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|  | **PLAN OF STUDY - Part II****Doctor of Philosophy - Biological Sciences** **Post-Bachelor's – Microbiology Track** | 2020-21Catalog |

Complete this form and upload it into the Plan of Study – Part I available in your Grad Rebel Gateway student portal. Once submitted, the form will route electronically for signatures. Upon approval by the Graduate College, a final copy of the form will be emailed to your Rebelmail account.

Refer to the 2020-21 Graduate Catalog for degree requirements:

<https://catalog.unlv.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=31&poid=9307>

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| **COURSE REQUIREMENTS** |

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| **Core Course – 1 Credit** |
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| **Required Courses – 3 Credits**Complete 3 credits from the following list of courses: BIOL 609, BIOL 618, BIOL 653, BIOL 664, BIOL 660, BIOL 685 |
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| **Didactic Courses – 15 Credits**Complete 15 credits of advisor-approved didactic courses. |
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| **Seminar Courses - 6 Credits**Complete 6 credits from the respective list of courses on the catalog program page (link above). |
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| **Elective Courses - 23 Credits**Complete 23 credits of advisor-approved independent study, colloquium, seminar, or didactic courses. |
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| **Dissertation - 12 Credits** |
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| BIOL 799 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
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| **TOTAL CREDITS** |       | \* Minimum credits required for graduation = **60** |
| **GRADUATION POLICIES** |
| * A minimum of 50 percent of the degree program must be 700-level courses excluding thesis, dissertation, or professional/scholarly paper. Individual departments may require more than the Graduate College minimum.
* Courses used to fulfill requirements for one degree may not be used toward another degree.
* A candidate for an advanced degree or graduate certificate must have a minimum Graduate Program Grade Point Average of 3.00 to be eligible to graduate or receive the certificate.
* Refer to the Graduate Catalog for all [Academic](https://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=30&navoid=7402), [Transfer Credit](https://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=30&navoid=7402&hl=%22transfer+credit%22&returnto=search#transfer_credit_policy), and program-related policies and requirements.
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