STRUCTURAL BIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY, AND BIOPHYSICS, PHD

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Graduate Awards

Graduate students may qualify for scholarships or for teaching or research assistantships available through individual departments, or for University Fellowships. All awards are made on a competitive basis.

Facilities

There is a variety of nuclear magnetic resonance, microarray, x-ray diffraction, next-generation sequencing, and other instrumentation at Syracuse University and SB3 partner institutions, SUNY Upstate Medical University, and the SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry. There are also extensive computational facilities for biomolecular modeling and bioinformatics.

Ph.D. in Structural Biology, Biochemistry, and Biophysics

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students to acquire breadth by taking graduate-level courses in areas outside their major concentration.