Canisius College Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry Student Handbook 2018–2019



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Welcome to the Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry at Canisius College!

Inside these pages you will find information about:

- How to declare a major or minor
- Chemistry & Biochemistry Tracks including course requirements and recommended schedules
- Careers suitable for Chemistry & Biochemistry majors
- Extracurricular activities in the sciences
- Faculty and their research
- Important information for students interested in obtaining advanced degrees in Chemistry and Biochemistry (MS & PhD) after graduation
- Important information for students interested in attending medical or dental school after graduation
- Important information for students interested in attending pharmacy school after graduation

We hope that you find this information helpful and that you enjoy your studies here at Canisius. If you have any questions, please seek out a faculty member. We're excited that you are a member of our department and can't wait to watch you succeed!

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Declaring a Major or Minor in Chemistry or Biochemistry

All freshmen are asked to declare a major when they matriculate at Canisius College. If you declared Chemistry or Biochemistry as a major, then additional paperwork is NOT required.

If you would like to change your major to Chemistry or Biochemistry from another major, to declare a double or triple major, or to declare one or more minors, download the Majors & Minors Declaration Form from myCanisius (under Launchpad, then Forms). Please note that the signature of the Department Chair is required. Completed forms are then submitted to the Student Records Office, Bagen 106.

Note that the Chemistry and Biochemistry Department offers six degree tracks: three in chemistry (CHM ACS, CHM, CHM HT), two in biochemistry (BCH ACS, BCH), and Chemistry with Business. The differences between the tracks are summarized on the next page. When declaring a chemistry or biochemistry major you should indicate the track that you want to follow.

Side-by-side Comparison of Chemistry & Biochemistry Tracks (AY 18/19)

| CHM ACS | СНМ | CHM HT | CHM w BUS | BCH ACS | ВСН |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | Cognate Cou | ırses | | |
| BIO111 + L | BIO111 + L | BIO111 + L | BIO111 + L | BIO111 + L | BIO111 + L |
| | | BIO112 + L | BIO112 + L | BIO112 + L | BIO112 + L |
| MAT111 | MAT111 | MAT111 | MAT111 | MAT111 | MAT111 |
| MAT112 | MAT112/141 | MAT112/141 | MAT112/141 | MAT112 | MAT112/141 |
| PHY223 (Calc based) + L | PHY201 + L | PHY201 + L | PHY201 + L | PHY223 + L | PHY201 + L |
| PHY224 (Calc based) + L | PHY202 + L | PHY202 + L | PHY202 + L | PHY224 + L | PHY202 + L |
| | | Introductory Ch | nemistry | | |
| CHM111 + L | CHM111 + L | CHM111 + L | CHM111 + L | CHM111 + L | CHM111 + L |
| CHM112 + L | CHM112 + L | CHM112 + L | CHM112 + L | CHM112 + L | CHM112 + L |
| | _ | Fundamental C | Courses | | _ |
| Organic I CHM227 + L | CHM227 + L | CHM227 + L | CHM227 + L | CHM227 + L | CHM227 + L |
| Organic II CHM228 + L | CHM228 + L | CHM228 + L | CHM228 + L | CHM228 + L | CHM228 + L |
| Analytical CHM230 + L | CHM230 + L | CHM230 + L | | CHM230 + L | |
| Inorganic CHM244 | CHM244 | CHM244 | | CHM244 | CHM244 |
| undamental Physical CHM301 + L | CHM301 + L | CHM301 (No L) | CHM301 (No L) | CHM301 + L | CHM301 (No L) |
| Intro to Bch BCH301 (No L) | BCH301 (No L) | BCH301 (No L) | BCH301 + L | BCH301 + L | BCH301 + L |
| | | In-depth Cou | ırses | | |
| Modern Physical CHM302 + L | | | | CHM302 + L | |
| | | Cellular Bch BCH302 | | BCH302 | BCH302 |
| Spectroscopy CHM334 + L | CHM334 + L | | (CHM230 or 232 or 334 or | (CHM334 or 430) + L | (CHM334 or 430) + L |
| Instrumental CHM430 + L | CHM430 + L | | 430) + L | (CI IIVI334 01 430) + L | (CI IIVI334 01 430) + L |
| | | | | Mol. Bio BIO450 + L | Mol. Bio BIO450 + L |
| Materials CHM420 + L | | | | Materials CHM420 | |
| CE or BCE | CE or BCE | CE or BCE + L | CE or BCE | | CE or BCE or BE |
| CE or BCE | CE or BCE | SE + L | | | BCE or BE2 |
| | CE or BCE | SE | | | |
| CHM 381,480,481 | CHM 381,480,481 | CHM 381,480,481 | CHM 381,480 | CHM 381,480,481 | CHM 381,480,481 |
| | | | Five Business Courses ¹ | | |
| | | | Two Major Electives ² | | |
| | | Classes in Major and | | | |
| 20, 13L, 75 CR | 19, 11L, 70 CR | 19, 11L, 70 CR | 22, 10L, 77 CR | 20, 14L, 76 CR | 19, 11L, 70 CR |

CE = Chemistry Elective (CHM >300)

CE + L = Chemistry Elective + Lab

BCE = Biochemistry Elective (BCH > 300)

SE + L = Science Elective + Lab

SE = Science Elective; a 300 or 400 level course in CHM, BCH, BIO, PHY, or CSC111

BE = Biology Elective (BIO > 300)

BE2 = BIO 408, 414, 419, 430, 440, or 444

¹Five business courses: ECO101, MGT101, MKT201, ACC201, FIN201

²Major Electives: two courses in business, law or science; SE, MGT≥300, MKT≥300, ACC202, ECO102 or ECO≥200, IBUS301, PSC320 or 321

Chemistry ACS Certified: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | | |
|---------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L | |
| BIO 111 + L | | |
| MAT 111 | MAT 112 | |
| | PHY 223 + L | |

| Sophomore Year | | |
|----------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L | |
| CHM 244 | CHM 230 + L | |
| PHY 224 + L | | |

| Junior Year | | |
|--------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 301 + L | CHM 302 + L | |
| CHM 420 + L* | CHM 430 + L | |
| CHM 381 | CHM 480 | |
| | | |

| Senior Year | | |
|-------------|-----------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 334 + L | CE or BCE | |
| BCH 301 | CE or BCE | |
| CHM 481 | | |

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

 $^{^{*}}$ CHM 420 is offered every other year. If it is not offered in the junior year, take CHM 334 + L instead and move CHM 420 to the senior year

