

Biochemistry

B.A. | Bachelor of Arts in Biochemistry

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Focus on faith

A Christian perspective is central to everything we do at Northwestern—and our science departments are no exception. Faculty will equip you to view faith and science as harmonious pursuits that lead to a greater understanding of God and creation.

Expert profs + free tutoring

Our biochemistry faculty hold PhDs from research institutions like the University of Iowa and the University of Pennsylvania. You'll receive personal attention and opportunities to collaborate on research that could be published before you graduate. You'll also have access to free tutoring services from a professional science tutor and 70+ student science tutors.

State-of-the-art facilities

Opened in 2019, the \$24.5 million DeWitt Family Science Center houses the chemistry, biology and nursing departments. Instrumentation available for student use includes:

- ✓ Fourier transform infrared instrument
- ✓ MALDI mass spectroscopy
- ✓ High-performance liquid chromatography
- ✓ Nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy
- ✓ Ultraviolet and visible spectroscopy



TOP 10%

2021 Northwestern grads' MCAT scores ranked in the top 10% worldwide.



NSF research

With funding from the National Science Foundation, students are studying nitric oxide synthase enzymes.



80% acceptance

First-time admit rate of NWC med school applicants (compared to a national average acceptance rate of 45%)

Outcomes

Our graduates are growing in knowledge and research experience at graduate schools across the country, including Creighton University in Omaha, Nebraska, and Washington State University in Pullman, Washington. Ranked among the best science jobs of 2021 by U.S. News & World Report, biochemists earn a median annual wage of nearly \$95,000.