

UConn | RATCLIFFE HICKS SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

PLAN OF STUDY FORM

Catalog Year 2017-2018

RHSA Associate of Applied Science (AAS) Degree

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- This Plan of Study (plan) is used as a *worksheet* during initial registration and every subsequent semester to determine minimum requirements and progress toward completing the degree. Students should use their Academic Requirements Report (accessible in Student Admin) along with the Plan of Study to view their graduation requirements and assess status toward completion of the degree.
- A **final plan (completed in ink) must be approved by advisor and submitted to the RHSA Director's Office (Young 206) no later than the end of the tenth week of classes of the semester prior to the anticipated semester of graduation.**
- Students must pass all required courses, adhere to registration requirements and restrictions of RHSA, and earn:
At least 64 credits toward the degree
At least 42 credits of UConn RHSA courses (No more than 22 credits of 1000 level coursework, including courses listed in Part I, maybe be used toward the AAS degree, unless approved by the Director).*
*Note: Transfer students may be eligible for an exception; contact RHSA Director.
At least a 2.0 Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)
- No more than 6 credits of Independent Study, Internships and Special topics may be applied toward the AAS degree, unless approved by the Director. Courses taken on Pass/Fail may NOT be used to meet any requirements.

STUDENT AND DEGREE INFORMATION

Must be filled out completely on your final plan of study.

Select one: Preliminary Plan Final Plan

Name _____ Student I.D. _____
First Middle Last

Phone # _____ Email Address _____

Current Address: _____
Street City/Town State Zip Code

Month and Year of Anticipated Graduation May August December Year: _____

At the completion of semester you intend to graduate, will you have earned 64 or more credits? Yes No

Please select your major:	Select your focus/concentration:
Animal Science	Dairy/Livestock Management
	Equine Science
Ornamental Horticulture & Turfgrass Management	Ornamental Horticulture
	Turfgrass Management

APPROVAL SIGNATURES (required on final plan of study)

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Advisor's Signature _____ Date _____

Director's Signature _____ Date _____

**The final plan must be submitted to the RHSA Director's Office (Young 206).
Please remember to keep a copy of the plan for your records.**

PART I: GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (FOR BOTH MAJORS)*

Freshman Seminar:

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
SAAG	250	Freshman Seminar	1	_____ / _____	____

* An exemption may be granted based on prior college-level coursework

Writing:

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
ENGL	1004 or 1010 or 1011	Introduction to Academic Writing or Seminar in Academic Writing or Seminar in Writing through Literature	4	_____ / _____	____

* Placement based on SAT scores

Mathematics: (*MATH 1011Q or higher)

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
MATH	_____	_____	____	_____ / _____	____

* Placement based on SAT scores and/or placement exam

Civic and Community Engagement:

One of the following: ARE 1110, HIST 1501, HIST 1502, NRE 1235, PP 1001, or POLS 1602, URBN 1300

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
_____	_____	_____	____	_____ / _____	____

Arts and Humanities:

In addition to the Civic and Community Engagement course, one of the following: ART 1000; DRAM 1101, 1110; FREN 1161, 1162, 1169, 1171, 1177; GEOG/URBN 1200; GERM 1169, 1171; HIST 1201, 1501, 1502; ILCS 1158; MUSI 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004; NRE 1235; PHIL 1101, 1102, 1104; POLS 1002; SAAG 350; SPAN 1001, 1002; WGSS 1104 (Or other 1000-level course approved by the Ratcliffe Hicks School of Agriculture director)

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
_____	_____	_____	____	_____ / _____	____

Social Science:

In addition to the Civic and Community Engagement course, one of the following: ANTH 1000, 1006; ARE 1110; COMM 1000; ECON 1000, 1201, 1202; EVST 1000; GEOG 1000, 1700; HDFS 1060, 1070; POLS 1202, 1207, 1402, 1602; PP 1001; PUBH 1001; SARE 450; SLHS 1150; SOCI 1001, 1251, 1501; WGSS 1105, 1124 (Or other 1000-level course approved by the Ratcliffe Hicks School of Agriculture director)

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
_____	_____	_____	____	_____ / _____	____

*Students may substitute COMM 1100, NUSC 1167, or SPSS 1125 for the Social Sciences requirement.

Computer Technology: Expectations fulfilled by major area requirements.

*No single course can be used to satisfy more than one requirement.

PART II: MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Animal Science Core Requirements:

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
BIOL	1102	Foundations of Biology	4	_____ / _____	___
SAAS	101	Introduction to Animal Science	3	_____ / _____	___
SAAS	111	Anatomy and Physiology of Domestic Animals	3	_____ / _____	___
SAAS	112	Anatomy and Physiology of Domestic Animals	3	_____ / _____	___
SAAS	113	Principles of Animal Nutrition and Feeding	3	_____ / _____	___
SAAS	121	Animal Breeding and Genetics	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPB	301	Health and Disease Management of Animals	3	_____ / _____	___

Horticulture: Ornamental Horticulture Core Requirements:

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
SAPL	110	Turfgrass Management	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	120	Introduction to Plant Science	4	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	300	Introduction to Soil Science	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	410	Woody Plants: Common Trees, Shrubs and Vines	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	640	Plant Propagation	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	840	Integrated Pest Management	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	800 or 810	Turfgrass Pests and Control or Plant Pest Control	3	_____ / _____	___

Horticulture: Turfgrass Management Core Requirements:

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
SAPL	110	Turfgrass Management	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	120	Introduction to Plant Science	4	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	300	Introduction to Soil Science	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	991	Internship	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	800	Turfgrass Pests and Control	3	_____ / _____	___
SAPL	840	Integrated Pest Management	3	_____ / _____	___

PART III: AREA OF SPECIALIZATION (FOR BOTH MAJORS)

In addition to General Education Requirements and the Major Requirements listed above, students must complete at least 12 credits related to an Area of Specialization within the major. These courses must be Ratcliffe Hicks courses, numbered 100-999, and must be approved by the student's advisor.

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____ / _____	___
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____ / _____	___
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____ / _____	___
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