The Stack Family Center for Biopharmaceutical Education and Training (CBET) at the Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences’ (ACPHS) Life Sciences Innovation Building is the first center of its kind in the United States to be created by a pharmacy and health sciences college. Designed to be a hub where academics, researchers, and burgeoning businesses explore solutions to some of society’s most pressing life science issues, it also provides opportunities for the next generation of leaders to conduct innovative research and training in the biomed and biopharma industries.

Launching the Next Generation of Biopharma Leaders

Intended to attract future generations of students and open the door to a career in the biopharmaceutical industry, ACPHS offers the following academic programs which include significant course and laboratory work at CBET:

- Master of Biomanufacturing and Bioprocessing (MBB), a one-year professional science master
- BS in Microbiology with a concentration in Industrial Microbiology
- BS in Pharmaceutical Sciences with a concentration in Bioanalytics
- MS in Pharmaceutical Sciences
"An evolutionary leap in health sciences education and biomanufacturing workforce training, CBET will play an integral role in advancing New York’s employment and workforce development. At CBET, you can launch your career, strengthen your workforce, collaborate with experts to explore an idea, or scale a process into a company.”

Dr. Michelle Lewis
CBET Executive Director

Strengthening Your Workforce

CBET is proud to play an integral role in advancing New York’s employment and workforce development. Offering contract research services and customized industry training, CBET will help take your business to the next level. A diverse group of industry leaders help guide CBET’s programming, so it is reflective of the industry’s evolving needs and imparts the skill sets professionals need to be successful in a range of roles within the biopharmaceutical industry.

Collaborating and Innovating with Experts

CBET is proving ground for early ideas. Our services drive development and advancement within the biopharmaceutical sector.

State-of-the-art facilities and opportunities for collaboration promote research on some of the most pressing issues facing society including bioterrorism and pandemic response.

By facilitating R&D and pilot-scale manufacturing, CBET partners with industry to leverage the combined expertise, experience and equipment as a springboard for innovation and advancement in areas such as cell and gene therapy.

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154,000 total square feet

60K square feet of BSL2 and BSL3 lab space, designed to work with human pathogens

START-UP NY space: tax-based incentives and innovative academic partnerships

Highly specialized safety features—HEPA filtered air, bullet-proof glass, and thumb-print entry