

MASDS Waiver Form

Among the core courses, a course may be waived by request if the Director determines the student has already completed equivalent coursework. A maximum of 3 core courses may be waived. The Director with consultation from the MASDS governance committee will review student transcripts, syllabi, and other relevant materials to evaluate whether or not the student has already learned the bulk of the material taught in the courses. For a waiver to be considered, the prior coursework taken would need to be equivalent to graduate level courses. For every course waived, the student must complete additional elective courses to satisfy the 44 unit requirement.

Name: _____

Quarter/year : _____

Core course(s) to be waived: _____

UID #: _____

<u>Course(s) Completed:</u>	<u>Institution(s) Completed:</u>

Please justify why you believe these courses should be waived:

Please also attach a copy of your transcript from the institution(s) where you took the above courses. A syllabus may also be requested if necessary.

Approved by:

 Director/Chair Signature

 Date