

**TOOL SKILL REQUIREMENT**

**UNM, DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY**

DEGREE SOUGHT: (please circle) M.S. Ph.D.

We propose that Tool Skill Requirement for \_\_\_\_\_ be fulfilled in the following way<sup>1</sup>:

- 1. Foreign Language Requirement will be satisfied by listing the semester and the grade:
  - a. Completion of second year of a foreign language with an average grade of B or better as an undergraduate. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Completion of foreign language reading for graduate students with an average grade of B or better. \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Passing the national standard language exam at the basic competency level.  
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  - d. Translation of paper; passing to be determined by an appropriate source approved by the Graduate Policy Committee. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Non-Biological Tool Skill will be satisfied by:
  - a. At least six hours, with grades of B or better, including the following courses:  
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  - b. Other means as follows: \_\_\_\_\_  
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The above requirement has been fulfilled.

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DEPARTMENT CHAIRPERSON

**THIS FORM IS TO BE RETAINED IN THE STUDENT'S FILE & SIGNED AT THE APPROPRIATE TIMES.**

<sup>1</sup> Master's: 6 credit hours language OR math/statistics/biometry  
PhD: 12 credit hours language & math/statistics/biometry.