Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Biomedical Engineering Program

College of Engineering

Syllabus

BME 596-1

Introduction to Biomedical Engineering

Catalog Description

Introduction and orientation to the biomedical engineering program. Topics to be discussed include: History and scope of the Program, curriculum, required courses, elective courses, thesis and non-thesis options, graduate committee formation, research areas, monitoring academic progress, financial assistance and discussion of BME-related topics that involve math, chemistry, biology, and engineering. Prerequisites: Enrollment in BME program.

Course Total Credit Hours: 1 Lecture: 1 Laboratory: 0

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Objectives: Familiarize the students with the biomedical engineering program.

Laboratory Fees: None Laboratory safety equipment: None

Instructor: Biomedical Engineering Faculty

Course Committee: Biomedical Engineering Faculty

Text Book: None

References: None

Topical outline:

History and overview of the Program 1 lecture (7.1%)

Curriculum 1 lectures (7.1%)

Research areas in the BME 4 lectures (28.4%)

Graduate Committee Formation .3 lectures (2.1%)

Monitoring your academic progress .5 lectures (3.6%)

Financial assistance .2 lecture (1.4%)

Basic Math for BME 2 lectures (14.3%)

Basic Biology for BME 2lectures (14.3%)

Basic Chemistry for BME 1 lectures (7.1%)

Basic Engineering for BME 2 lectures (14.3%)

Grading

Grading is based on the attendance. A grade of Unsatisfactory is given if the student misses more than 20% of the seminar lectures.