

ENTOMOLOGY, PH.D.

REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM GRADUATE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

Review the Graduate School minimum academic progress and degree requirements (<http://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#policiesandrequirements>), in addition to the program requirements listed below.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

MODE OF INSTRUCTION

Face to Face	Evening/ Weekend	Online	Hybrid	Accelerated
Yes	No	No	No	No

Mode of Instruction Definitions

Accelerated: Accelerated programs are offered at a fast pace that condenses the time to completion. Students typically take enough credits aimed at completing the program in a year or two.

Evening/Weekend: Courses meet on the UW–Madison campus only in evenings and/or on weekends to accommodate typical business schedules. Students have the advantages of face-to-face courses with the flexibility to keep work and other life commitments.

Face-to-Face: Courses typically meet during weekdays on the UW–Madison Campus.

Hybrid: These programs combine face-to-face and online learning formats. Contact the program for more specific information.

Online: These programs are offered 100% online. Some programs may require an on-campus orientation or residency experience, but the courses will be facilitated in an online format.

CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

Requirement Detail

Minimum Credit Requirement 51 credits

Minimum Residence Credit Requirement 32 credits

Minimum Graduate Coursework Requirement 26 credits must be graduate-level coursework. Details can be found in the Graduate School's Minimum Graduate Coursework (50%) policy (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244/>)).

Overall 3.00 GPA required.

Graduate GPA Requirement This program follows the Graduate School's policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203/>).

Other Grade Requirements n/a

Assessments and Examinations Doctoral students are required to take a comprehensive preliminary/oral examination after they have cleared their record of all Incomplete and Progress grades (other than research and thesis). Deposit of the doctoral dissertation in the Graduate School is required.

Language Requirements None.

Breadth Requirement All doctoral students are required to complete a doctoral minor or Graduate/Professional certificate.

REQUIRED COURSES

Code	Title	Credits
Core Courses		
ENTOM/ ZOOLOGY 302	Introduction to Entomology	4

Must take at least 3 credits from each of the 3 categories below, plus one additional course for a total of 4 courses.

Organismal		
ENTOM 331	Taxonomy of Mature Insects	
ENTOM 432	Taxonomy and Bionomics of Immature Insects	
ENTOM 450	Basic and Applied Insect Ecology ¹	
ENTOM 451	Basic and Applied Insect Ecology Laboratory	
ENTOM/ BOTANY/ ZOOLOGY 473	Plant-Insect Interactions	
ENTOM/ AGRONOMY/ F&W ECOL/ M&ENVTOX 632	Ecotoxicology: The Chemical Players	
ENTOM/ AGRONOMY/ F&W ECOL/ M&ENVTOX 633	Ecotoxicology: Impacts on Individuals	
ENTOM/ AGRONOMY/ F&W ECOL/ M&ENVTOX 634	Ecotoxicology: Impacts on Populations, Communities and Ecosystems	
ENTOM 701	Advanced Taxonomy	
Sub-organismal		
ENTOM 321	Physiology of Insects	
ENTOM/ BOTANY/ PL PATH 505	Plant-Microbe Interactions: Molecular and Ecological Aspects	
ENTOM/ GENETICS/ ZOOLOGY 624	Molecular Ecology	
Applied		
ENTOM/M M & I/ PATH-BIO/ ZOOLOGY 350	Parasitology	
ENTOM/ ZOOLOGY 371	Medical Entomology	
ENTOM 450	Basic and Applied Insect Ecology	
ENTOM 451	Basic and Applied Insect Ecology Laboratory	

Seminars **2**

Students should select seminars in consultation with their advisor, which may include seminars from outside departments..

ENTOM 601	Seminar in Methods of Scientific Oral Presentations
ENTOM 801	Colloquium
ENTOM 875	Special Topics
ENTOM 901	Seminar in Organismal Entomology ¹

Additional Credits

Students must take additional credits, in consultation with their advisor, to reach a total of 51 credits. This may include ENTOM 990.

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Students must take 2 instances of ENTOM 901.