Chemistry: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | | |
|---------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L | |
| BIO 111 + L | MAT 112/141 | |
| MAT 111 | | |

| Sophomore Year | | |
|----------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L | |
| PHY 201 + L | PHY 202 + L | |
| | | |

| Junior Year | | |
|-------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| BCH 301 | CHM 230 + L | |
| CHM 244 | CE or BCE | |
| CHM 381 | CHM 480 | |

| Senior Year | | |
|-------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 301 + L | CHM 430 + L | |
| CHM 334 + L | CE or BCE | |
| CHM 481 | CE or BCE | |

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

Chemistry Health Professions: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | | |
|---------------|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring | |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L | |
| BIO 111 + L | BIO 112 + L | |
| MAT 111 | MAT 112/141 | |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| PHY 201 + L | PHY 202 + L |

| Junior Year | |
|-------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 244 | CHM 230 + L |
| BCH 301 | BCH 302 |
| CHM 381 | CHM 480 |

| Senior Year | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 | CE or BCE + L or SE + L ¹ |
| SE + L or CE or BCE + L ¹ | SE |
| CHM 481 | |

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

¹ – Both SE + L and CE + L are required. If SE + L is taken in the fall, then CE + L is taken in the spring, and vice versa.

<u>Chemistry with Business:</u> <u>Suggested Schedule and Requirements</u>

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | BIO 112 + L |
| MAT 111 | MAT 141 (or 112) |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| PHY 201 + L | PHY 202 + L |
| ECO 101 | MGT 101 |

| Junior Year | |
|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring |
| BCH 301 + L | Major Elective (Sci. or Bus.) ¹ |
| CHM 381 | (Analytical/Instrumental + L) ² |
| MKT 201 | CHM 480 |
| ACC 201 | |

| Senior Year | |
|-------------|--|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 | CE or BCE ³ |
| FIN 201 | Major Elective (Sci. or Bus.) ¹ |

¹MAJOR ELECTIVES: two courses in business, law or science; SE, MGT≥300, MKT≥300, ACC202, ECO102 or ECO≥200, IBUS301, PSC320 or 321.

²**ANALY/INSTR + L** choose one of the following analytical chemistry courses: CHM 334 + L, CHM 232 + L, CHM 230 + L, CHM 430 + L

³ or CHM 244

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

<u>Chemistry ACS Certified with Business Minor:</u> <u>Suggested Schedule and Requirements</u>

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | PHY 223 + L |
| MAT 111 | MAT 112 |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| CHM 244 | CHM 230 + L |
| PHY 224 + L | MAT 141 or ECO 255 |
| ECO 101 | ECO 102 |

| Junior Year | |
|--------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 + L | CHM 302 + L |
| CHM 420 + L* | CHM 430 + L |
| CHM 381 | CHM 480 |
| MKT 201 | MGT 101 |

| Senior Year | |
|-------------|-----------|
| Fall | Spring |
| BCH 301 | CE or BCE |
| CHM 334 + L | CE or BCE |
| CHM 481 | FIN 201 |
| ACC 201 | |

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

 $^{^{*}}$ CHM 420 is offered every other year. If it is not offered in the junior year, take CHM 334 + L instead and move CHM 420 to the senior year .

Chemistry with Business Minor: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|--------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | MAT 141 or ECO 255 |
| MAT 111 | |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| PHY 201 + L | PHY 202 + L |
| | ECO 102 |

| Junior Year | |
|-------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| BCH 301 | CHM 230 + L |
| CHM 244 | CE or BCE |
| ECO 101 | CHM 480 |
| CHM 381 | MGT 101 |

| Senior Year | |
|-------------|------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 + L | CHM430 + L |
| CHM 334 + L | CE or BCE |
| CHM 481 | CE or BCE |
| MKT 201 | FIN 201 |
| ACC 201 | |

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

<u>Chemistry Health Professions with Business Minor:</u> <u>Suggested Schedule and Requirements</u>

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|--------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | BIO 112 + L |
| MAT 111 | MAT 141 or ECO 255 |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| PHY 201 + L | PHY 202 + L |
| ECO 101 | ECO 102 |

| Junior Year | |
|-------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 244 | CHM 230 + L |
| BCH 301 | BCH 302 |
| CHM 381 | CHM 480 |
| MKT 201 | MGT 101 |

| Senior Year | |
|-------------|---------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 | CE or BCE + L |
| SE + L | SE |
| CHM 481 | FIN 201 |
| ACC 201 | |

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

Biochemistry ACS Certified: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | BIO 112 + L |
| MAT 111 | MAT 112 |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| CHM 244 | PHY 223 + L |

| Junior Year | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| BCH 301 + L | CHM 230 + L |
| PHY 224 + L | BCH 302 |
| CHM 420 ¹ | CHM 480 |
| CHM 381 | |

| Senior Year | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 + L | (CHM 430 + L) ² |
| (CHM 334 + L) ² | CHM 302 + L |
| CHM 481 | BIO 450 + L |

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ CHM 420 is offered every other year. If it is not offered in the junior year, take CHM 334 + L instead and move CHM 420 to the senior year .

² Biochemistry Track requires CHM 334 + L or CHM 430 + L.

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

Biochemistry: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | BIO 112 + L |
| MAT 111 | MAT 112/141 |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| PHY 201 + L | PHY 202 + L |

| Junior Year | |
|-------------|------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| BCH 301 + L | BCH 302 |
| CHM 244 | BCE or BE2 |
| CHM 381 | CHM 480 |

| Senior Year | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 | (CHM 430 + L) ¹ |
| (CHM 334 + L) ¹ | BIO 450 + L |
| CHM 481 | CE or BCE or BE |

¹ Biochemistry Track requires CHM 334 + L or CHM 430 + L.

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

Biochemistry ACS Certified with Business Minor: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | BIO 112 + L |
| MAT 111 | MAT 112 |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| CHM 244 | PHY 223 + L |
| ECO 101 | (MAT 141 or ECO 255) ¹ |
| | ECO 102 |

| Junior Year | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| BCH 301 + L | BCH 302 |
| CHM 420 ² | CHM 230 + L |
| PHY 224 + L | CHM 480 |
| CHM 381 | MGT 101 |

| Senior Year | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 + L | (CHM 430 + L) ³ |
| (CHM 334 + L) ³ | CHM 302 + L |
| CHM 481 | BIO 450 + L |
| ACC 201 | FIN 201 |
| MKT 201 | |

¹ Students are required to take either ECO 255 or MAT 141 to satisfy minor requirements.

