonic transducers and biosensors are being developed in collaboration with Electrical Engineering, as part of the Materials Science Program.

Theoretical and computational research programs in condensed matter physics deal with electronic, optical, lattice-dynamical, thermodynamic, surface, and magnetic properties of metals, semiconductors, superconductors, laser crystals, and biological materials. Some of the general approaches include the analytical and numerical methods of self-consistent band theory, crystal-field theory, multiple-scattering theory, Green's function formalism, and density-functional theory.

Theoretical studies of the optical properties of materials include the electronic structure of defect complexes in ionic crystals, the application of subtracted dispersion relations to optical data analysis, and the separation of inter- and intraband effects in the infrared spectra of metals. Related studies are concerned with theories of X-ray scattering, of X-ray optical properties, and of X-ray optical elements.

Some faculty members perform experiments on the nonlinear interactions of ultrasound with condensed matter. Other faculty members are active in the history and philosophy of scientific methods, with particular regard to the way in which it develops, and applications to physics education. Particular interests include the relations between science, society, and technology issues in the physical sciences.

Opportunities for collaborative research with other University departments and groups include those with Chemistry, the Materials Science Program, Molecular Physiology and Biophysics, the Cell and Molecular Biology Program, Computer Science and Electrical Engineering, Civil and Environmental Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering, Medical Radiology, and Geology.

The Department participates in two doctoral programs: Materials Science and Cell and Molecular Biology.

Laboratory facilities for work in biophysics and condensed matter physics are supplemented by computational facilities which include a campus-wide network on which DEC, IBM, and Silicon Graphics computers are available. The Department is networked internally via thin Ethernet and connected to the campus fiber-optic backbone. Within the Department itself are PCs in variety and four Silicon Graphics Indigo computers.

**Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Degree of Master of Science**

Undergraduate majors in science, engineering, or mathematics are considered for admission to the program. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination (general and subject section) are required.

**Requirements for Advancement to Candidacy for the Degree of Master of Science**

Physics 211, 213, and 273; two additional semester courses in physics above the sophomore level; two semester courses in mathematics above the sophomore level.

**Minimum Degree Requirements for the Degree of Master of Science**

A total of 30 credit hours including a minimum of six hours of thesis research and at least nine hours of Physics courses numbered over 300.

The Department also offers programs leading to the degrees of Master of Science in Engineering Physics, Master of Arts in Teaching, and Master of Science for Teachers of Physical Science. As a participant in the Materials Science program, the Department sponsors candidates for the degrees of Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Materials Science. Details are available elsewhere in the catalogue and also from the Physics Department.

**Courses Offered**

201, 202 Experimental Physics. Experiments in classical and modern physics. Each student selects laboratory experiments appropriate to his/her background and interests. Prerequisites: 42 or 128, Math. 121 or equivalent. Three hours per semester, four semesters maximum.

211 Mechanics. Newtonian dynamics of particles and systems of particles, with applications to problems of special importance, such as driven and coupled harmonic oscillators and central field trajectories. Prerequisites: 42 or 128, Math. 121 or equivalent. Three hours.

213 Electricity and Magnetism. Fundamental principles of electricity and magnetism, electrostatic fields, and magnetic fields of steady currents. Electric and magnetic properties of matter and electromagnetic energy relationships. Prerequisites: 42 or 128, Math. 121 or equivalent. Three hours.


222 Biological Physics. Physical laws, processes, and interactions pertaining to biological systems. Prerequisites: 12 or 42, Math 121, permission. Three hours. Spartanian, Wu, Yang.

242 Introduction to Solid State Physics. Introduction to crystal structures, reciprocal lattices, lattice vibrations. Thermal properties of solids and free electron theory of metals and semiconductors. Elementary band theory. Prerequisite: 128 or equivalent. Three hours. Alternate years.

257 Modern Astrophysics. Stellar structure and evolution, compact objects, the interstellar medium, galactic structure, gravitational theory, cosmology, the formation of our solar system, and terrestrial life. Prerequisites: One year calculus-based physics course. Math. 121 strongly recommended, or equivalent. Three hours. Alternate years.

258 Relativity. Development of Einstein's theory of special relativity. Lorentz transformation, time dilation, length contraction, mass variation, relative velocities. Introduction to four-dimensional space. Concepts of general relativity. Applications selected from astrophysics, elementary particles, etc. Prerequisite: 128 or equivalent. Three hours.

264 Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics. Introduction to theoretical and experimental aspects of nuclear and elementary particle physics. Prerequisite: 128, and junior standing, permission. Three hours.
265 Thermal Physics. Thermodynamics, kinetic theory, statistical mechanics. Prerequisites: 128 or 42, 22, Math. 121 or equivalent. Three hours. Alternate years.

273 Quantum Mechanics I. Introduction to nonrelativistic quantum mechanics. Schroedinger equation and applications to simple systems. Prerequisites: 128, 211. Three hours.

295, 296 Special Topics. Lectures, readings, or laboratory studies. Format and subject matter at the instructor’s discretion. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged.

301 Mathematical Physics. Introduction to basic mathematical methods of theoretical physics; vector and tensor analysis, partial differential equations, orthogonal functions, complex variables and variational techniques. Prerequisites: 211, 214. Three hours. Alternate years.

305 Teaching of College Physics. Instructional strategies and techniques with application to the teaching of laboratories and recitations. Prerequisites: Undergraduate degree in physics and permission. One hour, repeatable to a maximum of three hours.

311 Advanced Dynamics. Classical mechanics presented as the basis of the concepts and methods of modern physics. Variational, Lagrangian, and Hamiltonian formulatons, canonical transformations, continuous systems. Prerequisite: 211. Three hours. Alternate years.


321 Seminar in Theoretical Physics. For research students interested in pursuing topics of general and departmental research interest in theoretical physics. Prerequisite: Permission. Offered as occasion warrants. Credit as arranged.

323 Seminar in Contemporary Physics. Topics of current interest in physics to be offered as student and faculty interest warrants. May be repeated for credit with departmental approval. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged.

331 Seminar in Biological Physics. For research students in the field of biological physics. Lectures, reports, and directed readings related to the research of the Department and the field generally. May be repeated for credit with departmental approval. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged. Offered as occasion warrants.

341, 342 Solid State Physics. Introduction to crystal symmetry and the reciprocal lattice. Crystal binding and lattice vibrations. Thermal, electrical, and magnetic properties of solids, free electron theory of metals, and band theory. Prerequisites: 214, 265, 273 or their equivalents; permission. Three hours. Alternate years.

351 Seminar in Physics of Materials. For research students in the field of the physics of materials. Lectures, reports, and directed readings related to the research for the department and the field generally. May be repeated for credit with departmental approval. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged. Offered as occasion warrants.

362 Quantum Mechanics II. Mathematical and physical foundations of nonrelativistic quantum mechanics from the unifying point of view of Dirac. Symmetry operations and the algebraic structure of quantum mechanics are emphasized. Prerequisite: 273. Three hours. Alternate years.

381, 382 Problems in Engineering Physics. Directed readings and independent study in one or more topics in engineering physics, leading to a written report and an oral presentation. Four to six hours. Graduate credit only.

391 Master’s Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

401 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

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**Plant and Soil Science (PSS)**

*Professors Alving, Bartlett, Boyce, Magdoff, Murphy, Parker; Assistant Professor Mazmanian; Extension Professors Gothie; Extension Associate Professors Beretti (Chairperson), Bosworth, Jokela, Perry; Research Assistant Professors Brownbridge, Ross, Skinner; Lecturer Harper.*

Current research projects are concerned with the solution of horticultural and agronomic problems with special emphasis on environmental physiology, soil chemistry, pasture management, plant nutrition, and pest management. Areas of research include winter hardiness of fruits, and woody and herbaceous ornamentals; cultural and environmental interrelationships as they affect plant growth, crop adaptation, and variety; pasture production and marginal land utilization; crop establishment and soil productivity; soil chemistry of the rhizosphere; redox reactions in soils; the behavior of heavy metals; compost and organic matter research; behavior of nitrogen in the soil; nutrient availability to plants; agricultural waste management; biological control of insects, disease, and weeds; integrated pest management for control of insects, diseases, and weeds. A student’s thesis research will be an integral part of the on-going research efforts of the department.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

An undergraduate major in an appropriate agricultural, environmental, biological, or physical science. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Satisfactory completion of one academic year of graduate study in the Department of Plant and Soil Science, a written or oral comprehensive examination. The decision on the type of comprehensive exam will be made by the major professor after consultation with the student.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Eighteen to 22 hours in Plant and Soil Science and closely related fields; satisfactory participation in seminars during residency; thesis research (eight to 12 hours).

