

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

CORE COURSES (46 hours)		<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>					
BCHM 551	Biochemistry	4							
BIOM 503	Human Genetics	3							
BIOM 513	Human Gross Anatomy ¹	5							
BIOM 515	Human Physiology ¹	5							
BIOM 600	Biomedical Ethics	3							
BIOM 610	Human Neurology & Neuroanatomy	3							
BIOM 613	Human Gross Anatomy II ¹	3							
BIOM 615	Advanced Cell Biology	4							
BIOM 620	Advanced Immunology	3							
BIOM 623	Human Developmental Biology								
<u>or</u> BIOM 625	Microbial Pathogenesis & Virology	3							
BIOM 630	Principles of Pathology	3							
BIOM 633	Advanced Histology ¹	4							
HLTH 501	Biostatistics	3							
DISSERTATION AND PRACTICUM COURSES (50-51 hours)									
BIOM 700	Anatomy & Cell Biology Seminar ^{1,2}	8							
BIOM 710	Anatomy & Cell Biology Teaching Practicum ^{1,3}	6							
BIOM 750	Research Rotation ^{1,4}	2-3							
BIOM 889	Dissertation Research ^{1,5}	33							
BIOM 890	Dissertation Defense ^{1,5}	1							

TOTAL HOURS 96-97

Graduation Requirements

Complete 96 hours

A minimum of 57 hours must be completed through Liberty University, not to include credits from a prior degree earned through Liberty

A maximum of 39 hours of transfer credit, including credit from a degree on the same academic level previously earned through Liberty, may be applied to the degree

No grades lower than B- may be applied to the degree

Degree must be completed within 5 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Offered in Resident Format

Revised: 10.15.2024

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

Effective: Catalog Term 2024-40

¹This course must be taken in residence.

²This course is a 1 credit hour course that will be required to successfully complete 8 times with different faculty and different topics.

³This course is a 1 credit hour course that will be required to successfully complete 6 times but only twice for the same practicum.

⁴This course is a 1 credit hour course that is required to take a minimum of 2-3 times with 2-3 different faculty members.

⁵Any student who is not ready for enrollment in BIOM 890 after completing BIOM 889 may be required, as determined by the student's dissertation chair, to repeat BIOM 889 until deemed ready for enrollment in BIOM 890.

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester		Second Semester		Third Semester	
BIOM 5131	5	BIOM 503	3	BIOM 620	<u>3</u>
BIOM 5151	5	BCHM 551	4	Total	3
BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1	HLTH 501	3		
BIOM 750 ^{1,3}	<u>1</u>	BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1		
Total	12	BIOM 750 ^{1,3}	1		
		Total	12		
Fourth Semester		Fifth Semester		Sixth Semester	
BIOM 610	3	BIOM 630	3	BIOM 600	3
BIOM 615	4	BIOM 6331	4	BIOM 8891 (3 credit hours)	<u>3</u>
BIOM 623 or 6251	3	BIOM 613 ¹	3	Total	6
BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1	BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1		
BIOM 710 ^{1,4}	1	BIOM 710 ^{1,4}	1		
Total	12	Total	12		
Seventh Semester		Eighth Semester		Ninth Semester	
BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1	BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1	BIOM 889 ¹ (3 credit hours)	3
BIOM 710 ^{1,4}	1	BIOM 710 ^{1,4}	1	Total	3
BIOM 8891 (7 credit hours)	<u>7</u>	BIOM 8891 (7 credit hours)	<u>7</u>		
Total	9	Total	9		
Tenth Semester		Eleventh Semester			
BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1	BIOM 700 ^{1,2}	1		
BIOM 710 ^{1,4}	1	BIOM 710 ^{1,4}	1		
BIOM 8891 (7 credit hours)	<u>7</u>	BIOM 8891 (6 credit hours)	6		
Total	9	BIOM 8901	1		
		Total	9		

Revised: 10.15.2024 Effective: Catalog Term 2024-40

Notes

¹The following courses must be taken in residence: BIOM 513, 515, 613, 633, 700, 710, 750, 889 and 890

²This course is a 1 credit hour course that will be required to successfully complete 8 times with different faculty and different topics.

³This course is a 1 credit hour course that is required to take a minimum of 2-3 times with 2-3 different faculty members.

⁴This course is a 1 credit hour course that will be required to successfully complete 6 times but only twice for the same practicum.