Missouri University of Science & Technology
Chem 1110 (1h), *Introduction to Chemistry, FS20*

**SYLLABUS**

- **Professor:** Dr. Rainer Glaser
- **Office:** 104B Schrenk Hall
- **Email:** glaserr@mst.edu
- **Dr. Glaser’s Home Page:** http://faculty.missouri.edu/~glaserr
- **First (online) Meeting:** Thursday, Aug. 27, 2020, 11 am, **Blended, SH305**
- **Office Hours:** Thursday, 10 - 10:50 am, and by appointment (**Zoom**)
- **Course Web Site:** http://faculty.missouri.edu/~glaserr/RG_T_FS20.html

All meetings of the course will be delivered online synchronous. The classroom Schrenk Hall 305 is assigned so that speakers may deliver their lectures using the technology available in SH305. But no students will be present in SH305.

**Course Objectives:** Introduction to chemistry, its intellectual and professional opportunities. Students will be acquainted with various areas of chemistry and with departmental and campus facilities useful to their future studies. Required of all freshman chemistry majors; encouraged for undergraduate transfer chemistry majors.

**Course Materials:** All course materials will be provided.
**Grading/Attendance:** Attendance is required. If you miss a class for a legitimate reason (sickness, conference, interview, sports, etc.), please provide some form of acceptable written proof in electronic form (PDF, image). Only one unexcused absence is tolerated, and every additional unexcused absence will reduce your grade by one notch.

**Response Time:** Responses to emails will be provided as quickly as possible. But the response time to email requests by students may be up 2 business days.

**Academic Integrity:** Academic integrity is fundamental to the activities and principles of a university. All members of the academic community must be confident that each person’s work has been responsibly and honorably acquired, developed, and presented. Any effort to gain an advantage not given to all students is dishonest whether or not the effort is successful. The academic community regards breaches of the academic integrity rules as extremely serious matters. The Missouri S&T Student Academic Regulations are published in accordance with campus and university system policies (https://registrar.mst.edu/academicregs/index.html). New and updated policies both at the campus and system level are published as new policies are passed. Please check back often to ensure that you have up-to-date information. Page 30 of the Student Academic Regulations handbook describes the student standard of conduct relative to the System's Collected Rules and Regulations section 200.010 and offers descriptions of academic dishonesty including cheating, plagiarism or sabotage. Additional guidance for faculty, including a description of the process for dealing with issues related to academic dishonesty, is available online at https://academicsupport.mst.edu.

**Students with Disabilities:** If you have a documented disability and anticipate needing accommodations in this course, you are strongly encouraged to meet with me early in the semester. You will need to request that the Disability Services staff send a letter to me verifying your disability and specifying the accommodation you will need before I can arrange your accommodation. Disability Support Services is located at 204 Norwood Hall (phone: 341-4211; email: dss@mst.edu. For more information, see https://dss.mst.edu/.

**Intellectual Pluralism:** The University community welcomes intellectual diversity and respects student rights. For more information, see https://sdi.mst.edu/.

**Academic Inquiry, Course Discussion and Privacy - Faculty not allowing recording:** University of Missouri System Executive Order No. 38 lays out principles regarding the sanctity of classroom discussions at the university. The policy is described fully in Section 200.015 of the Collected Rules and Regulations. In this class, students may not make audio or video recordings of course activity, except students permitted to record as an accommodation under Section 240.040 of the Collected Rules. All other students who record and/or distribute audio or video recordings of class activity are subject to discipline in accordance with provisions of Section 200.020 of the Collected Rules and Regulations of the University of Missouri pertaining to student conduct matters.

Those students who are permitted to record are not permitted to redistribute audio or video recordings of statements or comments from the course to individuals who are not students in the course without the express permission of the faculty member and of any students who are recorded. Students found to have violated this policy are subject to discipline in accordance with provisions of Section 200.020 of the Collected Rules and Regulations of the University of Missouri pertaining to student conduct matters.