Course Descriptions

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 520				
Course Title	Quantum Chemistry and its A	pplicati	ion		
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	Second		
Wave mechanics of the rigid	diatomic rotor, wave mechanic	cs of th	ne simple		
harmonic oscillator, calculatio	lations of rotational vibration transition for diatomic				
molecules. Correction to the r	nolecules. Correction to the rigid rotor-harmonic oscillator model. Perturbation				
theory for solving Schrodinger	equation. Group theory and qua	ntum m	echanics.		
Symmetry adapted linear com	bination. Symmetry and MO th	neory. N	Molecular		
vibration, IR and Raman Spectr	roscopy.				

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 523		
Course Title	Physical Methods in Inorganic Chemistry		
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level Third	
Magnetism, electronic spectro	oscopy, magnetic resonance (N	MR), electronic	
paramagnetic resonance (E.I	P.R) nuclear quadropole reso	onance (N.Q.R),	
Mössbauer spectroscopy, mass	spectroscopy and x- ray single cr	ystal analysis.	

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 524			
Course Title	Advanced Organometallic Chemistry			
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	First	
A study of the Chemistry and Physical properties of compounds of the transition				
metals, clusters and carbenes, insertion reaction, oxidative addition, reductive				
elimination, homogeneous catalysis, bonded organometallic compounds, spectral				
and magnetic properties of com	pounds.			

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 530		
Course Title	Advanced Chemical Kinetics		
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	First
Kinetics of chain reaction in	gaseous phase (linear, branched	I and e	xplosions
reaction). Kinetics of reaction in	n solution (homogenous catalysis,	enzyme	reaction,
and reaction mechanism in	solution). Heterogeneous rea	ction (gas-solid
desorption, kinetics of reaction	n, application of transition state t	theory c	of surface
reaction, and heterogeneous cat	talysis).		

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 531		
Course Title	Advanced Chemical Thermodynamics		
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	Second
Revision to thermodynamics, n	nacroscopic and microscopic state	e, and a	oplication
of statistical mechanics to t	hermodynamics functions, and	some	statistical
calculations.			

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 532		
Course Title	Advanced Physical Chemistry		
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	Third
Comprehensive study of some	selected topics in physical chemis	stry such	1 as
Physical Chemistry of Po	olymers		
Surface Chemistry			
• Nuclear and Radiations of	chemistry		
Photo-chemistry and Las	ser		
Corrosion science			

• Catalysis.

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 540		
Course Title	Stereochemistry		
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	First
Static stereochemistry, Isomeria	sm, symmetry, models, optical ac	tivity ar	nd optical
stereoisomerism, chirality an	nd the sequence rules, cycli	c alka	nes and
stereochemistry. Dynamics s	stereochemistry: addition reaction	ion, eli	imination
reaction, substitution reactions,	, rearrangements, cyclic reaction.	Identifi	ication of
organic compounds including	some illustrative examples of t	the use	of these
techniques in multi-step synthe	sis.		

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 541			
Course Title	Organic Spectroscopy			
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	Second	
Applications of Spectroscopy: IR, NMR, MS, UV in the identification of organic				
compounds. Various examples of organic multi - steps preparations and the use of				
spectroscopy for the identificat	ion of its products.			

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 542				
Course Title	Special Topic in Organic Cher	nistry			
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	Third		
Comprehensive study of some selected topics in organic chemistry such as					
• Nano-composites.	• Nano-composites.				
• Bio-polymers.					
• Polymers and petrochem	iicals.				

- Total synthesis of bioactive compounds.Chemistry of surfactant.

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 550			
Course Title	Spectrometric Methods	of A	nalysis&	
	Automation			
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	First	
Atomic spectroscopy (atomic emission, atomic absorption, atomic florescence)				
and molecular spectroscopy (n	nolecular emission and absorption	on in the	UV-VIS	
region.				

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 551			
Course Title	Separation Methods			
Credit Hours	2(2+0)	Level	Second	
Chromatographic Methods, Theory, instrumentation and application.				

Course Number	and Symbol	CHEM 55	2				
Course Title Electrochemical Methods of Analysis							
Credit Hours		2(2+0)				Level	Third
Voltammetry,	amperometric	e titration	n,	columetry,	e	lectrogra	vimetry,
poteniometry, co	nductimetric ti	tration and	stati	stical analysi	s.		

Course Number and Symbol	CHEM 600		
Course Title	Supervision		
Credit Hours	6	Level	Fourth
Student perform research in one of the chemistry areas under the supervision of			
one of the department's staff according to the higher education and KSU			
regulations. The supervisor will be assigned by the department council based on			
the subject of the thesis project. The student has to defend his thesis at the end of			
the research project.			