

NEWLY DECLARED LIFE SCIENCES MAJORS

Biological Sciences (BIOL BA and BIOL BS), Biochemistry & Molecular Biology (BIOC BS),
Bioinformatics & Computational Biology (BINF BS), Biology Education, (BIOE),
Chemistry (CHEM BA and CHEM BS), and Chemistry Education (CHED)

The “official” list of majors is generated each Fall and Spring semester, immediately after the Schedule Adjustment Period ends (10th day of classes). If your Declaration of Major was not processed prior to that date, you will not appear on the list of majors for this semester, and are considered “Newly Declared.”

“Newly Declared” majors should use this chart to determine the person they should see for advising while their Declaration/Change of Major form is being processed. Use your EARNED credit total – the number of credits in which you have already earned a grade, plus any transferred credit and credits from AP/IB/CLEP – to determine your point of contact. Current credits-in-progress do not count toward EARNED credits.

Please monitor the listing for your major in your Student Advising Profile (find the link in myUMBC under “Advising & Student Support”), to ensure that your paperwork is processed correctly.

Advising assignments will be made for these students in the first Fall/Spring semester in which the major is declared correctly by the end of the Schedule Adjustment period.

