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To learn more about the Biotechnology Certificate Program at Ball State and its courses, please contact Sue A. McDowell at [samcdowell@bsu.edu](mailto:samcdowell@bsu.edu).

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