1. A B.S. degree in chemistry or a related field from an accredited college or university, or fulfillment of the requirements for a B.S. degree or its equivalent.

2. Applicants considered by the Department of Chemistry usually have an undergraduate and/or graduate GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) or higher and a GRE combined verbal and quantitative score of 300 or higher.

3. For International applicants, an English proficiency exam is required (total TOEFL score of 80+ or an IELTS score of 6.5+ per category). This requirement is waived for applicants from English-speaking countries.

4. A CV and statement of professional goals.

5. A minimum of three letters of recommendation for the Ph.D. program and two letters for the M.S. program from people familiar with the student’s work and background.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Georgia State University (GSU) has a vibrant urban campus in downtown Atlanta that takes pride in its core values of access, diversity and excellence.

GSU is the largest research university in Georgia, with over 250 degree programs and 100 fields. It is among the universities with “very high research activity” per the Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education.

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In addition to teaching and research assistantships, the department supports outstanding Ph.D. and M.S. students with prestigious fellowships or awards. Graduates of our program move on to exciting career opportunities in academia, industry, and government agencies.

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The department offers tuition waivers and annual stipends of $30,000 or more to Ph.D. students in the form of teaching or research assistantships.

Chemistry M.S. students receive tuition waivers and annual stipends of $6,000 or more through teaching assistantships offered by the department.

In addition, there are multiple fellowship and award opportunities for chemistry M.S. and Ph.D. students from interdisciplinary research programs on campus.

**DEGREE PROGRAMS**

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

The Department of Chemistry administers a doctoral program designed to endow its graduates with the ability to approach fundamental scientific questions from a chemistry perspective.

The program awards a Ph.D. in chemistry in the following areas:

- Analytical Chemistry
- Biochemistry / Chemical Biology
- Organic / Medicinal Chemistry
- Biophysical / Computational Chemistry
- Chemical Education
- Geochemistry
- Nutritional Sciences

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Fall – June 1st
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