# Aquatic Biology, B.S. *major* Aquatic Systems Emphasis

Required Credits: 77 Required GPA: 2.25

## I REQUIRED BIOLOGY CORE COURSES

#### COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- BIOL 1211 Introductory Biology I (4 credits)
- BIOL 1212 Introductory Biology II (4 credits)
- BIOL 2360 Genetics (4 credits)
- BIOL 2610 General Ecology (3 credits)
- BIOL 2620 Field and Laboratory Projects in Ecological Research (2 credits)

#### **II REQUIRED AQUATIC BIOLOGY CORE COURSES**

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- BIOL 4200 Freshwater Invertebrates (4 credits)
- BIOL 3361 Limnology I (4 credits)
- BIOL 3362 Limnology II (4 credits)
- BIOL 3554 Readings in Aquatic Biology (1 credit)
- BIOL 3830 Aquatic Plants (4 credits)

## **III CAPSTONE EXPERIENCE**

Complete option A or B.

A. COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- BIOL 4894 Advanced Research Project I (2 credits)
- BIOL 4895 Advanced Research Project II (2 credits)

# B. COMPLETE SOME OTHER CAPSTONE EXPERIENCE APPROVED

BY YOUR BIOLOGY ACADEMIC ADVISOR AND THE DEPARTMENT

# AQUATIC SYSTEMS EMPHASIS

REQUIRED CORE COURSES COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSE:

• BIOL 4534 Ichthyology (4 credits)

ELECTIVE CORE COURSES SELECT A MINIMUM OF 12 CREDITS FROM THE FOLLOWING:

- BIOL 3310 Entomology (4 credits)
- BIOL 3630 Conservation Biology (3 credits) or GEOG 3630 Conservation Biology (3 credits)
- BIOL 3723 Ecosystem Ecology (3 credits)
- BIOL 3850 Marine Biology (3 credits)
- BIOL 4620 Evolution (3 credits)
- CHEM 3150 Standard Methods of Water Analysis (3 credits)
- GEOG 3231 Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (3 credits)

#### ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES

SELECT AN ADDITIONAL 3-4 CREDITS OF BIOLOGY ELECTIVES AT THE 3000 LEVEL OR ABOVE.

# V REQUIRED COURSES IN RELATED FIELDS

# COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- CHEM 2211 Principles of Chemistry I (4 credits)
- CHEM 2212 Principles of Chemistry II (4 credits)
- STAT 2610 Applied Statistics (4 credits)
  - or PSY 3401 Basic Statistics for Research (4 credits)

## SELECT 1 OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- PHYS 1101 General Physics I (4 credits)
- PHYS 2101 Physics I (5 credits)

### SELECT 1 OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- PHYS 1102 General Physics II (4 credits)
- PHYS 2102 Physics II (5 credits)