

Subject: Technology Competency Requirement

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POLICY

Students in the MLIS program are required to exhibit technological competency by taking SLIS 706 or by passing the Technology Competency Exam. Students may attempt to exempt the Technology Competency Requirement course, SLIS 706, by taking an examination. If successful, the student will replace SLIS 706 with an elective course. Exemption from this course does not reduce the length of the program.

PROCEDURE

Any student who wishes to discuss exempting SLIS 706 should contact the SLIS Student Services Manager. The Student Services Manager will enroll the student into the SLIS Exemption Exam organization in Blackboard. The student will be responsible for reviewing the information in Blackboard and contacting the Student Services Manager to schedule a time to take the test via Blackboard. Students must score 84 or higher to exempt the course.