Pitt State Pathway
(Undergraduate Course Numbers through 699)

Please check only one:

- Course is **currently** a “General Education” course
- Course is listed in the current catalog, but is **NOT** a “General Education” course
- New course that is **NOT** listed in the current catalog and has **NOT** been legislated through PSU Faculty Senate and/or KBOR

A. Submission date: **January 3, 2019**

B. Department: **Biology**

C. College: **Arts and Sciences**
   If two or more Colleges, please indicate which Colleges will be involved in teaching the course: **Click or tap here to enter text.**

D. Name of faculty member on record for the course (may be Coordinating Professor or Chair):
   **Anuradha Ghosh**
   (As faculty of record, I verify all sections agree to address the Core or Essential Studies Element and corresponding Learning Outcome as indicated below.)

E. Course prefix: **BIOL**

F. Course number: **111**

G. Credit hours: **3**

H. Title of course: **General Biology**
   Is this a change in the title of the course? **No**
   (If “Yes,” a Revision to Course form will need to be completed and uploaded to the Preliminary Briefcase and will go through the legislation process.)

I. Will this course require a new course description? **No**
   (If “Yes,” please insert new course description here. A Revision of Course form will need to be completed and uploaded to the Preliminary Briefcase and will go through the legislation process)
   **Click or tap here to enter text.**

J. Does this course include a co-requisite laboratory course: **Yes**
   If “Yes”, please provide the co-requisite course name and number:
   General Biology Laboratory BIOL 112

K. Will this course be available on-line: **Yes**
   If “Yes”, please provide a detailed explanation: Few sections may be online

L. Semester(s) course will be offered (choose all that apply): **Fall - Spring - Summer**

M. Prerequisite(s): **None**

N. Co-requisite(s) —other than lab course named above: **None**
O. Select the *Pitt State Pathway Core Element* or *Essential Studies Element* based on the identified Learning Outcome to be covered in the course (choose only one set):
(Refer to definitions, hierarchy, and rubrics in the *Pitt State Pathway* document)

- **Communication**
  - **Written Communication**
    - Students will communicate effectively.

- **Communication**
  - **Verbal Communication**
    - Students will communicate effectively.

- **Quantitative/Analytic Methods and Scientific Literacy**
  - **Quantitative/Analytic Methods**
    - Students will analyze data logically.

- **Global Understanding and Civic Engagement**
  - **Human Experience within a Global Context**
    - Students will explore global systems conscientiously.

- **Global Understanding and Civic Engagement**
  - **Human Systems within a Global Context**
    - Students will explore global systems conscientiously.

- **Global Understanding and Civic Engagement**
  - **Natural World within a Global Context**
    - Students will explore global systems conscientiously.

- **Personal and Professional Behavior**
  - **Wellness Strategies**
    - Students will model productive behaviors purposefully.

P. Will the course address a **Companion Element**? Yes
(Refer to definitions, hierarchy, and rubrics in the *Pitt State Pathway* document.)

   If “Yes,” please select one: Scientific Inquiry

Q. What is the highest anticipated level of student achievement for the stated learning outcome(s) common across all sections of the course? Note: Sample assessment strategies will be submitted on the representative syllabus. Milestone I
(Refer to definitions, hierarchy, and rubrics in the *Pitt State Pathway* document.)

R. Please submit course syllabus as an attachment, highlighting the following items: course objectives related to Learning Outcome(s), assessment strategies (e.g. exams, course project, etc.), and assessment tool(s) to be used to measure student achievement.
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**Note:** Each College curriculum representative will notify their respective College and Department(s) of the completion of the approval process.

*Originating Department: Please **complete** the entire form, acquire the Chairperson’s signature, and save as **PSP.ABC123.Form**. Save the syllabus to be attached as **PSP.ABC123.Syll**. Email the completed form and attachments to **psupathway@pittstate.edu**.

**Naming convention:** **PSP.ABC123.Form**<br>PSP = Pitt State Pathway.<br>ABC123 = Course abbreviation and number.