 $^{^2}$ CHM 420 is offered every other year. If it is not offered in the junior year, take CHM334 + L instead and move CHM 420 to the senior year .

³ Biochemistry Track requires CHM 334 + L or CHM 430 + L.

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

Biochemistry with Business Minor: Suggested Schedule and Requirements

| Freshman Year | |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 111 + L | CHM 112 + L |
| BIO 111 + L | BIO 112 + L |
| MAT 111 | (MAT 141 or ECO 255) ¹ |

| Sophomore Year | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 227 + L | CHM 228 + L |
| PHY 201 + L | PHY 202 + L |
| ECO 101 | ECO 102 |

| Junior Year | |
|-------------|------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| BCH 301 + L | BCH 302 |
| CHM 244 | BCE or BE2 |
| CHM 381 | CHM 480 |
| | MGT 101 |

| Senior Year | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Fall | Spring |
| CHM 301 | BIO 450 + L |
| (CHM 334 + L) ² | (CHM 430 + L) ² |
| CHM 481 | CE or BCE or BE |
| ACC 201 | FIN 201 |
| MKT 201 | |

¹ Students are required to take either ECO 255 or MAT 141 to satisfy minor requirements.

² Biochemistry Track requires CHM 334 + L or CHM 430 + L.

[&]quot;+ L" indicates that the corresponding laboratory is required.

CHEMISTRY MINOR

Students majoring in various disciplines such as biology, mathematics, physics, bioinformatics, computer science, psychology and business can benefit from pursuing a minor in chemistry. The chemistry minor requires a student to complete the following sequence of courses:

- Two semesters of General Chemistry with laboratory: CHM 111 + L and CHM 112 + L (8 credits)
- Two semesters of Organic Chemistry with laboratory:
 CHM 227 + L and CHM 228 + L (8 credits)
- One semester of Analytical Chemistry with laboratory:
 CHM 230 + L or CHM 334 + L or CHM 430 + L (4 credits)
- One semester of Physical Chemistry or Inorganic Chemistry: CHM 301 or CHM 244 (3 credits)
- Chemistry Elective: one CHM 300 or 400 level course (3 credits)

SUGGESTED MINORS

- School of Business
 - o Business
 - Marketing
 - Management
- College of Arts & Sciences
 - o Modern Language (Spanish, French, etc.)
 - o Math
 - o Physics
 - Computer Science
 - Information Technology
 - Biology
 - o Psychology

RECOMMENDED ELECTIVES

For students interested in studying physical chemistry in graduate school:

- Calculus III (MAT 211), Linear Algebra (MAT 219) and Differential Equations (MAT 222)
- General Physics III (PHY 225), Basic Electronics (PHY 226) Classical Mechanics (PHY 443) and Quantum Mechanics (PHY 447)

For students interested in studying biological chemistry in graduate school:

Molecular Biology (BIO 450) and Biotechnology (BIO 408)

For students interested in pharmacy school:

- Microbiology (BIO 307) and Human Anatomy & Physiology (BIO 114 & 115 and BIO 340)
- In addition to MAT 111 and MAT 141, top pharmacy schools require MAT 112.
 Consider taking both MAT 112 and MAT 141.
- Economics (macro or micro) (ECO 101 or 102) and Intro to Psychology (PSY 101 or 102) or Sociology (SOC 110).

For students interested in medical or dental school:

 Genetics (BIO 404), Medical Biochemistry (BIO 440) and Human Anatomy & Physiology (BIO 114 & 115)

OTHER IMPORTANT COURSES TO CONSIDER

BCH 450: Research in Biochemistry

3 credits

Independent research under the direction of the biochemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 9 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of department chair. *Fall/Spring*. This course counts as a chemistry elective (CE), biochemistry elective (BCE), or a science elective (SE).

BCH 451: Research in Biochemistry

4 credits

Independent research under the direction of the biochemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 12 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of department chair. Fall/Spring. This course counts as a chemistry elective + lab (CE + L), biochemistry elective + lab (BCE + L), or a science elective + lab (SE + L).

CHM 450: Research in Chemistry

3 credits

Independent research under the direction of a member of the chemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 9 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of department chair. *Fall/Spring*. This course counts as a chemistry elective (CE), biochemistry elective (BCE), or a science elective (SE).

CHM 451: Research in Chemistry

4 credits

Independent research under the direction of a member of the chemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 12 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of department chair. Fall/Spring. This course counts as a chemistry elective + lab (CE + L), biochemistry elective + lab (BCE + L), or a science elective + lab (SE + L).

CHM 490: Internships in Chemistry & Biochemistry

3 credits

Internships in chemical or biochemical industry under the direction of company and faculty supervisors. *Prerequisite:* Permission of the department chair. *Fall/Spring*

This course counts as a chemistry elective (CE), biochemistry elective (BCE), or a science elective (SE).

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES IN THE SCIENCES

Student Chapter of the American Chemical Society (ACS).

Find us on GriffLink and the web:

https://www.canisius.edu/academics/programs/chemistry-and-biochemistry/student-chapter-american-chemical-society-scacs

Advisor: Dr. Sheridan

Physics Club

Colleges Against Cancer

Society of Pre-Health Professionals

INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN ATTENDING GRADUATE SCHOOL

FRESHMAN YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams (good resources for upper level courses, studying for the GRE, etc.).
- In early November, ask faculty about conducting summer research. In mid/late November complete the "application for research" form (available in Chemistry Dept. Office, also look for an e-mail announcement from the Chair of the Chem. Dept.).
- Get involved in 2-3 clubs or extracurricular activities. (But don't over-commit!)

SOPHOMORE YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- Complete summer research at Canisius College, another university, or a company such as Merck, Wyeth, or Glaxo. For a list of available internships, consult the department webpage (https://www.canisius.edu/academics/programs/chemistry-and-biochemistry/undergraduate-research).
- Consider applying for Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) programs (http://www.nsf.gov/crssprgm/reu/reu_search.cfm), summer research at Roswell Park Cancer Institute, etc. These applications are often due early in the Spring semester so apply in January. Consider also an international Research Internship in Science and Engineering (RISE) (http://www.daad.de/rise/en/).
- Consider taking CHM 450 or BCH 450 in junior year.

