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**2.Proposed Change**

Addition of a prerequisite to BIO 5153, Laboratory in Biotechniques I

**3.Effective Date**

Fall 2019

**4.Justification –** *Please provide details as to why this change is necessary.*

This is a project-based laboratory course, which requires advance skills in molecular biological lab techniques. A student without these technical skills will not be successful in this class. Therefore, the instructor will need to determine if the student meets the requirements.

**Bulletin Changes**

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**BIO 5143. Pharmacology** The study of drugs and their mechanisms of action at the system, cellular, and molecular levels. Prerequisites: BIO 2223 OR BIO 3233, BIOL 4104, and CHEM 4243.

**BIO 5153. Laboratory in BioTechniques I** Laboratory techniques in DNA/RNA isolation, analysis and applications, including PCR, reverse transcriptase PCR, high-throughput sequencing sample preparation for gene expression products. Laboratory 6 hours per week. Special course fees may apply. Dual listed as BIO 4153. Prerequisite, ~~BIO 3013.~~ Permission of instructor. Fall.

**BIO 5163. Laboratory in BioTechniques II** Laboratory techniques in protein expression and functional analysis including recombinant DNA, protein expression systems, protein chemistry, chromatographic methods, and other analytical techniques. Laboratory 6 hours per week. Special course fees may apply. Dual listed as BIO 4163. Prerequisites, BIO 5153 or permission of instructor. Spring.

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