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

An undergraduate major in an appropriate agricultural, environmental, biological, or physical science. Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, general (aptitude) section.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

Satisfactory completion of two academic years of graduate study in the Department of Plant and Soil Science at the University of Vermont. With the approval of the Dean of the Graduate College and the Department of Plant and Soil Science, a master’s degree may be accepted in partial fulfillment of this requirement.

Satisfactory completion of a written and oral qualifying doctoral examination as prescribed by the Department.
A reading knowledge of a modern foreign language appropriate to the student's specialty. Proficiency in other areas appropriate to the student's specialty may be substituted for the language requirement with the approval of the Studies Committee. This proficiency does not count toward course requirements for the degree.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The course requirements are as follows: a total of at least 40 credit hours of which a minimum of 30 must be taken in Plant and Soil Science and closely related disciplines (e.g. botany, chemistry, forestry, microbiology, and biochemistry, geology). Satisfactory participation in seminars during residency required. All doctoral students must take part in the Department's undergraduate teaching program.

COURSES OFFERED


207 Water Relations of Plants. See Forestry 229.

210 Soil Erosion and Conservation. General hydrological processes involved in surface runoff and resultant soil erosion; land management techniques for controlling soil and sediment pollution. Prerequisites: 161, Math. 2 or 9, Chemistry 3 or equivalent. Three hours. Alternate years, 1997–98.


217 Pasture Production and Management. Physiological and ecological relationships of pasture plants, effects of grazing livestock on them, grazing management effects on livestock and pastures; emphasis on French Voisin system of management intensive grazing. Prerequisites: 11, 161 or equivalent. Three hours. Murphy.


261 Soil Classification and Land Use. Field techniques that describe soil properties and classification; the principles and processes of soil genesis; land use classification systems; and the challenges of competing land uses. Prerequisite: 161 or permission. Three hours. Harper. Alternate years, 1996–97.


266 Soil Physics. Mathematical and physical principles of the soil-water-plant interaction and its relationship to environmental and agricultural issues. Prerequisites: 161 or permission, one semester of physics. Three hours. Ross. Alternate years, 1997–98.

281 Seminar. Presentation and discussion of papers on selected topics of current interest by students and staff. Prerequisite: Permission. One hour.

287 Special Topics. Lectures, laboratories, readings, field projects, surveys, or research designed to provide specialized experience in horticulture, agronomy, soils, entomology, and integrated pest management. Prerequisites: Permission. One to three hours.

301 Plant Science Colloquium. Graduate student and staff discussion of current research topics in plant science. One hour.

302 Soil Science Colloquium. Graduate student and staff discussion of current research topics in soil science. One hour.

381 Graduate Special Topics. Advanced readings and discussion of horticulture, crops, or soils research literature. Three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Psychology (PSYC)

Professors Emeriti Albee, Ansbacher; Associate Professor Emeritus Dietzel; Professors Achenbach, Bond, Bouton, J. Burchard, Cauzans, Crook, Gordon, Muller, Kresser, Yada; Assistant Professors Bickel, Bronstein, S. Burchard, Hasazi, Higgins, Kessler, Leff, Yadav; Assistant Professors Gorman, Young.

Additional clinical, research, and adjunct faculty supervise students in clinical and research placements.

The Ph.D. Program in General/Experimental psychology admits students in three broad specialty areas ("clusters"): Biobehavioral Psychology; Basic and Applied Social Psychology; and Basic and Applied Developmental Psychology.

The Ph.D. program in Clinical Psychology places equal emphasis on research and clinical training. The clinical program is fully accredited by the American Psychological Association.

Further information about both programs can be obtained by requesting a copy of the department's graduate studies brochure from the Chairperson of the Department of Psychology. The brochure can also be accessed electronically: http://www.uvm.edu/~dhowell/PsychAtUVM/Department.html. This contains details of requirements, funding opportunities, clinical and research facilities, specialty areas, ongoing research, and faculty, as well as general information about the University and the area.

Applicants must apply for the Ph.D. degree only. Students whose goal is a terminal master's degree are not accepted. The application deadline for admission is January 15.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

A major or its equivalent in undergraduate psychology including courses in statistics and experimental psychology; satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, including the subject (advanced) subtest in Psychology.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Twenty-four hours of psychology courses and seminars, including Psychology 301, 302, 340, 341; Proseminar; thesis research for six credits. The requirements of the specific courses (301, 302, 340, 341) may be exempted by examination. There is no foreign language requirement.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

A major or its equivalent in undergraduate psychology including courses in statistics and experimental psychology; satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination,
including the subject subtest in Psychology. A telephone interview is required of top applicants to the Clinical Program.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

For the General/Experimental Program, satisfactory completion of minimum degree requirements for Master of Arts degree or equivalent; for the Clinical Program, satisfactory performance of the Ph.D. comprehensive examination.

**MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Both the General/Experimental and the Clinical Program require a minimum of 75 credit hours. However, each program requires proficiency in several specific areas. In order to achieve such proficiency, most students must complete a total of 80 to 85 credit hours. A minimum of 20 credits must be accumulated in dissertation research and the remainder in course credits numbered in the 200 through 400 sequences of the psychology curriculum, or acceptable courses at the 200 or 300 level from other curricula. Detailed information on courses of study is available from the Department. Satisfactory performance on the department final oral examination. There is no foreign language requirement. Both programs have a required preliminary examination.

**COURSES OFFERED**

Psychology graduate students meet prerequisites for all 200-level courses. Other graduate students must have equivalent prerequisites or permission of instructor.


- **206 Motivation.** Theory and research on the nature of motives, their influence on behavior, and their relation to other psychological processes. *Prerequisite:* 109. Three hours. Young.


- **208 Cognition and Language.** (See Communication Sciences 208.)

- **215 Cognition and Aging.** (See Communication Sciences 215.)

- **220 Animal Behavior.** Behavior of animals under controlled experimental conditions and in their natural environments. Consideration of antecedents of behavior and of its adaptive significance, evolution, and development. *Prerequisite:* 109 or Biology 102. Three hours. Bouton.


- **222 Physiological Psychology II.** Study of role of central nervous system mechanisms in determination of innate behavior arousal, motivation, learning, and memory. Individual laboratory experience. *Prerequisite:* 221. Four hours. Kapp.

- **223 Psychopharmacology.** Effects of drugs (both medical and recreational) on behavior. Topics such as drug effects on learning, memory, motivation, perception, emotions, and aggression. *Prerequisites:* 109, 121 or 222. Three hours. Musty.

- **230 Advanced Social Psychology.** Advanced survey of current research on the behavior of individuals in social situations. *Prerequisite:* 109 or 130. Three hours. Miller.

- **231 Psychology of Women.** Psychological theories about women and research on women's roles. Biological, personality, cognitive, and developmental factors considered. *Prerequisite:* One psychology course at the 100 level. Three hours. Bond, Rothblum.

- **233 Psychology of Experience and Creativity Enhancement.** Explores psychological processes for developing creative thinking and for enhancing the quality of conscious experience. Emphasizes personal growth as well as theoretical understanding. *Prerequisite:* Advanced background in at least one relevant field such as psychology, environmental studies, art, or education. Three hours. Leff.

- **234 Psychology of Social and Environmental Change.** Examines psychological foundations of beneficial changes in social and physical environments. Emphasizes action strategies and projects as well as utopian visions. *Prerequisite:* Advanced background in psychology or in environmental studies or a social science. Three hours. Leff.

- **236 Theories of Human Communication.** The study of the role of perception, human information processing, language, nonverbal codes, meaning, cognition, and interpersonal and sociocultural context in human communication process. *Prerequisites:* 109 or 130. Three hours. Yadav.

- **237 Cross-Cultural Communication.** Study of cultural factors, cognitive processes, communication patterns and problems in cross-cultural communication; role of communication in development and social change in third-world countries. *Prerequisites:* 109 or 130 or 230. Three hours. Yadav.

- **240 Organizational Behavior.** Study of the impact of macro and micro features of organizations (culture, systems, and individuals) upon leadership, decision-making, group processes, conflict and organization development. *Prerequisites:* 109, or permission. Three hours. Lawson. Cross-listing: Public Administration 240.

- **250 Introduction to Clinical Psychology.** Basic principles of interviewing, testing, assessment, report writing. Examination of common approaches to psychotherapy: client oriented, habit change, cognitive change, emotional change, interpersonal relations, group therapy approaches. *Prerequisites:* 109. Three hours. Bronstein, Compas, Kessler.

- **251 Behavior Disorders of Childhood.** An overview of theory, research, and practice in developmental psychopathology from infancy through adolescence. The major disorders of social and emotional development are reviewed. *Prerequisites:* 161, 109 (109 may be taken concurrently). Three hours. Haaszi.

