# **RUTGERS** Institute for Quantitative Biomedicine



The Institute for Quantitative Biomedicine at Rutgers (IQB@R) brings basic and applied researchers together with clinicians pursuing grand challenges in biomedical research using quantitative tools of measurement and analysis from chemistry, computer science, engineering, mathematics, physics, and statistics.

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## The Joint Ph.D. Program at IQB@R

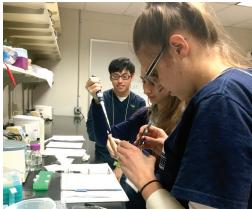
The Joint Ph.D. Program is a unique graduate program that:

- Leads to a single Ph.D degree that involves training in two areas. This differs from a "dual Ph.D. degree" which consists of two degrees
- Partners with the different science programs at Rutgers
- Builds on world-class strengths in quantitative biology and clinical medicine at Rutgers
- Enhances graduate student education and future opportunities:
  - Provides deep knowledge in core discipline
  - Provides interdisciplinary training in conjunction with the Quantitative Biomedicine graduate program
- Introduces students to the value of collaboration across disciplines in addressing grand challenges in biology

#### Joint Ph.D. Degree with Quantitative Biomedicine

- Students are enrolled in both their primary graduate program and Quantitative Biomedicine
- Students can enter the program during their first, second, or third year of graduate study
- Once accepted into the joint degree program, a customized joint degree track will be designed collaboratively with the student to meet their unique educational and training needs, including:
  - Immersive hands-on Quantitative Biology Boot Camp (more information on reverse)
  - Specialized coursework in biomedicine
  - Interdisciplinary advising committee
  - Primary degree program requirements
  - Professional development
  - Peer-to-peer activities coordinated by the Quantitative Biomedicine Graduate Student Organization (GSO)





#### The QB/Joint Ph.D. GSO:

- Provides social and intellectual gatherings to foster a sense of community and enhance graduate life
- Organizes monthly multi-lab seminar series
- Invites outside speakers
- Participates in graduate student recruitment
- Coordinates career-based networking events

#### **Questions?**



### More information: iqb.rutgers.edu/graduatestudy

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