

Welcome to the

Chemistry Major (BS)

in the College of Physical and Mathematical Sciences

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STEM Alliance--Connect with STEM employers, mentors, and clubs: stemalliance.byu.edu

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*Please visit Sue Mortensen in the Chemistry and Biochemistry Department as soon as possible if you have not already done so.

Learning outcomes can be found here: <https://learningoutcomes.byu.edu/Courses/program-courses/692821/Chemistry+BS+/1322>

Things to Know

Resources for Graduation Planning

- Flow Charts and Major Academic Plans (MAPs) can be found here: <https://science.byu.edu/advisement/flowcharts>.
- Academic advisors in N-181 ESC will help you understand course sequencing and help you plan classes to efficiently fill requirements. They can also help you with study skills and initial career exploration as well as connecting you with correct resources.
- Plan and register from your plan on MyMAP. Your academic advisor can help you understand how to best utilize this resource.
- Evaluate your current program. Periodically major programs are updated. An academic advisor would be happy to review the differences between the programs with you to help you determine what would be best for you.
- Consider meeting with a faculty advisor in your department. Contact info is found on first page of this packet.

Tutoring Resources and Research

- Volunteer peer tutors are available through Y Serve if you need help with a class. Also, if you excel in a subject, consider serving your fellow students by becoming a tutor. Find out more here: <https://tutoring.byu.edu/>.
- Many departments provide TA Tutorial Labs and research opportunities. Check your department for details:
 - Chemistry and Biochemistry: C-100 BNSN, 801-422-3667, <https://www.chem.byu.edu/>
 - Computer Science: 3361 TMCB, 801-422-3027, csoffice@cs.byu.edu
 - Geological Sciences: S-389 ESC, 801-422-3918, geology@byu.edu
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 - Mathematics Education: 167 TMCB, 801-422-1735, office@mathed.byu.edu
 - Physics and Astronomy: N-283 ESC, 801-422-4361, physics_office@byu.edu
 - Statistics: 2152 WVB, 801-422-4505, statsec@stat.byu.edu

Prepare Early for a Career

- Check out University Career Services in 2590 WSC and at <https://ucs.byu.edu/>.
- Consider doing an internship.
 - Attend the STEM and Career Fairs held in fall and winter semesters.
 - Talk to your department about internship opportunities.
 - Use LinkedIn and Handshake (see flyer in this packet) to connect with alumni and apply for jobs/internships. BYU Connect is another great resource for networking (connect.byu.edu).
 - Talk with the college Career Director who can help you search for internships as well as assist you with many other career related strategies (see first page of this packet).
- Consider taking StDev 317 (Career Strategies) your junior year.
- Consider taking either Chem 502, CS 502, Geol 502, Math 502, PHSCS 502, or STAT 502 (1-credit Job Search Class). Class is held for 1 hour per week for eight non-consecutive weeks throughout the semester.

BS in Chemistry (692821) MAP Sheet

Physical and Mathematical Sciences, Chemistry and Biochemistry

For students entering the degree program during the 2022-2023 curricular year.



