## College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources Curriculum Committee Summary of Actions

## **February 8, 2013**

Department Title and Number	Type of Action Requested (Underlining Indicates the Proposal Changes)	Approved CASNR	Approved UCC	Approved Graduate Council
FORS 311 - Overview of Forensic Comparative Analysis	New Online Course 311. Overview of Forensic Comparative Analysis (III) Lab 3. Prereq: FORS 120 or instructor permission.  The course is offered online the first 8-week summer session each year. Students will need access to a computer, six-inch metric scale marked in millimeters, a digital camera, and an inexpensive Vanier caliper.  An overview of the basic forensic comparative sciences; fingerprints; questioned document and linguistics; firearms and toolmark; foortwear and tire tracks; hairs, fibers, and trace evidence; pattern injuries; and biological evidence. This is a lab course and students will be asked to do comparisons and submit them to the instructor. Ethics, error, sufficiency, reliability, validity, and other concepts relating to forensic comparative science will be discussed in the course.	2/8/13		
TLMT 127 - Survey of Turfgrass and Landscape Management	Change of Description and Type  127. Survey of Turfgrass and Landscape Management (AGRO 127, HORT 127) (1 cr I) Lab 2, Lec 1.  Introduction to careers, internship and co-curricular activities in turfgrass and landscape management.	2/8/13		
Informational Items				

Approved the Forensic Science degree program revision

Approved the Turfgrass and Landscape Management degree program revision

Approved the Mechanized Systems Management degree program revision

We are furnishing information on recent CASNR Curriculum Committee actions. If you have any questions or concerns, your department head must contact Dean Steve Waller (swaller1@unl.edu) in writing by <u>February 25, 2013</u>. If we have heard no objections, we will assume you approve and the above changes will be forwarded to the appropriate UNL committees (University Curriculum Committee and/or UNL Graduate Council.)

<sup>1</sup>The CASNR Dean's Office has a copy of the supporting material. All curriculum requests tabled for a minimum of four months during any academic term (without additional information being presented to the CASNR Curriculum Committee) will be automatically withdrawn. (Policy statement approved by CASNR Curriculum Committee 2/13/98.)

