## Course Approval Form

COS
S. W. Slayden $\square$

Number: 321
CHEM
Subject Code:
(Do not list multiple codes or numbers. Each course proposal must have a separate form.)

| College/School: | COS |
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|  | S. W. Slayden |
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Action Requested: (definitions available at website above)

| $\square$ | Create NEW |
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| $\times x$ | Modify (check all that apply below) |



Course Level:
x Undergraduate $\square$ Graduate


Prereq/coreq $\square$ Grade Mode Other:

Department: Chemistry \& Biochemistry Ext: 3-1071 Email: sslayden@gmu.edu

| Title: | Current | Elementary Quanti | ative Analysis |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Banner (30 characters max w/ spaces) |  |  |
|  | New | Quantitative |  |

Fulfills Mason Core Req? (undergrad only)
Currently fulfills requirement Submission in progress


Restrictions Enforced by System: Major, College, Degree, Program, etc. Include Code(s).
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Equivalencies (check only as applicable):
YES, course is $100 \%$ equivalent to YES, course renumbered to or replaces

Catalog Copy (Consult University Catalog for models)


## Approval Signatures

Department Approval Date 10/14/16 College/School Approval Date

If this course includes subject matter currently dealt with by any other units, the originating department must circulate this proposal for review by those units and obtain the necessary signatures prior to submission. Failure to do so will delay action on this proposal.

| Unit Name | Unit Approval Name | Unit Approver's Signature | Date |
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## Undergraduate or Graduate Council Approval

## Course Proposal Submitted to the College of Science Curriculum Committee (COSCC)

The form above is processed by the Office of the University Registrar. This second page is for the COSCC's reference.
Please complete the applicable portions of this page to clearly communicate what the form above is requesting.

## FOR ALL COURSES (required)

Course Number and Title: CHEM 321 Elementary Quantitative Analysis
Date of Departmental Approval: Oct. 14, 2016

## FOR INACTIVATED/REINSTATED COURSES (required if inactivating/reinstating a course)

- Reason for Inactivating/Reinstating:


## FOR MODIFIED COURSES (required if modifying a course)

- Summary of the Modification: Change title of course
- Text before Modification (title, repeat status, catalog description, etc.): Elementary Quantitative Analysis
- Text after Modification (title, repeat status, catalog description, etc.): Quantitative Chemical Analysis
- Reason for the Modification: The current title was first introduced in 1967-68 when its predecessor course, "Elementary Analytical Chemistry", was reduced from 5 credits to 4 credits. It is unknown why either of these courses included "elementary" in the title, since the content was and is not at all elementary. The proposed name includes only the relevant content elements of the course: it is quantitative analysis (as opposed to qualitative analysis); it is a chemistry course (not obvious from the current name); it is not elementary (it is taught at the $300-l e v e l$ and has 3 semesters of both chemistry and math prerequisites). In keeping with this title, which is used by many universities, the text used for the course is of the same name.


## FOR NEW COURSES (required if creating a new course)

- Reason for the New Course:
- Relationship to Existing Programs:
- Relationship to Existing Courses:
- Semester of Initial Offering:
- Proposed Instructors:
- Insert Tentative Syllabus Below