University Core and Graduation Requirements	Suggested Sequence of Courses	
University Core Requirements:		
Requirements	#Classes	Hours
Religion Cornerstones		Classes
Teachings and Doctrine of The Book of Mormon	1	2.0 REL A 275
Jesus Christ and the Everlasting Gospel	1	2.0 REL A 250
Foundations of the Restoration	1	2.0 REL C 225
The Eternal Family	1	2.0 REL C 200
The Individual and Society		
American Heritage	1-2	3-6.0 from approved list
Global and Cultural Awareness	1	3.0 from approved list
Skills		
First Year Writing	1	3.0 from approved list
Advanced Written and Oral Communications	1	3.0 CHEM 391*
Quantitative Reasoning	1	4.0 MATH 112* or 113*
Languages of Learning (Math or Language)	1	4.0 MATH 112* or 113*
Arts, Letters, and Sciences		
Civilization 1	1	3.0 from approved list
Civilization 2	1	3.0 from approved list
Arts	1	3.0 from approved list
Letters	1	3.0 from approved list
Biological Science	1	3.0/4.0 CELL 120 or BIO 130
Physical Science	2	7.0 CHEM 111* and PHSCS 121*
Social Science	1	3.0 from approved list
Core Enrichment: Electives		
Religion Electives	3-4	6.0 from approved list
Open Electives	Variable	Variable personal choice
*THESE CLASSES FILL BOTH UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (18 hours overlap)		
Graduation Requirements:		
Minimum residence hours required		30.0
Minimum hours needed to graduate		120.0
FRESHMAN YEAR		
1st Semester		
A HTG 100 (FWSpSu) or First-year Writing		3.0
CHEM 111* (F)		4.0
CELL 120, BIO 130 or other Biology G.E.**	3.0-4.0	
MATH 112 (FWSPSu)		4.0
Religion Cornerstone course		2.0
Total Hours		16-17
*With department approval, CHEM 105 may be substituted for CHEM 111. **There is no major-specific biology course required to fulfill the G.E. Biological Requirement. CELL 120 or BIO 130 are recommended options.		
2nd Semester		
A HTG 100 (FWSpSu) or First-year Writing		3.0
CHEM 112* (W)		3.0
CHEM 113* (FW)		2.0
CHEM 201 (FW)		0.5
MATH 113 (FWSpSu)		4.0
Religion Cornerstone course		2.0
Total Hours		14.5
*With department approval, CHEM 106 may be substituted for CHEM 112; CHEM 107 for CHEM 113.		
SOPHOMORE YEAR		
3rd Semester		
CHEM 227 (FSp)		4.0
CHEM 351M* (F)		3.0
MATH 213 (FWSpSu)		2.0
MATH 215 (FWSpSu)		1.0
PHSCS 121 (FWSp)		3.0
Religion Cornerstone course		2.0
Total Hours		15
*CHEM 351 may be substituted for CHEM 351M.		
4th Semester		
CHEM 352M* (W)		3.0
CHEM 354* (FWSp)		2.0
CHEM 381M** (W)		3.0
PHSCS 123 (FWSp)		3.0
CHEM 497R*** (FWSpSu) or other elective		1.0
Religion Cornerstone course		2.0
Open elective		1.0
Total Hours		15
*CHEM 352 may substitute for CHEM 352M; CHEM 353 for CHEM 354. **With department approval, CHEM 481 may substitute for CHEM 381M *** CHEM 497R requires acceptance by faculty for a mentored experience in their research lab		
JUNIOR YEAR		
5th Semester		
Civilization 1		3.0
CHEM 514 (F)		3.0
CHEM 460 (F)		1.0
CHEM 462 (F)		3.0
PHSCS 220 (FWSp)		3.0
CHEM 518 (F)		2.0
Total Hours		15
6th Semester		
CHEM 391 (FW)		3.0
CHEM 463 (W)		3.0
CHEM 464 (W)		1.0
CHEM 465 (W)		1.0
CHEM 497R or other Requirement 4		1.0
Global and Cultural Awareness		3.0
Religion Elective		2.0
Open Elective		1.0
Total Hours		15
SENIOR YEAR		
7th Semester		
CHEM 521(F) or 455 (F)*		2.0
CHEM 594R (FW)		0.5
Social Science		3.0
Arts or Letters		3.0
CHEM 497R (FWSpSu) or other Requirement 4		1.0
Religion Elective		2.0
Elective or Requirement 4		3.0
Total Hours		14.5
*Either CHEM 455 or CHEM 521 and 523 is required (see Requirement #3, options 3.1, 3.2). Taking both options can also fulfill Req. #4.		
8th Semester		
CHEM 495 (FW)		1.0
CHEM 523* (W) or other Requirement 4		2.0
CHEM 498R** or other Requirement 4		3.0
Arts or Letters		3.0
Civilization 2		2.0
Religion elective		2.0
Total Hours		14.0
*Complete Requirement #3, option 3.2, by taking CHEM 523 **CHEM 498R is a research capstone experience. Enrollment in CHEM 498R follows successive semesters of enrollment in CHEM 497R. Faculty permission required. Contact department office for specific details.		

