

# UE Chemistry and Cellular Biochemistry

 ECTS  
6 crédits

 Composante  
UFR Chimie-  
Biologie

 Période de  
l'année  
Toute l'année

- › **Langue(s) d'enseignement:** Anglais
- › **Ouvert aux étudiants en échange:** Oui

## Présentation

## Description

### (Course outline)

The course is organized in three interconnected topics:

1/ Biocatalysis

2/ Oxygen chemistry in Biology

3/ Biochemistry around cellular membranes (membranes lipids and rafts, membrane proteins, and glycosaminoglycans)

### Biocatalysis

Basis in Enzymes cofactors and vitamins

Cofactors involved in group transfer

Cofactors involved in redox reaction

Cofactors and chemical origin of life

Biological Chemistry of Oxygen

## Chemistry of O<sub>2</sub>

Defense mechanism, detoxification of reactive oxygen species (ROS)

Role of ROS in physio-pathology

Regulation, sensing mechanism

Cellular sources of ROS.

## Membrane Biochemistry

Lipids, Membrane and Rafts

Membrane proteins: synthesis and topology

Membrane proteins and detergent biochemistry

Receptors

Transporters

Channels

## Extracellular Biochemistry: GAGs

Extracellulaire matrices

Glycosaminoglycans (GAG): biosynthesis and catabolism

GAG: biological activities

GAG: pathology and applications

This module brings strong background (relative to oxidative stress) to the Unit "Experimental Approaches in Biology"

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## Heures d'enseignement

UE Chemistry and Cellular Biochemistry - CM	CM	30h
UE Chemistry and Cellular Biochemistry - TD	TD	20h

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## Compétences visées

### (Targeted skills)

- expertise in structural analysis of an active site

- basics in chemical mechanism occurring in enzymes (as a function of the different types of cofactors)
- characterization of cofactors/active site by biophysical methods.

All these competences are preliminary to future drug design expertise and approaches that will be viewed more deeply in other modules of the master.

- Chemistry and reactivity of O<sub>2</sub> in biology (molecular basis of oxydative stress, role in pathology (cancer, etc.); detoxification, ....
- Biochemistry of lipids, lipids rafts, membrane protein biochemistry (receptors, transporters, channels), basis in pharmacology of membrane proteins, and biosynthesis and biology of glycosaminoglycans.

## Infos pratiques

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### Lieu(x) ville

› Grenoble

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### Campus

› Grenoble - Domaine universitaire