Course Syllabus

NOTE: This syllabus is subject to change during the semester. Please check this syllabus on a regular basis for any updates.

Department: Physical Sciences

General Inorganic Chemistry

Course Title

Section Name: CHEM 1312 624

: 06:00PM - 07:20PM Scheduled

Start Date : 01/18/2011 : 05/19/2011 **End Date** Modality : FACE-TO-FACE

Credits : 3

Instructor Information

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Course Description

A lecture course that is a continuation of CHEM 1311, which includes: solutions, chemical kinetics, acids and bases, equilibrium, electrochemistry, thermodynamics, coordination chemistry, nuclear chemistry, organic chemistry, etc. The student will be involved in reading information or problems and using critical thinking skills and mathematics to organize the information or to arrive at an answer; also requires student writing skills in order to communicate the information acquired in a written format.

Prerequisites/Co requisites

Math 1314 and a minimum grade of "C" in CHEM 1311

Co requisite: CHEM 1112

Scans

1, 3, 6, 9

Course Objectives

Course Objectives & Learning Outcomes

The objective in any chemistry course is to develop problem-solving skills. To find strategies that help you develop the chemical intuition needed to understand chemical reasoning.

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

(1) Understand the concept of chemical equilibrium, and the energies that drive chemical reactions: an introduction to the field of thermodynamics.

- (2) Apply the concept of chemical kinetics and the energy required to initiate a chemical reaction.
- (3) Recognize oxidation and reduction half-reactions that can occur in electrolytic and galvanic cells

COURSE ATTENDANCE

Course Attendance

Attendance is required and will be checked. To effectively master the material, your **attendance** for each class is necessary.

Required

Simple Scientific calculator (Programmable calculators cannot be used on quizzes or exams)

Cell Phone

When class begins, all phones need to be on silent or vibrate. If it is necessary for you to answer your phone or text message, then you need to step out into the hallway. If you consistently text message while in class, you will be asked to leave the class. Your phone **cannot** be used as a calculator on quizzes or exams.

Homework

Assignments will be made, collected and graded for completeness. The homework assignments are to help you prepare for the exams because variations of these will be on the exam. You should attempt to work all of the homework questions. Answer key will be posted the day before it's due. Homework **will not be accepted** after <u>two</u> class days late.

Quizzes

There will be a short quiz given once each chapter is completed. The quizzes will include questions and problems over the current material but may require some knowledge of the previous material. Your lowest quiz grade will be dropped at the end of the semester. If you miss a quiz, be prepared to make it up on the day you return to class, otherwise you will not be allowed to make it up.

Make-Up Exam

A make-up exam will be given on the last day of class before finals. If you miss an exam for any reason you will have the opportunity to take this exam. Any student who may wish to replace a lower exam may also take this exam. The make-up exam will be multiple choice questions covering the entire semester.

Examinations

(TENTATIVELY)

CHEM 1312 624 (EVENING)

(Tentatively)

First Exam: Tuesday, February 17th
Second Exam: Thursday, March 10th
Third Exam: Thursday, April 21th

Final Exam: Thursday, May 12th, at 6:00p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Final Exam

The final exam is the ACS accredited exam and is comprehensive over **both** semesters!!!!!!!

Required Readings/Materials

You must purchase the following *required* readings/materials: *Chemistry: The Molecular Science,* 4th edition, J. W. Moore, C. L. Stanitski, and P.C. Jurs, Brooks/Cole, 2011.

