

Seminar Requirement

Student: _____

All students must successfully complete a seminar course in oceanography during their residence at the University of Hawaii. (This is a Graduate Division requirement for the M.S. degree, but the field of study requires it of all students.) Students may meet the requirement in either of two ways:

- a) Attend a total of fifteen individual seminars. These may be seminars sponsored by oceanography, HIG, HIMB, or any other department, as long as the material is appropriate to the student's oceanographic studies. The student will obtain a log sheet on which to note dates, speakers, and topics of seminars attended. When the student has attended fifteen seminars, he/she will present the log to his/her advisor for inclusion in his/her file and shall register for 1 credit of Ocean 780 on a CR/NC (credit/no credit) basis.
- b) Take one of the occasionally-offered seminar courses such as Ocean 750, Topics in Biological Oceanography, provided that the main function of the course is to expose the student to current research. Since this type of course is offered irregularly, a student must not count on taking this option unless he/she has determined that an appropriate course will be available during his/her period of residence. Such courses can be taken on a CR/NC basis or for a letter grade. Successful completion requires obtaining credit or a grade of C or better, respectively.

How is the seminar requirement satisfied:

Signatures: _____
Committee Chairperson

Student

Approved: _____
Graduate Chairperson

Date requirement satisfied: _____

