# ANIMAL SCIENCES, MS

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<td>Lecture and laboratory classes (400- and at least 2 hours of 500-level courses; excludes ANSC 590 and ANSC 599)</td>
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<td>Graduate seminar (ANSC 590) enrollment is required every semester (max 2 hours can be applied to the degree)</td>
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<td>ANSC 599</td>
<td>Thesis Research (min/max applied toward degree)</td>
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### Other Requirements

1. Other Requirements and conditions may overlap
2. Minimum Hours Overall Required Within the Unit: 8
3. Minimum 500-level Hours Required Overall: 12
4. A comprehensive oral examination concerning the thesis and other areas of animal agriculture are required.
5. Thesis Deposit Required: Yes
6. Minimum GPA: 3.0

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1 For additional details and requirements refer to the department’s Graduate Handbook (http://ansci.illinois.edu/grads/degree-requirements) and the Graduate College Handbook (http://www.grad.illinois.edu/gradhandbook).