# **The CIM Forms Ecosystem**

## **Courses**

If a course has been referred to elsewhere in the CIM system, that instance is recorded in the list at the top of the form. This list is sometimes referred to as the course ecosystem. The course has to be specifically listed by the correct prefix and course number to be found by the system. In the ecosystem window, use the scroll bar on the right to see more of the list.

Note: Mac users may need to hover over the right-hand side of the ecosystem for the scroll bar to appear.

### **Employ the ecosystem for these great benefits:**

- Immediately find every department that would be impacted by a significant change to this course
- Immediately find every course in yours and other departments that may have to update their prerequisite, if you are deactivating or doing a number change on this course
- Click on a link in the ecosystem to be taken to that other course or program immediately, instead of having to individually look them up.

Viewing: PHY 103 : Fundamental Physics I		Preview Workflow
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Amy Servais - 08/30/2 Programs referencing this course	4 2:35 pm PHYBUS.BS: Physics Major with Business Concentration PHYBMD.BS: Physics Major with Biomedical Concentration NMT.BS: Nuclear Medicine Technology Major MIC.BS: Microbiology Major MICENV.BS: Microbiology Major: Environmental Science Concentration	^

The ecosystem tracks the references made using these categories:

- **Programs referencing this course:** If a Program Form uses this specific course, the program will be listed here.
- Other Courses referencing this course
  - In the Catalog Prerequisite: all courses are using this course in their prerequisite
  - In the Catalog Description: all courses using this course in their course description

Other Courses referencing this course	In The Catalog Prerequisites:	^
	CHM 309 : Physical Chemistry Theory I	
	CHM 407 : Biophysical Chemistry	
	PHY 104 : Fundamental Physics II	
	PHY 204 : General Physics II	~

#### • Catalog pages referencing this course:

- If course is used on a catalog page
- It duplicates much of the "programs referencing this course" list, but will also include regular departmental pages or other catalog material that refers to this course.

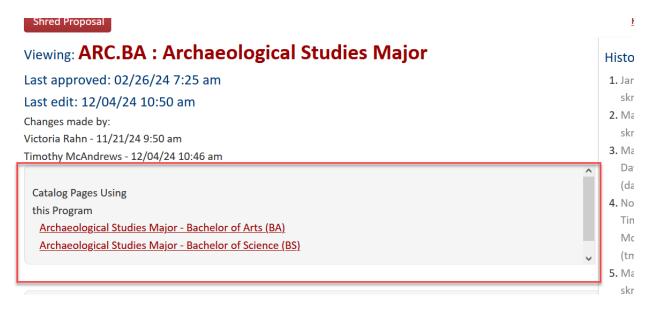
Catalog Pages referencing this course	Biochemistry Major (with ASBMB certification) - Bachelor of Science	^
	( <u>BS)</u>	
	Biology Major: Science Education (Grades 4-12) Concentration -	
	Bachelor of Science (BS)	
	<u>Chemistry (CHM) - Courses</u>	
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#### **Programs**

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The program ecosystem tracks when the Requirements/Description section of the Program form is linked on a page in the catalog.

This is helpful from a catalog publication standpoint, to make sure all pages in the catalog are updated successfully.



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