

**BIO 365L Semester Schedule: Spring 2010 Tuesday 1:00-6:00**

<b>Week</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Module</b>	<b>Activities</b>	<b>Assignments</b>
1	Jan 26	Passive Properties	Lecture: Introduction to course: Lab Reports & expectations Membrane biophysics, ohms law, RC circuits Intro to physiology rig & software Student exercises : Model –cell measure membrane resistance & tau Prepare two figures: 1) traces with exponential fits 2) VI plot Lecture on patch clamp technique, microscopy, & slice prep Bridge balance and capacitance compensation Patch clamp demonstration Student Exercises: Bridge balance and capacitance compensation with model cell.	Browse and become familiar with Class Website, LabWrite website, and Blackboard
2	Feb 2		Student Experiments	Blog 1 Due Monday Feb 1 <sup>st</sup> 8:00 am PreLab 1 Due Mon. Feb 1 <sup>st</sup> 8:00 am
3	Feb 9		Student Experiments	Blog 2 Due Monday Feb 8 <sup>th</sup> 8:00 am Homework 1 Due Tuesday Feb 9 <sup>th</sup>
4	Feb 16		Finish Experiments, Finalize Figures & Analysis, Quick data presentations & discussion	Equiz 1 – completed <i>before</i> class Quiz 1- in class
5	Feb 23	Active Properties: Action Potential Generation	Lecture: electrochemical gradients Synaptic integration and AP mechanisms Begin Experiments	*Blog 3 Due Mon. Feb 22 <sup>nd</sup> 8:00 am *Lab report 1 Due Friday Feb 26 <sup>th</sup> by end of the day.
6	Mar 2		Student Experiments	Blog 4 Due Monday Mar 1 <sup>st</sup> 8:00 am PreLab 2 Due Mon. Mar 1 <sup>st</sup> 8:00 am
7	Mar 9		Student Experiments	Blog 5 Due Monday Mar 8 <sup>th</sup> 8:00 am Homework 2 Due Tuesday Mar 9 <sup>th</sup>
8	Mar 16		NO CLASS: Spring Break	Relax
9	Mar 23		Student Experiments	Blog 6 Due Mon. Mar 22 <sup>nd</sup> 8:00 am Equiz 2 – completed <i>before</i> class Quiz 2 – in class
10	Mar 30		Finish Experiments , Finalize Figures & Analysis, data presentations & discussion	Blog 7 Due Mon. Mar 29 <sup>th</sup> 8:00 am
11	Apr 6	Synaptic Transmission	Lecture : synaptic transmission & plasticity / Begin experiments	
12	Apr 13		Student Experiments	Lab Report 2 Due Friday Apr 16 <sup>th</sup> By end of day
13	Apr 20		Student Experiments	Blog 8 Due Monday Apr 19 <sup>th</sup> 8:00 am PreLab 3 Due Mon Apr 19 <sup>th</sup> 8:00 am Homework 3 Due Tuesday Apr 20 <sup>th</sup>
14	Apr 27		Student Experiments	Blog 9 Due Monday Apr 26 <sup>th</sup> 8:00 am Equiz 3 – completed <i>before</i> class Quiz 3 – in class
15	May 4		Last Day of Class: Course Evaluations & Feedback Finish Experiments, Finalize Figures & Analysis, Quick data presentations & discussion	Blog 10 Due Mon. May 3 <sup>rd</sup> 8:00 am Lab report 3 Due Friday May 14 <sup>th</sup> By End of Day