Marine Biology Minor
PLAN OF STUDY

Instructions to students: In order to demonstrate that you have satisfied all requirements for the Marine Biology Minor you need to obtain a signature on two copies of this form from an advisor in the Department of Marine Sciences or the Marine Sciences Program Coordinator. You need to give one signed copy to your advisor and you need to include one signed copy when you submit your final plan of study to the Registrar's Office.

NOTE: In order to graduate with a minor in Marine Biology you need to earn a grade of C or better in all courses in the minor. A maximum of 3 credits towards the minor may be transfer credits for courses equivalent to University of Connecticut courses. Substitutions are not allowed for courses in a minor.

Requirements: Students wishing to complete this minor must take at least 15 credits of 2000-level (or higher) courses. Marine Sciences majors may not choose MARN 4010 to be part of the Marine Biology minor. Marine Sciences majors may use only one 2000-level (or higher) elective course to count for both the major and the minor.

A. Required courses:
MARN 3014/EEB 3230 __________ (3 cr.) “Marine Biology”
MARN 4010* __________ (3 cr.) “Biological Oceanography”

* Students who have taken both MARN 2002 and 3001 may use these instead of MARN 4010.

B. Course Electives (must take at least 3 of the following courses):
MARN 3015/5015 __________ (3 cr.) “Molecular Approaches to Biological Oceanography”
MARN 3017/5017 __________ (3 cr.) “Plankton Ecology”
MARN 3811 __________ (3 cr.) “Seminar on Marine Mammals”
MARN 5016 __________ (3 cr.) “Marine Zooplankton”
EEB 3250 __________ (4 cr.) “Biology of the Algae”
MARN 3012/5012 __________ (3 cr.) “Marine Invertebrate Biology” or (4 cr.) “Invertebrate Zoology”
or EEB 4275
MARN 3016/MCB3636 __________ (3 cr.) “Marine Microbiology” or (3 cr.) “Coastal Pollution and Bioremediation”
or MARN 3030/5032
MARN 4018/5018 __________ (3 cr.) “Ecology of Fishes” or (4 cr.) “Biology of Fishes”
or EEB 4200
MARN 3893 __________ (3 cr.) “Foreign Study” (prior approval required)
MARN 4893 __________ (3 cr.) “Foreign Study” (prior approval required)
MARN 4895 __________ (3 cr.) “Special Topics” (prior approval required)
MARN 4898 __________ (3 cr.) “Variable Topics” (prior approval required)
Other MARN course __________ (prior approval required)

Student name: ___________________________ Student ID #: __________
Student E-mail: ___________________________
Student signature: _______________________

Advisor approval of the above program for the Minor in Marine Biology:
Printed name: ___________________________ Title: _______________________
Signature: ___________________________ Date: _______________________