Please note that there are limited spaces for students in certain modules in most of the basic medical science courses and that you should put yourself on a wait list for a course if you are unable to gain a spot at this time. Choose a course to swap for the course you are wait-listing.

Wait lists will be run for courses on July 29th and students will be enrolled by the Office of the Registrar if they satisfy all of the following conditions for enrollment from a wait list:

1. They satisfy the prerequisite for the course;
2. Either the priorities on the course have been removed OR students meet the priorities that are in place for the Adjustment Enrollment period (July 29 – August 5). The only 3000-level basic medical science courses that will have priorities in place during the Adjustment Enrollment Period are high-demand lab courses: Microbiology and Immunology 3610F and 3620G, and Physiology and Pharmacology 3000E. Students on waiting lists for these courses who do not have priority access for these courses during the Adjustment Enrollment Period will be passed by when the waiting lists are run. Waiting lists for these lab courses may be long but keep in mind that not all students on these wait lists will be considered for enrollment from the wait list on July 29th because they don’t have priority during the Adjustment Enrollment Period. Only students in modules with AEP in the constraint charts for these courses will be enrolled from the wait list if they come up as next on the wait list. 20 additional spots will be added to Physiology and Pharmacology 3000E (10 in each section) for the running of the wait lists. It is my understanding that no additional spaces will be added to either Microbiology and Immunology 3610G or 3620G.
3. Enrollment in the course from the wait list will not cause either a timetable conflict or a course overload. If you chose to swap a half course for a wait-listed half course and your name comes up as the next qualified student to be enrolled from the wait list, then the Office of the Registrar will remove the half course that you elected to swap and register you in the wait-listed course (if you satisfy all conditions for enrollment from a wait list). If you did not choose to swap a course when you put yourself on a wait list and you think that you have a good chance of being enrolled from the wait list on July 29th, then make sure that you are registered in an appropriate number of courses on July 28th so that enrollment from the wait list on July 29th will not put you in a course overload (e.g. make sure that you are registered in only 4.0 courses on July 28th if you are registered in either a Major in Pharmacology or a Major in Physiology and are on the wait list for Phys Pharm 3000E and did not choose to swap a course if you get enrolled from the wait list).

The Office of the Registrar will NOT notify students to ask if they truly want to be registered in the course from the wait list on July 29th – they will register students in the course if they satisfy all the conditions for enrollment from the wait list.

For students in the Majors in Microbiology and Immunology, Pharmacology and Physiology: we are hopeful that there will be enough space in the 3000-level laboratory course for all students in these Major modules while in Year 3. If, however, the lab course(s) are full after the running of the wait lists on July 29th and you do not get enrolled, then you may contact the department offering the course to see if there is any way that they can squeeze you into the course. This permission may or may not be granted – it depends on the resources of the department to offer the course to additional students. Students can register in a Major in Microbiology and Immunology, Major in Pharmacology, Major in Physiology in Year 4 without having completed a lab course. As a fourth-year student, you would be the first students to register in these courses and you would certainly secure a spot (provided you have the prerequisite). Special permission is not granted for students to register in Honours Specialization modules in Year 4 without completing the laboratory course (if one is specified) in the Weighted Average Chart for the module.

Biochemistry 3383F/G: Dr. Derek McLachlin has asked me to pass along this message – “Because of restrictions in the number of people allowed in research labs at one time because of COVID-19, faculty will be limited in their ability to offer Biochemistry 3383F/G projects in the upcoming academic year. The course is still being offered, but students should make alternate plans in case they are unable to secure a project”.

Please do not email me and ask if I think you have a good chance of getting a spot in a course from the wait list. I am not looking at the wait lists for individual courses to check the modules in which students are registered and I left my crystal ball on campus when I started working from home 😊