

**DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS
COURSE WAIVER FORM**

When a student has successfully completed a course at another accredited institution which is substantially the same as a required course in a master or Ph.D. program offered by the department, a waiver of the course may be granted. The course can only be used for a waiver if the grade earned is a "B" or better. Students who wish to request a waiver of a course must discuss this possibility with their faculty advisor or program director. Students should complete the waiver form as soon as possible. Applications for course waiver must be approved and signed by the professor who is teaching the required course in this department and by the Graduate Director. The course instructors may give waiver exams or ask for verification of coursework for the purpose of determining whether the waiver is approved or not.

Approval of the course waiver does not reduce the total number of credits required for the awarding of a degree, but allows the student, in consultation with his/her advisor, to select another approved course for the same number of credits which may then be taken in lieu of the waived course.

I _____ request a waiver for
(Student's Name)

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
(Course Number and Title) (Course Number and Title) (Course Number and Title)

I am enrolled in the M.S. ☐ Ph.D. ☐ program in _____
(choose your major from dropdown box)

JUSTIFICATION:

I have taken the following course(s) which I would like to have substituted:

1. _____ (Course Number and Title)	_____ (School)	_____ (Grade)	_____ (Hours)
2. _____ (Course Number and Title)	_____ (School)	_____ (Grade)	_____ (Hours)
3. _____ (Course Number and Title)	_____ (School)	_____ (Grade)	_____ (Hours)

OR: I have sat in on _____ at FSU and have completed sufficient coursework and/or exams and have this instructor's approval.

If waiving STA 5910 please enter the name of the professor that you have done research with and the term and year that you began working with them: Term/year: _____ Professor Name: _____

APPROVALS:

Instructor's/Instructors' Signature(s)

Major Advisor Signature

Graduate Director's Signature