School of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Molecular Biology and Healthcare Management (Double Major) (BS)

Bachelor of Science in Molecular Biology and Healthcare Management (Double Major)

Degree Requirements (153 semester credit hours)¹ ²

NSM Faculty

Professors: Lee A. Bulla, Rockford K. Draper, Juan E. González, Lawrence J. Reitzer, Stephen Spiro, Li Zhang, Michael Qiwei Zhang

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UT Dallas Affiliated Faculty: Stephen D. Levene, Jonathan E. Ploski

JSOM Faculty


Professor Emeritus: Dale Osborne


Clinical Associate Professors: Shawn Alborz, Larry Chasteen, Sonia Leach, Kannan Ramanathan, Carolyn Reichert, Avanti P. Sethi, Kelly Slaughter, James Szot, Mark Thouin, John McClain Watson

Assistant Professors: Mehmet Ayvaci, Emily Choi, Bernhard Ganglmair, Dorothée Honhon, Kyle Hyndman, Atanu Lahiri, Sheen Levine, Bin Li, Jun Li, Meng Li, Ningzhong Li, Xiaolin Li, Naim Bugra Ozel, Arzu Ozoguz, Anyan Qi, Alejandro Rivera Mesias, Alessio Saretto, Serdar Simsek, Gonca P. Soysal, Shaojie Tang, Christian Von-Drathen, Malcolm Wardlaw, Han (Victor) Xia, Steven Xiao, Shengqi Ye, Nir Yehuda, Jieying Zhang, Zhe (James) Zhang, Xiaofei Zhao

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Visiting Assistant Professor: Lale Guler


I. Core Curriculum Requirements: 42 semester credit hours

Communication: 6 semester credit hours

COMM 1311 Survey of Oral and Technology-based Communication
RHET 1302 Rhetoric
Mathematics: 3 semester credit hours

MATH 2417 Calculus I<sup>4, 5</sup>

Life and Physical Sciences: 6 semester credit hours

CHEM 1311 General Chemistry I<sup>4</sup>
CHEM 1312 General Chemistry II<sup>4</sup>

Language, Philosophy and Culture: 3 semester credit hours

Select any 3 semester credit hours from Language, Philosophy and Culture core courses (see advisor)

Creative Arts: 3 semester credit hours

Select any 3 semester credit hours from Creative Arts core courses (see advisor)

American History: 6 semester credit hours

Select any 6 semester credit hours from American History core courses (see advisor)

Government / Political Science: 6 semester credit hours

GOVT 2305 American National Government
GOVT 2306 State and Local Government

Social and Behavioral Sciences: 3 semester credit hours

ECON 2301 Principles of Macroeconomics<sup>4, 6</sup>

Component Area Option: 6 semester credit hours

MATH 2419 Calculus II<sup>4, 5</sup>
ECON 2302 Principles of Microeconomics<sup>4, 6</sup>

II. Major Requirements: 96 semester credit hours

Biology Major Preparatory Courses: 20 semester credit hours beyond Core Curriculum

CHEM 1111 General Chemistry Laboratory I
CHEM 1112 General Chemistry Laboratory II
CHEM 1311 General Chemistry I<sup>4</sup>
CHEM 1312 General Chemistry II<sup>4</sup>
CHEM 2123  Introductory Organic Chemistry Laboratory I  
CHEM 2125  Introductory Organic Chemistry Laboratory II  
CHEM 2323  Introductory Organic Chemistry I  
CHEM 2325  Introductory Organic Chemistry II  
MATH 2417  Calculus I  
MATH 2419  Calculus II  
PHYS 2325  Mechanics  
PHYS 2125  Physics Laboratory I  
PHYS 2326  Electromagnetism and Waves  
PHYS 2126  Physics Laboratory II  
NATS 1101  Natural Sciences and Mathematics Freshman Seminar or BA 1100 Business Basics  
UNIV 1010  Freshman Seminar  