- **253 Advanced Behavior Modification.** Application of techniques for the modification of human behavior in a variety of educational and social situations involving the collection and analysis of behavioral data. *Prerequisites:* 161, 109, 152. Three hours. J. Burchard.

- **257 Personality.** The understanding of personality development and human behavior from a psychoanalytic, humanistic, trait measurement, and sociocultural perspective. *Prerequisite:* 109. Three hours. Bronstein.

- **261 Cognitive Development.** Examination of research and theory concerning developmental changes in the human processing of information from infancy to adulthood centered on the work of Piaget. *Prerequisites:* 161 or 109 (may be taken concurrently). Three hours.

- **262 Social Development.** Examination of theory and research concerning interpersonal development in humans from infancy through adulthood. Relationships between cognition, and social development are emphasized. *Prerequisites:* 161 or 109 (may be taken concurrently). Three hours. Crockenberg.

- **263 Disabilities of Learning and Development.** Seminar in etiology, treatments, prevention of developmental and
learning disabilities within framework of current service and educational practice. Ethical, legal, and psychological issues are examined. Prerequisites: 161 or other 100 level course or advanced standing in Education or Allied Health. Three hours. S. Burchard.

296 Communication and Children. Study of the role of communication, especially television, in cognitive and social development from preschool to adolescence. Relationship between television violence and abnormal behavior examined. Prerequisite: 109 or 161 or 163. Three hours. Yadav.

295, 296 Contemporary Topics. Three hours.

The prerequisite for all of the courses listed below is acceptance to the graduate psychology program, which involves the satisfactory completion of undergraduate courses in experimental psychology, systems of psychology, and statistics. In special cases, these prerequisites may be waived by permission of the instructor.

301, 302 Faculty Seminar. Introduction to specialized areas of psychology. Zero hours.

305 Seminar in Learning Theory. Analysis of selected topics in learning and behavior theory, such as Pavlovian and instrumental learning, acquired motivation, and biological constraints on learning. Three hours. Bouton.

315 Seminar in Alcohol and Behavior. A study of the influences of alcohol upon selected aspects of psychological processes including perception, attention, cognition, learning, motivation, and emotion. Three hours. Musty.


331 Interpersonal Processes: Modes of Interacting. Examination of interpersonal conflict, cooperation, power relations, information transfer, and persuasion. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Left.

332 Interpersonal Processes: Cognition in Social Behavior. Examination of social attribution, interpersonal set, perspectives in social encounter, and the formulation of interpersonal strategies. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Left.


344 Experimental Design. Extended coverage of problems in design, analysis of behavioral experiments including repeated measures, interactions, confounding, comparisons, missing data, modeling, Latin squares, other complex designs, covariance design, interpretations. Prerequisite: 340. Three hours. Gordon, Howell.

347 Measurement and Scaling. Traditional psychophysical methods, Thurstonian judgmental methods, recent topics in multidimensional scaling. Relation of these to mental test theory, factor analysis, cluster analysis. Prerequisites: 340, 341. Three hours. Gordon.

349 Seminar in Psychology Research Methodology. For advanced psychology graduate students. Topics may include but are not limited to: factor analysis, discriminant function analysis, multivariate analysis of variance, advanced experimental design, computer application in data collection and analysis. Prerequisite: 341 or permission. Three hours. Gordon, Howell.

350 Family Therapy. An exploration of current theories and techniques in family therapy, through readings and discussion, as well as observation of taped and live family therapy sessions. Graduate standing in Clinical Psychology, or permission. Three hours. Bronstein.

351 Behavior Therapy: Adults. Review of literature relating to theory, practice, research. Emphasis on the evaluation of a variety of procedures applied to behavior disorders in adults. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Leitenberg.


353 Introduction to Clinical Human Neuropsychology. Clinical seminar on effects on human behavior of neocortical dysfunction. Review of theoretical, clinical approaches to brain function, emphasis on recent developments in diagnostic techniques, ensuing theoretical developments. Prerequisite: 221, 222 or equivalent. Three hours. Peyser.


355 Psychopathology II. An advanced course dealing with models of classification, diagnosis, epidemiology of behavior disorders in adults. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Rothblum.


359 Interpersonal Psychotherapy. An examination of psychotherapy as an interpersonal process. Resistance, transference, and counter-transference examined as interpersonal interactions and related to interpersonal personality theory. Prerequisites: Advanced graduate standing, permission. Three hours. Kessler.

360 Methods and Models of Clinical Prediction. Study of clinical versus actuarial problems in applied psychology. Historical antecedents, examples of problems of reliability, validity, utility models of intelligence and personality. Modern day solutions. Prerequisite: 340 or permission. Three hours. Kessler.

361 Advanced Personality Theory. Personality development from a psychoanalytic, humanistic, trait, and sociocultural perspective. Also, methods of personality measurement, such as scale construction and the analysis of fantasy and projective material. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Bronstein.

362 Community Clinical Psychology. Seminar examining community intervention strategies for psychological prob-
lems and health risk behaviors. Topics: history of community psychology, discussion of intervention programs, consultation issues, research. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours.

363 Advanced Primary Prevention. Review of research literature on prevention of psychopathology and promotion of competence: development of model prevention programs; evaluation, ethical issues, and political issues. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Gorman.

364 Professional Affairs and Ethics. The origins of professions and of psychology in particular. Accreditation, laws affecting psychology, organization of the profession, licensing certification, and the code of ethics for psychology. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Kessler.

365 Group Therapy. An exploration of psychotherapy and training group issues, focusing on leadership styles, group roles and stages, and research. Course will include an observation/experiential component. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Bronstein.

366 Seminar in Advanced Developmental Psychology. Critical Analysis of selected topics in developmental psychology. Research, theory, applied, professional issues including, for example, moral development, infancy, early conceptual development, professional writing. **Prerequisite:** Graduate standing in Psychology. Three hours. Crockenberg.

367 Human Sexual Behavior. An exploration of various topics in human sexuality including sexual behavior through the life span, sexual preference, and treatment of sexual dysfunction and deviation. **Prerequisite:** Graduate standing in Psychology or permission. Three hours. Leitenberg.

368 Psychology and Law. A study of mental health law (including the insanity defense and commitment) and of legal processes (jury decision making, jury selection, eye witness testimony). **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Kessler.

369 Health Psychology. Psychological aspects of the etiology, treatment, prevention of physical illness. Topics include: stress and disease, compliance, health care systems, coping with illness, positive health behavior. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Rosen.

370 Adult Psychological Assessment. Intelligence, neuropsychology, interviewing, psychodiagnosis, objective and projective personality methods, behavioral assessment, report writing. Supervised assessment practicum (100 hours) in university and in-patient mental health settings. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Rosen.

371 Child and Adolescent Psychological Assessment. Interviewing, intelligence testing, behavioral assessment, social cognition, family environments, specific disorders of childhood. Supervised assessment practicum (100 hours) in in-patient and out-patient mental health settings and schools. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Compas.

372 Psychological Intervention I. Introduction to psychotherapy, theories, and strategies. Skill building in case formulation, therapeutic goals, and effective intervention techniques. Supervised therapy practicum (100 hours) in university setting. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Kessler.

373 Psychological Intervention II. Theories and strategies of psychological intervention. Supervised service delivery (150 hours) at University Counseling and Testing Center including individual and group therapy and crisis intervention. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Zero hours. Kessler.

374 Advanced Clinical Practicum. Year-long, 20 hours/week supervised service delivery (1,000 hours) involving psychological intervention and consultation. Training takes place in a variety of mental health agencies. **Prerequisites:** Second-year student or above (or equivalent) in Ph.D. program in Clinical Psychology and permission. (May be taken more than once.) One hour.

375 Internship in Clinical Psychology. Supervised service delivery (2,000 hours) involving psychological intervention and consultation. Training takes place in an American Psychological Association accredited internship. **Prerequisites:** Three credits in 374, permission. Zero hours. (Note: Zero credits because instruction is done off-campus by non-UVM faculty.)

380 Contemporary Topics including Proseminar. Selected topics in depth, emphasis on critical analysis of original literature. Recent topics: anxiety, behavioral pharmacology, biological bases of memory, depression, organizational behavior, psychotherapy research, primate behavior, skilled performance. Three hours.

381 Clinical Research Seminar. Year-long seminar on methods and design in clinical research. Oral and written presentation of a research proposal and results. Required twice for clinical students. **Prerequisite:** Permission. Three hours. Leitenberg.

382 Advanced Professional Research Seminar. Discussion of current research and student research presentation in areas of concentration ("clusters"). **Prerequisite:** Graduate standing in General/Experimental Program. One hour.

