ATSU Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine

Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences

Kirksville, Missouri | atsu.edu/biomed-admissions

2023 ENTERING CLASS

23 Applications received

7 Class size

25 Average age



RESEARCH

Graduate-level research and publication in the areas of anatomy, biochemistry, cell biology, histology, immunology, microbiology, molecular biology, neuroscience, pharmacology, and physiology



AFFORDABLE

Extremely competitive cost for entire program compared with other universities (2023 tuition and fees - \$14,782)

Established in 1892, ATSU-KCOM is the founding college of osteopathic medicine. States represented

3.10 Average GPA

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3.22 Average science GPA

Since the program began in 2001, 75% of biomedical science students have been admitted by the ATSU-KCOM DO program or another medical, dental, allied health, or PhD program.



Classes are taken alongside DO students in both years.

PERSONALIZED LEARNING

1:1 mentoring with medical school faculty and class sizes no larger than 15 students

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PATHWAY TO DO AND DMD PROGRAMS

ATSU-KCOM and ATSU-MOSDOH have internal agreements with the Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences program. Students pursuing medicine or dentistry receive a guaranteed interview if they meet certain standards.

CURRICULUM

- » Provides individuals aspiring for a career in health sciences an opportunity to prepare for professional studies in the areas of medicine, research, and education.
- » Combines didactic core coursework with electives and unique, individualized research projects to create an integrated approach to biomedical sciences education.
- » Develop skills to make an impact on the discovery and treatment of disease as future physicians, academicians, and/or researchers.
- » Thesis-based research program in which graduate students have the opportunity to work across different disciplines or to concentrate in one specialized area.
- » Faculty work one on one with students to advise research, provide educational resources, and assist in developing research-related skills.

PREREQUISITES

- » Biology* (must include a basic course in General Biology or General Zoology)
- » Physics* (must cover the study of mechanics, sound, heat magnetism, electricity, and light)
- » General or Inorganic Chemistry*
- » Organic Chemistry* (must cover the study of aliphatic and benzene compounds)
- » English**
- » College Algebra or higher***

*One year with lab or 8 semester / 12 quarter hours **One year or 6 semester / 8 quarter hours ***3 semester / 5 quarter hours

APPLICATION INFORMATION

For requirements and application information, please visit: atsu.edu/biomed-apply

STUDENT LIFE

ATSU has many organizations for students on each campus. For more information, please visit: atsu.edu/kcom-studentlife

ACCREDITATION

A.T. Still University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, 230 S. LaSalle Street; Suite 7-500, Chicago, IL 60604, phone: 800.621.7440, fax: 312.263.7492, email: info@hlcommission.org, ncahlc.org.





ATSU offers programs in athletic training, audiology, biomedical sciences, dental medicine, health administration, health education, health sciences, kinesiology, medical science, nursing, occupational therapy, orthodontics, osteopathic medicine, physical therapy, physician assistant studies, public health, and speech-language pathology.

ATSU MISSION

A.T. Still University of Health Sciences serves as a learning-centered university dedicated to preparing highly competent professionals through innovative academic programs with a commitment to continue its osteopathic heritage and focus on whole person healthcare, scholarship, community health, interprofessional education, diversity, and underserved populations.

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» John Gardner, PhD, MEd, Title IX coordinator

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