JUNIOR YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- Consider taking CHM 450 or BCH 450.
- Complete summer research at Canisius College, another university, or a company such as Merck, Wyeth, or Glaxo (see above "Sophomore year").

- Consider applying for Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) programs (http://www.nsf.gov/crssprgm/reu/reu_search.cfm), summer research at Roswell Park Cancer Institute, etc. (see above "Sophomore year").
- In the summer, start researching graduate programs:
 Grad Schools.com: (http://www.gradschools.com/Subject/Chemistry/64.html),
 PhDs.org: (http://www.phds.org/),
 American Chemical Society: (http://www.chemistry.org).
- In the summer, start preparing for your general GRE (required) and subject test GRE in chemistry or biochemistry (some graduate schools recommend this) and look at dates/places where they will be offered. (http://www.ets.org/gre/).

SENIOR YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- Consider taking CHM 450/451 or BCH 450/451.
- In September, sign up to take the general GRE and the subject test GRE in chemistry or biochemistry in October or November (http://www.ets.org/gre/)
- Apply to graduate programs (many are online) early, by **December or January.** Remember these are rolling admissions, so you need to apply near the start of the application period!!

INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN ATTENDING MEDICAL OR DENTAL SCHOOL

FRESHMAN YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams (good resources for upper level courses, studying for the MCAT or the DAT, etc.).
- Get involved in 2-3 clubs or extracurricular activities. (But don't over-commit!)
- In the summer, you should be either conducting research or shadowing health professionals. Start arranging EARLY, around November, by talking to faculty in the Chemistry & Biochemistry Department or to the Director of Pre-Health Programs.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- During the school year, shadow health professionals or arrange to volunteer at Sisters of Charity, etc.
- In November, talk to faculty about conducting summer research at Canisius.
- When registering for courses for Fall semester of your Junior Year, talk with your advisor about arranging your course load so that it is lighter in the Fall. You'll need to be studying for your MCAT or DAT.

SUMMER BETWEEN SOPHOMORE AND JUNIOR YEAR

- Consider taking an MCAT/DAT prep. course (plan on taking MCAT/DAT in January of your junior year).
- Start studying for your MCAT/DAT.
- Register to take your MCAT/DAT in January.
- Shadow a health care professional.
- Conduct summer research or work in a health-care related job.
- Ensure that you understand/research the Medical/Dental School application process. Begin to research Med/Dental School programs.

JUNIOR YEAR

• Plan on taking the MCAT or DAT in January (so that, if necessary, you can retake it later in the spring). Sign up during summer or start of Fall semester.

To sign up for the MCAT, go to: (http://www.aamc.org/students/applying/mcat).

To sign up for the DAT, go to: (http://www.ada.org/dat.aspx).

- Spend the Fall semester and Christmas vacation studying for the MCAT/DAT so you are prepared to take it in January.
- If you have not taken a MCAT/DAT prep. course during the summer, take one during the Fall semester.
- During the Spring semester (after taking the MCAT/DAT), shadow health professionals or arrange to volunteer at Sisters of Charity, etc. (get some health-care related experience).
- In late October / beginning of November, ask faculty if they can submit a letter of recommendation on your behalf to HSARC. Provide them with a copy of your resume. A request for letters at the last minute reflects poorly on you!
- In November, start preparing your HSARC application. It reflects poorly on you to submit your application package late.
- In November, talk to faculty about conducting summer research at Canisius.
- In May, determine to which medical or dental schools you would like to apply.

Descriptions of MD (allopathic) programs can be found at: (http://www.aamc.org/medicalschools).

Descriptions of DO (osteopathic) programs can be found at: (http://www.aacom.org/).

Descriptions of DDS programs can be found at: (http://www.ada.org/267.aspx).

• By the beginning of May, start completing your medical or dental school applications. Ask faculty if they will review your personal statement and activities list and descriptions. Warning: it takes longer than you think to prepare a good quality application (set aside 2 to 3 weeks).

• By the end of May, complete your medical school or dental school applications. You will want to submit your applications the first day you are able (usually June 2nd or 3rd).

To apply to medical schools granting MD's use the American Medical College Application Service (AMCAS): (http://www.aamc.org/students/amcas/start.htm).

To apply to medical schools granting DO's use the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine (AACOM): (http://www.aacom.org/InfoFor/applicants/Pages/default.aspx). However, some schools require you send an application package directly to them.

To apply to dental schools use the American Dental Education Association (ADEA): (http://www.adea.org). However, some schools require you send an application package directly to them.

- Most medical schools and dental schools use rolling admissions. Therefore, applicants are reviewed and accepted continuously. If you apply late, fewer slots will be available than if you apply early.
- During the summer, after you have completed your application, you should be: conducting research or shadowing health professionals. Start arranging EARLY, around November, by talking to faculty in the Chemistry & Biochemistry Department or to the Director of Pre-Health Programs.

SENIOR YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- During the school year, shadow health professionals or arrange to volunteer at Sisters of Charity, etc.
- In early September, arrange for mock interviews with the Director of Pre-Health Programs.

INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN ATTENDING PHARMACY SCHOOL

A very useful web site for pre-pharmacy students with a lot of valuable information is (https://www.aacp.org/resources/students/future).

See page 19 of this handbook for the list of prerequisite courses required by pharmacy schools.

FRESHMAN YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams (good resource for upper level courses, studying for the PCAT, etc.).
- Get involved in 2-3 clubs or extracurricular activities. (But don't over-commit!)
- In the summer, you should be either working as a pharmacy technician, shadowing pharmacists, or conducting research. Start arranging EARLY, around November, by talking to faculty in the Chemistry & Biochemistry Department or to the Director of Pre-Health Programs.
- *Pharmacy Schools realize that there are limited numbers of pharm tech positions.
 They are looking for a commitment to patient care. Therefore any relevant health care experience builds your resume.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- During the school year, shadow pharmacists or arrange to volunteer at Sisters of Charity, etc.
- In November, talk to faculty about conducting summer research at Canisius.
- When registering for courses for Fall semester of your Junior Year, talk with your advisor about:
 - 1. arranging your course load so that it is lighter in the Spring. You'll need to be studying for your PCAT.
 - 2. what electives or upper level biology courses you should be taking in order to meet requirements for pharmacy school.
 - 3. 3+4 program with UB Pharmacy School.
- Consider taking the PCAT during the summer.

