BCB/ComS/Cpr E/Gen 548 Fundamentals of Genome Informatics
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General Information

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Text

There is no prescribed text. The following books are useful references:


Homeworks

In general, homeworks will be assigned on Friday and due at the beginning of class on Thursday of the following week. Homeworks will be assigned via the course web site; it is your responsibility to check for them.
Course Policies

The course grade will be equally weighted between each of three midterm exams, a project, and homeworks. There will be no comprehensive final exam. Homeworks are to be done independently unless otherwise stated. The course grade will be determined based on the following weights:

Grading percentages

- Homeworks — 20%
- Midterm I — 20%
- Midterm II — 20%
- Midterm III — 20%
- Project — 20%

Grading scale

Final letter grades will be determined by the following absolute grading scale, with fractional scores rounded up.

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Learning Disabilities

If you have a learning disability that makes it difficult for you to understand the lectures or perform the required work, please inform the instructor(s). Every possible effort will be made to accommodate any special needs required.