

MEMORANDUM

Date: May 6, 2026

To: Carmala Garzione, Dean, College of Science
Rebecca Gomez, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Student Success, College of Science
Ryan Gutenkunst, Department Head, Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Science

From: Greg L. Heileman, Vice Provost, Academic Affairs

Re: Notification of New Program Approval

This memorandum serves as formal notification and official record for approval to establish a new undergraduate minor in Genetics and Genomics in conjunction with the new Bachelor of Science of the same name within the Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology (0417) in the College of Science. First admit term is Fall 2026.

By copy of this memo, I am requesting that appropriate changes be made to systems, records, and publications to reflect the creation of the program.

cc: Patricia Prelock, Provost and Chief Academic Officer
Frank Dooley, Special Advisor, Online Initiatives
Caleb Simmons, Vice Provost, Arizona Online
Illya Riske, Executive Director, Business and Finance
Amanda Gluski, Associate Registrar, Office of the Registrar
Academic Programs & Organizations Notifications Distribution List



The following has been created in UAccess.

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

Academic Plan Code: GGMINU

Description: Genetics and Genomics

Academic Program: blank

Academic Career: UGRD

Academic Plan Type: Minor

First Term Valid: Fall 2026 (2264)

Degree Offered: blank

Req Term Default: Program's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma: Unchecked

Print on Transcript: Checked

Transcript Description: Minor in Genetics and Genomics

CIP Code: 26.0801 (Genetics, General)

NSC Classification: Unspecified - Undergraduate

Report as NSC Program: Unchecked

Program Length Type: blank

Program Length Value: blank

SULA Special Program: blank

Ownership, Academic Organization: 0417 (Molecular & Cellular Biology)

Campus & Locations:

 Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

 First Admit Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Budget Office Owner: 0417 (Molecular and Cellular Biology) – Percent Owned: 100.000

Total Units: 18

Effective Term: Fall 2026