



CO-OP & CAREER GUIDES

CHEMISTRY

Chemistry is often referred to as the “central science,” because it relates to and influences all physical, biological, and atmospheric sciences. Chemistry also contributes to many interdisciplinary areas, including materials and composite science and engineering, nutrition and food science, clinical science, and forensic science.

Each student enrolled in the major program plans a course of study and selects electives in consultation with an advisor in the chemistry department. Following the ninth term at Drexel, students often select an integrated three-term sequence of advanced courses in chemistry.

Students interested in specific information about the major are encouraged to stop by the department office in Disque Hall, Room 305, call the department at 215.895.2638, or visit drexel.edu/chemistry.

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Analytical Scientist
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Formulation Development Scientist

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Research Assistant
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Chemist
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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & INTERNET RESOURCES

American Chemical Society
acs.org

Journal of Biochemistry
jb.oxfordjournals.org

Biochemical Society
biochemistry.org

Science Careers
sciencemag.org/careers

Chemical Week Magazine
chemweek.com

CAREER RESOURCES

Résumé, Interviewing, and Job Search Best Practices
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