385 Advanced Readings and Research. Readings, with conferences, to provide graduate students with backgrounds and specialized knowledge relating to an area in which an appropriate course is not offered. One to three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

491 Doctoral Dissertation Research. Credit as arranged.

Not offered annually, but regular courses:

210 Principles of Human Perception

The following courses are offered infrequently but may be taught when sufficient student interest is demonstrated.

308 Seminar in Operant Conditioning. Three hours.

310 Seminar in Perception. Three hours.

333 Interpersonal Processes: Motivation in Human Interaction. Three hours.

**Public Administration (MPA)**

Core faculty: Professors Ball, Cooper (Program Director), Ventriss; Associated Faculty: Professors Burke, Lawson, Wertheimer; Associate Professors Bryan, Hindes, Parke, Patterson, Tashman, Woolf; Assistant Professor Gierszynski; Deans Martin, Twardy; UVM President Salmon.

The Master of Public Administration program is a professional masters degree program with perspectives from a variety of academic and professional disciplines. Our purpose is to further the student's ability to manage complex public and non-profit organizations and to work effectively in the public policy process. In addition to the core faculty, the program draws upon associated faculty from 11 different departments and colleges across the university.

The MPA degree program is designed to:

1. Provide promising public and nonprofit sector managers with a quality educational experience covering the theories and practices of program planning and control, and the problems of policy making in an environment characterized by resource constraints and rapid social change.

2. Stimulate and focus scholarly research in the problems and issues of public organizations in Vermont, nationally, and internationally.
3. Facilitate mutually beneficial interaction within the community of scholars and practitioners of public administration.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

A sound academic record, including a baccalaureate degree from an accredited undergraduate institution, satisfactory scores on the general aptitude section of the Graduate Record Examination, three letters of recommendation attesting to the candidate's academic potential for graduate work and motivation for pursuing the MPA. Past experience in public service will be considered. Persons currently employed in administrative positions are encouraged to apply. In addition, a student must have completed these required prerequisite courses: Economics, American Government and Statistics.

NOTE: The application deadlines for the MPA Program are February 1 and June 15 for summer/fall admission and November 15 for spring admission.

ACCELERATED MASTERS PROGRAM IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (AMP-PA)

The AMP-PA affords UVM students the opportunity to secure a sound undergraduate and graduate program of study in five rather than a minimum of six years, integrates more closely both programs of study, and enhances competitiveness in a marketplace stressing broad undergraduate and focused professional graduate education. The AMP-PA welcomes students majoring in the administrative, behavioral, health, environmental, organizational, social sciences and related disciplines requiring graduate work in administration, or planning and policy capacities in the public service. For more information contact the MPA Office (802) 656-2606.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Successful completion of 36 credit hours, including core courses PA 301-303, 305, 306, an approved sequence of courses and an administrative internship, with an average of B (3.0) plus satisfactory completion of the Comprehensive Examination. A six-credit thesis option is available to students.

COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION

A written comprehensive examination (GRAD 397), an evaluative devise and capstone experience, is offered three times a year (March, August, and October) for students in the final semester of the MPA Program.

COURSES OFFERED

In addition to the five core courses and electives listed below, regular courses (200-level and above) are available in the respective academic units listed above and, with prior approval, may be included in a candidate's program.

Public Administration 200-level electives are open to junior/senior undergraduates but in no way decreases the level of difficulty for either graduate or undergraduate students.

206 Introduction to Contemporary Public Affairs. Contemporary policy issues including government and the economy, the role of leadership, ethical and moral issues in public policy, and other contemporary issues impacting society. Prerequisite: Economics 11, 12 or equivalent recommended. Three hours. Ventris.


299 Fundamentals of Quantitative and Economic Analysis. Development of analytical skills with application to economic analysis relevant to the field of public administration. Three hours. Tashman.

301 Fundamentals of Public Administration. Analysis of major elements of management in the public sector (organization, personnel, budgeting) with special attention to problems arising from political imperatives generated by a democratic society. Three hours. Bryan, Ventris.

302 Public Sector Organizations. Examination of basic classical and contemporary theory, research on human relations, internal structures, environments, types, general properties of complex organizations and bureaucracies. Three hours. Lawson (Summer cross-listing Psychology 240); Martin and Patterson.

303 Research Methods. Data analyses and communication of statistical information for management decision making. Methods of modeling relationships, comparing strategies, and assessing probabilities. Instruction in computer use. Additional lab required. Three hours.

305 Public Budgeting and Finance. A focus on the budget as the primary policy and planning document in public organizations. Three hours.

306 Introduction to Public Policy. Study of stages in the policy process; development of public policy in the federal system; and policy analysis and evaluation at each stage in the policy process. Three hours. Ventris.

307 Administrative Ethics. Administrative behavior with an focus on ethical dilemmas that arise in the bureaucracy. An examination of a number of moral issues and ways to resolve them. Three hours. Ventris, Wertheimer.


311 Policy Analysis and Planning. A seminar providing hands-on knowledge in policy analysis and program evaluation using case studies of current analysis projects and problems. Specific techniques include planning, survey administration, forecasting, cost benefit analysis, and impact assessment. Three hours.

312 Management in Health Services and Medical Care. Addresses major issues and challenges faced by health services managers relating to established and evolving social, economic, and professional policies in a context of practical problem assessment and appropriate resolution. Three hours. Hindes.

313 Public Policy Implementation. A seminar considering aspects of the public policy implementation process from initiation to completion and evaluation with regards to system design, policy goals, communication, compliance, and political environment. Three hours.

314 Administrative Law. Examines legal foundations of public administration focusing on legal issues of most importance to present or future administrators. Three hours. Cooper.

315 Health Services and Medical Care in the United States. Defines the milieu of issues and challenges faced by managers in the health services setting. Three hours. Hindes.

316 Effective Management Techniques. Concentration on leadership, the role of managers, and essential components
of well-managed organizations in the public, nonprofit, and private sector. Three hours. Salmon, Twardy.


319 State Administration. Elements of public management at the state level i.e. the state/federal relationship regarding control; management within the force field of local conflict and cooperation; and management within the context of inter-agency conflict and cooperation. Three hours. Bryan. Cross-listing: Political Science 224.

380 Internship. Supervised administrative experience culminating in a written report. Three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Thesis topic must be approved by faculty advisor. Six credits.

395 Special Topics. For advanced students within areas of expertise of the faculty. Varied course offerings. Contempotory topics. Permission. One to three hours.

397 Readings and Research. Readings, with conferences, term paper, to provide graduate students with specialized knowledge in an area in which an appropriate course is not offered. Three hours.

Religion (See page 106.)

Social Work (SWSS)

Professors Paolucci-Whitcomb, Withkin (Chairperson/Director); Associate Professor Bishop; Assistant Professors Dewees, McMurphy, Roche; Lecturers Taylor, Widrick; Adjunct Assistant Professors Atchinson, Cass, Edwards-Ori, Farmer, Fumari, Honigman, Lax, Mora, Pugh.

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

The Master of Social Work Program prepares students for advanced practice which affirms diversity, reflects people's strengths and promotes social justice and human rights. The program emphasizes community and family-centered practice in a variety of professional roles and settings. An advanced standing option exists for those students who have earned a bachelor’s degree from an accredited social work program. A Master of Social Work program is fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education.

The first year curriculum has five components: human behavior and the social environment, social welfare policy and services, social work research, social work practice and field practicum. The second year curriculum is built around either of two concentration areas: Social Work in Health/Mental Health or Social Work with Children and Families. Concentrations consist of two advanced practice courses, a field practicum and two concentration electives. Additionally, students take three courses which bridge both concentration areas: Advanced Social Welfare Policy Analysis and Practice, Critical Applications of Human Behavior and the Social Environment and Advanced Social Work Research.

As a culminating experience, students demonstrate in-depth knowledge of a particular subject of significance to social work by developing an analytical paper. Students choose from among three options for fulfilling this requirement: an individual project under the guidance of a studies committee, a group project under the guidance of an individual faculty member and a faculty-directed seminar. The analytical paper requirement provides students with the opportunity for sustained research and written and oral expression of their analyses and recommendations in a manner that reflects the philosophy and mission of the program. It also provides integration and closure to their educational experiences.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Prospective students must meet the following minimum requirements:

1. Earned a baccalaureate degree from an institution accredited by the Council on Postsecondary Accreditation.

2. Attained satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE). A holistic view of candidates' qualifications for graduate social work education is utilized; therefore, no minimum score for admission has been set. Applicants must submit GRE scores prior to admission.