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2022-2023 Program Requirements (76 Credit Hours)

<p>REQUIREMENT 1 Complete 19 courses NOTE: WITH DEPARTMENT APPROVAL, CHEM 105 MAY SUBSTITUTE FOR CHEM 111; AND CHEM 106 FOR CHEM 112; AND CHEM 107 FOR CHEM 113. MATH 314 MAY SUBSTITUTE FOR CHEM 460. NOTE: 2 CREDIT HOURS OF CHEM 354 ARE REQUIRED.</p> <p>CHEM 111 - Principles of Chemistry 1 4.0 CHEM 112 - Principles of Chemistry 2 3.0 CHEM 113 - Introductory General Chemistry Laboratory 2.0 CHEM 201 - Chemical Handling and Safe Laboratory Practices 0.5 CHEM 227 - Principles of Chemical Analysis 4.0 CHEM 351M - Organic Chemistry 1 - Majors 3.0 CHEM 352M - Organic Chemistry 2 - Majors 3.0 CHEM 354 - Organic Chemistry Laboratory--Majors 2.0v CHEM 381M - Fundamentals of Biochemistry 3.0 *CHEM 391 - Technical Writing Using Chemical Literature 3.0 CHEM 460 - Mathematics for Physical Chemistry 1.0 CHEM 462 - Physical Chemistry 1 3.0 CHEM 463 - Physical Chemistry 2 3.0 CHEM 464 - Physical Chemistry Laboratory 1 1.0 CHEM 465 - Physical Chemistry Laboratory 2 1.0 CHEM 495 - Senior Seminar 1.0 CHEM 514 - Inorganic Chemistry 3.0 CHEM 518 - Advanced Inorganic Laboratory 2.0 CHEM 594R - General Seminar 0.5</p> <p><i>You may take this course up to 1 time.</i></p> <p>REQUIREMENT 2 Complete 7 courses</p> <p>MATH 112 - Calculus 1 4.0 MATH 113 - Calculus 2 4.0 MATH 213 - Elementary Linear Algebra 2.0 MATH 215 - Computational Linear Algebra 1.0 PHSCS 121 - Introduction to Newtonian Mechanics 3.0 PHSCS 123 - Introduction to Waves, Optics, and Thermodynamics 3.0 PHSCS 220 - Introduction to Electricity and Magnetism 3.0</p> <p>REQUIREMENT 3 Complete 1 option COMPLETE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING ADVANCED OPTIONS:</p> <p>OPTION 3.1 Complete 1 course CHEM 455 - Synthesis and Qualitative Organic Analysis 4.0</p> <p>OPTION 3.2 Complete 2 courses CHEM 521 - Instrumental Analysis Lecture 2.0 CHEM 523 - Instrumental Analysis Laboratory 2.0</p> <p>REQUIREMENT 4 Complete 9.0 hours from the following course(s)</p>	<p>AFTER CONSULTING WITH AN ADVISOR, COMPLETE 9 HOURS FROM THE FOLLOWING. NOTE: ONLY ONE OF BIO 130 OR CELL 120 CAN BE APPLIED TO THIS REQUIREMENT. NOTE: WITH APPROVAL, CERTAIN OTHER 300-LEVEL AND ABOVE COURSES IN THE ALLIED FIELDS OF PHYSICS, STATISTICS, ENGINEERING, AND BIOLOGY MAY BE TAKEN TO SATISFY THIS REQUIREMENT. NOTE: ANY COURSE NOT TAKEN TO SATISFY REQUIREMENT 3 CAN BE TAKEN TO SATISFY REQUIREMENT 4.</p> <p>BIO 130 - Biology 4.0 CELL 120 - Science of Biology 3.0 CHEM 384 - Biochemistry Methods 1.0 CHEM 397R - Mentored Outreach and Service Learning 3.0v <i>You may take up to 3 credit hours.</i> CHEM 455 - Synthesis and Qualitative Organic Analysis 4.0 CHEM 482 - Mechanisms of Molecular Biology 3.0 CHEM 496R - Academic Internship: Chemistry and Biochemistry 6.0v <i>You may take up to 3 credit hours.</i> CHEM 498R - Capstone Experience in Chemistry/Biochemistry 4.0v <i>You may take up to 3 credit hours.</i> CHEM 521 - Instrumental Analysis Lecture 2.0 CHEM 523 - Instrumental Analysis Laboratory 2.0 CHEM 552 - Advanced Organic Chemistry 3.0 CHEM 553 - Advanced Organic Chemistry 3.0 CHEM 555 - Organic Spectroscopic Identification 2.0 CHEM 563 - Reaction Kinetics 3.0 CHEM 565 - Introduction to Quantum Chemistry 3.0 CHEM 567 - Statistical Mechanics 3.0 CHEM 569 - Fundamentals of Spectroscopy 3.0 CHEM 581 - Adv Biochemical Methodology 1 3.0 CHEM 584 - Advanced Biochemistry Methods 1 3.0 CHEM 586 - Advanced Biochemistry Methods 2 3.0v CHEM 596R - Special Topics in Chemistry 3.0v <i>You may take up to 3 credit hours.