1. **Course Information.** [Include the course prefix, number, full title, and units]  
   (If Cross-listed please submit a form for each prefix being deleted)

BIOL 410 COMPUTER APPLICATIONS IN BIOMEDICAL FIELDS (3)  
Three hours lecture in the lab per week  
Prerequisite: BIOL 201 or consent of instructor  
Current applications of computers and data processing technology to the understanding and solving of specific problems in biomedical fields. Same as COMP 410.

Note: this modification does not affect COMP 410

2. **Justification.**

This course is being deleted as a Biology course because there is significant overlap in this course with the BIOL 431 course in Bioinformatics. We do not currently have the resources to offer two such similar courses and we do not want students to enroll in such similar courses at the expense of taking biology courses in a broader range of topics.

3. **Is this a General Education Course**

   YES  
   NO

   If Yes, indicate GE category:

   A (English Language, Communication, Critical Thinking)  
   B (Life Sciences)  
   C (Fine Arts, Literature, Languages & Cultures)  
   D (Social Perspectives)  
   E (Human Psychological and Physiological Perspectives)

4. **Consultation.**

   Attach consultation sheet from all program areas, Library, and others (if necessary)

5. **If this course deletion will alter any degree, credential, certificate, or minor in your program, attach a program modification.**

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Proposer  

8 Dec 03  
Date