<u>During the summer, you should be: conducting research or shadowing health professionals.</u>
 <u>Start arranging EARLY, around November, by talking to faculty in the Chemistry & Biochemistry Department or to the Director of Pre-Health Programs.</u>

JUNIOR YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- During the school year, shadow pharmacists or arrange to volunteer at Sisters of Charity, etc.
- In October or November, sign-up to take the PCAT. Consider taking a review course (\$\$\$). To sign up or for information go to: (http://tpc-etesting.com/pcat/).
- In November, talk to faculty about conducting summer research at Canisius.
- In March, ask faculty or pharmacists if they could submit a letter of recommendation on your behalf. Provide them with a copy of your resume. It reflects poorly on you if you ask for letters at the last minute.
- In May, determine which pharmacy schools to which you will apply. Description of PharmD programs are available from Pharmacy College Application Service (PharmCAS) at: (http://www.pharmcas.org).
- In the middle of May, start completing your pharmacy school applications. Ask faculty if they will review your personal statement and activities list and descriptions.
- By the middle of June, complete your pharmacy school applications. You will want to submit your applications the first day you are able (usually around July 1st). Most pharmacy schools use PharmCAS: http://www.pharmcas.org/
- Most pharmacy schools use rolling admissions. Therefore, applicants are reviewed and accepted continuously. If you apply late, fewer slots will be available than if you apply early.
- During the summer, you should be: conducting research or shadowing health professionals. Start arranging EARLY, around November, by talking to faculty in the Chemistry & Biochemistry Department or to the Director of Pre-Health Programs.

SENIOR YEAR

- Keep your text books, quizzes, and exams.
- During the school year, shadow pharmacists or arrange to volunteer at Sisters of Charity, etc.

• In September, arrange for mock interviews with the Pre-Health Programs Director.

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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

CHEMISTRY CURRICULUM

CHM 104 Energy, Environment, and Society 3 credits

Designed to provide a better understanding of energy and our environment, including man's interaction with his environment and the consequences facing society today. Field 6. *Fall*

CHM 109 (fall) followed by CHM 110 (spring): General Chemistry with Review I General Chemistry I with review for science majors. 7 credits

CHM 109, three lectures and one recitation per week. CHM 109 reviews some mathematical concepts, emphasizes dimensional analysis, nomenclature, stoichiometry, solutions, basic chemical reactions, and thermochemistry. *Fall*

CHM 110, three lectures, one recitation, as well as 3-hr laboratory co-requisite. CHM 110 emphasizes atomic and molecular structure, periodic properties, gas laws, and states of matter. *Spring*

The CHM 109/110 sequence is equivalent to CHM 111 and a Free Elective. Students completing the CHM 109/110 sequence are eligible to take CHM 112 in the fall of their sophomore year or during the summer. A minimum grade of C- in CHM 109 is a prerequisite for CHM 110 and a minimum grade of C- in CHM 110 is a prerequisite for both CHM 112 (General Chemistry II) and CHM 227 (Organic Chemistry I).

CHM 111: General Chemistry I 4 credits

General Chemistry I for science majors, three lectures and one recitation per week, as well as 3-hr laboratory co-requisite. This course is recommended for students with a very good background in mathematics and significant exposure to high school chemistry. The course emphasizes dimensional analysis, nomenclature, stoichiometry, solutions, basic chemical reactions, thermochemistry, atomic and molecular structure, periodic properties, gas laws, and states of matter. Prerequisite: a minimum score of 580 in MSAT or instructor's approval. Co-requisite: CHM 111 laboratory. Minimum C- in CHM 111 is a prerequisite for both CHM 112 (General Chemistry II) and CHM 227 (Organic Chemistry I). *Fall*

CHM 112: General Chemistry II 4 credits

General Chemistry II for science majors, three lectures and one recitation per week, as well as 3-hr laboratory co-requisite. The course emphasizes properties of solutions (including colligative properties), kinetics, chemical equilibrium concept, calculations involving acid/base and precipitation equilibria, thermodynamics (second and third law), electrochemistry, nuclear chemistry, chemistry of the environment, metals, and nonmetals, and basic coordination chemistry. Prerequisite: Minimum C- in CHM 111 or in CHM 110. Co-requisite: CHM 112 laboratory. Minimum C in CHM 112 is required for all chemistry and biochemistry majors. *Fall/Spring*

CHM 227-228 Organic Chemistry 8 credits

Fundamental treatment of organic chemistry. Mechanisms, structure and synthetic methods. Laboratory covers techniques of separation, purification, analysis and organic synthesis. Three lectures, one laboratory and one recitation per week. *Prerequisites*: a minimum of C- in CHM 110 or 111-; a minimum grade of C- in CHM 227 is required to enroll in CHM 228. *Fall/Spring*

CHM 230 Analytical Chemistry I 4 credits

Principles and methodology of modern analytical chemistry presented with particular emphasis on chromatographic, spectrophotometric and electroanalytical techniques. Three lectures, one laboratory and one recitation per week. *Prerequisite*: CHM 112 with a minimum grade of C. *Spring*

CHM 232 Analytical Environmental Chemistry 4 credits

First-level analytical course. Environmental applications. Sampling techniques and statistical analysis of data. Soil chemistry, aquatic chemistry and atmospheric chemistry. Trace analysis with electroanalytical, liquid and gas chromatography, atomic absorption spectroscopy and ion selective electrodes. *Prerequisites*: CHM 111-112. *Spring*.

CHM 244 Inorganic Chemistry 3 credits

Periodic classification of the elements, electronic configuration of atoms, nature of chemical bonding, symmetry and group theory, structures and thermodynamics of solids, acid/base concepts, isomerism, bonding, reactions and spectroscopy of coordination compounds and other aspects of modern inorganic chemistry. *Prerequisites:* CHM 112 with a minimum grade of C. *Fall*

CHM 301 Fundamental Physical Chemistry 3 credits

Fundamental topics in thermodynamics, kinetics, quantum mechanics and spectroscopy. Three lectures and one recitation per week. *Prerequisites*: CHM 112 with a minimum grade of C, MAT 111, PHY 201-202 or 223-224, or equivalent courses. *Fall*

CHM 301L Fundamental Physical Chemistry Laboratory 1 credit

Selected experiments demonstrating principles of thermodynamics and chemical kinetics. One four-hour lab per week. *Prerequisites*: CHM 230 Lab and CHM 301 or concurrent registration in CHM 301. *Fall*

