

BIOCHEMISTRY 401
Gene Expression in Eukaryotes
Course Outline: Spring 2015

LOCATION & TIME: ECS 108, MR 10:00-11:20 am

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TOPICS:

Biochemistry 401 is an advanced study of gene expression in eukaryotes. Topics include gene structure, eukaryotic transcription, transcriptional regulation and post-transcriptional processing with special emphasis on transcription factors and RNA dynamics

Evaluation:

2. The participation mark will be an average of confidential peer evaluations to be handed in on **Thursday, April 2** and includes both discussion and report preparation involvement. Failure to hand in the peer evaluations will result in a mark of zero for your

4. Students are expected to be present for the midterm and final exams. Instructors may grant deferrals for midterm examinations for illness, accident, or family affliction, and students must provide appropriate documentation 48 hours after the midterm exam. The Department of Biochemistry and Microbiology considers it a breach of academic integrity for a student taking a deferred examination to discuss the exam with classmates. Similarly, students who reveal the contents of an examination to students taking a deferred examination are considered to be in violation of the University of Victoria policy on academic integrity (see current University Calendar). Deferral of a final exam must be requested with an Academic Concession form and submitted directly to Undergraduate Records. Deferred final exams for fall term courses will be arranged by the instructor. Deferred final exams for spring term courses will be arranged through Undergraduate Records and must be written before the end of the summer term as stipulated in the University Calendar.
5. Scan sheets for multiple choice exams (bubble sheets) will not be made available for review. Therefore, in addition to filling in answers on the scan sheet, students should also circle their