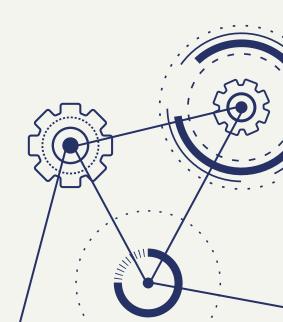
Bioengineering & Synthetic Biology

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Does anyone know what **Bioengineering** or **Synthetic Biology** is?

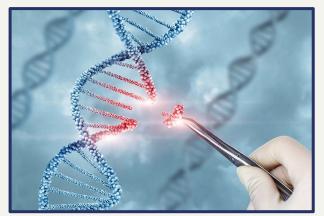
Biomedical Engineer doing his job

What is **Bioengineering?**

Biological engineering or bioengineering is the application of principles of biology and the tools of engineering to create usable, tangible, economically viable products.



What bioengineers do but the DNA is a lot smaller (AI)



What is **Synthetic Biology?**

Synthetic biology is a multidisciplinary field of science that focuses on living systems and organisms, and it applies engineering principles to develop new biological parts, devices, and systems or to redesign existing systems found in nature.

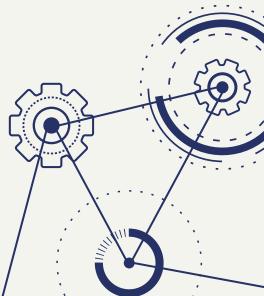
Jobs in **Bioengineering**

- Biomedical Engineering
- Clinical Engineer
- Research Engineer
- Product Development Engineer
- Biostatistician
- Biologist
- Medical Technician
- Bioprocess Engineer
- And more...





Biomedical Engineer



What does a **Bioengineer** typically do?

Design equipment and devices, such as artificial internal organs, replacements for body parts, and machines for diagnosing medical problems.

Install, maintain, or provide technical support for biomedical equipment, and more!



Biomedical Engineer creating a leg prosthetic







What inventions have **Bioengineers** made?

Crutches, medical imaging, prosthetics, gene editing, vital sign tracking, physical therapy devices and exercise equipment, and computerized surgery







Quick Activity: Raise Your Hand



Raise your hand if you have ever used any of these inventions (Such as crutches, prosthetics...)

Raise your hand if you have heard about bioengineering before this

Raise your hand if you know anyone who has a job in a field involving bioengineering

We have also had countless **Medical Advancements**

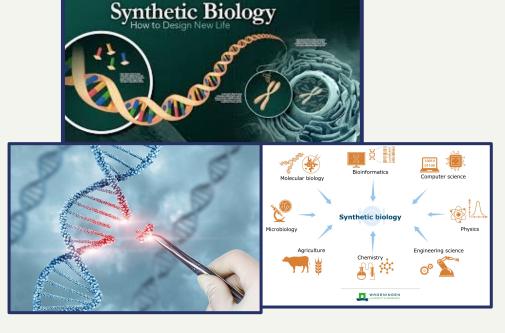
- Use stem cells to regenerate damaged or degenerated tissues.
- Gene editing (CRISPR has been used to experiment with gene-edited mosquitos to reduce the spread of malaria)



Synthetic Biology (Explanation)

A field of science that involves redesigning organisms for useful purposes by engineering them to have new abilities.

Goal: to develop a large portfolio of engineered biological circuits for use in various applications or systems. A explanation of synthetic biology



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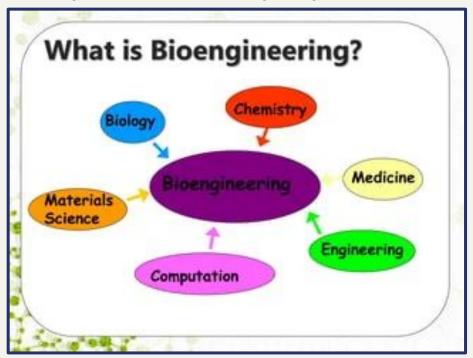
Fields in synthetic biology

What Specializations are in

Bioengineering?

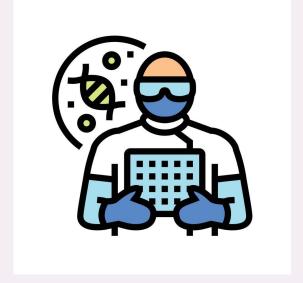
- Bioinformatics
- Bioinstrumentation
- Biomaterials
- Biomechanics
- Biomechatronics
- Biomimetics
- Biotechnology
- Pharmaceutical Engineering
- Neuroengineering
- Synthetic Biology
- Systems Biology

A diagram of all the fields in bioengineering



Bioengineers can expect to make around (annually)

\$86k-\$150k



Raise your hand if you would consider ever pursuing a job in bioengineering

Resources

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