B. PROPOSED HCS MS CURRICULUM 2022

COURSE	TITLE	CREDIT	TOTAL
TAKE ONE CLASS IN 2 OF THE 3 FOCUS AREAS:			
FOCUS 1 - PLANT BIOCHEMISTRY / PHYSIOLOGY / METABOLOMICS			
HCS 5621	Physiology of Cultivated Plants – 3 credits	3	
HCS 5622	Plant Biochemistry – 3 credits		
HCS 7821	Environmental Physiology of Managed Plant Systems – 3 credits		
FOCUS 2 - PLANT GENETICS / BIOTECHNOLOGY / BREEDING			
HCS 5325*	Plant Genetics – 3 credits		
HCS 5625**	Applied Plant Biotechnology – 2 credits	2-3	
HCS 5825**	Plant Breeding – 2 credits		
HCS 8825	Advanced Plant Breeding – 3 credits		
FOCUS 3 – PLANT SYSTEMS / PRODUCTION / ECOLOGY			
HCS 5100	Advanced Cropping Systems – 3 credits	2-3	
HCS 5200	Advanced Horticultural Principles and Practices – 3 credits		
HCS 5306	Sustain. Veg. Prod. Pract.: Planning, Growing and Marketing – 3 credits		
HCS 5411	Grain, Oilseed, and Fiber Crops – 3 credits		
HCS 5412	Agroecology of Grasslands and Prairies – 3 credits		
HCS 5420†	Environmental impacts of Crop-Livestock Systems – 3 credits		
HCS 5422	Principles of Weed Ecology and Management – 3 credits		
HCS 5450	Vegetable Crop Production and Physiology – 3 credits		
HCS 5460	Fruit Crop Physiology and Production – 3 credits		
HCS 5602	Ecology of Agriculture – 3 credits		
HCS 5670	Golf Courses and the Environment – 2 credits		
EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN			
HCS 5887	Introduction to Experimental Design – 3 credits	3	
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT			
HCS 7001	Graduate Student Professional Development – 1 credit	1	
SEMINAR (enroll twice)			
HCS 7890	Colloquium presentation – I credit	1	
HCS 7890	2 nd enrollment (non-presenting) – 1 credit	1	
CURRENT TOPICS			
HCS 8830	Current Topics	1	
ELECTIVES (minimum of 6 credits of HCS graduate courses)			
HCS/other	Graduate Courses – NOT counting courses fulfilling above requirements	6	
	Total Required Course Hours		17-19
RESEARCH HOURS			
HCS 7999†	MS Research (1-18) – multiple terms/hrs.	Var.	
Coursework required by SAC			
HCS/other		Var.	
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	TOTAL GRADUATE HOURS (REQUIRED):		30
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^{*}HCS5325 renumbered from HS4325, ** HCS5625 & 5825 adapted from HCS7625.

[†]new course