

Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Petition for enrollment in ECOL 497A to allow VIP/CURE participation to count towards major elective course requirements

(max 3-units per semester, up to 6-units total)

[Vertically Integrated Projects \(VIP\)](#) and [Course-Based Undergraduate Research Experiences \(CURE\)](#) engage students in multidisciplinary teams to work on faculty-led research projects. Students earn academic credit and can participate for multiple semesters.

EEB, Biology, and Bioinformatics majors who participate in VIP/CURE for academic credit must complete this form in order for these credits to count towards major elective requirements. This form must be submitted to your Academic Advisor by the 10th day of the start of the semester. Your Advisor will forward the form to the EEB Program Coordinator who will approve the petition and enroll you in ECOL 497A for credit or reach out for further clarification.

Refer to the VIP Teams Elective Categories list and/or CURE Elective Categories list to determine how participation in these research experiences may apply toward your elective requirements.

VIP Teams Elective Categories

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1zXoNDwVTZm01-cnFa6Jml0Zg1HJqvocY2-tJ4B-cl_c/edit?usp=sharing

CURE Elective Categories list

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1EhFzpg3Hh7CWSrrVRD7WIZ8DSKM0SvpgtXm-0n35h4l/edit?usp=sharing>

Student Name:

SID Number:

UA email:

Major(s):

VIP Team/CURE Course:

VIP/CURE Faculty Advisor:

Is this for Honors Credit? Yes ___ No ___