CHM 302 Modern Physical Chemistry 3 credits

Introduction to quantum chemistry with applications to the structure of atoms and molecules. Molecular spectroscopy. Three lectures and one recitation per week. *Prerequisites*: CHM 112 with a minimum grade of C, CHM 244, MAT 111-112, PHY 201-202 or 223-224, or equivalent courses. *Spring*

CHM 302L Modern Physical Chemistry Laboratory 1 credit

Selected spectroscopic experiments with applications to molecular structure. One four-hour lab per week. *Prerequisites*: CHM 334 Lab or CHM 430 Lab with a minimum grade of C- and CHM 302 or concurrent registration in CHM 302. *Spring*

CHM 334 Spectrometric Analysis 4 credits

Spectrometric methods for the elucidation of chemical structures. Includes nuclear magnetic resonance, infrared, ultraviolet and mass spectrometry. Emphasis on organic compounds. Three lectures and one laboratory per week. *Prerequisites:* CHM 227-228. *Fall*

CHM 338 Intermediate Organic Chemistry 3 credits

Important basic concepts in organic chemistry are reviewed at a higher level than is possible in an introductory course. New concepts are presented in the area of reaction mechanisms, physical organic chemistry, and in the use of retrosynthetic analysis to plan multi-step organic syntheses. *Prerequisites:* CHM 227-228. *Fall*

CHM 344 Metal lons in Biological Systems 3 credits

Chemical processes in biological systems, which include participation of metal ions, are covered. The course begins with the principles of coordination chemistry and structural biochemistry. The rest of the course is organized according to the functions performed by the metal centers: gene expression and signal transduction, digestion, bioenergetics and electron transfer, oxygen transport, liver functions and anticancer drugs. *Prerequisites:* BIO 111 and CHM 227-228. *Offered occasionally.*

CHM 381-480-481 Chemistry and Biochemistry Seminar 1 credit each 381 Scientific Literature and Communication, 480 Communicating Concepts in Chemistry, 481 Communicating Research Literature. Student-faculty seminar for majors. To be taken for three semesters. *Prerequisites:* CHM 244, CHM 228 and Junior standing. *Spring - Fall - Spring*

CHM 401 Modern Synthetic Methods 3 credits

Structure-reactivity relationships in organometallic chemistry and the application of organometallic compounds in organic synthesis, including industrial catalysis. *Prerequisites:* CHM 244, CHM 228. *Offered occasionally.*

CHM 401L Modern Synthetic Methods Laboratory 1 credit

Designed to illustrate some of the most important synthetic and physical techniques used by modern synthetic chemists. *Prerequisite*: CHM 401 or concurrent registration in CHM 401. *Offered occasionally.*

CHM 402 Advanced Physical Chemistry 3 credits

Introduction to statistical thermodynamics. Applications of group theory to chemical bonding and molecular spectroscopy. Angular momentum coupling in atomic and molecular spectroscopy. Three lectures per week. *Prerequisites:* MAT 111-112, PHY 201-202 or 223-224, CHM 244 and CHM 302 (or co-requisite). *Offered occasionally.*

CHM 420 Materials Chemistry 3 credits

A survey of topics and applications in modern materials chemistry including solid state materials, semiconductors, polymers, nanomaterials, and introductions to mechanical properties, device fabrication, and structure-activity relationships. *Prerequisites:* CHM 228 and CHM 244. *Spring*

CHM 420L Materials Chemistry Laboratory 1 credit

CHM 420 Laboratory develops concepts introduced in the lecture component of Materials Chemistry, CHM420, including solid-state structure, mechanical properties, semiconductors, polymers, and nanomaterials. *Prerequisites:* CHM 420 or concurrent registration in CHM 420. *Spring*

CHM 430 Instrumental Analytical Chemistry II 3 credits

Advanced instrumental methods of analysis including spectroscopy, chromatography and various electrochemical techniques. *Prerequisites:* CHM 112 and CHM 228 or concurrent registration in CHM 228. *Spring*

CHM 430L Instrumental Analytical Chemistry II Laboraotry 1 credit

Prerequisites: CHM 112, CHM 228 or concurrent registration in CHM 228, and CHM 420 or concurrent registration in CHM 420. Spring

CHM 450 Research in Chemistry 3 credits

Independent research under the direction of a member of the chemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 9 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of the Department Chair. *Fall/Spring*

CHM 451 Research in Chemistry 4 credits

Independent research under the direction of a member of the chemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 12 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of the Department Chair. *Fall/Spring*

CHM 455 Medicinal Chemistry 3 credits

Chemical principles are used to explain the interaction of drugs with biological targets. Strategies used in the design and development of medicines are discussed. *Prerequisites:* CHM 227-228 and BCH 301. *Spring*

CHM 490 Internships in Chemistry & Biochemistry 3 credits

Internships in chemical or biochemical industry under the direction of company and faculty supervisors. *Prerequisite:* Permission of the Department Chair. *Fall/Spring*

CHM 498-499 Independent Study 3 credits

Independent study under the direction of the chemistry staff. *Prerequisite:* Permission of the Department Chair. *Fall/Spring*

BIOCHEMISTRY CURRICULUM

BCH 301 Introduction to Biochemistry 3 credits

Structure and function of biological molecules. Topics include proteins, carbohydrates, nucleic acids, lipids, enzyme kinetics, ligand binding, recombinant DNA technology, and cell membrane structure and transport. *Prerequisites:* CHM 228 with a minimum grade of C-. *Fall*

BCH 301L Introduction to Biochemistry Lab 1 credit

One four-hour lab per week. *Prerequisite:* BCH 301 or concurrent registration in BCH 301. *Fall*

BCH 302 Cellular Biochemistry 3 credits

The more biological aspects of biochemistry. Topics include signal transduction, bioenergetics, metabolism of carbohydrates, lipids, proteins, and metabolic control, emphasizing hormones. *Prerequisite:* BCH 301 with a minimum grade of C-. *Spring*

BCH 450 Research in Biochemistry 3 credits

Independent research under the direction of the biochemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 9 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of the Department Chair. *Fall/Spring*

BCH 451 Research in Biochemistry 4 credits

Independent research under the direction of the biochemistry faculty. Students are required to spend 12 hours per week conducting research. Research and consultation times to be arranged after approval of the Department Chair. *Fall/Spring*

