Neuroscience
Change of Major Criteria

Students must be in Good Academic Standing at the time the Change of Major Petition is filed. Students must successfully repeat any outstanding Life Science Core course prior to acceptance into the major.

2nd and 3rd Quarter Freshman

The following math and science courses must be completed with a grade of C– or better:

- CHEM 1A, CHEM 1LA, CHEM 1B, CHEM 1LB
- MATH 8B or 9A
- Entry Level Writing Requirement (ELWR) must be met

4th Quarter Freshman and Sophomore (up to 89.9 earned units)

The following math and science courses must be completed with a grade of C– or better:

- CHEM 1A, CHEM 1LA, CHEM 1B, CHEM 1LB, CHEM 1C, CHEM 1LC
- BIOL 5A, BIOL 5LA, BIOL 5B
- MATH 8B or MATH 9A, MATH 9B
- ENGL 1A, ENGL 1B (with grades of C or better)

Junior (90 - 134.9 earned units)

The following math and science courses must be completed with a grade of C– or better:

- CHEM 1A, CHEM 1LA, CHEM 1B, CHEM 1LB, CHEM 1C, CHEM 1LC
- BIOL 5A, BIOL 5LA, BIOL 5B, BIOL 5C
- MATH 8B or 9A, MATH 9B
- ENGL 1A, ENGL 1B (with grades of C or better)
- CBNS 106

AND completion of at least one of the following sequences with no grade lower than a C–:

- CHEM 112A, CHEM 112B, CHEM 112C
- PHYS 2A, PHYS 2LA, PHYS 2B, PHYS 2LB, PHYS 2C, PHYS 2LC

Senior (135 + *earned units)

The following math and science courses must be completed with a grade of C– or better:

- CHEM 1A, CHEM 1LA, CHEM 1B, CHEM 1LB, CHEM 1C, CHEM 1LC
- BIOL 5A, BIOL 5LA, BIOL 5B, BIOL 5C
- MATH 8B or 9A, MATH 9B
- CHEM 112A, CHEM 112B, CHEM 112C
- PHYS 2A, PHYS 2LA, PHYS 2B, PHYS 2LB, PHYS 2C, PHYS 2LC
- ENGL 1A, ENGL 1B (with grades of C or better)
- PSYC 11 or STAT 40 or STAT 100A
- BCH 100 or BCH 110A
- CBNS 106 (with grade of C or better)
- Upper Division Science GPA in Neuroscience must be 2.00 or higher

*May Require Associate Dean’s approval if more than 164 units have been earned.

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