

NEW COURSE PROPOSAL

PROGRAM AREA BIOLOGY

1. Catalog Description of the Course.

BIOL 507 PHARMACOGENOMICS AND PHARMACOPROTEOMICS (3)

Three hours lecture per week

Prerequisite BINF 500, BIOL 504 or permission of instructor

Structural and functional genomics with an emphasis on how these fields operate in drug discovery and optimization. Topics include: genetics of the human response to prophylactic and therapeutic agent, impact of genetic variation on therapeutic efficacy, disease mechanisms, proteomics of genetic and communicable disease, drug action and toxicity, structure encoding, lead discovery and optimization, parallel synthesis, screening virtual libraries.

2. Mode of Instruction.

	Units	Hours per Unit	Benchmark Enrollment
Lecture	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>15</u>
Seminar	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Laboratory	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Activity	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

3. Justification and Learning Objectives for the Course. (Indicate whether required or elective, and whether it meets University Writing, and/or Language requirements) *[Use as much space as necessary]*

This course is an elective element of the biotechnology emphasis for the proposed Professional Science Masters degree in Bioinformatics

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- explain the genetic factors underlying efficacy/toxicity of drug therapy
- evaluate genomic methods in drug design
- assess the value of phenotyping/genotyping in guiding drug therapy of individual patients
- screen a virtual library for molecules with potential therapeutic value

4. Is this a General Education Course **NO**

If Yes, indicate GE category:

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

5. Course Content in Outline Form. *[Be as brief as possible, but use as much space as necessary]*

Introduction to Structural Genomics
 Introduction to Functional Genomics
 Genetics of the Human Response to Prophylactic and Therapeutic Agents
 Impact of Genetic Variation on Therapeutic Efficacy
 Stratifying Diseases by Mechanism
 Proteomics/Pharmacoproteomics of Genetic and Communicable Disease
 Toxicoproteomics
 Drug Discovery and Optimization

6. References. *[Provide 3 - 5 references on which this course is based and/or support it.]*

Kalow, W., Meyer, A. and Tyndale, R. 2001. Pharmacogenomics. Marcel Dekker & Associates, ISBN: 0824705440

- 7. List Faculty Qualified to Teach This Course.**

8. Frequency.

9. New Resources Required.

- None

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

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Proposer of Course

31 October 2003_____Date