

	PCB	5845	Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience			
	Fall	2016				
			Wednesday, Friday 10:15 - 11:45 PDB-A105 + Thurs. 11:15-12:05 PDB 105 or KIN 1058			
	Day	Date	Topic			
	Week 1		Mon 8/28 First day of Fall Semester			
1	Wed	8/30/17	Overview of Mammalian nervous system/ Polarity of Neurons /Axonal transport/glia function/ Review of Cell Biol./Mol. Bio., Metabolism		TAH 1	Introduction
2	Thurs	8/31/17	Membranes; transport, Ion channels; Nernst potential;	MM 1		Biophysics / Cellular- Neuro-physiology
3	Fri	9/1/17	Membrane potential; Goldman equation; Action potential; Conduction; CAP; Voltage/current/patch clamp	MM 2		
	Week 2		Mon 9/04 Labor Day Holiday			
4	Wed	9/6/17	Molecular structure of channels; Control of resting Vm and firing probability; Passive properties; Myelin; MS;	MM 3		
5	Thurs	9/7/17	Synapses: Gap junctions; Neuromusc. Jnc.; Receptor/ion-channels; Synaptic and circuit integration;	MM 4		
6	Fri	9/8/17	Computer simulation lab - Membrane/action potential MM	MM 5		(KIN 1058)
	Week 3		Mon 9/11			
7	Wed	9/13/17	Synaptic Transmission: Ionotropic and Metabotropic Receptors; 2nd. Messengers; Interactions; Modulation	MM 6		
8	Thurs	9/14/17	Neurotransmitter release, Calcium	MM 7		
9	Fri	9/15/17	Computer simulation lab - Membrane/action potential MM	MM 8		(KIN 1058)
	Week 4		Mon 9/18			
10	Wed	9/20/17	Vesicle mechanisms; Modulation; Ligands and Receptors; Agonists and Antagonists; ACh; Myesthesia grav.,	MM 9		
11	Thurs	9/21/17	GABA; Glycine; Glutamate; Other transmitters/ candidates	MM 10		Cell/ Mol Biology of
			End of material for Exam 1			Transmitters / Neuro- pharmacology
12	Fri	9/22/17	Catecholamines, Serotonin; Other transmitters/candidates		TAH 2	
	Week 5		Mon 9/25			
13	Wed	9/27/17	Neuropeptides; Nuclear receptors		TAH 3	
e1	Thurs	9/28/17	EXAM 1 (Material (10) from 8/31 - 9/21)	E-1	E-1	
14	Fri	9/29/17	Review Cell Metabolism (energy production/storage). Review Mol-Biol. (transcription/translation/protein-modif.) Glial function.		TAH 4	Cell/ Mol Biology of
	Week 6		Mon 10/02			neurons; intracellular
15	Wed	10/4/17	Intracellular signaling		TAH 5	signals
16	Thurs	10/5/17	Molecular Signaling		TAH 6	
17	Fri	10/6/17	Paper TH		TAH 7	
	Week 7		Mon 10/9			
18	Wed	10/11/17	Vertebrate Plan: Homeobox Genes; Neuro/gliogenesis; Migration/Differentiation (e.g. neural crest), Axon guidance		TAH 8	Developmental NS
19	Thurs	10/12/17	Synapse formation; Adult Neurogenesis;		TAH 9	
20	Fri	10/13/17	Apoptosis; Degeneration, Regeneration		TAH 10	
			End of material for Exam 2			
	Week 8		Mon 10/16			
	Wed	10/18/17	Sensory Systems: Somatosensory I: Periph. Touch and Coding; Pathways	MM 11		Sensory Systems
e2?	Thurs	10/19/17	EXAM 2 (Material (9) from 9/22 -10/13)	E-2	E-2	
21	Fri	10/20/17	Somatosensory II: Central processing and plasticity; Nociception and thermoreception .	MM 12		

	Week 9		Mon 10/23			
22	Wed	10/25/17	Audition: Cochlea mechanics, Hair cell function; Cochlear Amplifier; Central mechanisms; Sound localization; // Vestibular: Maculae; Hair cells; Adaptation	MM 13		
23	Thurs	10/26/17	Vestibular System: Semi-circ. Canals.; VOR; Balance	MM 14		
24	Fri	10/27/17	<i>Paper MM</i>	<i>MM 15</i>		
	Week 10		Mon 10/30			
25	Wed	11/1/17	Vision I: Transduction; Retinal circuits, Contrast, Gang. cells; Dark adaptation	MM 16		
26	Thurs	11/2/17	Vision II: Central mechanisms: Orientation select.; What/Where; Stereo;Color; Perception; Visual plasticity// Olfaction I: Peripheral transduction	MM 17		
27	Fri	11/3/17	Olfaction II: Coding; Pathways; Central Function// VNO/Pheromones/Amygdala (NT)	MM 18		
			End of material for Exam 3			
	Week 11		Mon 11/06			
28	Wed	11/8/17	Muscle Excit-Contract./Motor Units; Muscle/Tendon receptors; Spinal Circuits	MM 19		Motor Systems
29	Thurs	11/9/17	EXAM 3 (Material (8) from 10/18 - 11/03)	E-3	E-3	Or MM 20
	Fri	11/10/17	No Class - Veteran's Day (observed) Holiday			
	Week 12		Mon 11/13			
30	Wed	11/15/17	Spinal circuits and reflexes; Central Pattern Generators; Locomotion/Posture; Autonomic/Enteric NS; Visceral reflexes	MM 20		
	Thurs	11/16/17	Cerebellum; Basal Ganglia I	MM 21		Or Exam 3
31	Fri	11/17/17	Basal Ganglia II; Cortical/Brainstem/spinal heirarchy for motor control	MM 22		
			End of material for MM section of Exam 4			
	Week 13		Mon 11/20			
	Wed	11/22/17	<i>Thanksgiving Holiday Nov 22-24</i>			
	Thurs	11/23/17	<i>THANKSGIVING Nov 23</i>			
	Fri	11/24/17	<i>Thanksgiving Holiday Nov 22-24</i>			
	Week 14		Mon 11/27			
32	Wed	11/29/17	Taste I: Peripheral Mechanisms		TAH 11	
33	Thurs	11/30/17	Taste II: Central mech.; Affective/motivational; Taste and Intake		TAH 12	
35	Fri	12/1/17	Molecular Biology of Drug Addiction and Depression I		TAH 13	Molecular Biol. of
	Week 15		Mon 12/04			Higher Neural Functio
36	Wed	12/6/17	Molecular Biology of Drug Addiction and Depression II; Molecular Biology of Learning & Memory I		TAH 14	
37	Thurs	12/7/17	Molecular Biology of Learning & Memory II		TAH 15	
38	Fri	12/8/17	Molecular Biology of Neurodegenerative Diseases		TAH 16	
	Last day of classes		End of material for TH section of Exam 4			
	EXAM	WEEK	Mon Dec 14: Exam week Dec 14-16			
	Thursday	12/14/17	FINAL EXAM: 4 (Material (11) from 11/08 - 12/08)	E-4	E-4	<i>Non Cumulative</i>
		FINAL	Thurs. 7:30 am - 9:30 am			
			Note Day and Time: Yes; that's 7:30 am			