3. Earned a minimum grade-point average (GPA) of 2.5 (where 4.0=A) in undergraduate studies.

4. Earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 in any previous graduate work in Social Work.

5. Be in good standing from the last institution they attended.

6. Demonstrated achievement of designated liberal arts content in their undergraduate studies including coursework in human biology and statistics. Students who have not completed courses in human biology and statistics (with a C or higher) at the time of admission must complete these course requirements prior to starting the concentration year.

In addition to the above, the typed statement of purpose and resume are essential parts of the application. The written references are also important sources of information regarding the qualifications and experiences of applicants.

Applicants with a Bachelor of Social Work degree from a program accredited by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) may apply for Advanced Standing to the MSW program. Students granted advanced standing may waive certain program (Foundation) requirements. Full-time advanced-standing students start their programs in January of each year, while Regular-track students start their programs in the fall semester.

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

A minimum of 60 credit hours from the following curriculum components are required. Graduates of accredited baccalaureate social work programs who are granted advanced standing may be able to waive credit requirements for SWSS 212, 216, 220, 221 and 227. In addition, field practica are completed within three semesters. For all others, the following courses are required.

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Electives require advanced approval of faculty advisors.

COURSES OFFERED

200 Contemporary Issues. Content and structure may accommodate special issues not especially appropriate within the boundaries of an existing course. Prerequisite: Permission. One to six credits.

212 Social Work Practice I. A comprehensive introduction to concepts and skills employed by social workers in interactions and interventions with individuals, families, and groups is provided. Prerequisite: MSW standing or permission. Three credits.

213 Social Work Practice II. Knowledge and skills of social work practice with organizations and communities is emphasized. Prerequisite: Completion of 212, advanced standing or permission. Three credits.

216 Theoretical Foundations of Human Behavior and the Social Environment I (HBSE). This course introduces students to the biological, psychological, cultural/social, and economic forces that influence human behavior and their implication for social work practice. Prerequisite: MSW standing or permission. Three credits.

217 Theoretical Foundations of Human Behavior and the Social Environment II (HBSE). Focus is on theories regarding the nature and functioning of human service organizations and communities in relation to meeting human needs. Prerequisite: 216 or permission. Three credits.

220 Social Welfare Policies and Services I. An introduction to history and philosophy of social work and social welfare and the structure of service programs is provided. Prerequisite: MSW standing or permission. Three credits.

221 Social Welfare Policies and Services II. Focus is on the analysis of the economic, political, and social forces that influence the development and implementation of social welfare policy. Prerequisite: 220 or permission. Three credits.

227 Foundations of Social Work Research. An introduction to qualitative and quantitative methods of applied social research including program evaluation and the evaluation of practice and application to social work is taught. Prerequisite: MSW standing or permission. Three credits.

301 Social Work in Health. Using a family-systems, family-centered, and strengths approach, course focuses on practice with children and families in health settings. Prerequisites: Completion of foundation coursework, advanced standing, or permission. Three credits.

302 Social Work in Mental Health. Advanced knowledge and skills in working with children with severe emotional disturbances and adults with persistent mental illness. Community-based services are emphasized. Prerequisites: Completion of foundation coursework, advanced standing or permission. Three credits.

310 Social Work with Children and Families I. Focus is on families whose major task is child rearing and child caring. Covers advanced knowledge, concepts, and methods of contemporary child/family services within a family-centered approach. Prerequisites: Completion of foundation coursework, advanced standing or permission. Three credits.

311 Social Work with Children and Families II. Focus is on families with adolescents, families with no children and families with dependent adults. Advanced analysis of families from an adult member perspective and from a critical view of family ideology and myth. Prerequisites: Completion of 216 and 217, advanced standing or permission. Three credits.

316 Critical Applications of Human Behavior and the Social Environment. This course emphasizes advanced analysis of behavioral and social theories as related to social work practice in health and mental health and/or with children and families is required. Prerequisite: Completion of 216 and 217, advanced standing or permission. Three credits.

320 Advanced Social Welfare Policy Analysis and Practice. In-depth analysis of social welfare policy with application to children and families or health and mental health is required. There is an emphasis on the skills of the policy practitioner. Prerequisite: Completion of 220 and 221, advanced standing or permission. Three credits.

327 Advanced Social Work Research. An analysis of social work research from methodological and theoretical perspectives is emphasized. The application of research to the student’s concentration area is required. Prerequisites: Completion of 227, and a basic statistics course, advanced standing or permission. Three credits.

380 Professional Issues in Social Work. Designed to cover selected social work issues in depth. Major emphasis on intensive and critical analysis of the literature and practice in a given area. Prerequisite: Permission. Three credits.

395 Field Practicum. Supervised field experience. The foundation year placement provides experience in the application of the theory and skills of social work practice. The advanced year placement provides advanced skills related to the student’s concentration area. Prerequisite: Permission of Coordinator of Field Education. Twelve credits.

397 Independent Study in Social Work. Individual work on Social Work issue(s) selected by the student in consultation with a faculty member. Prerequisite: Permission. One to six credits.

398 Analytical Paper. A written identification and analysis of a social work issue related to the student’s concentration is prepared and presented. Prerequisite: Successful completion of foundation coursework and permission. Variable one to three credits. Total of three credits required.

Sociology (See page 106.)

Spanish (See page 108.)
The Statistics Program offers biostatistics, statistics, and probability courses for the entire University community along with traditional degree programs and individually designed degree programs emphasizing statistics applied to other fields. The degree programs are designed primarily for students who plan careers in business, actuarial science, and, industry, government or advanced training in disciplines that make extensive use of statistical principles and methods. The Program faculty is deeply involved in consulting and collaborative research in a wide variety of fields, including industry, agriculture and in the basic and clinical medical sciences. These research activities along with the research of participating faculty from psychology, natural resources, etc., offer students unique opportunities to apply their classroom training to "real world" problems. Qualified students with the goal of learning statistics to use in a specialized area of application are especially encouraged to take advantage of these cooperative arrangements.

Program faculty have active statistics research efforts in areas such as quality control and reliability, sequential analysis, three stage sampling, time series analysis, survival data analysis, discriminant analysis, bootstrap methods, categorical data analysis, measurement error models, and experimental design. A track in quality and productivity improvement is available. Students seeking the graduate degree in statistics (along with course work in mathematics and computer science, if desired) have excellent opportunities to participate in the faculty research. (See also Biostatistics program description, p. 40.)

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

A baccalaureate degree. Three semesters of calculus, a course in matrix methods, and one semester of statistics. Provisional acceptance can be given prior to the completion of these requirements. Satisfactory scores on the general (aptitude) portion of the Graduate Record Examination are required for most sources of financial aid. Computer experience is highly recommended.

Current undergraduate students at The University of Vermont should contact the program director for details on the Accelerated Master's Program (AMP).

MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Plan A
(Thesis) A 30 semester hour program requiring 24 semester hours of approved course work. This must include Statistics 221, 223, 224, 231, 251, 261, 321, 323, 324, other Statistics courses numbered 200 or above (except 211, 281, 308, 313), other mathematics or quantitative methods courses or (if appropriate) courses in a specialized field of application, plus six hours of approved thesis research (391).

Plan B
(Nonthesis) A 33 semester hour program requiring 30 semester hours of approved course work. This must include Statistics 221, 223, 224, 231, 251, 261, 321, 323, 324, other Statistics courses numbered 200 or above (except 211, 281, 308, 313), other mathematics or quantitative methods courses or (if appropriate) courses in a specialized field of application, plus three semester hours of approved statistical research (381).

Under both plans, students must have or acquire a knowledge of the material in Statistics 201 and 211 in addition to their required course work. Additional specific courses may be required depending on the student’s background and interest. Other courses are selected with the approval of the student’s advisor from statistics, mathematics, computer science, and (if appropriate) graduate level courses from the student’s intended area of specialty application (e.g. business administration, engineering, ecology, genetics, psychology). The student is expected to participate in the Colloquium series of the Program. Plan A and Plan B require successful completion of a comprehensive examination which includes coverage of theoretical and applied aspects of the required statistics courses taken by the student. Under Plan B a student, in lieu of a thesis, must carry out an approved comprehensive data analysis or methodological research project culminating in both an oral and written report to the faculty.

COURSES OFFERED


201 Statistical Analysis Via Computer. Intensive coverage of computer-based data processing and analysis using statistical packages, subroutine libraries, and user-supplied programs. Students analyze real data and prepare comprehensive report. Prerequisites: 111 with permission, or 141, or corequisite 211 or 308. Three hours.

211 Statistical Methods I. Fundamental concepts and techniques for data analysis and experimental design. Descriptive and inferential statistics, including classical and nonparametric methods, regression, correlation, and analysis of variance. Prerequisites: Math 19 or 21 or college algebra with permission. Three hours. Cross-listing: Biostatistics 211.

