

BRAIN CREATE Course Policy

This policy applies to all MSc and PhD students receiving BRAIN CREATE funding.

In addition to the courses required by your program, all graduate students receiving BRAIN CREATE funding are required to take the following courses:

- [MDSC 619.01 Cellular, Molecular and Developmental Neuroscience](#)
Fall term: Lecture MW 3-5pm, Tutorial F 9-11am¹
- [MDSC 660 Extreme Physiology and Neurotechnology](#)
Winter term: Lecture TR 3-5pm¹

Further details are provided in two sections below: one for students in the Neuroscience Graduate Program (MDNS) and another for students in any other graduate program.

Important note:

All graduate students receiving BRAIN CREATE funding must take these courses. As this is a condition of our funding from NSERC, there are no exceptions.

1. MSc and PhD students in the Neuroscience Graduate Program (MDNS)

All MSc and PhD students receiving BRAIN CREATE funding are required to take the following courses:

- **MDSC 619.01 Cellular, Molecular and Developmental Neuroscience**
Fall term: Lecture MW 3-5pm, Tutorial F 9-11am¹
This is also an MDNS required course.
- **MDSC 619.02 Systems Neuroscience and Neuropathology**
Winter term: Lecture TR 9-11 am, Tutorial F 9-11am
While this is not a BRAIN CREATE requirement, we've included it here as it is an MDNS required course.
- **MDSC 660 Extreme Physiology and Neurotechnology**
Winter term: Lecture TR 3-5pm¹

Auditing vs. Enrolling

Since MDSC 619.01 and MDSC 619.02 are MDNS required courses, students must enroll in both courses. Students may audit MDSC 660 if they wish but must attend all classes and complete all assignments and exams.

Questions?

If you have any questions about the BRAIN CREATE course policy, please contact us at braincreate@ucalgary.ca.

If you have any questions about MDNS program requirements, course requirements, enrolling in or auditing courses, the course approval form, etc., please contact the Neuroscience Graduate Program Administrator at neurosci@ucalgary.ca.

¹Course days/times may change

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2. MSc and PhD students in other Graduate Programs

In addition to the courses required by your program, all MSc and PhD students receiving BRAIN CREATE funding are required to take the following courses:

- **MDSC 619.01 Cellular, Molecular and Developmental Neuroscience**
Fall term: Lecture MW 3-5pm, Tutorial F 9-11am¹
- **MDSC 660 Extreme Physiology and Neurotechnology**
Winter term: Lecture TR 3-5pm¹

Auditing vs. Enrolling

MSc and PhD students who are not in the Neuroscience Graduate Program:

- **Must audit MDSC 619.01** rather than enroll in the course. Students are required to attend all classes (tutorial is optional). Assignments and exams are not required or accepted.
- **May audit MDSC 660** but must attend all classes and complete all assignments and exams.

Important note:

It is the student's responsibility to work with their Graduate Program Administrator to ensure that they are able to complete the courses required by their program, plus MDSC 619.01 and MDSC 660 as described above.

Questions?

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If you have any questions about your program or course requirements, course scheduling, enrolling in or auditing courses, the course approval form, etc., please contact your Graduate Program Administrator.

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