

YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY





DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

BME 2901 – BIOCHEMISTRY SYLLABUS

2020 - FALL

Course Schedule	Monday 09.00-12.00 Wednesday 09.00-11.00 (Lab)		
Classroom	Online		
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Textbooks:	Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry, 7th Edition, David L. Nelson and		
	Michael M. Cox, W.H.Freeman & Co Ltd.		
Supplementary	Course notes in pdf format will be uploaded on AVESIS website prior to		
Materials:	upcoming class: http://avesis.yildiz.edu.tr/qpekozer/		
	Students are responsible of material presented on course notes.		
Course Objectives	This course explores the basic principles of biochemistry, biochemical		
	composition of the body and major biochemical reactions that occur in the		
	body.		
Course and Lab	Week 1	Course Overview	
Outline	Week 2	Introduction to Biochemistry	Laboratory Rules and Safety
Gutinic	Week 3	Aminoacids, Peptides and Proteins	Basic Biochemical Techniques
	Week 4	3D Structure of Proteins	Spectrophotometry
	Week 5	Protein Functions and Enzymes	Paper Chromatography
	Week 6	Protein Isolation and Purification	Protein Quantification
	Week 7	Nucleic Acids - I	Enzyme Kinetics
	Week 8	Midterm 1	DNA isolation
	Week 9	Nucleic Acids - II	Gel Electrophoresis
	Week 10	Carbohydrates	Carbohydrate Detection
	Week 11	Lipids	Lipid Detection
	Week 12	Midterm 2	
	Week 13	Biological Membranes and Transport	
	Week 14	Metabolism]
Grading	Midterm 1:	%20	
	Midterm 2:	%20	
	Final:	%35	
	Laboratory:	%25	
Attendance	Students are required to attend 70% of the classes according to Yıldız		
	Technical University regulations.		