

Path 535/635 (Graduate Student Seminars)
TENTATIVE COURSE SCHEDULE for 2011-20012
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Location: BC Cancer Research Center, 675 W. 10th Ave. (unless otherwise announced)

Time: Tuesdays 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

All presentations are 15 minutes in length (unless otherwise agreed with coordinator), with 5 minutes for questions

| PRESENTATION DATES | STUDENTS |
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| TERM 1 | |
| Session #1 Date: Sept 13, 2011 BCCRC | - Introductions - GSS coordinators- - Course objectives, format |
| Session #2 Date: Sept 27, 2011 BCCRC | - Lecture on “How to write an effective abstract” - Lecture on “How to give a good oral presentation” (optional for 2 nd year who attended the lectures last year although there will be some updates) |
| Session #3 Date: Oct 11, 2011 BCCRC | Cancelled |
| Session #4 Date: Oct 25, 2011 BCCRC | Lecture on “Designing Your Research Project to Improve Data Quality”; statistical considerations by Rick White |
| Session #5 Date: Nov 8, 2011 BCCRC | 3 speakers 3 rd and 4 th year students hand in electronic version of abstract and posters. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hayley Spencer • Dian Sulistyoningrum • Sarah Neil |

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| PRESENTATION DATES | STUDENTS |
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| Session #6 Date: Nov 22, 2011 BCCRC | Class on posters: (optional for 2 nd year who attended the lectures last year although there will be some updates) - Lecture on how to prepare a good poster |
| Session #7 Date: Dec 6, 2011 BCCRC | 3 speakers 1 st year students hand in their abstract and poster assessments. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clara Westwell-Roper • Rika Alelunias • Robert Kridel |
| Session #8 Date: Dec 13, 2011 BCCRC | 3 speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gurmeet Sohi • Gabriel Fung • Melissa Glier |
| TERM 2 | |
| Session # 9 Date: Jan 17, 2012 BCCRC | 3 speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junyan Shi • Lynn Huang |
| Session #10 Date: Jan 31, 2012 BCCRC | 3 speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jennifer Kennett • Melissa McConechy • Jay Gunawardana |
| Session #11 Date: Feb 14, 2012 BCCRC | Lecture on writing a grant proposal/scholarship application project summary (for all) |
| No GSS , Reading Break (Feb 20-24) | |
| Session #12 Date: Feb 28, 2012 BCCRC | 3 speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jordan Cran • Bryant Harbourne • Jason Hung |
| Session #13 Date: Mar 13, 2012 BCCRC | 3 speakers 1 st year students hand in abstract and poster (electronic format) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jaques Courtade • Jas Khattra • Jacob Rozmus |
| Session #14 Date: Mar 27, 2012 BCCRC | 3 speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Iran Tavakoli • Paul Hanson • Chansonette Harvard |
| Session #15 Date: April 3, 2012 BCCRC | 3 speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amal El-Naggar • Kevin Yang • Manu Thomas |

All 1st year students will prepare an abstract + poster.

All 2nd year students will do an oral presentation (+ abstract).

Those in 4th year who did a poster last year have to do a talk. The rest of the 4th year students have to hand in a poster on Nov 8th because they did a talk last year.

Those currently in third year had a choice between talk or poster this year. Those who chose to do a talk this year DO NOT need to hand in a poster on Nov 8th. Those who ARE NOT scheduled for a talk this year DO need to hand in a poster.

Whether you are doing a poster or a talk, you must also hand in an abstract.