



BIO481Y5Y Application Form

Fall/Winter 2023-2024

Please complete this form and submit it to stephanie.dorego@utoronto.ca. Students with approved supervisors will be enrolled in the Fall/Winter 2023-2024 offering of BIO481Y5Y. Priority during first round of enrollment will be given to students in a Biology program. Additional students will be accepted on a first come first served basis.

Course Description:

Students in this course will conduct a research project under the supervision of a faculty member in the Department of Biology. The course is open to third- and fourth-year students.

Students learn how to design, carry out, and evaluate the results of a research project. Students are required to write and present a research proposal, write a term paper, and present a seminar on the results of their research project. All students interested in a research project must approach potential faculty supervisors several months in advance of the beginning of term. Students must obtain permission from the faculty member whom they would like to serve as their project supervisor. Students must meet with the course coordinator periodically throughout the academic year. Prerequisites: permission of instructor.

Notes: Fall/Winter 2023 -2024

Exclusions: [BIO400Y5](#) or [JCB487Y5](#); Students may not have concurrent enrolment in any other internship, research, or ROP course.

The Fall/Winter 2023-2024 course involves working in labs (10-15 hours per week) as well as occasional class meetings. The department of Biology will hold a Symposium in April 2024 where students will present their work.

Important Course Deadlines

- First Round Application Deadline: July 24, 2023
- Second Round Applications will be considered on a first come first served basis beginning on August 4, 2023
- The last date to submit a BIO481 application is September 15, 2023.
- In addition to the application deadlines, students must be aware of the symposium presentations (tentatively April 9 & 10, 2024) and the final paper deadline (tentatively April 5, 2024)

Enrollment in this course requires the submission of an application form to stephanie.dorego@utoronto.ca on or before the application deadline indicated above. Before submitting your application, you must have an approved supervisor. Please list your name and student information and list the supervisor’s name and email below. The supervisor must be UTM-based.

Student Name:

Student Number:

Student Email:

Program (to which this course will apply):

Supervisor Name:

Email:

Signature of Faculty Supervisor

Date:

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Enrolled in course: _____

Comments: