

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO
EDUCATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS REVIEW
PRESCRIBED EXHIBITS AND DATA DISPLAYS**

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Inventory of Educational Effectiveness Indicators - Graduate
(as of 06/2015)

| Department/ Program | Degree Type | Degree | (2) What are these learning outcomes? Where are they published? | | (3) What data/evidence is used to determine that graduates have achieved the stated outcomes? | (4) Who interprets the evidence? What is the Process? | | |
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| Chemistry and Biochemistry (1) Formal learning outcomes? Yes (6) Date of last Academic Senate Review: 2007-08 Joint Doctoral Program Review: 2009-10 | Master of Science | Chemistry | Designed for students who wish to earn a thesis or coursework M.S. in Chemistry as a stepping stone to jobs in industry, higher education, or teaching careers. | Program Website | Catalog Copy | Plan 1: Written master's thesis; Plan 2: American Chemical Society Exam (must pass 3 out of 5 exams). For doctoral students earning the M.S. on the way to the Ph.D., the departmental examination fulfills this requirement. | Plan 1: Thesis Committee. Plan 2: American Chemical Society | Plan 1: Write master's thesis and oral examination in defense of thesis. Plan 2: Must pass three of five exams. |
| | Doctor of Philosophy | Chemistry | Be prepared for careers in science by expanding their knowledge of chemistry while developing their ability for critical analysis, creativity, and independent study. | Program Website | Catalog Copy | Placement, departmental, and qualifying exams, teaching requirement, written doctoral dissertation, and oral examination in defense of the dissertation | Faculty and Doctoral Committee | Pass exams, fulfill teaching requirement, write dissertation, and successfully defend it in an oral examination. |
| | | Chemistry (Joint Doctorate with SDSU) | Designed for students who, after completing a year of master's level studies in the Chemistry Department at San Diego State University, wish to pursue a doctoral degree in preparation for careers in academia or industry. | Program Website | Catalog Copy | Qualifying examinations, written dissertation and oral examination in defense of dissertation | Doctoral Committee (UCSD and SDSU faculty). The thesis adviser is an SDSU faculty member. | Pass examinations, write dissertation, and defend dissertation in an oral examination |

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| Chemistry and Biochemistry (continued) | | Chemistry with Specialization in Bioinformatics | Be equipped with interdisciplinary skills needed in businesses such as the pharmaceutical industry, agrobusiness, and biotechnology companies, or in academia, where there is a great need for academic faculty who have broad, interdisciplinary training. | Program Website | Catalog Copy | Qualifying examinations, teaching requirement, research training, written dissertation and oral examination in defense of dissertation | Interdisciplinary Doctoral Committee comprised of members of home department, Bioinformatics, and other faculty. | Pass all examinations, complete requirements and training for both departments, write dissertation and defend in an oral examination. |
| | | Chemistry with Specialization in Computational Science | This Ph.D. specialization is designed to allow students to obtain standard basic training in their chosen field of science, mathematics, or engineering with a specialization in computational science integrated into their graduate studies. | Program Website | Catalog Copy | Qualifying examinations, teaching requirement, research training, written dissertation and oral examination in defense of dissertation | Department Faculty, Interdisciplinary Doctoral Committee | Pass all examinations, complete all requirements and training, write dissertation and defend in an oral examination. |
| | | Chemistry with Specialization in Multi-Scale Biology | The training outcomes (as summarized on the program website and catalog pages) include (1) experience in cross-disciplinary science at the interfaces between two or more scientific disciplines; (2) hands-on experience in specialized research technologies for probing biological structure and function at multiple scales of biological organization; and (3) familiarity with integrative, quantitative analysis from molecule to organism scales. | Program Website | Catalog Copy | Qualifying examinations, teaching requirement, research training, written dissertation and oral examination in defense of dissertation | Interdisciplinary doctoral committee comprised of re-quired co-mentor(s) from outside the home department, as well as members of home depart-ment, and other faculty per UCSD committee standards. | Complete both home department requirements and Interfaces Ph.D. Specialization in Multi- Scale Biology program requirements and training, write dissertation and defend in an oral examination. |

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| Chemistry and Biochemistry (continued) | | Chemistry with Specialization in Quantitative Biology | This Ph.D. specialization is designed to train students to develop and apply quantitative theoretical and experimental approaches to studying fundamental principles of living systems. | Program Website | Catalog Copy | Qualifying examinations, teaching requirement, research training, written dissertation and oral examination in defense of dissertation | Interdisciplinary doctoral committee comprised of re-quired co-mentor(s) from outside the home department, as well as members of home depart-ment, and other faculty per UCSD committee standards. | Pass all examinations, complete requirements and training for both departments, write dissertation and defend in an oral examination. |