

# Calendar Changes to Existing Biochemistry Programs and Course Offerings 2018-2019

There are some changes to existing Biochemistry programs and course offerings in the upcoming academic year that you will need to take into consideration when choosing your courses for both the Fall 2018 and Winter 2019 semesters.

**PLEASE READ DOCUMENT ALL THE WAY THROUGH! THERE IS INFORMATION FOR 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> YEAR STUDENTS.**

## **Program Changes:**

- 1 In Fall 2018 we will be introducing a *new dedicated laboratory course*, **Biochemistry 2901 Biochemistry Laboratory**. (Fall offering only)
- 2 We will be removing the laboratory portion which currently exists in Biochemistry 2101 **Introduction to Biochemistry**. This will then become a lecture only course and *will be renumbered as Biochemistry 2201 Introduction to Biochemistry*. (Fall and Winter offerings)
- 3 We have made *changes to required courses to complete* for all Biochemistry and Biochemistry (Nutrition) programs, including Joint Honours programs.

For more detailed information regarding these changes and what they mean for YOU please see <https://www.mun.ca/biochem/news.php?id=10449&type=news>

## **Further Course Changes affecting 4<sup>th</sup> year and potentially 3<sup>rd</sup> year students:**

**Biochemistry 4502** will be offered Fall 2018 and not in Winter 2019.

**Biochemistry 4002 (Biochemical Regulation)** will not be offered in the coming academic year 2018-2019.

**Biochemistry 4240 (Nutrigenetics and Nutrigenomics)** will not be offered Fall 2018, instead it will be offered Winter 2019.

**Biochemistry 3052 (Food Microbiology)** will be offered Fall 2018 and not in Winter 2019 as it has been in the past few years.

## **How will the offering of Biochemistry 4502 this coming Fall instead of Winter affect you?**

For students pursuing an Honours Degree in Biochemistry(Nutrition) or Joint Honours in Biochemistry (Nutrition) and Psychology (Behavioural Neuroscience) :

*Biochemistry 4502 is a required course in your program and for this academic year you must complete it in the Fall semester.*

**How will the absence of Biochemistry 4002 this coming academic year affect you?**

For students pursuing an Honours Degree in Biochemistry(Nutrition) or Joint Honours in Biochemistry (Nutrition) and Psychology (Behavioural Neuroscience) :

*Biochemistry 4002 is a required course in your program but for this academic year you can replace it with any 3 credit hour course (not necessarily a Biochemistry course).*

For students who are completing a Major in Biochemistry, Honours in Biochemistry or Major in Biochemistry (Nutrition) program:

*Biochemistry 4002 is an optional course in these programs. You will need to select your Biochemistry electives carefully, to make sure that you complete the full number of courses that are required so that you can convocate in Spring 2019 as planned.*

**How will the absence of Biochemistry 4240 this coming Fall affect you?**

*Biochemistry 4240 is an optional course in most of our programs. If you wish to complete it you must take it in the Winter semester.*

**How will the offering of Biochemistry 3052 this coming Fall instead of Winter affect you?**

*Biochemistry 3052 is an optional course in our Major in Nutrition and Honours in Nutrition programs. If you wish to complete it, you must take it in the Fall semester.*

**If you have any questions or any of this causes any program difficulties when you register please contact us at [bcadvice@mun.ca](mailto:bcadvice@mun.ca).**

**Information about the Department of Biochemistry is available on the department web site at <http://www.mun.ca/biochem>**