221 Statistical Methods II. Multiple regression and correlation. Basic experimental design. Analysis of variance (fixed, random and mixed models). Analysis of covariance. Computer software usage. Prerequisite: 141 with permission or any one of 211, 241, or 261. Cross-listing: Biostatistics 221.


225 Applied Regression Analysis. Simple linear and multiple regression models; least squares estimates, correlation, prediction, forecasting. Problems of multicollinearity and influential data (outliers). Selected statistical computer programs are utilized. Prerequisites: Any one of 111, 141, 211, 241, or 261. Three hours. Cross-listing: Biostatistics 225.


231 Experimental Design. Randomization, complete and incomplete blocks, cross-overs, covariance analysis, factorial experiments, confounding, fractional-replication, nesting, split-plots, repeated measures, response surface optimization, Taguchi methods, and optimal designs. Prerequisite: Any one of 141, 211, 241 or 261. Three hours.

233 Design of Sample Surveys. Design and data analysis for sample surveys. Simple random, stratified, systematic, cluster, multistage sampling. Practical issues in planning and conducting surveys. Prerequisites: 211 or 241 or 261, or 141 with permission. Three hours. Cross-listing: Biostatistics 233.

237 Nonparametric Statistical Methods. Nonparametric and distribution free methods; categorical, ordinal and quantitative data; confidence intervals; rank and Chi-Square hypothesis tests; computer-intensive procedures (Bootstrap, exact tests). Prerequisites: 211 or 241 or 261, or 141 with permission. Three hours. Cross-listing: Biostatistics 237.

241 Statistical Inference. Introduction to statistical theory: related probability fundamentals, derivation of statistical principles and methodology for parameter estimation and hypothesis testing. Prerequisites: 151 or 251; a course in statistical methods recommended; Math 121. Three hours. Cross-listing: Biostatistics 241.


253 Applied Time Series and Forecasting. Autoregressive moving average (Box-Jenkins) models, autocorrelation, partial autocorrelation, differencing for nonstationarity, computer modeling. Forecasting, seasonal or cyclic variation, transfer function and intervention analysis, spectral analysis. Prerequisites: Any one of 141, 211, 225, 241, or 261. Three hours. Cross-listing: Biostatistics 253.

261, 262 Statistical Theory I,II. Point and interval estimation, hypothesis testing, and decision theory. Applications to areas such as nonparametric tests, sequential analysis and linear models. Prerequisites: For 261: 151 with permission or 251. For 262: 241 with permission or 261. Three hours each.


270 Stochastic Theory in Electrical Engineering. See Electrical Engineering 270.


281 Statistics Practicum. Intensive experience in carrying out a complete statistical analysis for a research project in a substantive area with close consultation with the project investigator. One to four credit hours. Prerequisites: Any one of 200, 201, 221 through 237, or 253. Some statistics software experience. No credit for graduate students in Statistics or Biostatistics.

295 Special Topics in Statistics. For advanced students. Lectures, reports, and directed readings on advanced topics. Prerequisite: As listed in course schedule. One to four credit hours as arranged.

308 Biometrics and Applied Statistics. Introduction to the rational use and evaluation of statistical methods in planning experiments and interpreting biological data. Biometrics laboratory included. Prerequisite: Math. 19 or 21 or college algebra with permission. Five hours. Cross-listing: Molecular Physiology and Biophysics 308.

313 Statistical Analysis for Management. See Business Administration 313.

321, 323, 324, 325, 329 Seminars in Advanced Statistics. Seminar presentations and discussions of statistical literature pertaining to the theoretical aspects of methods studied in 221, 223, 224, 225, and 229, respectively. Corequisites: 221 for 321; 223 for 323; 224 for 324; 225 or 221 for 325, 229 for 329. 241 or 261 recommended. One hour each.


381 Statistical Research. Methodological or data analytic research culminating in oral and written reports to the faculty. Prerequisite: Permission. One to three hours.

385 Consulting Practicum. Supervised field work in statistical consulting. Experiences may include advising UVM faculty and students or clients in applied settings such as industry and government agencies. Prerequisites: Second year graduate standing in Statistics or Biostatistics and permission of Statistics Program Director. One to three hours.

391 Master's Thesis Research. Credit as arranged.

395 Advanced Topics in Statistics. Lectures or directed readings on advanced and contemporary topics not presently included in other statistics courses. Prerequisite: As listed in course schedule. One to three hours.

Water Resources

For description of the M.S. Program in Water Resources see NATURAL RESOURCES, page 85.

Wildlife and Fisheries Biology

For description of the M.S. Program in Wildlife and Fisheries Biology see NATURAL RESOURCES, page 86.

Women's Studies (See page 108.)
Courses of Instruction for Graduate Credit

The following courses are offered for graduate credit by departments and programs that do not offer a graduate degree program. Some of the courses below may be appropriate to satisfy a portion of the course requirements for a specific graduate degree program listed earlier.

ANTHROPOLOGY (ANTH)

200 Field Work in Archaeology. Methods and techniques of archaeological investigation in field situations and laboratory analysis of data. Prerequisites: 24, one 100-level course in anthropology or permission. Six hours. Summers only.

210 Archaeological Theory. Development of archaeology from the 18th century to the present, including concepts of form, space, and time, intellectual attitudes, current systems theory, and research strategies. Prerequisites: 24, one 100-level anthropology course; or Historic Preservation 201; or permission. Three hours. Power. Alternate years.

225 Anthropological Theory. Schools of anthropological thought in relation to data on non-Western societies and the historical and social context in which the anthropologist works. Prerequisites: 21, one 100-level course or permission. Three hours. C. Lewin, Mitchell. Alternate years.

228 Social Organization. Examination of the basic anthropological concepts and theories used in the cross-cultural analysis of kinship and marriage. Prerequisites: 21, one 100-level course or permission. Three hours. C. Lewin, Mitchell.

278 Microethnography. Tape recorders and video cameras used to explore human patterns of communication; specifically phonemic, paralinguistic, haptic, and kinesic detail, as well as ethnographic semantics. Prerequisite: 28, or Linguistics 101 or permission. Three hours. Woolfson.

283 Culture Change. Study of sociocultural transformations in non-Western countries. Prerequisites: 21, one 100-level course, or 21, six hours in the social sciences or permission. Three hours. Gordon. Alternate years.

290 Methods of Ethnographic Field Work. Examination of theoretical and ethical premises of field work methodology with practical experience in participant observation, interviewing, the genealogical method, and recording of data. Prerequisite: Twelve hours of anthropology or permission. Three hours. Mitchell. Alternate years.

295 Advanced Special Topics. Prerequisites: 21, one 100-level course or permission.

297, 298 Advanced Readings and Research. Prerequisite: Permission. Variable, one to three hours.

ART (ART)

201 Architecture, Landscape, and History. See Historic Preservation 201. Three hours.

207 Seminar in American Architecture and Design. Selected topics in American art and/or architecture, individual research and reports. Prerequisites: By permission to advanced students in art history, architectural studies, or historic preservation. Three hours.

282 Seminar in Western Art. Selected topics in Western Art. See Schedule of Courses for specific offerings each semester. Prerequisites: Six hours of intermediate level Art History courses, including three hours in the area of the seminar, or equivalent. Three hours.

295 Advanced Special Topics in Studio Art. Advanced work in existing departmental offerings at the 100 and 200 levels. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

EDUCATION-EARLY CHILDHOOD AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (ECHD)

260 Family Ecosystem. The family will be viewed in and as an environment for human development. The family ecological approach will be applied to practical family concerns. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.

263 Advanced Child Development. A survey of the professional literature in child development with special emphasis on the influence of early life experiences throughout the life cycle. Prerequisite: 80-81 or equivalent. Three hours.

264 Contemporary Issues in Parenting. Contemporary cultural factors that influence adult lifestyles and their relationships to successful parenting. Prerequisites: Nine hours in human development or permission. Three hours.

265 Teaching Human Development. Seminar designed for individuals who teach or plan to teach human development. Emphasis on group-building skills and interpersonal relationships. Prerequisites: Six hours in human development and permission. Three hours.

266 Seminar in Human Development. Intensive study of issues in human development and their application in a wide variety of professional areas. May be taken more than once up to a maximum of 12 credits. Prerequisites: Nine hours of human development or equivalent. Three hours.

268 Seminar in Close Relationships. Causal conditions influencing formation, maintenance and dissolution of intimate adult relationships. Draws on theory and students' personal experiences to explicate the nature of close relationships in contemporary American society. Prerequisites: 60, 65, 81 or permission. Three hours. Balbour.

