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|  | **PLAN OF STUDY - Part II**  **MASTER OF SCIENCE – BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**  **Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Track** | 2020-21  Catalog |

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=9306>

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| **COURSE REQUIREMENTS** |

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| **Required Course - 1 Credits** | | | | | | | |
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| BIOL 701 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **Didactic Courses - 9 Credits**  Complete nine credits of an advisor-approved didactic course. | | | | | | | |
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| **Seminar Course - 4 Credits**  Complete four credits from any combination of the following courses: BIOL 793A, BIOL 793B, BIOL 793C, BIOL 793D, BIOL 796 | | | | | | | |
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| **Elective Courses - 10 Credits**  Complete ten credits of advisor-approved independent study, colloquium, seminar, core, or didactic courses. | | | | | | | |
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| **Thesis - 6 Credits** | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **TOTAL CREDITS** |  | | \* Minimum credits required for graduation = **30** | | | | | | |

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| **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 [Thesis and Dissertation Format and Submission Guidelines](https://www.unlv.edu/graduatecollege/thesis) webpage for a breakdown of requirements. * 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. |