GEOC Program Plan For Information Literacy

Major Program Molecular and Cell Biology (MCB)

Briefly describe how Information Literacy will be taught within your major program. List courses in which these skills will be embedded.

The Advanced Level Information Literacy skills as outlined by the ACRL Standards for Higher Education are embedded in the following MCB W courses: MCB 222W Human Disease, MCB 226W Advanced Biochemistry Laboratory, MCB 240W Bacterial Diversity and Ecology, MCB 241W Research Literature in Molecular and Cell Biology, and MCB 292W Senior Research Thesis in Molecular and Cell Biology, as well as EEB 244W General Ecology EEB 245W Evolutionary Biology. Students enrolled in these MCB or EEB W courses will also be provided with Information Literacy workshops by Carolyn Mills, the Biology liaison in the Library.

Are all these courses required of your students? If not, how will you assure that all students attain the exit expectations for Information Literacy.

Students will be required to take one of these courses to meet this competency.

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