Chemistry ACS Track: Course Completion Checklist MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ CHM 111 + L | ☐ CHM 112 + L |
|--|-----------------|
| ☐ BIO 111 + L | |
| □ MAT 111 | ☐ MAT 112 |
| ☐ PHY 223 + L | ☐ PHY 224 + L |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L |
| ☐ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 230 + L |
| ☐ CHM 301 + L | ☐ CHM 302 + L |
| ☐ CHM 334 + L | ☐ CHM 430 + L |
| □ BCH 301 | ☐ CHM 420 + L |
| ☐ CE or BCE | ☐ CE or BCE |
| ☐ CHM 381 | ☐ CHM 480 |
| ☐ CHM 481 | |
| CORE REQUI | <u>IREMENTS</u> |
| ☐ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 |
| ☐ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |
| ☐ Diversity | Course Name: |
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

Chemistry Track: Course Completion Checklist MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ CHM 111 + L | ☐ CHM 112 + L |
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| ☐ BIO 111 + L | |
| □ MAT 111 | □ MAT 112/141 |
| □ PHY 201 + L | ☐ PHY 202 + L |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L |
| ☐ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 230 + L |
| ☐ CHM 301 + L | ☐ CHM 334 + L |
| ☐ CHM 430 + L | ☐ BCH 301 |
| ☐ CE or BCE | ☐ CE or BCE |
| ☐ CE or BCE | ☐ CHM 381 |
| ☐ CHM 480 | ☐ CHM 481 |
| CORE REG | QUIREMENTS |
| ☐ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 |
| ☐ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |
| ☐ Diversity | Course Name: |
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

Chemistry Health Professions Track: Course Completion Checklist MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ CHM 111 + L | ☐ CHM 112 + L | |
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| □ BIO 111 + L | ☐ BIO 112 + L | |
| □ MAT 111 | □ MAT 112 / 141 | |
| □ PHY 201 + L | ☐ PHY 202 + L | |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L | |
| ☐ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 230 + L | |
| ☐ CHM 301 | | |
| □ BCH 301 | ☐ BCH 302 | |
| ☐ CE or BCE + L | □ SE + L | |
| □ SE | ☐ CHM 381 | |
| ☐ CHM 480 | ☐ CHM 481 | |
| CORE REQUIREMENTS | | |
| □ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 | |
| □ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 | |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: | |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Diversity | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: | |

Chemistry with Business Track: Course Completion Checklist

| | MAJOR REQUIREMENTS IN SCIENCE | | |
|---|---|--|--|
| ☐ CHM 111 + L | | | |
| ☐ BIO 111 + L | | | |
| ☐ MAT 111 | | | |
| ☐ PHY 201 + L (or 2 | 223) □ PHY 202 + L (or 224) | | |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | | | |
| ☐ CHM 301 | \square ANALY + L ¹ | | |
| ☐ BCH 301 + L | | | |
| ☐ CHM 381 | CHM 480 | | |
| MAJOR REQUIREMENTS IN BUSINESS | | | |
| ☐ ECO 101 | | | |
| ☐ MKT 201 | | | |
| ☐ FIN 201 _ | | | |
| | | | |
| MAJO | R ELECTIVES ³ IN SCIENCE, BUSINESS, OR LAW | | |
| ☐ MAJOR ELEC. | MAJOR ELEC | | |
| courses: CHM 334 + L CHM 232 + L CHM 230 + L | credit hours) - choose one of the following analytical chemistry (Spectrometric Analysis); (Analytical Environmental Chemistry); (Analytical Chemistry); (Analytical Chemistry); (Instrumental Analytical Chemistry). | | |
| ² or CHM 244. | | | |

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³Two Major Electives - choose two courses from any of the following science, business, or law courses:

- Science Elective (300-level or higher CHM/BCH/BIO/PHY course, or CSC 111)
- MGT course at 300-level or higher with a MGT pre-req.; including, MGT460, MGT 475, MGT 380, MGT 472 (or other MGT 300/400-level courses approved by the Assistant Dean, School of Business).
- MKT course at 300-level or higher with a MKT pre-req.; including, MKT 371, MKT 350, MKT 395, MKT 397, MKT 450 (or other MKT 300/400-level courses approved by the Assistant Dean, School of Business).
- ACC 202 (Managerial Accounting);
- ECO 102 or ECO course at 200-level or higher with an ECO pre-req (as approved by the Assistant Dean, School of Business).
- IBUS301 (International Business);
- PSC 320, 321 (American Constitutional Law, recommended for pre-law students).

CORE REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 |
|--|-----------------------------|
| □ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: |
| ☑ Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: <u>ECO 101</u> |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |
| ☐ Diversity | Course Name: |
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

Chemistry ACS Certified Track with Business Minor: Course Completion Checklist

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ CHM 111 + L | ☐ CHM 112 + L | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|--|--|
| ☐ BIO 111 + L | ☐ MAT 141 or ECO 255 | | |
| ☐ MAT 111 | ☐ MAT 112 | | |
| ☐ PHY 223 + L | ☐ PHY 224 + L | | |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L | | |
| ☐ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 230 + L | | |
| ☐ CHM 301 + L | ☐ CHM 302 + L | | |
| ☐ CHM 334 + L | ☐ CHM 430 + L | | |
| ☐ BCH 301 | ☐ CHM 420 + L | | |
| ☐ CE or BCE | ☐ CE or BCE | | |
| ☐ CHM 381 | ☐ CHM 480 | | |
| ☐ CHM 481 | | | |
| MINOR REQUIREMENTS | | | |
| □ ECO 101 | □ ECO 102 | | |
| ☐ MGT 101 | ☐ MKT 201 | | |
| ☐ ACC 201 | ☐ FIN 201 | | |
| CORE REQUIREMENTS | | | |
| ☐ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 | | |
| ☐ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 | | |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and T | heology Course Name: | | |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: | | |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: | | |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: | | |
| Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: ECO 101 | | |

| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |
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| ☐ Diversity | Course Name: |
| □ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| □ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS ☐ CHM 111 + L ☐ CHM 112 + L ☐ BIO 111 + L ☐ MAT 111 ☐ MAT 141 or ECO 255 ____ ☐ PHY 201 + L ☐ PHY 202 + L ☐ CHM 227 + L ☐ CHM 228 + L ☐ CHM 244 ☐ CHM 230 + L ☐ CHM 301 + L ☐ CHM 334 + L ☐ CHM 430 + L ☐ BCH 301 ☐ CE or BCE ☐ CE or BCE ☐ CE or BCE ☐ CHM 381 ☐ CHM 480 ☐ CHM 481 MINOR REQUIREMENTS ☐ ECO 101 ☐ ECO 102 ☐ MGT 101 ☐ MKT 201 ☐ ACC 201 ☐ FIN 201 **CORE REQUIREMENTS** ☐ ENG 111 ☐ ENG 112 ☐ PHI 101 ☐ RST 101 Course Name:_____ ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology Course Name:_____ ☐ Field 2 Philosophy Course Name:_____ ☐ Field 3 Arts ☐ Field 4 History Course Name:_____ Field 5 Social Sciences Course Name: ECO 101 Course Name:_______ ☐ CORE CAPSTONE

