

# Course Outline

### **University Studies**

Winter 2015

## CHEM 102A - Introductory University Chemistry II

3 credits, 16 weeks, 4 hours lecture, 3 hours lab

Rates of reactions, thermodynamics and equilibrium, electrochemistry, modern applications of chemistry.

Prerequisite: CHEM 101

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#### **Hours of Instruction**

 Monday 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM
 Room 273

 Tuesday 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Room 228

 Wednesday 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Lab 236

 Friday 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
 Room 228

## **Required Resources**

- 1. **General Chemistry: Principles & Modern Applications**; Petrucci, Herring, Madura, Bissonnette; Pearson Canada Inc., Toronto, Ontario, 2011, 10<sup>th</sup> edition, ISBN 978-0-13-612149-7. *The 9<sup>th</sup> edition of this textbook is also acceptable.*
- 2. <u>Chemistry 102/105 Laboratory Manual</u>; Keyano College, 2014/2015 edition. *The old editions of the lab manual are not acceptable.*
- 3. <u>Student Lab Notebook with Permanent Binding</u>; Hayden-McNeil, Plymouth, Michigan, ISBN 978-1-930882-00-3
- 4. A non-programmable scientific calculator (Sharp EL-531, used for exams, is recommended).
- 5. Extra long lab coat.

#### **Course Outcomes**

The student will be able to:

- Perform analytical and chemical kinetics experiments using laboratory equipment, and use proper laboratory safety procedures
- 2. Explain chemical processes using physical chemistry methods, either employing the kinetics approach or the thermodynamics approach
- 3. Analyze chemical equilibrium using Le Châtelier's principle, and perform equilibrium calculations using an ICE table for acid-base equilibria, solubility equilibria, and complex ion equilibria
- 4. Explain electronic configurations of coordination compounds using Crystal Field Theory, and correlate it with their properties like color and paramagnetic-diamagnetic character

5. Understand how the electrochemical cells operate, calculate their standard potential, and correlate the potential to the ionic concentrations in each half cell using Nernst equation

## **Evaluation**

Assignments	10%
Laboratory	25%
Midterm Exam	20%
Final Exam	45%
Total	100%

A grade of C- is required for progression or transfer.

## **Grading System**

Descriptor	Alpha Grade	4.0 Scale	Percent	Rubric for Letter Grades
	A+	4.0	> 92.9	Work shows in-depth and critical analysis,
Excellent	Α	4.0	85 - 92.9	well developed ideas, creativity, excellent
	A-	3.7	80 - 84.9	writing, clarity and proper format.
	B+	3.3	77 – 79.9	Work is generally of high quality, well
Good	В	3.0	74 - 76.9	developed, well written, has clarity, and
	B-	2.7	70 – 73.9	uses proper format.
	C+	2.3	67 – 69.9	Work has some developed ideas but needs
Satisfactory	С	2.0	64 - 66.9	more attention to clarity, style and
Progression	C-	1.7	60 - 63.9	formatting.
Poor	D+	1.3	55 – 59.9	Work is completed in a general way with
Minimum Pass	D	1.0	50 – 54.9	minimal support, or is poorly written or did
				not use proper format.
Failure	F	0.0	< 50	Responses fail to demonstrate appropriate understanding or are fundamentally incomplete.

## **Proposed Schedule of Topics**

1. Chemical Kinetics	textbook chapters			
<ul> <li>Reaction rates and rate laws</li> <li>Integrated rate laws</li> <li>Arrhenius model and reaction mechanism</li> <li>Catalysis</li> </ul>	14.1-14.3 14.4-14.6 14.7-14.10 14.11			
2. Equilibrium				
<ul> <li>Gas-phase equilibria</li> <li>ICE table and equilibrium calculations</li> <li>Le Chatelier's principle</li> <li>Acid-base equilibria</li> <li>Buffers, Indicators</li> <li>Solubility, precipitation, complex ion equilibria</li> </ul>	15.1-15.2 15.3-15.5 15.6-15.7 16.1-16.9 17.1-16.6 18.1-18.9			

## 3. Coordination Chemistry

•	Coordination compounds and isomers	24.1-24.4
•	Localized electron model, Crystal field theory	24.5-24.9
•	Importance of coordination compounds	24.10-24.11

## 4. Thermodynamics

•	First law: energy, heat and work	7.1-7.5
•	Enthalpy, bond energies and calorimetry	7.3-7.6
•	Hess' law, Sources of Energy	7.7-7.9
•	Second and third laws: entropy and spontaneity	16.1-16.3, 16.5
•	Free energy, work and equilibrium	16.4, 16.6-16.9

## 5. Electrochemistry

•	Voltaic cells, cell potentials	20.1-20.2
•	Free energy and electrical work	20.3
•	The Nernst equation	20.4
•	Applications: batteries, corrosion, electrolysis	20.5-20.8

## Please Note:

Date and time allotted to each topic is subject to change. It is your responsibility as a student to contact the Office of the Registrar to complete the forms for Withdrawal or Change of Registration, and any other forms. Please refer to the list of important dates as noted in the Academic Schedule in the Keyano College Credit Calendar.

## **Performance Requirements**

## **Laboratory Safety**

In the science laboratories, safety is important.

Students must complete the WHMIS for Students online training course on Moodle before entering the science laboratories.

Students must comply with the mandatory laboratory safety rules for this course as provided in the laboratory manual. Failure to do so will result in progressive discipline such as a verbal warning, refused entry into the laboratory, or suspension from the College.

### **Student Attendance**

Class attendance is useful for two reasons. First, class attendance maximizes a student's learning experience. Second, attending class is a good way to keep informed of matters relating the administration of the course (e.g., the timing of assignments and exams). Ultimately, you are responsible for your own learning and performance in this course.

It is the responsibility of each student to be prepared for all classes. Students who miss classes are responsible for the material covered in those classes and for ensuring that they are prepared for the next class, including the completion of any assignments and / or notes that may be due.

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#### **Academic Misconduct**

Students are considered to be responsible adults and should adhere to principles of intellectual integrity. Intellectual dishonesty may take many forms, such as:

- Plagiarism or the submission of another person's work as one's own
- The use of unauthorized aids in assignments or examinations (cheating)
- Collusion or the unauthorized collaboration with others in preparing work
- The deliberate misrepresentation of qualifications
- The willful distortion of results or data
- Substitution in an examination by another person
- Handing in the same unchanged work as submitted for another assignment

Penalties for academic offences range from a verbal reprimand to dismissal from the College, and in certain circumstances may involve legal action.

## Specialized Supports

## **Counselling and Disability Services**

Counselling Services provides a wide range of specialized counselling services to prospective and registered students, including personal, career and academic counselling.

## **SKILL Centre**

The SKILL Centre is a learning space in the Clearwater Campus at Keyano College where students can gather to share ideas, collaborate on projects and get new perspectives on learning from our tutorial staff.

The SKILL Centre, through a variety of delivery methods, provides assistance in skill development to Keyano students. Assistance is provided by instructors, staff and student tutors. Individuals wishing to improve their mathematics, writing, grammar, study, or other skills, can take advantage of this unique service.

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