

Biology Department

MSc. in Biological Sciences- Thesis Track

A. Admission Requirements:

Students wishing to enroll in this program must satisfy the following two conditions:

- Have a bachelor degree in Biological Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Pharmacy, Allied Medical Sciences, or Medical Sciences.
- Meeting the English language requirements as outlined by the decisions of the Higher Education Council.

B. Degree Requirements:

- 1. Meeting the conditions stipulated in the Master program regulations number (3) for the year 2011.
- 2. Completion of remedial courses recommended by the department graduate studies committee.
- 3. Studying and successfully passing at least (24) credit hours from the level of (600) and above.

1. Core Courses: (15) credit hours

Course code	Course name	Credit hours
Stat. 606	Data Analysis and Experimental Design	3
Bio. 642	Advanced Genetics	3
Bio. 650	Experimental Biochemistry	3
Bio. 651 A	Advanced Biotechnology	3
Bio. 655	Advanced Molecular Biology	3



2. Elective Courses: (9) credit hours

Course code	Course name	Credit hours
Bio. 600	Management and Investment of Biotechnology	3
Bio. 607	Cloning of Organisms	3
Bio. 616	Experimental Embryology	3
Bio. 617 A	Animal Cell Culture	3
Bio. 627 A	Plant Tissue culture	3
Bio. 638	Microbial Biotechnology	3
Bio. 636	Advanced Immunology	3
Bio. 645	Genetic Analysis	3
Bio. 646	Environmental Biotechnology	3
Bio. 652 B	Plant Biotechnology	3
Bio. 657 A	Advanced Bioinformatics	3
Bio. 658	Advanced Cell Biology	3
Bio. 659	Biotechnology in Health Care	3
Bio. 692 A	Special Topics	3

3. Preparation of a Master Thesis and passing its defense exam.

The master thesis is **(9)** credit hours appearing for registration purposes as follows:

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
Bio. 699A	Master Thesis	0
Bio. 699B	Master Thesis	3
Bio. 699C	Master Thesis	6
Bio. 699D	Master Thesis	9