MCB6937 Special Topics in Prokaryotic Cell Structure and Function

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Please see MCB4403 syllabus for additional details

EVALUATION OF LEARNING:

Learning will be evaluated based on the following criteria:
- 3 × 200 points each (Exams I, II and III)
- 200 points (group presentation)
- 200 points (summary paper)
- 1000 points total

Summary Paper – The summary paper will be an overview of a topic related to prokaryotic biochemistry, metabolism and/or cell physiology of interest to you. The paper must be typed (double-spaced with 1 inch margins). The summary paper should include 10 pages of text plus extra pages for references, a title page and figures (the latter is optional but enhances the ability to convey the information within the text).

Please upload into e-learning Saki in the assignments section the topic of your summary paper (including potential references you will use for the final paper) by OCTOBER 20, 2011. This will enable me to confirm that your topic is relevant to the area of prokaryotic cell structure and function and has an adequate amount of information available to write a summary.

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