

SPECIAL STUDIES DATA
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY & BIOCHEMISTRY

Name: _____
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E-mail Address: _____

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Semester/Year: Fall Spring Summer 20_____

Chemistry Research Advisor's Name: _____
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Chemistry Research Advisor's Signature: _____

CIRCLE ONE:

Chemistry **RESEARCH** Advisor's Signature Required on Courses 299 497 498 792 797 798 799

No Signature Required on Courses 897 899

Undergraduate Advisor Signature Required 499

Chemistry Undergraduate Advisor Signature (Dr. David Pullman) only for 499

Units: 1.0 2.0 3.0 4.0 6.0 8.0 12.0 15.0

Schedule Number(s): _____ **Add Code(s):** _____

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Note: Failure to file this information with the Chemistry Department Office may result in a grade of INCOMPLETE.

The Chemistry Dept. Office is located in GMCS 209. Phone: 619-594-5595

If you have any problems with the schedule number or add code given, please call Irene Occhiello in the Chemistry Dept. or e-mail at iocchiel@sciences.sdsu.edu

Chem 299: Special Study (Letter grade) - Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Individual study. (Maximum credit six units)

Chem 497: Undergraduate Research (CR/NC) – Prerequisites: Chemistry 231 & 251. Individual laboratory investigation. (Maximum credit six units) Students conduct research under the direction of a chemistry faculty member.

Chem 498: Senior Project (Letter grade) – Prerequisites: Three one-year courses in chemistry. Individual literature and/or laboratory investigation and report on a problem. (Maximum credit three units) This is a required course for chemistry majors (One unit is required). A written report must be submitted to the chemistry department chair before a grade will be assigned. Students conduct research under the direction of a chemistry faculty member and write a report; the guidelines for the report are set by the faculty advisor.

Chem 499: Special Study (Letter grade) – Prerequisite: Consent of undergraduate advisor. Individual study. (Maximum credit six units) This course is intended only for special circumstances, such as taking only the lecture portion of a lecture and lab upper division course. A signature from the chemistry undergraduate advisor is required. Students doing research should not take this course, but rather should take Chemistry 497 or Chemistry 498.

Chem 792: Bibliography (Letter grade) – Exercise in the use of basic reference books, journals, and specialized bibliographies, preparatory to the writing of a master's project or thesis.

Chem 797: Research (CR/NC/RP) – Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Research in one of the fields of chemistry. (Maximum credit six units applicable to a master's degree)

Chem 798: Special Study (CR/NC/RP) – Prerequisite: Consent of staff; to be arranged with department chair and instructor. Individual study. (Maximum credit six units applicable to a master's degree)

Chem 897: Doctoral Research (CR/NC/RP) – Prerequisite: Admission to the doctoral program. Independent investigation in the general field of the dissertation. For JDP Students who have not yet passed the third year exam. Out-of-state or foreign students shouldn't take more units than the amount for which they have a tuition waiver; otherwise they will have to pay the extra tuition. (Eight units max for TA's, fifteen units max for non-TA's)

Chem 899: Doctoral Dissertation (CR/NC/RP) - Prerequisites: An officially constituted dissertation committee and advancement to candidacy. Preparation of the dissertation for the doctoral degree. Enrollment is required during the term in which the dissertation is approved. For JDP Students who have passed the third year exam. You MUST take 899 if you plan on graduating during this semester. Out-of-state or foreign students shouldn't take more units than the amount for which they have a tuition waiver; otherwise they will have to pay the extra tuition. (Eight units max for TA's, fifteen units max for non-TA's)