</i> HONRS 499R - Honors Thesis 6.0v <i>You may take up to 3 credit hours.</i></p> <p>Recommended Courses: Phscs 225; Stat 201.</p> <p>Note: Elective courses, beyond the requirements above, should be selected in consultation with an advisor. The following should be given consideration: advanced chemistry, foreign languages (especially French, German, Japanese, and Russian), biological sciences, computer science, engineering, mathematics, physics, statistics.</p>	<p>REGISTRATION ADVISEMENT</p> <p>We want to assist students in their academic pursuit toward an undergraduate degree. Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the number of semesters to graduate.</p> <p>New students should attend the chemistry and biochemistry session during New Student Orientation, where they can meet with a faculty advisor and review their planned registration. Transfer or mid-year incoming students should meet with an advisor prior to the add/drop deadline of their first semester, which usually follows the first week of class.</p> <p>The department recommends a review of progress and planned registration with a faculty advisor in the semester when 30, 60, and 90 hours are completed. However, academic advisement is available to all majors at any point in their academic career. Contact the department advisement office to schedule an appointment with a faculty advisor: in person C104 BNSN; by phone 801- 422-6269; by email suemort@chem.byu.edu</p> <p>MENTORED RESEARCH/EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING</p> <p>We strongly encourage our majors to participate in mentored learning and receive credit toward completing their major requirements. Approximately 80% of our faculty conduct independent, externally funded research and invite undergraduates to participate in on-campus mentored learning opportunities. Students initiate contact with a faculty whose research interests them. Upon acceptance to participate in a research lab, students enroll in a series of mentored research courses (CHEM 297R, 497R) throughout their academic career, culminating in a capstone research experience (CHEM 498R). Contact the department advisement center for additional information: 801-422-6269; C104 BNSN; suemort@chem.byu.edu or coflice@chem.byu.edu.</p> <p>THE DISCIPLINE</p> <p>The Chemistry Bachelor of Science degree is the preferred degree for chemistry majors (approved by the American Chemical Society), especially those who desire an advanced degree (MS or PhD) in chemistry. It also provides excellent preparation for individuals in preprofessional programs (e.g., medicine, dentistry, business administration, or law).</p>
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Chemists and biochemists study the fundamental processes that govern the natural world, including atomic structure and how atoms interact to form molecules and materials. They study the mechanisms of chemical processes, including those that underpin living systems such as the transfer of information from DNA to RNA to proteins. They work to develop simplifying models (theories) that permit the correlation and explanation of observations about the behavior of life to the structure of rocks and minerals.