281 Infancy. Development and rearing from conception to 18 months old and their relationship to subsequent development. Prerequisites: Nine hours in human development, nutrition, and physiology or biology or permission. Three hours.

282 Seminar in Physical Development and Health in Later Life. Physical manifestations of senescence, anatomical and physiological development, longevity, vitality, health care, nutrition, chronic conditions, and disability. Prerequisite: 181 or permission. Three hours.

283 Personal and Family Development in Later Life. Cognitive development, intellectual performance, work and achievement, retirement and leisure, personal development, self-esteem, coping mechanisms, dying, couples, intergenerational and kinship issues. Prerequisite: 181 or permission. Three hours.

284 Public Policy and Programs for Elders. Demography of aging, social institutions and roles, policy and program implementation, income maintenance, housing, health care, social services, transportation, legal and political issues. Prerequisite: 181 or permission. Three hours.

291 Special Problems. Reading, discussion, and special field and/or laboratory investigations. Prerequisite: Permission. Students may enroll more than once for a maximum of 12 hours. One to six hours.

295 Special Topics. Lectures, laboratories, readings, or projects relating to contemporary areas of study. Enrollment may be more than once; accumulate up to 12 hours. Prerequisite: Permission.

296 Field Experience. Professionally oriented field experience under joint supervision by faculty and business or community representative. Credit arranged up to 15 hours. Prerequisite: Permission.
ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (ENV)

291 Special Topics. Credit as arranged.

293 Environmental Law. Principles of environmental law, including legal research, methods, threshold issues, case law, trial procedure, and international comparisons in aspects of air, land, and water law. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours. Richardson.

294 Environmental Education. Philosophy, principles and concepts, and strategies of environmental education, with emphasis on integrating environmental concerns into formal and nonformal educational programs for youth and adults. Prerequisites: At least six hours of intermediate or advanced level courses in environmental studies, natural resources, or related areas or permission. Three hours. Hudspeth.

295 Advanced Seminar. Credit as arranged.

GRADUATE COLLEGE (GRAD)

385 Master’s Language Examination. Required for all master’s degree students during semester in which examination will be completed. Zero hours.

395 Special Topics. Workshop in the Social Sciences.

397 Master’s Comprehensive Examination. Required for all master’s degree students during semester in which comprehensive will be completed. Zero hours.

399 Thesis Defense. Required for all master’s degree candidates during semester in which defense is scheduled. Zero hours.

485 Doctoral Language Examination. Required for all doctoral degree students during semester in which examination will be completed. Zero hours.

497 Doctoral Comprehensive Examination. Required for all doctoral degree students during semester in which comprehensive will be completed. Zero hours.

499 Dissertation Defense. Required for all doctoral degree candidates during semester in which defense is scheduled. Zero hours.

900 Continuous Registration Fee. All graduate students who have enrolled for all credits required in their degree program but who have not completed all degree requirements (e.g., comprehensive exam, defense of project or thesis) must pay a $100 fee per fall and spring semester. Zero hours.

HUMANITIES (HUMN)

300 Modern Literary Theory. A survey of modern literary theory, including Slavic and Anglo-American formalism, marxism, feminism, structuralism, hermeneutics, deconstruction, and new historicism. Prerequisite: Graduate standing at UVM, or an A.B. in some humanities discipline and permission. Three hours. Alternate years.

301 Humanities Graduate Seminar. Varying interdisciplinary topics for humanities graduate students. Prerequisites: Graduate standing at UVM, or an A.B. in some humanities discipline and permission. Three hours.

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES (IS)

297, 298 Advanced Readings and Research. Independent study of a specific area subject or theme with an approved instructor. Prerequisite: Permission of area Program Director. Three hours.

MUSIC (MUS)

211, 212, 213, 214, 215 Seminars in Music Literature. Seminars will treat in detail topics surveyed in the intermediate level music literature sequence. Subject matter will be determined by the instructor. Prerequisites: 11, 12; 111 for 211; 112 for 212; 113 for 213; 114 for 214; 115 for 215. Three hours. Offered on irregular basis as required by major enrollment. Ambrose, Schneider.

216 Bibliography Seminar. Biographies and critical works, bibliographies, Festschriften, scholarly and performing editions of music and discography will be surveyed. Prerequisites: Music 11, 12, one additional music literature course at the 100 or 200 level. Three hours. Ambrose, Schneider.


233 Arranging. Characteristics of instruments; arranging for ensembles. Prerequisite: 231 or permission. Three hours. Wigness.


235 Fugal Composition. Study of representative baroque, classical, and contemporary fugal procedures through analysis and composition. Prerequisite: 231 or permission. Three hours. Read.

237, 238 Composition. Creative work in free composition with instruction according to the needs and capabilities of the individual student. Prerequisites: 232, 235 or permission. Three hours. Read.


259 Conducting. Baton technique, score reading, laboratory practice; preparation and performance of selected scores, including score reading at the piano and rehearsal procedures. Prerequisites: 132, 134 or equivalent. Three hours.

265 Vermont Wind Ensemble. Study and performance of masterworks for wind ensemble and concert band. Attendance at all rehearsals and concerts required. Prerequisite: Audition. One hour. May be repeated for credit. Staff.

281 Kodaly Institute. Study/application for Kodaly’s music education philosophy for children through grade 8. Presentation of folk traditions, solfege, methodology, curriculum; improvisation; children’s choirs, conducting, art-music. Prerequisites: B.S. in Music Education or equivalent. Cross-listing: EDMU 243. Three hours for two-week course (for Certificate holders) or six hours for three-week course (for study and application of Kodaly’s principles and music education).

297, 298 Advanced Readings and Research. Studies in composition or related special topic under the direction of assigned staff member. Prerequisite: Permission. Credit as arranged.

OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY (OBGY)

295 Special Topics. Lectures, readings and discussion for advanced students within areas of expertise of faculty and staff. Prerequisite: Permission of instructor. Three hours. (Molecular endocrinology of human reproduction: A discussion-oriented course for advanced students in reproductive biology. Primary focus on the physiology and endocrinology of human reproduction and pregnancy, including critical evaluation of current technology and biochemical issues. Three hours. Kenny, Osoi, Stirewalt. Spring, alternate years.)
PHILOSOPHY (PHIL)

Prerequisites for all courses: as listed, or equivalent, or by permission of instructor.


202 Metaphysics. A critical examination of such topics as the nature of space and time, the concept of change, the identify of the self, the nature of the world and our place in it. Prerequisite: 101, 102, or 110. Three hours. Christensen, Kornblith, Mann.

210 Philosophy of Mind. Major philosophical theories of the mind and its relation to the physical world, the nature of sensation, desire, and belief, and the relation between thought and action. Prerequisite: 102 or 110. Three hours. Kornblith, Pereboom.

217 Philosophy of Language. A philosophical study of the nature of language. Prerequisite: 113 or Linguistics 100, 102. Three hours. Christensen, Kornblith.

221 Topics in Chinese Philosophy. A detailed examination of a classical Chinese philosophical text or school. Prerequisite: 121 or 122. Three hours. Chan.

235 Topics in the Philosophy of Religion. Advanced study of such issues in the philosophy of religion as the relation between philosophy and faith, religion and science, and religion and ethics. Prerequisites: 101, 102 or 135. Three hours. (May be repeated for credit when topic is significantly different.) Mann.

240 Contemporary Ethical Theory. An analysis of the ideas of contemporary moral philosophers in normative ethics and metaethics. Prerequisites: 140, 142, 143 or 144. Three hours. Kuflik, Loeb.

241 Contemporary Social and Political Philosophy. An analysis of the ideas of contemporary philosophers in social and political philosophy. Prerequisites: 140, 142, 143, or 144. Three hours. Kuflik, Loeb.

242 Justice and Equality. (Same as Political Science 241.) An examination of contemporary normative theories of distributive justice and equality. Prerequisites: 140, 142, 143, or 144. Three hours. Kuflik, Loeb; Wertheimer (Political Science).

260 Topics in Continental Philosophy. Study of a central issue in current continental philosophy, e.g. social theory, psychoanalysis, or aesthetics. Readings from Nietzsche, Heidegger, Gadamer, Ricoeur, Habermas, Derrida, and Foucault. Prerequisites: 107 or 160. Three hours. May be repeated when topic is different. Guignon.


271, 272 Seminar: Major Philosophical Author or School. A study of the major philosophical texts by a single author or school of thought. May be repeated for credit when different authors are studied. Prerequisite: An appropriate 100-level course in philosophy. Three hours.

295, 296 Advanced Special Topics. Advanced courses or seminars on topics beyond the scope of existing departmental offerings.