Course Requirements (Lectures, Assignments and Assessments)

Chapter	Туре	Description
ELEVEN: Liquids, Solids, and Materials	QUIZ	Particle interactions
THIRTEEN: Chemical Kinetics: Rates of Reactions	QUIZ	Rate Laws
FOURTEEN: Chemical Equilibrium	QUIZ	Le Chatelier's Principle
Eleven, Thirteen, and Fourteen	EXAM	
FIFTEEN: The Chemistry of Solutes and Solutions	QUIZ	Solubility
SIXTEEN: Acids and Bases	QUIZ	Ionization Constants
SEVENTEEN: Additional Aqueous Equilibrium	QUIZ	Buffer Solutions
Fifteen, Sixteen, and Seventeen	EXAM	
EIGHTEEN: Thermodynamics: Directionality of Chemical Reactions	QUIZ	Gibbs Free Energy
NINETEEN: Electrochemistry and it's Applications	QUIZ	Standard Potentials
TWENTY ONE: The Chemistry of the Main Group Elements	QUIZ	Metals, Halogens
Eighteen, Nineteen, and Twenty One	EXAM	

Homework Set

Chapter: Title	Quantity	Description
ELEVEN: Liquids, Solids, and Materials	14	8, 21, 28, 30, 32, 39, 40, 49, 51, 55, 58, 61, 86, 106
THIRTEEN: Chemical Kinetics: Rates of Reactions	15	9, 23, 25, 29, 31, 34, 37, 56, 57, 75, 76, 77, 85, 86, 130
FOURTEEN: Chemical Equilibrium	19	6, 14, 15, 20, 25, 33, 38, 40, 45, 50, 57, 59, 64, 67, 82, 84, 87, 99, 135
FIFTEEN: The Chemistry of Solutes and Solutions	15	15, 26, 27, 31, 38, 46, 49, 60, 69, 76, 81, 84, 102, 108, 121
SIXTEEN: Acids and Bases	24	7, 12, 14, 19, 20, 23, 25, 34, 36, 42, 47, 48, 52, 69, 70, 75, 77, 82, 84, 86, 97, 100, 111, 119

SEVENTEEN: Additional Aqueous Equilibria	15	3, 5,15, 16, 24, 28, 33, 42, 49, 51, 53, 56, 60, 84, 90
EIGHTEEN: Thermodynamics: Directionality of Chemical Reactions	16	5,10, 15, 21, 22, 29, 32, 35, 47, 48, 63, 65, 78, 82, 87, 125
NINETEEN: Electrochemistry and it's Applications	7	6,10, 12, 32, 33, 34, 38
TWENTY ONE: The Chemistry of the Main Group Elements	6	3, 8, 12, 29, 30, 57

Grading Policy

Course Grading

Chapter exams will be:
 Chapter Quizzes will be:
 Homework will be:
 Final Exam will be:
 60% of your grade.
 10% of your grade.
 20% of your grade.

Percentage %	Grade
>89.5	А
89.4-79.5	В
79.4-69.5	С
69.4-59.5	D
<59.4	F

Special Needs

Odessa College complies with Section 504 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If you have any special needs or issues pertaining to your access to and participation in this or any other class at Odessa College, please feel free to contact me to discuss your concerns. You may also call the Office of Disability services at 432-335-6861 to request assistance and accommodations.

Learning Resource Center (Library)

The Library, known as the <u>Learning Resources Center</u>, provides research assistance via the <u>LRC's catalog</u> (<u>print books, videos, e-books</u>) and <u>databases</u> (<u>journal and magazine articles</u>). <u>Research guides</u> covering specific subject areas, <u>tutorials</u>, and the <u>"Ask a Librarian"</u> service provide additional help.

Student E-mail

Please access your <u>Odessa College Student E-mail</u>, by following the link to either set up or update your account: http://www.odessa.edu/gmail/. **All assignments or correspondence will be submitted using your Odessa College email**.

Student Portal

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Technical Support

For Blackboard username and password help and for help accessing your online course availability abd student email account contact the Student Success Center at 432-335-6878 or online at https://www.odessa.edu/dept/ssc/helpdesk_form.htm.

Important School Policies

For information regarding student support services, academic dishonesty, disciplinary actions, special accommodations, or students and instructors' right to academic freedom can be found in the Odessa College Student Handbook.