B.S. in Chemistry, ACS-Certified Concentration Suggested Course Sequence for 8-semester plan

Freshman Year

Fall		Spring		
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	
CHEM 139* - General Chemistry I	4	CHEM 140* - Advanced General Chemistry	4	
MATH 153 - Calculus I	4	MATH 255 - Calculus II	4	
1 st yr. seminar or ENGL 101	3	1 st yr. seminar or ENGL 101	3	
LS ^{**} or elective	3	LS or elective	3	
total	14	total	14	

Sophomore Year

Fall	Spring			
Course	Credits	Course		Credits
CHEM 232* - Quantitative Analysis	4	CHEM 242* - Organic Chemistry II		4
CHEM 241* - Organic Chemistry I	4	PHYS 230* - General Physics I		4
MATH 256 - Calculus III	4	LS, elective or ENGL 202		3
LS, elective or ENGL 202	3	LS or elective		3
total	15		total	14

Junior Year

Fall	Spring			
Course	Credits	Course		Credits
CHEM 321 - Inorganic Chemistry	3	CHEM 352 - Physical Chemistry I		3
CHEM 380* - Research in Chemistry	2	CHEM 370* - Instrumental Analysis I		4
PHYS 231* - General Physics II	4	CHEM 380* - Research in Chemistry		2
LS or elective	3	CHEM 495 - Seminar in Chemistry		1
LS or elective	3	LS or elective		3
		LS or elective		3
total	15		total	16

Senior Year

Fall		Spring		
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	
CHEM 435* - Instrumental Analysis II	3	CHEM 361 - Principles of Biochemistry	3	
CHEM 453 - Physical Chemistry II	3	CHEM 371* - Chemical Dynamics	2	
CHEM 472* - Chemical Syntheses	2	CHEM 475* - Biochemistry Laboratory	1	
LS or elective	3	LS or elective	3	
LS or elective	3	LS or elective	3	
LS or elective	3	LS or elective	3	
total	17	total	15	

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^{*}This course has a laboratory component.
**LS = liberal studies course

B.S. in Chemistry, ACS-Certified Concentration Program Requirements (Effective Fall 2015)

Term	Grade	Course	Hours
Liberal	Liberal Studies (C2 and C5 courses are met with major requirements)		
		First Year Seminar, 190 or 191	3
		C1: ENGL 101 - Writing and Rhetoric	3
		C1: ENGL 202 - Writing and Critical Inquiry	3
	C3: CMHC 201 - Intro. to Speech Communication		3
	C4: Wellness		3
		*P1: Social Science, course 1	3
		*P1: Social Science, course 2 (must be from a different discipline than course 1)	
		*P3: History	3
		*P4: Humanities	3
		*P5: Fine & Performing Arts	3
		*P6: World Cultures	3
		*Note: at least one of the LS perspectives must be at the junior-senior level	

Chemistry Core		45
	CHEM 139 - General Chemistry I	4
	CHEM 140 - Advanced General Chemistry (C- or better in 139 required)	4
	CHEM 232 - Quantitative Analysis (C or better in 140 required)	4
	CHEM 241 - Organic Chemistry I	4
	CHEM 242 - Organic Chemistry II (C or better in 241 required)	4
	CHEM 352 - Physical Chemistry I (C or better in 232 and MATH 153 required)	3
	CHEM 361 - Principles of Biochemistry	3
	CHEM 370 - Instrumental Analysis I (C or better in 232 and 241 required)	4
	CHEM 371 - Chemical Dynamics	2
	CHEM 495 - Seminar in Chemistry	1
	MATH 153 - Calculus I	4
	PHYS 230 - General Physics I	4
	PHYS 231 - General Physics II	4

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	CHEM 321 - Inorganic Chemistry (C or better in 140 required)	3	
	CHEM 380 - Research in Chemistry (take two 2-credit sections)	4	
	CHEM 435 - Instrumental Analysis II	3	
	CHEM 453 - Physical Chemistry II	3	
	CHEM 472 - Chemical Syntheses	2	
	CHEM 475 – Biochemistry Laboratory	1	
	MATH 255 - Calculus II	4	
	MATH 256 - Calculus III	4	

General	Electives ((Suggested Electives: PAR 320 (3), MATH 270 (3), ENGL 305 (3), CS 150 (4), CS 151 (4))	18

Graduation Check

30 hours of 300-400 level classes at WCU	GPA in major ≥ 2.0
Upper level perspective	120 total hour

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