297, 298 Readings and Research. Independent study with an instructor on a specific philosopher or philosophical problem. Prerequisite: An appropriate 200-level course in philosophy.

RELIGION (REL)

291, 292 Topics in the History and Phenomenology of Religion. Prerequisites: Nine hours in religion; or permission. Three hours.

SOCIOLOGY (SOC)

Courses numbered 200 to 299 require a minimum of six hours of sociology, three of which must be at the 100 or intermediate level, equivalent preparation as indicated or permission of the instructor.

202 Population Dynamics. Analysis of factors affecting human population growth, distribution; migration patterns; relationship between economic activity and population trends. Prerequisites: Six hours of sociology, or Sociology 1 and an introductory course in biology, economics, geography, or zoology or equivalent. Three hours. McCann, Strickler.

204 Ecological Perspective on Human Communities. Analysis of relationships between social, economic, technological organization of communities and their physical and sociocultural environments. Emphasis upon community land use, settlement patterns. Prerequisite: Six hours of sociology or Anthropology/Geography 179 or equivalent. Three hours. Schmidt.


206 Urban Communities in Modern Society. Changing structure, dynamics of urban social organization in context of modernization and urbanization. Emphasis on cities, metropolitan areas in U.S. Three hours. Loewen, Sampson.


209 Small Groups. Structure and dynamics of small groups and the interpersonal, informal network of relations that characterize interaction of members. Three hours. Fox, Kahn.

211 Social Movements and Collective Behavior. Examination of origins, development, structure, consequences of crowds, riots, crazes, rumors, panic. Political, religious movements and their relationships to cultural, social change. Three hours. Berkowitz, Danigelis, Diouf, Schmidt.

213 Women in Development in Third World Countries. An examination of the meaning and measurement of development, socio-demographic characteristics, sex stratification and effects of Colonialism and Westernization on women's issues in the Third World. Three hours. Diouf, Kahn, McCann, Smith, Strickler.
214 Delinquency. Analysis of nature, types of juvenile behavior that violates law. Mechanisms for defining such behavior as delinquent, their causes and consequences. Three hours. Fishman, Fox, Stanfield.


217 Corrections. Analysis of social structures, processes involved with individuals designated as offenders of criminal law: probation, prison, parole, programs of prevention, rehabilitation. Three hours. Fishman, Stanfield.

219 Race Relations. Examination of American racial sub-organization in social, historical perspective. Analysis of interracial contacts, racial subcultures, social structures. Responses to racial prejudice, discrimination. Three hours. Danigelis, Diouf, Loewen.

221 Aging and Social Change. Examines effects of social change on older persons and on the aging process. Also analyzes how a growing older population leads to social change. Three hours. Cutler.

222 Aging and Ethical Issues. Analysis of selected ethical issues posed by an aging society and faced by older persons, their families, health care and service providers, and researchers. Three hours. Cutler.

225 Organizations in Modern Society. Examination of basic classical and contemporary theory, research on human relations, internal structures, environments, types, general properties of complex organizations, bureaucracies. Three hours. Berkowitz, Fox, Mintz, Sampson.

228 Organizational Development and Change. Examination of basic, applied research on problems of organizational effectiveness, innovation. Presentation of organizational development, change techniques, practical class exercises. Prerequisite: Six hours of sociology, or one college course on organizations, or equivalent organizational experience with permission of instructor. Three hours. Berkowitz, Diouf, Fox, Mintz.

229 The Family as a Social Institution. The institution of the American family in cross-cultural, historical perspective. Theories, research on family continuity, change, institutional relationships. Prerequisite: 129 or six hours of sociology or equivalent. Three hours. Fenger, Kahn, Smith.


257 Occupations and Professions. Analysis of social organization of economic roles in industrial societies, institutional relations of occupations, professions, impact of work structure on the individual. Three hours. Mintz, Smith.


240 Political Sociology. Social organization of power, authority in modern societies and dynamics, institutional relationships of political institutions, interest groups, parties, publics. Three hours. Berkowitz, Danigelis, Diouf, Loewen, Mintz.

241 Methods of Public Opinion Research. (Same as Political Science 284.) Methods in conducting public opinion research: design, sampling, questionnaire construction, administration, data control, analysis of cross-sectional, longitudinal, and time series data. Prerequisite: 100 (Political Science 181) or equivalent with permission. Three hours. Berkowitz, Danigelis.

242 Public Opinion: Theory and Research. (Same as Political Science 285.) Theories of public opinion. Topics: attitude formation and change, political ideology, alienation and allegiance, political socialization, tolerance, political extremism. Prerequisite: 241 (Political Science 284) or permission. Three hours. Sampson.

243 Mass Media in Modern Society. Intensive examination of selected topics in the structure of media organizations and their relationships to and impacts upon the major institutions and publics of contemporary society. Three hours. Streeter.

250 The Sociology of Culture. Analyzes the relationship of cultural forms and subjective experience to social structure and power; in-depth applications of interpretive approaches in contemporary sociology. Three hours. Kahn, Streeter.


255 Sociology of Mental Health. Analysis of social structures, processes involved in identification, definition, treatment of mental illness and its sociocultural etiology, consequences. Three hours.


272 Sociology of African Societies. Current social, cultural, political and economic changes occurring in African societies, including issues of development, the state and civil society, social class, ethnonationalism and democratization. Prerequisites: Six hours of sociology. Three hours. Diouf.

274 Research Seminar. Principles of research design, data gathering, ethics, measurement, data analysis, and data presentation. Student will complete a research project. Prerequisite: 100 or equivalent with permission. Danigelis, Fox, Krymkowski, Loewen, Schmidt.

275 Methods of Data Analysis in Social Research. Quantitative analysis of sociological data. Table, regression, path analysis, scaling and factor analysis, analysis of variance (emphasis on multivariate techniques). Prerequisites: 100 or equivalent with permission. Three hours. Berkowitz, Danigelis, Krymkowski, McCann, Strickler.

279 Contemporary Sociological Theory. Critical examination of contemporary functional, conflict, exchange, interactionist, structural theoretical approaches. Other theoretical approaches selected by seminar participants. Prerequisite: 178 or permission. Three hours. McCann, Sampson.

281, 282 Seminar. Presentation, discussion of advanced problems in sociological analysis. Prerequisites: Twelve hours of sociology, permission. Three hours.

288, 289 Seminar: Research and Methods of Teaching Sociology. Development, evaluation of teaching sociology. Prerequisites: Twelve hours of sociology, permission. Open only to graduate students and advanced undergraduate sociology students who serve concurrently as teaching assistants in the department. Three hours.

295, 296 Special Topics.

297, 298 Readings and Research.
SPANISH (SPAN)

SPANISH LITERATURE

235 Golden Age Drama and Prose. The picaresque novel and the drama of the 16th and 17th centuries, emphasizing Lope de Vega, Calderón, Quevedo, Tirso De Molina. Three hours. Weiger.

236 Golden Age Poetry. The major poets (Carcilaso, Fray Luis, San Juan, Quevedo and Góngora) and the poetic tradition of the 16th and 17th centuries. Three hours. Wesseling.

245, 246 Cervantes. Don Quijote, the Novelas Ejemplares, and the theatre of Cervantes. Three hours each course. Weiger.

265 19th Century Spanish Literature. Romanticism and realism: (1) Romantic theatre; (2) the realist and naturalist novelists: Galdós and Leopoldo Alas. Three hours each course. Wesseling.

276 20th Century Spanish Poetry and Drama. Vanguard vs. tradition from the “Generation of 1898” to the present. Three hours. Wesseling.

277 20th Century Spanish Prose Fiction and Essay. Innovation and experimentation from the Generation of 1898 to the present. Three hours. Roof, P. Wesseling.

281 Spanish-American Prose Fiction of the 20th Century. A study of representative works by major authors tracing the development of narrative forms from their roots in the last century to the present. Three hours. Murad.

285, 286 Spanish-American Literature of Social Protest. Readings of major works tracing the various directions of social protest against the Spanish political system, local governments, imperialism. 286 stresses contemporary literature. Three hours each course. Murad.

291 Civilization of Spain. Topical approach to the study of Spanish civilization through the 17th century, emphasizing ideas, art and literature. Three hours. Maura.

292 Civilization of Spain. Topical approach to the study of Spanish civilization from the 18th century to the present, emphasizing ideas, art and literature. Three hours. Roof.

293 Latin American Civilization. A study of the ideas, art, literature, and music of Latin America against the background of the history and culture of the religion. Three hours. Staff.

295, 296 Advanced Special Topics.

297, 298 Advanced Readings.

WOMEN’S STUDIES (WST)

295, 296 Advanced Special Topics. Advanced courses or seminars on women’s studies. Prerequisite: Permission. Three hours.
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