Chemistry and biochemistry provide an essential foundation for the medical sciences, engineering (especially chemical engineering), electronics, energy, environmental sciences, materials science, pharmacy, and virtually all manufacturing processes.

Chemistry and biochemistry are active branches of science that are vital to human existence. Inasmuch as the field embraces all aspects of the material world, it is subdivided into five areas of interest. Examples of these diverse areas include the regulation of protein synthesis, cellular signal transduction at the molecular level and proteomics (biochemistry), design and synthesis of medicinal compounds, catalysts and polymers (organic chemistry), design and synthesis of new molecular structures and materials (inorganic chemistry), spectroscopic study of energy transfer and molecular structures (physical chemistry), and analysis of medicinal compounds, biological materials, and contaminants or trace elements found in the environment (analytical chemistry).

Chemistry and biochemistry involve far more than test tubes and beakers. They include sophisticated methodologies such as recombinant DNA technology, working with a variety of instruments such as mass spectrometers, calorimeters, chromatographs, ultracentrifuges, lasers, X-ray diffractometers, electron microscopes and nuclear magnetic resonance spectrometers, all of which are used by undergraduate chemistry and biochemistry students at BYU. Computers also play an important role in these disciplines, with applications ranging from simulation of molecules and their interactions to the collection and analysis of data. The chemistry and biochemistry curricula are both rigorous and intellectually rewarding.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates in chemistry and biochemistry obtain positions in education and many different industries, performing analysis, synthesis, characterization, observation, and modeling. Those who work hard, are creative, and have intellectual curiosity are in particular demand. The discipline also provides an excellent preprofessional course of study for those interested in medicine, dentistry, law, and business.

MAP DISCLAIMER

While every reasonable effort is made to ensure accuracy, there are some student populations that could have exceptions to listed requirements. Please refer to the university catalog and your college advisement center/department for complete guidelines.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

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Chemistry BS

Requirements / Prerequisites 2022-203 Academic Year

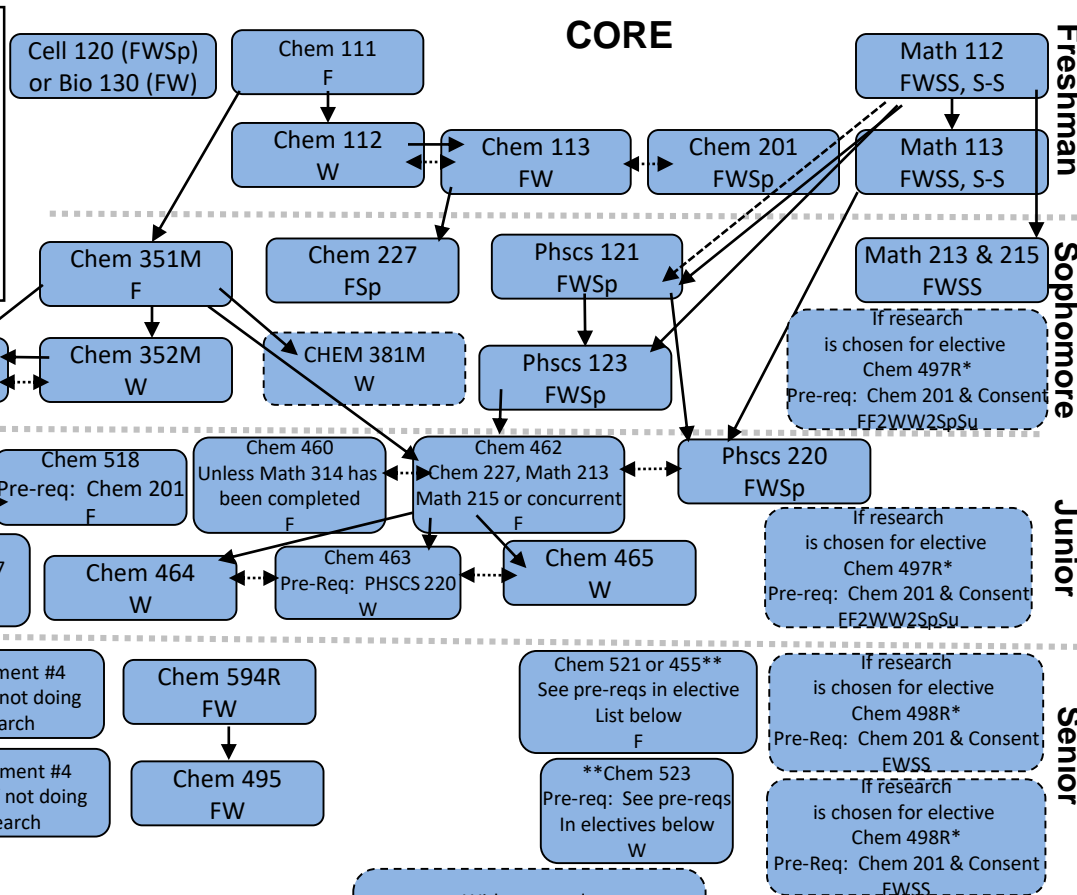
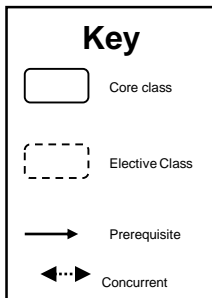
Major (76 Hours)

