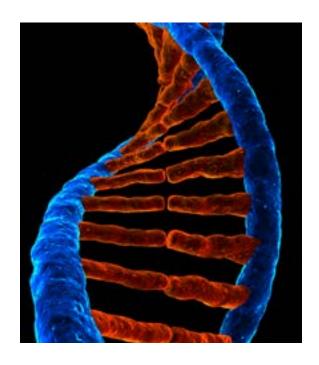


# Chemistry Graduate Studies

# Professional Science Master's Biotechnology Option

Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Chemistry





## **ABOUT THE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND LIBERAL ARTS**

The College of Science and Liberal Arts (CSLA) is dedicated to instruction in the physical, biological, and mathematical sciences as well as traditional liberal arts disciplines. CSLA is home to internationally renowned research centers and award winning researchers, and partners with departments throughout NJIT to explore emerging frontiers and expand interdisciplinary initiatives in a diverse range of areas that include genomics, neuroscience, ecology, biomechanics, solar physics, photonics, environmental science, applied mathematics and statistics, materials science, technical communication and digital media.

# WHY STUDY BIOTECHNOLOGY AT NJIT?

NJIT is uniquely situated among the greatest concentration of biotechnology and pharmaceutical activities in the world, with over 400 private and public biopharmaceutical companies thriving around the NJ Area. Opportunity is right outside our door. The mission of NJIT's professional Biotechnology option in the MS Pharmaceutical Chemistry program is to prepare scientists and engineers for dynamic careers in biopharmaceutical industry. The program will focus on providing integrated coursework and training in current biotechnology industry practices. Our approach, relying on the input of our industrial advisory board, will ensure that our program will keep students up-to-date on the latest biotechnology industry changes and challenges and prepare them to work in this growing and exciting industry. NJIT's professional Biotechnology program will provide a solid grounding in science and engineering, with an industry focus, facilitating the tailoring of coursework to meet individual career goals.

# PROFESSIONAL SCIENCE MASTER'S

This program option is affiliated with the PSM National Office. The objective of this option is to create leaders with strong communication and management skills in addition to the strong technical knowledge in biotechnology for the rapidly changing biopharmaceutical industry. This option is designed for working professionals or students who already have acquired some professional experience.

# **ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS**

BS degree in the chemical or biological sciences or engineering preferred. GRE for all full-time applicants. Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) for all international students not holding a degree from a U.S. postsecondary institution. Minimum scores: Internet-based TOEFL – 79, computer-based TOEFL – 213, paper-based TOEFL – 550, IELTS – 6.5 with no sub-score lower than 6.0.

### **CURRICULUM**

The Biotechnology option consists of five core courses, three professional courses, one elective course, and one experiential course for a total of 30 credits. For degree requirements consult the graduate catalog: <a href="mailto:catalog.njit.edu/graduate/">catalog.njit.edu/graduate/</a>.

## **CORE COURSES (15 CREDIT HOURS)**

CHEM 605
CHEM 673
CHEM 777
BIOL 605
BIOL 606
Advanced Organic Chemistry I: Structure
Biochemistry
Principles of Pharmaceutical Chemistry
Principles of Bioscience Processing
Applied Bioprocessing and Immunological

**Based Therapies** 

# REQUIRED PROFESSIONAL COURSES (9 CREDIT HOURS)

Select three of the following courses:

EM 634 Legal, Ethical & Intellectual Property

Issues

HRM 601 Organizational Behavior
MGMT 641 Global Project Management
PTC 601 Adv. Professional & Technical

Communication

# REQUIRED EXPERIENTIAL COURSE (3 CREDIT HOURS)

CHEM 590 Graduate Co-Op Work Experience

# **ELECTIVE COURSES (3 CREDIT HOURS)**

Select one of the following courses:

CHEM 658 Adv. Physical Chemistry
CHEM 661 Instrumental Analysis Laboratory
CHEM 714 Pharmaceutical Analysis

CHEM 716 Integrated Drug Development & Discovery

CHEM 719 Drug Delivery Systems

CHEM 737 Comp. Chemistry & Molecular Modeling

CHEM 748 Nanomaterials

EVSC 616 Toxicology for Engineers & Scientists

MATH 663 Introduction to Biostatistics

PHB 610 Biotechnology: Processes & Products

PHB 615 Bioseparation Processes

PHEN 500 Pharmaceutical Engineering Fundamentals I
PHEN 601 Principals of Pharmaceutical Engineering
PHEN 604 Validation & Reg. Issues in Pharmaceutical I
PHEN 618 Principles of Pharmacokinetics & Drug

Delivery

CHEM 700B Master's Project

# **Rutgers Newark courses**

R120 572 Concepts in Pharmaceutical Drug

Development

R160 515 Chemical Structure Determination

# Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences (RBHS) courses

PATH N5209 Business of Science: Drug Development PHPY N5021 Fundamentals of Pharmacology

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