Arizona State University

Professional Science Master's in Forensic Science

Modality: Online Catalog Year: Fall 2025 Total Credit Hours: 30

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Required Core (9 credit hours)			
Course Prefix, Number and Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Session	Grade
FOR 525: Forensic Science and Governance	3		
FOR 550: Ethics in Forensic Science	3		
FOR 565: Laboratory Leadership, Policy, and Practice	3		
Other Requirements (18 credit hours)			
Course Prefix, Number and Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Session	Grade
FOR 501: Forensic Toxicology <u>OR</u> FOR 532: Principles of Pharmacology	3		
FOR 502: Advanced Forensic Botany <u>OR</u> FOR 503: Forensic Entomology	3		
FOR 540: Advanced Topics in Human Forensic DNA	3		
FOR 578: Capstone in Forensic Science I	3		
PSY 546: Advanced Forensic Psychology <u>OR</u> CRJ 537: Criminal Procedure of Investigations for Social and Forensic Scientists	3		
FOR 560: Quantitative Methods in Forensic Science Research <u>OR</u> BMI 515: Applied Biostatistics in Medicine and Informatics <u>OR</u> HCD 501: Biostatistics and Data Management	3		
Culminating Experience (3 credit hours)			
Course Prefix, Number and Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Session	Grade
FOR 579: Capstone in Forensic Science II	3		

General Guidelines

- ✓ The NC Advising Website contains additional information on degree requirements and registration.
- This online program requires registration in Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters. Any variation to the recommended course sequence (available on the <u>NC Advising Website</u>) must be discussed with and approved by an, as not all courses are offered each semester. <u>Academic Success Advisor</u>, as not all courses are offered each semester.
- ✓ Students are required to submit an Interactive Plan of Study (iPOS), which must be completed by the end of the first semester.
- ✓ All work toward a master's degree must be completed within six consecutive years. Please review the <u>ASU Graduate College</u> Policy Manual.
- ✓ Students are required to meet New College Satisfactory Academic Progress Standards and maintain continuous enrollment as defined by the ASU Graduate College Policy Manual.
- ✓ The capstone courses are completed in a student's final semester of study. To be eligible for registration, consult the program handbook.
- ✓ Students must earn a B or better in the capstone courses (FOR 578 and FOR 579). For more information, consult the <u>ASU</u> Graduate College Policy Manual.