Biology Core Courses: 33 semester credit hours  

BIOL 2111  Introduction to Modern Biology Workshop I  
BIOL 2112  Introduction to Modern Biology Workshop II  
BIOL 2281  Introductory Biology Laboratory  
BIOL 2311  Introduction to Modern Biology I  
BIOL 2312  Introduction to Modern Biology II  
BIOL 3101  Classical and Molecular Genetics Workshop  
BIOL 3102  Eukaryotic Molecular and Cell Biology Workshop  
BIOL 3161  Biochemistry Workshop I  
BIOL 3162  Biochemistry Workshop II  
BIOL 3301  Classical and Molecular Genetics  
BIOL 3302  Eukaryotic Molecular and Cell Biology  
BIOL 3361  Biochemistry I  
BIOL 3362  Biochemistry II  
    or BIOL 3335  Microbial Physiology  
BIOL 3380  Biochemistry Laboratory  
BIOL 4461  Biophysical Chemistry
Business Major Preparatory Courses: 16 semester credit hours beyond Core Curriculum

**ACCT 2301** Introductory Financial Accounting

**ACCT 2302** Introductory Management Accounting

**HMGT 3100** Professional Development

**BLAW 2301** Business and Public Law

**ECON 2301** Principles of Macroeconomics

**ECON 2302** Principles of Microeconomics

**OPRE 3333** Quantitative Business Analysis

or **MATH 2333** Matrices, Vectors, and Their Application

**OPRE 3360** Managerial Methods in Decision Making Under Uncertainty

or **STAT 2332** Introductory Statistics for Life Sciences

or **STAT 3360** Probability and Statistics for Management and Economics

Business Core Courses: 27 semester credit hours

**BCOM 3310** Business Communication

**BCOM 4350** Advanced Business Communication

**FIN 3320** Business Finance

**ITSS 3300** Information Technology for Business

**OPRE 3310** Operations Management

**OBHR 3310** Organizational Behavior

**MKT 3300** Principles of Marketing

**BPS 4305** Strategic Management

**IMS 3310** International Business

III. Elective Requirements: 15 semester credit hours

Healthcare Management Core Courses: 12 semester credit hours

**HMGT 3301** Introduction to Healthcare Management

**HMGT 3311** Healthcare Accounting

**HMGT 4321** Introduction to Healthcare Information Systems

**HMGT 3310** Healthcare Regulatory Environment
Biology (3 semester credit hours):

- **BIOL 4380** Cell and Molecular Biology Laboratory
- **BIOL 3V96** Undergraduate Research in Molecular and Cell Biology
- **BIOL 4391** Senior Research in Molecular and Cell Biology: Advanced Writing
- **BIOL 4399** Senior Honors Research in Molecular and Cell Biology: Thesis/Advanced Writing

Each student is expected to complete a minimum of 160 hours of business-related work to fulfill the JSOM professional practicum requirement.

All students must complete at least 51 semester credit hours of upper-division courses to graduate.

1. Incoming freshmen must enroll and complete requirements of UNIV 1010 and the corresponding school-related freshman seminar course. Students, including transfer students, who complete their core curriculum at UT Dallas must take UNIV 2020.

2. Degree is 154 semester credit hours if students are required to take BA 1100 or NATS 1101.

3. Curriculum Requirements can be fulfilled by other approved courses from institutions of higher education. The courses listed are recommended as the most efficient way to satisfy both Core Curriculum and Major Requirements at UT Dallas.

4. A required Major course that also fulfills a Core Curriculum requirement. Semester credit hours are counted in Core Curriculum.

5. Six semester credit hours of Calculus are counted under Mathematics Core and Component Area Option Core, and 2 semester credit hours of Calculus are counted as Biology Major Preparatory Courses.

6. Indicates a prerequisite class to be completed before enrolling for upper-division classes.

7. Students may substitute MATH 2418 or CS 2305.

8. Requires permission of the Biology Undergraduate Advisor to ensure training in recombinant DNA analysis.

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