G715 – Biochemical Basis of Biological Processes (36 lectures)
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Spitzberg Auditorium (Room 103, Glick Eye Institute)

Membrane Biochemistry/Protein Structure [2 weeks]
8/21 – Lipids and membranes, membrane structure and function (Elmendorf)
8/23 – Biophysical properties of membranes, Ion channels & pores (Elmendorf)
8/25 – From amino acids to protein structure (Georgiadis)
8/28 – Structure/function in proteins I (Georgiadis)
8/30 – Structure/function in proteins II (Georgiadis)
9/1 – Protein bioinformatics (Homework assessment) (Georgiadis)
9/4 - Labor Day
9/6 – Excitable membranes (Obukhov)

Cell Signaling Block [2 weeks]
9/8 – Concepts & overview (Jerde)
9/11 – Cell-Cell signaling (Jerde)
9/13 – Receptors: GPCR>G proteins>2nd messengers (Jerde)
9/15 – Review Session Instructors
9/18 – EXAM 1 10:30-12:30 PM
9/20 – Receptors: RPTKs>Ras>MAPK cascade (literature assignment) (Quilliam)
9/22 – Modular design of signaling macromolecules (Quilliam)
9/25 – Apoptosis/cell death signaling (Broustovetsky)

Macromolecules Block [2 weeks]
9/27 – Post-translational modifications (Lu)
9/29 – Factors controlling protein degradation (Lu)
10/2 – Proteomics 1 (Wells)
10/4 – Proteomics 2 (Wells)
10/6 – Proteomics 3 (literature assignment) (Wells)

Protein-Ligand Interactions Block [2 weeks]
10/09 – Simple binding models and Michaelis-Menten Analysis (Hurley)
10/11 – Review Session Instructors
10/13 – EXAM 2 10:30-12:30 PM
10/16 - FALL BREAK
10/18 – Enzyme inhibition (Homework assignment) (Hurley)
10/20 – Principles of enzymatic catalysis (Hurley)
10/23 – Principles of macromolecular interactions (Meroueh)
10/25 – Basic concepts of drug targeting and design (Meroueh)

Metabolic Processes Block [4 weeks]
10/27 – Digestion (Herring)
10/30 – Overview of metabolism and fate of fuels (Roach)
11/1 – Metabolism of carbohydrates 1 (Roach)
11/3 – Metabolism of carbohydrates 2 (Roach)
11/5 – Glucose Homeostasis and Diabetes (Roach)
11/8 – Regulation of mitochondrial energy production (Broustovetsky)
11/10 – Review Session Instructors
11/13 – EXAM 3 10:30-12:30 PM
11/15 – Fatty Acid Metabolism (Hurley)
11/17 – Respiratory Physiology (Tune)
11/20 – Cholesterol Metabolism (Hurley)

11/22 & 11/24 - Thanksgiving Break
11/27 – Amino acid metabolism 1 (Wek)
11/29 – Amino acid metabolism 2 (Wek)
12/1 – Metabolome changes in Disease (literature assignment) (Ivan)
12/4 – Renal Physiology (Williams)
12/6 – Integration of metabolism (Roach)
12/8 – Review Session
12/11 – EXAM 4 10:30-12:30 PM
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IUPUI Policy on Sexual Misconduct

As your instructor, one of my responsibilities is to help create a safe learning environment on our campus. Title IX and our own Sexual Misconduct policy prohibit sexual misconduct. If you have experienced sexual misconduct, or know someone who has, the University can help.

If you are seeking help and would like to speak to someone confidentially, please visit http://stopsexualviolence.iu.edu/help/index.html (Links to an external site.) (Links to an external site.) for contact information.

It is also important that you know that federal regulations and University policy require me to promptly convey any information about potential sexual misconduct known to me to our campus’
Deputy Title IX Coordinator or IU’s Title IX Coordinator. In that event, they will work with a small number of others on campus to ensure that appropriate measures are taken and resources are made available to the student who may have been harmed.

Protecting a student’s privacy is of utmost concern, and all involved will only share information with those that need to know to ensure the University can respond and assist.

I encourage you to visit stopsexualviolence.iu.edu (Links to an external site.) to learn more about available resources on campus and in the community.

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