- Complete the following: Chem 111, Chem 112, Chem 113, Chem 201, Chem 227, Chem 351M, Chem 352M, Chem 354, Chem 381M, Chem 391, Chem 460, Chem 462, Chem 463, Chem 464, Chem 465, Chem 495, Chem 514, Chem 518, Chem 594R
- Complete the following: Math 112, Math 113, Math 213, Math 215, Phscs 121, Phscs 123, Phscs 220
- Complete either Chem 455 or Chem 521 & 523.
- After consulting with an advisor, complete 9 hours from the following: Bio, 130, Cell 120, Chem 384, Chem 397R, Chem 455, Chem 482, Chem 496R, Chem 498R, Chem 521, Chem 523, Chem 552, Chem 553, Chem 555, Chem 563, Chem 565, Chem 567, Chem 569, Chem 581, Chem 584, Chem 586, Chem 596R, HONRS 499R

Minor (20.5-21.5 Hours)

- Complete one of the following options:
 - Chem 111, Chem 112, Chem 113.
 - Chem 105, Chem 106, Chem 107.
- Complete two courses from the following: Chem 351, Chem 352, Chem 357, Chem 462, Chem 463, Chem 467, Chem 468, Chem 481.
- Complete Chem 201.
- Complete two hours from the following: Chem 353, Chem 354, Chem 355, Chem 464, Chem 465.
- Complete 1 of the following courses: Chem 227 or Chem 455.

After consulting with an advisor, complete 9 hours from the following to fulfill requirement #4.



*Bio 130 or CELL 120 FWSS (depending on class)

CHEM 384 Chem 227 W2

Chem 397R Pre-req: Chem 111, Chem 112, & Chem 113 When taught: Contact Dept

Chem 455 Pre-Req: Chem 354 & Chem 201 F

Chem 482 Pre-Req: Chem 481(M) W

Chem 496R Pre-req: Chem 201 & Instructor's consent FWSpSu

Chem 498R* Pre-Req: Chem 201 & Consent FWSS

Chem 553 Pre-Req: Chem 352(M) W

Chem 521 Pre-Req: Chem 462 & PHSCS 220 F

Chem 523 Pre-Req: Chem 201 & 521 W

Chem 552 Pre-Req: Chem 352 (M), Chem 462 & Chem 463 (or 468) F

Chem 555 F

Chem 563 Pre-Req: Chem 462 & Chem 463 Contact Department

Chem 565 Pre-Req: Chem 462 F

Chem 567 Pre-Req: Chem 462 & 463 Contact Department

Chem 569 Pre-Req: Chem 462 or Chem 468 W Even Years

Chem 584 Pre-Req: Chem 384 or 481(M) F

Chem 586 Pre-Req: Chem 584 W

Chem 596R Pre-Req: None, Contact Department

Honrs 499R FWSpSu

*Enrolling in CHEM 497R and 498R gives students an opportunity to be mentored in a faculty's research lab and receive class credit. Enrollment in 497R can be repeated for several successive semesters, usually followed by 498R. Permission is required from the faculty member. Contact the department office for specific details.

** Take either Chem 521 & 523 or 455 for the required class(s). The other course(s) may be used towards the nine credits of electives.

