

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY CHANNEL ISLANDS

**NEW COURSE PROPOSAL**

PROGRAM: BIOLOGICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES

- 1. Catalog Description of the Course.** *[Include the course prefix, number, full title, and units. Provide a course narrative including prerequisites and corequisites. If any of the following apply, include in the description: Repeatability (May be repeated to a maximum of \_\_\_ units); time distribution (Lecture \_\_\_ hours, laboratory \_\_\_ hours); non-traditional grading system (Graded CR/NC, ABC/NC). Follow accepted catalog format.]*

**CHEM 122. GENERAL CHEMISTRY II (4)**

Three hours of lecture and three hours of lab per week.

Prerequisites: CHEM 121 with a grade of C or better

An introductory chemistry course which provides an overview of the chemical and physical behavior of matter with a focus on quantitative general inorganic, physical, and analytical chemistry including kinetics and thermodynamics of reactions, gas phase and solution equilibria, and qualitative aspects of radiochemistry, organic chemistry, and polymer chemistry. Lab fee required

*GenEd: B1*

- 2. Mode of Instruction.**

	Units	Hours per Unit	Benchmark Enrollment
Lecture	3	1	36
Seminar			
Laboratory	1	3	18/section
Activity			

- 3. Justification and Learning Objectives for the Course.** (Indicate whether required or elective, and whether it meets University Writing, and/or Language requirements) *[Use as much space as necessary]*

This course is the first semester of a two-semester sequence that is generally an admission requirement for medical, veterinary, dental, or pharmacy schools. This course is a Category B1 general education course and is required for the B.S. degrees in Biology and in Environmental Science and Resource Management.

Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

- Describe chemical equilibrium both qualitatively and quantitatively
- Explain solubility of material in aqueous solutions and be familiar with non-aqueous solutions
- Solve problems dealing with acid-base chemistry
- Describe oxidation-reduction chemistry qualitatively and in terms of equilibrium
- Evaluate problems involving complex equilibrium (e.g. solubility in acidic solution)
- Identify the most common crystal structures of chemicals
- Describe the chemistry of common inorganic species
- Identify different types of organic species
- Explain the differences between basic categories of biologically important chemicals

- 4. Is this a General Education Course**                       YES                      NO  
**If Yes, indicate GE category: B1**

<b>A (English Language, Communication, Critical Thinking)</b>	
<b>B (Mathematics &amp; Sciences)</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>C (Fine Arts, Literature, Languages &amp; Cultures)</b>	
<b>D (Social Perspectives)</b>	
<b>E (Human Psychological and Physiological Perspectives)</b>	

- 5. Course Content in Outline Form.** *[Be as brief as possible, but use as much space as necessary]*

### *Chemical Equilibrium*

Vapor pressure  
Melting and boiling  
Gas Phase Equilibrium  
Equilibrium and temperature  
Le Chatlier's principle

### *Solutions*

Solvents and Solutes  
Water  
Solubility  
Solubility and equilibrium  
Solubility product  
Henry's Law  
Freezing and melting of solutions  
Raoult's Law  
Common Ion Effect  
Complex Ions

### *Acids and Bases*

Hydronium ions  
Equilibrium in water  
pH  
Strong acids and bases  
Weak acids and bases  
Equilibrium of weak acids and bases  
Acid-base titrations  
Buffers  
Polyprotic acids and bases

### *Oxidation and Reduction*

Oxidation-Reduction half reactions  
Balancing Redox reactions  
Redox reactions in acidic and basic solutions  
Electrical cells  
Standard state potentials  
Nernst Equation  
Equilibrium and Nernst  
Electrolysis

### *Inorganic Chemistry*

Crystals  
Description of crystal structure  
Common unit cells  
Non-crystalline solids  
Liquids  
Surface tension  
Phase diagrams  
Non-metallic elements and their compounds  
Main group metals  
Transition metals

### *Organic Chemistry*

Saturated hydrocarbons  
Unsaturated hydrocarbons  
Aromatic compounds  
Functional groups  
Alcohols and Esters  
Aldehydes and Ketones  
Organic acids  
Amines

### *Biochemistry*

Carbohydrates  
Lipids  
Amino acids and Proteins

Nucleic acids and DNA  
Vitamins

**6. References.** [Provide 3 - 5 references on which this course is based and/or support it.]

Pauling, L. *General Chemistry*, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed., Dover, 1970  
Chang, R. *Chemistry*, 7<sup>th</sup> Ed., McGraw Hill, 2001  
Pertucci, R.H.; Harwood, W.S.; Herring, G. *General Chemistry*, 8<sup>th</sup> Ed., Prentice Hall, 2001  
Burns, R.A.A. *Fundamentals of Chemistry*, 8<sup>th</sup> Ed., Prentice Hall, 2001  
Zumdahl, S.S.; Zumdahl, S. *Chemistry*, Houghton Mifflin, 2000

**7. List Faculty Qualified to Teach This Course.**

Dr. Philip Hampton, Dr. Simone Aloisio

**8. Frequency.**

a. Projected semesters to be offered: Fall \_\_\_\_\_ Spring  X  Summer \_\_\_\_\_

**9. New Resources Required.**

None.

**10. Consultation.**

Attach consultation sheet from all program areas, Library, and others (if necessary)

**11. If this new course will alter any degree, credential, certificate, or minor in your program, attach a program modification.**

\_\_\_\_\_Simone Aloisio\_\_\_\_\_ 1/8/03 \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposer of Course Date