

Chem 395/365/465
Proteomics
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Fall 2009
Tuesday & Thursday – 5:45- 7:00 pm
LSB 315

#	Day	Date	Topic	Reading
Note: Dr. Ballicora will present lectures 1-4				
1	Tu	8/25	Protein Structure – background	pp. 108-110
2	Th	8/27	Homology Modeling and SwissPDBViewer	web ref
3	Tu	9/1	Homology Modeling	5
4	Th	9/3	Model Verification	5
5	Tu	9/8	Introduction to Proteomics	1
6	Th	9/10	Protein Separations	2
7	Tu	9/15	Protein Separations	2
8	Th	9/17	Protein Identification	3
9	Tu	9/22	Protein Quantitation	4
10	Th	9/24	X-Ray Crystallography of Proteins	pp. 111-114
11	Tu	9/29	Structural Proteomics	6
12	Th	10/1	Mid-Term Examination	
	Tu	10/6	Mid-Term Break – no class	
13	Th	10/8	Interaction Proteomics	7
15	Tu	10/13	Interaction Proteomics	7
16	Th	10/15	Protein Modifications	8
17	Tu	10/20	Protein Chips	9
18	Th	10/22	Proteomics Applications	10
19	Tu	10/27	Visualization (VMD)	web ref
20	Th	10/29	Molecular Mechanics	Handout
21	Tu	11/3	Energy Minimization	Handout
22	Th	11/5	Molecular Dynamics	Handout
23	Tu	11/10	Molecular Dynamics	Handout
24	Th	11/12	Analysis of MD Data	Handout
25	Tu	11/17	Student Presentations	
	Th	11/19	Student Presentations	
26	Tu	11/24	Student Presentations	
27	Th	11/26	Thanksgiving Break – no class	
28	Tu	12/1	Student Presentations	
29	Th	12/3	Student Presentations	
	Tu	12/14	Final Exam	

Grading: 25% Mid-Term, 10% Homology modeling project, 10% on MD project, 10% homework, 20% Student Presentation, 25% Final

For the homology modeling project, you must include analyses of your model using Verify 3D. It also must include at least two diagrams showing the model structure by itself and the structure compared to the template(s). You need to demonstrate where the model differs from the template structure.

For the student presentation, you need to select a recent research paper involving proteomics as defined by the topics covered in this course. You need to submit a list of 5 potential papers to me no later than Tuesday, 11/3, in order of your preference to present them. I will make sure that there are no duplications. You need to send me a pdf of your paper and copy of your powerpoint presentation a week before you are to present. The presentation schedule will be arranged in early October. The presentations must be 13 – 15 minutes long.

The molecular dynamics assignment will include setting up the files to run an MD simulation and analyzing the data. The data will probably come from simulations already run in my laboratory because we will not have enough time to run them ourselves.

The final exam will include everything covered since the mid-term, including the student presentations.

It should be obvious that all answers on examinations must arise from independent, honest efforts. Nothing less is acceptable at Loyola. Thus, any student found cheating on any quiz will receive an automatic “0” for that examination and his (her) name will be brought to the attention of the Chair of the Department and the Dean of the College, who will decide if further disciplinary action is necessary.

Text: Principles of Proteomics by R. M. Twyman, 2004, Taylor and Francis

You should read the appropriate chapter **before** class. Please realize that I will not have time to lecture on every topic but will emphasize what I consider to be the most important topics. Obviously, these more important topics will be emphasized on examinations but you are responsible for all of the text and lecture material.

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Office Hours: After class on TuTh evenings or by arrangement.

Blackboard: I plan to use the Blackboard website (blackboard.luc.edu) for all class notes and announcements. Please see the attached handout for instructions on how to use this site. It is essential that you access the site regularly to do well in this class.