**699D Departmental Research in Biochemistry**

This course is available to UC Irvine students only

**Course Description:** Provides an opportunity for medical students to participate in research programs of the Department of Biological Chemistry.

Individual faculty members will sponsor and supervise research projects jointly developed by the individual student and a faculty member.

Credit and duration of each project will be variable, based upon the amount of time the student devotes to the project.

**Course Objective:** The objective of this course is to provide a guided research experience in the Department of Biological Chemistry.

**Educational Activities:** Students will participate in research activities under the supervision of departmental faculty.

**What Students Should do to Prepare for the Rotation:** Complete Research Elective Proposal and submit the document to Senior Associate Dean of Educational Affairs for approval.

**Course Hours Weekly Summary:** To be determined by the faculty member and stated in the proposal submitted to the Senior Associate Dean of Educational Affairs. Must be a minimum of 30 hours per week.

**Official Grading Policy:** Students will receive a grade of Honors/Pass or Fail. The appropriate grade will be determined by the instructing faculty.

**Department:** Biological Chemistry

**Site:** UC Irvine School of Medicine

**Elective Director:** Robert Steele, Ph.D., Department of Biological Chemistry, UC Irvine School of Medicine, Irvine, CA 92697, 949-824-7341, resteele@uci.edu

**Scheduling Coordinator:** To enroll in the course please contact the department at 949-824-7341, then call 714-456-5176 to make a scheduling appointment.

**Site Coordinator:** Department of Biological Chemistry, 949-824-7341

**Instructing Faculty:** Faculty of the Department of Biological Chemistry

**Periods Available:** Throughout the year

**Duration:** Variable

**Number of Students:** Variable
Prerequisites: Permission of instructor, and approval of the senior associate dean of Educational Affairs

Restrictions: Senior associate dean of Educational Affairs’ approval must be obtained prior to beginning research project.

Course Website: None

Location to Report on First Day: To be determined by the PI

Time to Report on First Day: To be determined by the PI

Who to Report to on First Day: To be determined by the PI