

**THE GRADUATE SCHOOL -- UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
CURRICULAR REPORT FROM THE GRADUATE COUNCIL TO THE
FACULTY SENATE
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At meeting No. 433 held 26 January 2009, the Graduate Council considered and approved the following curricular matters which are now submitted to the Faculty Senate for information or confirmation as indicated.

I. Matters of Information

Changes

- 1) College of Arts & Sciences
Graduate School of Library and Information Studies

LSC 549 Information Storage and Retrieval – delete course.

LSC 547 Online Searching and Services – change in title and description to read:

LSC 547 Information Storage and Retrieval, and Online Searching (3)

Theory, methods, evaluation, and research of analyzing, storing, indexing languages, information storage media, information storage and retrieval systems, and information seeking and retrieving in libraries and information services.

- 2) College of Pharmacy
Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences

CSC522/MIC522/STA522 Bioinformatics I – change course code and number to BPS542/CSC522/MIC522/STA522.

II. Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

New Courses

- 1) College of Arts & Sciences
Graduate School of Library and Information Studies

LSC 590 Introduction to Chinese Information Services (3)

The seminar will provide students and professionals with an opportunity to study the history of Chinese librarianship and libraries and information services from the ancient to the contemporary times. Pre: none.

Department of Computer Science and Statistics

CSC 590 Digital Forensics Practicum (3)

The application of digital forensics acquisition, analysis and law to real world scenarios. Pre: CSC586.