Changes in Course Offerings for Fall 2016 and Winter 2017 Semesters

There are some changes in course offerings in the upcoming academic year that you will need to take into consideration when choosing your courses for both the Fall 2016 and Winter 2017 semesters.

INFORMATION FOR 2ND, 3RD AND 4TH YEAR STUDENTS

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For 4th and possibly 3rd year students

Changes in the Biochemistry Course Offerings:

- Biochemistry 4210 (Biochemical Research Techniques I) will not be offered fall 2016.
- Biochemistry 4230 (Lipid and Lipoprotein Metabolism) will not be offered fall 2016. Instead it will be offered winter 2017 in slot 65. This will become the regular slot for Biochemistry 4230.
- Biochemistry 4240 (Nutrigenetics and Nutrigenomics) will be offered in slot 61 in the fall instead of the winter. This will become the regular slot for Bio 4240.
- Biochemistry 4502 (Techniques in Nutrition Research) will return to its normal winter slot.

How will the absence of Biochemistry 4210 affect you?

- Students who were planning on doing Biochemistry 4210 in the fall should do Biochemistry 4211 (Biochemical Research Techniques II) instead.

How will the change in course offerings of Biochemistry 4230, 4240 & 4502 affect you?

- Biochemistry 4230 is an optional course in all of our programs. If you wish to complete it this coming academic year, you will need to do it in the winter semester.
- Biochemistry 4240 is an optional course in many of our programs. If you wish to complete it this coming academic year, you will need to do it in the fall semester.
- Biochemistry 4502 is a required course in both the Honours in Nutrition and the Biochemistry (Nutrition) and Psychology (Behavioural Neuroscience) Joint Honours programs. If you require this course in the coming academic year, you will need to complete it in the winter semester.

For 2nd and possibly 3rd year students

Changes in Chemistry Course offerings:

Beginning in the 2016-17 academic year and going forward:

- Chemistry 2100 will be offered in the winter term only.
- Chemistry 2210 will be offered in the fall term only.
How will these changes affect your program if you are a Biochemistry student?

- Chemistry 2100 is required in the following programs: **Major in Biochemistry, Honours Degree in Biochemistry, Biochemistry and Cell Biology Joint Honours, Biochemistry and Chemistry Joint Honours**. If you are completing one of these programs you will need to select your courses carefully to make sure that you complete Chemistry 2100 in order to graduate on time.
- Chemistry 2210 is required in **Biochemistry and Chemistry Joint Honours**. You should check with the chemistry department regarding the proper sequence of chemistry courses.
- Chemistry 2210 but might be of interest to someone who is pursuing a Biochemistry degree with a Chemistry minor. In this case you will need to select your courses carefully to make sure that you complete required courses in order to graduate on time. You should check with the Chemistry department regarding course selections for a chemistry minor.

For all students

**Science course offering for students completing biochemistry laboratory courses Fall 2016.**

- Science 1807 is a WHMIS/Lab Safety course and it is a **prerequisite** for all laboratory courses in the Department of Biochemistry
- This is the same course as Safety 1000

How will the offering of Science 1807 affect you?

- Students who have completed Safety 1000 do not need to do Science 1807
- Students who have **not** done Safety 1000 must complete Science 1807 before participating in biochemistry laboratories in Fall 2016
- Registration for Science 1807 will be available from July 12 - Sept 9, 2016
- Once you register for Science 1807, you will need to complete the material and successfully complete the 2 quizzes included
- You will need to have Science 1807 (or Safety 1000) successfully completed by Sept 9, 2016 to be eligible for biochemistry laboratories in the Fall 2016 semester

If you have any questions or any of this causes any program difficulties when you register please contact us at bcadvice@mun.ca.

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