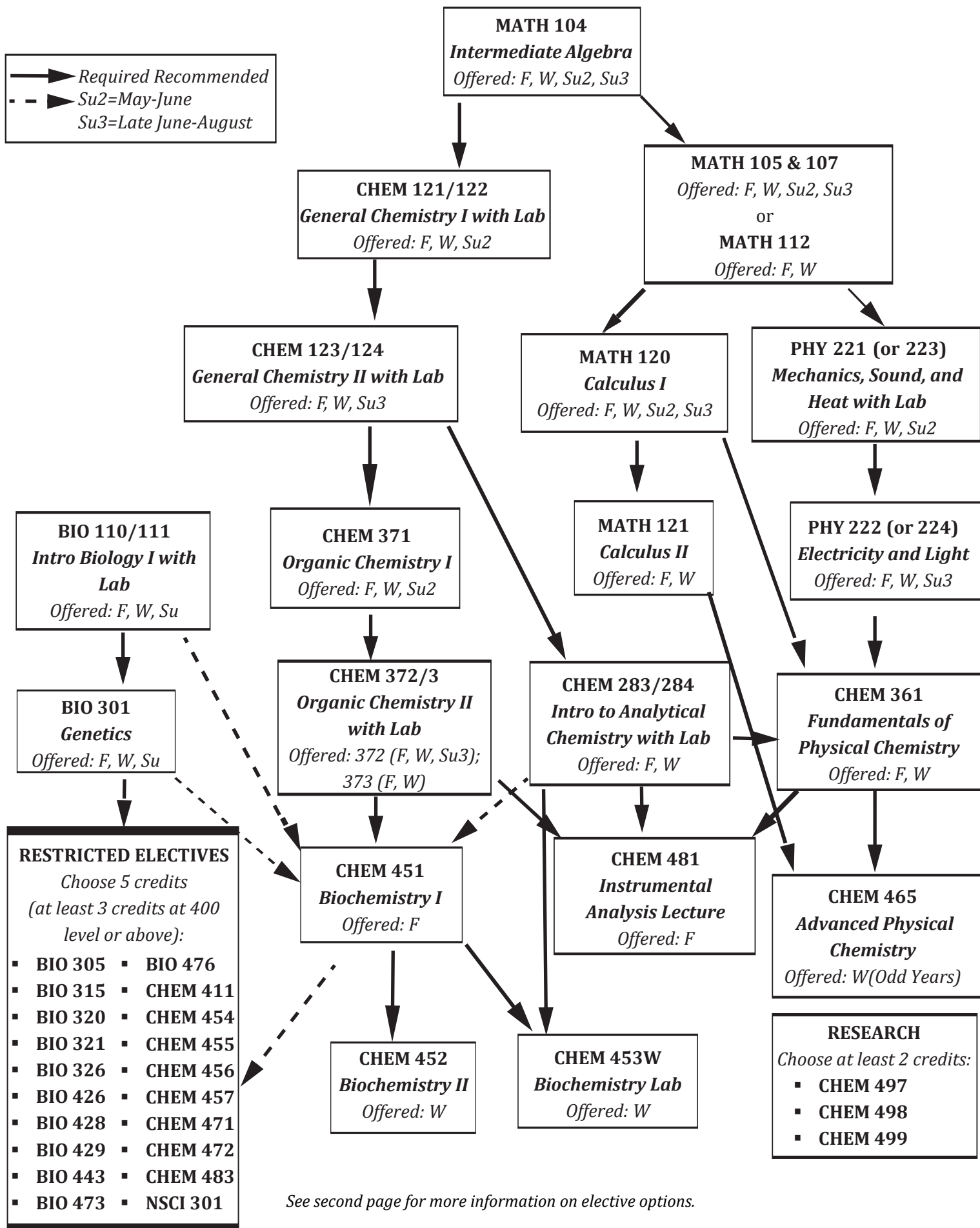
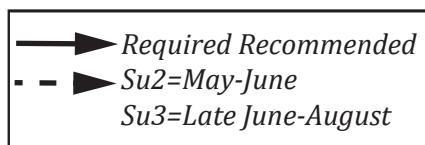


Biochemistry Major

Concentration: Research

Sequence of Courses



See second page for more information on elective options.

Possible Elective Paths for a Biochemistry Major

Effective Fall 2022

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A total of five (5) credits of electives are required, of which at least two (2) credits must be at the 400-level or above. As shown below, most 400-level Biology classes require either BIO 320 or BIO 305 as a prerequisite. Some possible paths for fulfilling this requirement are listed below.

(F) = Offered every fall

(F-E) = Offered fall of even years

(F-O) = Offered fall of odd years

(W) = Offered every winter

(W-E) = Offered winter of even years

(W-O) = Offered winter of odd years

Path 1 - 5 credits

Any 300-level BIO on the list
OR
NSCI 301 Introduction to Neuroscience (F)
OR
Any CHEM course included on the list

AND

CHEM 411 Toxicology (F-E)
OR
CHEM 483 Instrumental Analysis Lab (F,W)

Path 2 - 6 credits

Any 300-level BIO on the list
OR
NSCI 301 Introduction to Neuroscience (F)
OR
Any CHEM course included on the list

AND

CHEM 454 Protein Structure & Function* (W-O)
OR
CHEM 455 Neurochemistry* (F)
OR
CHEM 456 Cell Signaling* (W-E)
OR
CHEM 471 Advanced Organic Chemistry (F-E)
OR
CHEM 472 Spectrometric Organic Structure Determination (F-O)

Path 3 - 6 credits

BIO 320
General Microbiology
(F, W)



BIO 426
Immunobiology (W)
OR
BIO 428 General Virology (F)
OR
BIO 429 Bacterial Pathogenesis (F-O)

Path 4 - 6-7 credits

BIO 305
Cell & Molecular Biology (F, W, Su)



BIO 443 Developmental Biology (W)
OR
BIO 473 Concepts in Animal Physiology (F)
OR
BIO 476 Mammalian Histology (F)

*** Plan accordingly as CHEM 454, CHEM 455, and CHEM 456 all require CHEM451 as a prerequisite.**

****While CHEM 457 and CHEM 551 are eligible electives, offerings occur too infrequently to include in the list.**