# **Syllabus**

#### CHM 3120L ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY LABORATORY

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Course Website: Canvas; Please visit the website regularly for announcements and resources. Everything is posted under

"Files"

Videos available at: https://www.chem.ufl.edu/undergraduate/courses-and-curriculum/chemistry-

laboratories/analytical/

### **Required Materials**

**Laboratory Manual:** No lab manual is required. All materials will be posted on the e-learning site, under Files.

Laboratory Notebook: Any sensible laboratory notebook, to be used only for this lab, is suitable. You will turn in scans or

photos of your notes, retaining the original notebook for your own use. Please be sure that what you

submit is legible and clear.

Laboratory Attire: The Essentials: Long, loose-fitting pants, full shirt, shoes which cover the feet, departmentally-

approved safety glasses, tie-back for long hair.

# **Course Objectives**

CHM 3120L is an introductory laboratory course in Analytical Chemistry. By the end of the semester, students are expected to demonstrate:

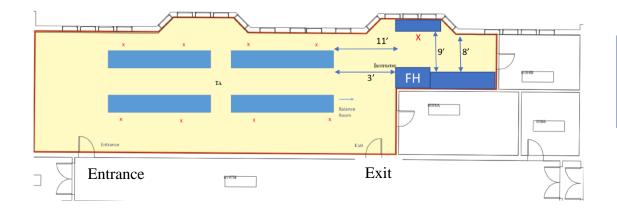
- proper laboratory techniques for quantitative chemical measurements including accuracy on unknowns
- · knowledge of a select group of analytical methods
- competence in data analysis, statistics and preparation of professional laboratory reports

#### **COVID-19 PPE**

We will have face-to-face instructional sessions to accomplish the student learning objectives of this course. In response to COVID-19, the following practices are in place to maintain your learning environment, to enhance the safety of our in-classroom interactions, and to further the health and safety of ourselves, our neighbors, and our loved ones.

- If you are not vaccinated, get vaccinated. Vaccines are readily available at no cost and have been demonstrated to be safe and effective against the COVID-19 virus. Visit this link for details on where to get your shot, including options that do not require an appointment: <a href="https://coronavirus.ufhealth.org/vaccinations/vaccine-availability/">https://coronavirus.ufhealth.org/vaccinations/vaccine-availability/</a>. Students who receive the first dose of the vaccine somewhere off-campus and/or outside of Gainesville can still receive their second dose on campus.
- You are expected to wear approved face coverings at all times during class and within buildings even if you are vaccinated. Please continue to follow healthy habits, including best practices like frequent hand washing. Following these practices is our responsibility as Gators.
  - Sanitizing supplies are available in the classroom if you wish to wipe down your desks prior to sitting down and at the end of the class.
  - o Hand sanitizing stations will be located in every classroom.
  - You are required, at all times, to wear gloves and goggles. Gloves will be provided. Gloves will be disposed of when you leave the lab in the designated waste by the exit.
- If you sick, stay home and self-quarantine. Please visit the UF Health Screen, Test & Protect website about next steps, retake the questionnaire and schedule your test for no sooner than 24 hours after your symptoms began. Please call your primary care provider if you are ill and need immediate care or the UF Student Health Care Center at 352-392-1161 (or email <a href="mailto:covid@shcc.ufl.edu">covid@shcc.ufl.edu</a>) to be evaluated for testing and to receive further instructions about returning to campus. UF Health Screen, Test & Protect offers guidance when you are sick, have been exposed to someone who has tested positive or have tested positive yourself. Visit the <a href="mailto:UF">UF</a>
  Health Screen, Test & Protect website for more information.
  - Course materials will be provided to you with an excused absence, and you will be given a reasonable amount of time to make up work.
  - o If you are withheld from campus by the Department of Health through Screen, Test & Protect you are not permitted to use any on campus facilities. Students attempting to attend campus activities when withheld from campus will be referred to the Dean of Students Office.
- Continue to regularly visit coronavirus.UFHealth.org and coronavirus.ufl.edu for up-to-date information about COVID-19 and vaccination.

You will enter through the door on the sound end of LEI 108 and exit from the door on the north end (see diagram below)



Plaza of the Americas on this side of Leigh Hall

## **Grading**

Your grade will be determined by the accuracy of your results, the quality of your reports, the quality of your laboratory notes, your competence in essential laboratory manipulations, and your performance on written quizzes. Grades will be posted in the Canvas gradebook.

Accuracy	6 @ 35 points	210
Questions, Reports and Notes	8 @ 70 points	560
Practical Exams	3 @ 40 points	120
Written Quizzes	3 @ 45 points	180
	-	1070 total

The following grading scale will be used:

Percentage	Letter Gra	ade Percentage	Letter Grade	Percentage
≥93	B-	≥80	D+	≥67
≥90	C+	≥77	D	≥64
≥87	C	≥73	E	<60
≥83	C-	≥70		
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There may be a curve, there may not be a curve.

