

Request for Waiver of Graduate Course

Rice Physics and Astronomy

Graduate-level courses taken elsewhere may be substituted for required courses for the masters and/or PhD degree when the student can demonstrate high achievement in the course and mastery of the material. The suitability of previous work will be evaluated by means of an interview, or multiple interviews if necessary, with an appropriate faculty member (e.g., the Rice professor who teaches the Rice equivalent graduate course). Final approval must be given by the Associate Chair for the Graduate Program.

Student Name _____

Rice course to be waived: _____

Proposed equivalent course previously taken (attach syllabus or other documentation):

Institution: _____

Course number and name: _____

Grade received in the course: _____

Faculty member conducting interview: _____

Recommendation by faculty member:

Signed:

Faculty member conducting interview _____ date _____

Associate Chair for the Graduate Program _____ date _____