

# QUANTITATIVE BIOLOGY, DOCTORAL MINOR

## REQUIREMENTS

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PhD candidates in any department or program may obtain an interdisciplinary minor in Quantitative Biology by earning:

- A minimum of 10 credits from the courses listed below, including:
  - A required, 1-credit research seminar (students are advised to take during first year of graduate program)
  - One course from a quantitative science
  - One course from a biological science
  - One integrated course

Code	Title	Credits
Students must complete the following course.		
B M E 780	Methods in Quantitative Biology	1
<b>Quantitative Courses</b>		<b>3-4</b>
Students must complete one of the following courses.		
CBE 660	Intermediate Problems in Chemical Engineering	
COMP SCI/E C E/ I SY E 524	Introduction to Optimization	
COMP SCI/ E C E 760	Machine Learning	
MATH 443	Applied Linear Algebra	
MATH/ COMP SCI 513	Numerical Linear Algebra	
MATH/ COMP SCI 514	Numerical Analysis	
MATH 519	Ordinary Differential Equations	
MATH 531	Probability Theory	
MATH 605	Stochastic Methods for Biology	
MATH 619	Analysis of Partial Differential Equations	
MATH/ COMP SCI 714	Methods of Computational Mathematics I	
STAT/MATH 431	Introduction to the Theory of Probability	
STAT/B M I 541	Introduction to Biostatistics	
STAT/ F&W ECOL 571	Statistical Methods for Bioscience I	
STAT/ F&W ECOL 572	Statistical Methods for Bioscience II	
STAT 609	Mathematical Statistics I	
STAT 610	Introduction to Statistical Inference	
STAT/I SY E/ MATH/OTM 632	Introduction to Stochastic Processes	

STAT/MATH 709 Mathematical Statistics

STAT/MATH 710 Mathematical Statistics

### Integrated Courses **3**

Students must complete one of the following courses.

B M E 556 Systems Biology: Mammalian Signaling Networks

B M E/CBE 782 Modeling Biological Systems

B M E/CBE 783 Design of Biological Molecules

B M I/  
COMP SCI 576 Introduction to Bioinformatics

B M I/BIOCHEM/  
BMOLCHEM/  
MATH 609 Mathematical Methods for Systems Biology

B M I/  
COMP SCI 775 Computational Network Biology

B M I/  
COMP SCI 776 Advanced Bioinformatics

B M I 826 Special Topics in Biostatistics and Biomedical Informatics (Statistics in Human Genetics)

or B M I/  
STAT 620 Statistics in Human Genetics

B M I/STAT 877 Statistical Methods for Molecular Biology

BIOCHEM 570

BOTANY/  
PL PATH 563 Phylogenetic Analysis of Molecular Data

GENETICS 885 Advanced Genomic and Proteomic Analysis

MICROBIO 657 Bioinformatics for Microbiologists

ONCOLOGY 778 Bioinformatics for Biologists

### Biological Courses **2-3**

Students must complete one of the following courses.

BIOCHEM 501 Introduction to Biochemistry

BIOCHEM 601 Protein and Enzyme Structure and Function

BIOCHEM/  
GENETICS/  
MICROBIO 612 Prokaryotic Molecular Biology

BIOCHEM/  
GENETICS/  
MD GENET 620 Eukaryotic Molecular Biology

BIOCHEM/  
BOTANY 621 Plant Biochemistry

BIOCHEM 625 Mechanisms of Action of Vitamins and Minerals

BIOCHEM/  
CHEM 704 Chemical Biology

BIOCHEM 719 From Atoms to Molecules

GENETICS 466 Principles of Genetics

GENETICS/  
BOTANY/M M & I/  
PL PATH 655 Biology and Genetics of Fungi

GENETICS 701 Advanced Genetics

MICROBIO 526 Physiology of Microorganisms

MICROBIO 607 Advanced Microbial Genetics

MICROBIO/ BMOLCHEM 668	Microbiology at Atomic Resolution
ONCOLOGY 703	Carcinogenesis and Tumor Cell Biology
PATH 750 & PATH 752	Cellular and Molecular Biology/ Pathology and Cellular and Molecular Biology/ Pathology Seminar
ZOOLOGY 570	Cell Biology
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>10</b>