| □ Diversity | Course Name: |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ CHM 111 + L | | ☐ CHM 112 + L | |
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| ☐ BIO 111 + L | | ☐ BIO 112 + L | |
| ☐ MAT 111 | | ☐ MAT 141 or EC | O 255 |
| ☐ PHY 201 + L | | ☐ PHY 202 + L | |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | | ☐ CHM 228 + L | |
| ☐ CHM 244 | | ☐ CHM 230 + L | |
| ☐ CHM 301 | | | |
| ☐ BCH 301 | | ☐ BCH 302 | |
| ☐ CE or BCE+ L | | □ SE+L | |
| □ SE | | ☐ CHM 381 | |
| ☐ CHM 480 | | ☐ CHM 481 | |
| MINOR REQUIREMENTS | | | |
| ☐ ECO 101 | | ☐ ECO 102 | |
| ☐ MGT 101 | | ☐ MKT 201 | |
| ☐ ACC 201 | | ☐ FIN 201 | |
| CORE REQUIREMENTS | | | |
| □ ENG 111 | | □ ENG 112 | |
| ☐ PHI 101 | | ☐ RST 101 | |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious | Studies and Theology | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosoph | ny | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | | Course Name: | |
| ☐ Field 4 History | | Course Name: | |
| Field 5 Social So | ciences | Course Name: <u>E</u> | CO 101 |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTON | NE | Course Name: | |

| □ Diversity □ | Course Name: |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| □ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

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| ☐ CHM 111 + L | ☐ CHM 112 + L |
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| ☐ BIO 111 + L | ☐ BIO 112 + L |
| □ MAT 111 | ☐ MAT 112 |
| ☐ PHY 223 + L | ☐ PHY 224 + L |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L |
| □ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 230 + L |
| ☐ CHM 301 + L | ☐ CHM 302 + L |
| □ BCH 301 + L | ☐ BCH 302 |
| ☐ CHM 334 + L or 430 + L | ☐ CHM 420 |
| ☐ BIO 450 + L | ☐ CHM 381 |
| ☐ CHM 480 | ☐ CHM 481 |
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| CORE REQU | <u>IREMENTS</u> |
| ☐ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 |
| ☐ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |
| ☐ Diversity | Course Name: |
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

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| ☐ CHM 111 + L | ☐ CHM 112 + L |
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| ☐ BIO 111 + L | ☐ BIO 112 + L |
| □ MAT 111 | □ MAT 112 / 141 |
| □ PHY 201 + L | ☐ PHY 202 + L |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L |
| ☐ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 301 |
| ☐ CHM 334 + L or 430 + L | - |
| □ BCH 301 + L | ☐ BCH 302 |
| ☐ CE or BCE or BE | ☐ BCE or BE2 |
| □ BIO 450 + L | ☐ CHM 381 |
| ☐ CHM 480 | ☐ CHM 481 |
| CORE REQ | <u>UIREMENTS</u> |
| ☐ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 |
| ☐ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |
| ☐ Diversity | Course Name: |
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS □ CHM 111 + L □ CHM 112 + L □ BIO 112 + L □ BIO 112 + L

| ☐ MAT 111 | ☐ MAT 112 | |
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| ☐ PHY 223 + L | ☐ PHY 224 + L | |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L | |

| ☐ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 230 + L _ | |
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| ☐ BCH 301 + L | ☐ BCH 302 | |
| ☐ CHM 334 + L or 430 + L | ☐ CHM 420 | |

| ☐ BIO 450 + L | □ CHM 381 | |
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| ☐ CHM 480 | | ☐ CHM 481 | |
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MINOR REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ ACC 201 | ☐ FIN 201 | |
|-----------|---------------|--|
| ☐ MGT 101 | ☐ MKT 201 | |
| ☐ ECO 101 | ☐ ECO 102 | |

| MAT | 141 | or | ECO255 | |
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☐ ENG 111

CORE REQUIREMENTS

☐ ENG 112

| □ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 |
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| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: |

| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: |
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| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: |
|----------------|--------------|
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| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| ☑ Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: ECO 101 |

| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |
|-----------------|--------------|

| □ Diversity | Course Name: |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| □ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |

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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

| ☐ CHM 111 + L | ☐ CHM 112 + L |
|--|-----------------------------|
| □ BIO 111 + L | ☐ BIO 112 + L |
| □ MAT 111 | ☐ MAT 141 or ECO 255 |
| □ PHY 201 + L | ☐ PHY 202 + L |
| ☐ CHM 227 + L | ☐ CHM 228 + L |
| □ CHM 244 | ☐ CHM 301 |
| □ BCH 301 + L | □ BCH 302 |
| ☐ CHM 334 + L or 430 + L | ☐ BCE or BE2 |
| □ BIO 450 + L | ☐ CE or BCE or BE |
| ☐ CHM 381 | ☐ CHM 480 |
| ☐ CHM 481 | |
| | |
| MINOR REQUIREMENTS | |
| □ ECO 101 | □ ECO 102 |
| ☐ MGT 101 | ☐ MKT 201 |
| □ ACC 201 | ☐ FIN 201 |
| CORE REQUIREMENTS | |
| □ ENG 111 | ☐ ENG 112 |
| ☐ PHI 101 | ☐ RST 101 |
| ☐ Field 1 Religious Studies and Theology | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 2 Philosophy | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 3 Arts | Course Name: |
| ☐ Field 4 History | Course Name: |
| Field 5 Social Sciences | Course Name: <u>ECO 101</u> |
| ☐ CORE CAPSTONE | Course Name: |

| □ Diversity | Course Name: |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| ☐ Ethics | Course Name: |
| ☐ Global Awareness | Course Name: |
| ☐ Justice | Course Name: |
| ☐ Advanced Writing-intensive | Course Name: |
| ☐ Oral Communication | Course Name: |