#### **Notes:**

- 1) Prior to the first lab, visit the e-learning site and review Preliminary Handouts 1-3, 5: laboratory safety, basic lab rules, laboratory notebook, and fundamental techniques. Also read the handout for Experiment #1.
- 2) You will need to bring a copy of the lab experiments to your lab period. This can be done with either a print out, on a tablet or a laptop. It is advised not to use your phone.
- 3) On the first day, you select a workstation. This is where you will complete your experiments. Everything you will need will be at that station.
- 4) A minimum of 18 out of 35 accuracy points will be given if the experiment is performed, the results are calculated correctly, and deadlines are met.
- 5) For labs 1-5, there will be questions at the end of the lab handout. You will turn in the answers to these questions and calculations along with your results, tabulated and presented nicely. Starting with lab 2, you will be asked to write a section of a lab report (Intro, Experimental, Results and Discussion and Conclusion) with each lab. For lab 6 and 7, you will be writing a full lab report. More details will be given about each section as the semester goes on. There are some

examples of lab reports on Canvas. Videos covering scientific writing will be posted to Canvas.

- 6) Lab reports and answers to questions must be typed. By lab 2, all calculations must be shown through Microsoft Equation Editor.
- 7) A copy of your lab notes must be submitted with your reports.
- 8) Lab reports are due at the specified time on Canvas for your section
- 9) A 10% penalty off the final score of the report will be assessed each time a result or report is submitted late. The maximum permissible late time is one week.
- 10) All written work (late or otherwise) must be received by 3:00 PM on Friday, 4/15/22.
- 11) Each student is expected to pass laboratory practical exams on three essential analytical skills (use of the analytical balance/weighing by difference, quantitative transfer/use of a volumetric flask and use of a pipets). The tests will be given by the TA during the regular laboratory period at times mutually acceptable to both the student and the TA.
- 12) Three written quizzes will be given on the dates specified on the schedule. Quizzes will be given on Canvas. They are open note, but you must work alone. If you wish to go over your quiz, please contact your TA. The questions in your lab write ups will greatly help you prepare for the quizzes.
- 13) Attendance is required at all scheduled laboratory periods, unless you are informed otherwise by your TA or the instructor.
- 14) Plagiarism will not be tolerated. Students are expected to obey the University of Florida Honor Code, detailed at

The Honor Code (<a href="http://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code/">http://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code/</a>) specifies a number of behaviors that are in violation of this code and the possible sanctions. Furthermore, you are obligated to report any condition that facilitates academic misconduct to appropriate personnel. If you have any questions or concerns, please consult with the instructors or TAs in this class.

The sale or transfer of graded or ungraded course materials to another student for use in this course (current or future semesters) is in violation of the Honor Code. All violations will be reported.

- 15) Make-ups will be granted only when justified. If you know ahead that you will have to miss lab, notify your TA and Dr. Jacobs in advance. If you are sick and cannot reach anyone before lab, you will have to present written evidence of the illness. *If you are not feeling well, do not come to lab*.
- 16) If you are involved in a laboratory accident, you <u>must</u> go to the infirmary for treatment.
- 17) Students requesting classroom accommodation must first register with the Dean of Students Office. The Dean of Students Office will provide documentation to the student who must then provide this documentation to the instructor when requesting accommodation.

Course Fees: You have already paid this, but the fee for this course is \$45.00

Laboratory Schedule
Note: Note that the schedule may change due to weather/holidays/pandemic

Dates	Preparation	Lab Work	Quizzes	Assignment Due
(starting	_			
date)				
Begin Jan	Read Handouts 1-6	Check in		
10 <sup>th</sup>	Read Experiment 1	Experiment 1		
		Balance use		
		Pipet use/calibration		
Week 2 (week	No in person lab	No lab due to MLK Jr. Day		
of Jan 17 <sup>th</sup> )	this week			
Week 3 (week	Read Handout 7	Begin Soda Ash Titrations		Experiment 1 results and
of Jan 24 <sup>th</sup> )	Read Experiment 2	HCl/NaOH titrations		lab notes
Week 4,	Review handouts to	KHP/NaOH titrations	Quiz 1 and	
(week of Jan	prepare for Quiz 1	Finish Soda Ash	Deadline for	
31 <sup>st</sup> )			Weighing	
			Practical	
Week 5 (week		Beer's Law measurement		Soda Ash questions,
of Feb 7 <sup>th</sup> )				results, <u>Introduction</u> and
				notes due
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Week 6 (week	Read Experiment 4	Spectrophotometric Fe		Beer's Law questions,
of Feb 14th)				results, Experimental and
				notes due
Week 7 (week		Spectrophotometric Fe	Quiz 2	
of Feb 21st)		Finish Lab 4	Deadline for	
			Pipetting Practical	
Week 8 (week	Read Experiment 5	Chloride Ion Selective		Spec Fe questions, results,
of Feb 28th)	Watch ISE video	Electrodes		Results and Discussion
				and notes due
Week 9,	No in person lab	No lab this week due to Spring		
(week of	this week	Break		
March 7 <sup>th</sup> )				
Week 10	Read Experiment 6	Fluorescence of Quinine;		ISE questions, results,
(week of		Standard additions and		Conclusion and lab notes
March 14 <sup>th</sup> )		Determination of quinine in		due
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Week 11	No in person lab this week	At home Chromatography		Quinine in tonic water
(week of	this week	assignment		report and notes due
March 21st)				
Week 12	Read Experiment 7	Chromatography of Soda	Quiz 3	At home Chromatography
(week of			Deadline for	assignment
March 28 <sup>th</sup> )			volumetric flask	
			practical	
Week 13				Chromatography of Soda
(week of				report and notes due
April 4 <sup>th</sup> )				
Week 14		Back up week		
(week of		1		
April 11 <sup>th</sup> )				
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