With approval, certain 300-level and above courses in allied fields of physics, statistics, engineering, and biology

Please note: When Taught is subject to change.
Only Bio 130 or Cell 120 may be used, not both.
Guide only—please consult MyMAP for full requirements.

handshake

BYU's own job board. Employers who want to hire BYU graduates or offer internships to current students post job openings to this website and students apply. Just like LinkedIn, employers can view student profiles and students can network as they apply for jobs and internships

Login to handshake.byu.edu >>> BYU Net ID

*you do not need to create an account, just sign in with you BYU information



HOW TO MAKE THE MOST OUT OF HANDSHAKE:

1. COMPLETE YOUR PROFILE

- Upload your resume and it will auto-fill in your profile
- Completed profiles tailor your Handshake experience
- Information from your transcript is already uploaded
- Fill in the Summary/Bio section
- Fill in your past jobs and experiences, including all the bullet points you use on your resume
- Add a professional headshot and background photo

Remember: every word in your profile will be searchable by students and employers

4. EXPLORE FELLOW STUDENTS

- “Students” tab
- Search for fellow BYU students to view their profiles and job positions (Facebook stalking... “networking”)

5. ATTEND EVENTS

- The “Events” tab will be your key to attending info sessions, interviews, and Career Fairs
- The “Calendar” tab under “Events” will show you what events are coming soon
- Make sure to save events you are interested in or RSVP so you do not forget to attend
- Spread the word to your friends on social media

6. DOWNLOAD HANDSHAKE APP

- Search: “Handshake” not “Handshake Career Services”
- Input your BYU e-mail address: netID@byu.edu (it will forward emails to the e-mail you have on file with BYU)
- Handshake will send you a link via e-mail to enable your account in the app
- Navigate the app to perform all the functions of the website that have been previously mentioned

7. VISIT THE CAREER STUDIO

- Freshen up your resume, cover letter, or LinkedIn
- Receive networking help
- Practice interviewing with a mock interview
- Meet with a full-time Career Counselor in your field

8. GET A JOB, RING THE BELL

- Once you're hired, stop by the Career Studio to ring our Victory Bell and get a picture for the Victory Board



employers are
5X MORE LIKELY
to view a profile that has
at least one job/skill/organization

2. APPLY FOR JOBS

- Search for job titles, employers, or skills
- Apply for interesting jobs that meet your skill set

3. RESEARCH COMPANIES

- Under the “Jobs” Tab there is an “Employers” Tab
- Search for keywords or locations to find companies that are the right fit for you
- Plan to attend their info sessions on BYU Campus, connect with them at Career Fairs, or set up informational interviews to learn more

Remember: when looking at companies or jobs, Handshake will tell you what other BYU students have worked there. Use this resource to network and discover more information!

Possible Careers with a Chemistry major

(Not a comprehensive list)

Agricultural engineer	Pathologist*
Agricultural research	Pediatric dentist*
Agronomist*	Pediatrician*
Biotechnologist	Perfusionist
Chemical safety engineer	Phlebotomist
Chemist	Physiatrist*
Forensic scientist	Physical therapist*
Histopathologist*	Physician*
Histotechnologist	Physician assistant*
Immunologist*	Physician executive*
Internist*	Physician scientist*
Independent consultant	Physiologist*
Microbiologist*	Plastic surgeon*
Neurological surgeon*	Podiatrist*
Neurologist*	Preventive medicine physician*
Nuclear physicist*	Prosthetist and orthotist*
Nurse anesthetist*	Public health physician*
Nurse assistant	Radiologist*
Nurse practitioner*	Registered nurse
Obstetrician-Gynecologist*	Respiratory therapist
Occupational health nurse	Sanitation engineer
Occupational physician*	Sports medicine physician*
Optometrist*	Surgeon*
Oral pathologist*	Surgical technologist
Oral surgeon*	Thoracic surgeon*
Orthodontist*	Toxicologist*
Orthopedic surgeon*	Urologist*
Osteopathic physician*	Veterinarian*
Otolaryngologist*	Veterinary technician
Paleontologist*	Zoologist*
Lab Researcher	

*Usually requires a graduate degree

Companies that have hired our graduates

Neutraceutical, International
IBC Advanced Technologies
NuSkin
Intel
NIH

Schlumberger
MoxTek
Millenniata
ThermoFisher Scientific
Beyond Labz