Texas A&M University
Departmental Request for a Change in Course
Undergraduate • Graduate • Professional

Submit original form and attachments.

1. Request submitted by (Department or Program Name):
   Department of Soil and Crop Sciences

2. Course prefix, number and complete title of course:
   AGRO 428. Turfgrass Culture

3. Change requested
   a. Prerequisite(s): From: ____________________________ To: ____________________________
   b. Withdrawal (reason): ____________________________
   c. Cross-list with: ____________________________

   Cross-listed courses require the signature of both department heads.

   d. Change in course title and description. Enter complete current course title and current course description in item 5; enter proposed course title and proposed course description in item 6. Complete item 7 for change in title.

   e. Change in course prefix, number, contact hours (lab & lecture), and semester credit hours. Complete item 7. Attach a course syllabus.

4. For informational purposes only, please indicate course number if this course will be stacked:

5. Complete current course title and current catalog course description:
   Turfgrass Culture. Description, adaptation, use, establishment and culture of turfgrasses to achieve the maximum functional, recreational and aesthetic benefits to man, especially as related to lawns, parks, sport fields, golf courses, cemeteries, and roadsides.

6. Complete proposed course title and proposed catalog course description (not to exceed 50 words):
   Advanced Turf Ecology and Physiology. Examination of how environmental stresses, genetics, and cultural management practices influence the growth, development, and physiology of turfgrasses; exploration of how turf communities function within urban landscapes; introduction to environmental, social, and political issues encountered when managing these areas.

7. a. As currently in course inventory:

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   Approval recommended by:

   Chair, College Review Committee
   Date

   Dean of College
   Date

   Chair, GC or UCC
   Date

   Effective Date

Questions regarding this form should be directed to Sandra Williams at 845-8201 or sandra-williams@tamu.edu.
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Example of title, course description, and lecture and lab hours change

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