

# Statement of Accreditation Status

## Irell & Manella Graduate School of Biological Sciences at City of Hope

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**URL:** <https://www.imgs-coh.edu>

**Staff Liaison:** Linda Petersen  
**Student Achievement URL:** <https://www.imgs-coh.edu/phd-in-biological-sciences-program/alumni-highlights>

**Current Accreditation Status:** Accredited  
**Most Recent Commission Action:** June 27, 2025  
**First Accredited:** 2001

**Undergraduate FTE:** 0  
**Graduate FTE:** 118  
**Financial Structure Type:** Non-Profit  
**Sponsorship:** Proprietary with parent/board  
**Academic Calendar:** <https://www.cityofhope.org/education/irell-and-manella-graduate-school-of-biological-sciences/>  
**Distributes Federal Financial Aid:** Yes

### Commission Actions

- \*Commission Action Letter, Thematic Pathway for Reaffirmation, June 2025 action
- \*Commission letter, accreditation visit, June 2015 action
- \*Team Report, Thematic Pathway for Reaffirmation, June 2025 action
- \*Team report, accreditation visit, June 2015 action

### Personnel

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## Locations

OPEID	Location Name	City	Location Type	Status
03592400	Irell &#038; Manella Graduate School of Biological Scie	Duarte	Main Campus	active

## Degrees

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Biological Sciences	Research Doctorate	1994	On-Site
Master of Science in Regulatory Affairs	Masters	2022	On-Site
Master of Science in Translational Medicine	Masters	2023	On-Site
Master of Science in Translational Medicine	Masters	2018	On-Site
PhD in Translational Medicine (PhDTM)	Research Doctorate	2020	On-Site

## Upcoming Reviews

Season	Year Level	Review Type
Fall	2027	Interim Report
Fall	2034	Offsite Review
Spring	2035	Accreditation Visit