

Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics  
Application for Change of Major into BICH or GENE

Proposed Major

\_\_\_\_\_ BICH                      \_\_\_\_\_ GENE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ UIN: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Classification: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for wanting to change to BICH/GENE and career goals:

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Policy of change of major into the Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics from another major:

- A) Students who are not in good standing (GPR of < 2.00 overall or in foundation courses) will not be considered for acceptance.
- B) All applications for change of major into the Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics are evaluated by our admissions committee. The committee meets once a month; however, majors are only changed four times per year: once prior to the first day of Fall classes, once prior to preregistration for Spring, once before the first day of Spring classes and once prior to preregistration for Fall and Summer. Students will be notified via their TAMU email of the outcome of their request to change majors.
- C) All new students will be added to the departmental undergraduate listserv.
- D) All new students must complete a minimum of 6 hours of foundation courses during their first semester.

I have read and understand the terms stated above and request permission to change my major to BICH/GENE. I also understand I will be notified through my TAMU email regarding the outcome of my request to change majors.

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Please submit this form to our Undergraduate Office located in BICH 104 or via email to [biobiogradadv@tamu.edu](mailto:biobiogradadv@tamu.edu)