

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston  
The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center  
Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences

**Request to Substitute Previous Graduate Course Work  
to Satisfy an Area Course Requirement**

*Note: Please submit a separate form for each area requirement*

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Name of student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Area requirement to be waived (quantitative, molecular, cellular, systems)

**Substitute course work:**

University: \_\_\_\_\_ Date taken: \_\_\_\_\_

Course title: \_\_\_\_\_ Credits (semester): \_\_\_\_\_

Course number: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Attach photocopy of course description from catalog.

**I certify that the information provided above is correct and that the course qualifies as a graduate course at the university at which taken.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Approved, Associate Dean for Graduate Education \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**I have discussed the proposed substitution with the student and recommend that it be considered for approval.**

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Name of Advisor (type or print)

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Approved, Signature of advisor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Evaluation of Request to Substitute Previous Course Work for an Area Course Requirement

**Note to student:** Please have this request evaluated by the GSBS faculty member who teaches the comparable course which currently satisfies this area requirement.

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Name of Faculty Member (type or print)

**Note to Faculty Member:** Please examine the information about the substitute course provided on page 1 of this form and ask the student for any additional materials or information required for your evaluation.

1. **Does the breadth and level of the completed course meet the objectives of the area requirement to be satisfied?**

Yes     No

2. **Was the course content current and comparable to the GSBS course(s) offered to meet this requirement?**

Yes     No

3. **Would the student be able to pass the final examination in the GSBS course which meets this requirement with at least a grade of C?**

Yes     No

4. **Comments:**

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Approved, Faculty Member

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Date