ACS Certified Degree in Biochemistry

In addition to meeting all University requirements and departmental requirements for the B.S. degree in Biochemistry, the American Chemical Society (ACS) has additional requirements that must be met in order to graduate with an ACS Certified degree. The additional courses that are needed to satisfy the ACS requirement can also be used to satisfy Advanced Electives in the degree program. A sample checklist for the courses needed to satisfy the ACS requirements is shown below. If you are interested in graduating with an ACS Certified degree, please meet with an advisor in the Chemistry & Biochemistry department to develop your academic plan.

<u>General C</u> □ CH 221z or 224H □ CH 222z or 225H □ CH 223z or 226H	□ CH 217+227z □ CH 218+228z	Organic Chemistry CH 341 CH 347 CH 342 CH 348 CH 343		
Biology □ BI 281H □ BI 282H □ BI 320	<u>Math</u> □ MATH 251z □ MATH 252z □ MATH 253z	<u>Physics</u> □ PHYS 251 □ PHYS 252 □ PHYS 253		
Biochemistry □ CH 461 □ CH 467 □ CH 462 □ CH 463		Physical Chemistry □ CH 411 □ CH 412		
Physical Lab Requirement				
Advanced Lab Requirement □ At least one year of Undergraduate Research (written report required)				
Advanced Biochemistry Electives (select two courses):				
Additional ACS Requirements (count as Advanced Electives)				
CH 417 (Physical Chemistry Lab)				
CH 429 (Instrumental Analysis)				
CH 431 (Inorganic Chemistry)				
CH 420 (Physical Organic Chemistry)				

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<u>Math</u>		<u>Physics</u>	
🗆 MATH 251z	🗆 MATH 256	□ PHYS 251 □	
🗆 MATH 252z	🗆 MATH 281	□ PHYS 252 □	
🗆 MATH 253z		🗆 PHYS 253 🛛	

Physical Chemistry		
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🗆 CH 412	🗆 CH 418	
□ CH 413	🗆 CH 419	

Instrumental Analysis

□ PHYS 290

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Additional ACS Requirements (count as Advanced Electives)

□ CH 431 (Inorganic Chemistry)

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□ CH 467 (Biochemistry Lab)

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□ At least one additional 400-level chemistry courses

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