Biological Chemistry Program
Participation Form

Each Program member is expected to participate in Program functions, including mentoring graduate students, teaching courses, serving on committees, interviewing prospective students, and attending Program events. Program events include the annual Bioscience Symposium, Program picnics, and recruiting weekends. Recruiting weekends are usually in February and March, and faculty participation is crucial to the continuing success of the program.

The committees of the Biological Chemistry Program are:

Admissions Committee meets once a week from mid January to the end of March. This committee reviews applications and selects the students that will be invited for interviews and accepted to the Program.

Advising Committee meets throughout the year with first year graduate students to assist them with their laboratory rotations, review policies on academic conduct, and mentor students to resolve any problems or concerns.

Curriculum Committee meets throughout the year and coordinates the graduate student curriculum, i.e., journal clubs, electives, and core courses.

Recruiting Committee meets throughout the year and reviews and organizes recruiting efforts, i.e., brochures, web pages and new recruiting ideas.

Please circle which committees you are interested in joining.

Admissions Committee    Advising Committee
Curriculum Committee    Recruiting Committee

Please list the core courses where you have expertise and would be willing to assist in teaching. Most of these courses are team-taught. (A list of courses is available on the Bioscience Website under “Course Descriptions”)

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Note: In addition to participation in lecture courses, each Program member is expected to teach a journal club/seminar course every three years.

Please list 1-2 topics for a journal club class that you would be willing to lead.

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