

# FORENSIC SCIENCES, MS

**Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2023-2024.** Learn more about Graduate College Academic Regulation 7.0 (<http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#70>).

## Thesis

**Total Hours: 30**

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
FRNS 5000	Thesis Research & Seminar	6
FRNS 5013	Survey of Forensic Sciences	3
FRNS 5063	Ethical Research and Scientific Writing	3
FRNS 5653	The Law and Expert Evidence	3
FRNS 5963	Forensic Statistics	3
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>18</b>
<b>Electives</b>		
Select 12 hours from the following:		12
FRNS 5023	Questioned Document Examination	
FRNS 5033	Theory and Practice of Forensic Handwriting Examination	
FRNS 5043	Technical Aspects of Forensic Document Examination	
FRNS 5053	The Historical Aspects of Forensic Document Examination	
FRNS 5073	Quality Assurance in Forensic Science	
FRNS 5083	Ethics in Forensic Leadership	
FRNS 5090	Internship in Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5213	Molecular Biology for the Forensic Scientist	
FRNS 5242	Population Genetics for the Forensic Scientist	
FRNS 5282	Methods in Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5323	Forensic Microbiology	
FRNS 5413	Forensic Pathology and Medicine	
FRNS 5422	Forensic Osteology and Anthropology	
FRNS 5513	Forensic Bioscience	
FRNS 5523	Forensic Toxicology	
FRNS 5533	Drug Toxicity	
FRNS 5543	Advanced Forensic Toxicology	
FRNS 5622	Crime Scene Laboratory and Moot Court Experience	
FRNS 5713	Forensic Psychology	
FRNS 5723	Advanced Forensic Psychology	
FRNS 5733	Forensic Victimology	
FRNS 5743	Forensic Science Seminar	
FRNS 5753	Criminal Behavioral Analysis	
FRNS 5943	Forensic Management and Organizational Development	
FRNS 5960	Forensic Problem Solving through Applied Research	
FRNS 5970	Directed Readings in Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5980	Non-Thesis Creative Component in Forensic Sciences	

FRNS 5990	Special Topics in Forensic Sciences	
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>30</b>

## Non-Thesis

**Total Hours: 32**

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
FRNS 5063	Ethical Research and Scientific Writing	3
FRNS 5613	Criminalistics and Evidence Analysis	3
FRNS 5653	The Law and Expert Evidence	3
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Electives</b>		
Select 23 hours from the following:		23
FRNS 5013	Survey of Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5023	Questioned Document Examination	
FRNS 5033	Theory and Practice of Forensic Handwriting Examination	
FRNS 5043	Technical Aspects of Forensic Document Examination	
FRNS 5053	The Historical Aspects of Forensic Document Examination	
FRNS 5073	Quality Assurance in Forensic Science	
FRNS 5083	Ethics in Forensic Leadership	
FRNS 5090	Internship in Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5213	Molecular Biology for the Forensic Scientist	
FRNS 5242	Population Genetics for the Forensic Scientist	
FRNS 5282	Methods in Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5323	Forensic Microbiology	
FRNS 5413	Forensic Pathology and Medicine	
FRNS 5422	Forensic Osteology and Anthropology	
FRNS 5513	Forensic Bioscience	
FRNS 5523	Forensic Toxicology	
FRNS 5533	Drug Toxicity	
FRNS 5543	Advanced Forensic Toxicology	
FRNS 5622	Crime Scene Laboratory and Moot Court Experience	
FRNS 5713	Forensic Psychology	
FRNS 5723	Advanced Forensic Psychology	
FRNS 5733	Forensic Victimology	
FRNS 5743	Forensic Science Seminar	
FRNS 5753	Criminal Behavioral Analysis	
FRNS 5943	Forensic Management and Organizational Development	
FRNS 5960	Forensic Problem Solving through Applied Research	
FRNS 5970	Directed Readings in Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5980	Non-Thesis Creative Component in Forensic Sciences	
FRNS 5990	Special Topics in Forensic Sciences	

Hours Subtotal	23
Total Hours	32

## Other Forensic Sciences Requirements

- 16 Hours of Professional Seminar
- Comprehensive Exam
- Moot Court Expert Testimony Experience

## Graduate College Master's Program Requirements

Learn more about Graduate College 2023-2024 Master's Degree Program Requirements (<http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/>). Check the General Graduate College academic regulations for minimal GPA, language proficiency and other general requirements.