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**CHE 154: Engineering Approaches to Systems Biology  
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**Lecture:** Tue/Thu 9:30-10:45am Engr-II Room 3301

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**Grading Policy**

Class Attendance/Participation	10%
Homework assignments	30%
Course Project/Final Presentation	60%

## Course Reading

- A. Asthagari and D. Lauffenburger, “Bioengineering models of cell signaling”, *Annu. Rev. Biomed. Eng.*, **2**: 31-53 (2000).
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- S. Neves and R. Iyengar, “Modeling of signaling networks”, *BioEssays*, **24**:1110-1117 (2002).
- M. Ptashne and A. Gann, **Genes & Signals**, CSHL Press (2002).
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- P. Smolen, D.A. Baxter, and J.H. Byrne, “Modeling transcriptional control in gene networks – methods, recent results, and future directions”, *Bull. Math. Biol.*, **62**:247-292 (2000).

- J.J. Tyson, A. Csikasz-Nagy, and B. Novak, “The dynamics of cell cycle regulation”, *Bioessays*, **24**(12):1095-1109 (2002).
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### **Relevant WWW sites**

1. <http://www.systems-biology.org/>
2. <http://www.systemsbiology.org/>
3. <http://csbi.mit.edu/>
4. <http://www.sbw-sbml.org/>
5. <http://www.iscb.org/>
6. <http://molbio.info.nih.gov/molbio/>
7. <http://www.ecocyc.com>
8. <http://www.kegg.com>

## COURSE OUTLINE AND TIMETABLE

<u>Lecture #</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Topics</u>
1	Mar 30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Course overview and logistics</b></li> </ul>
2-6	Apr 1 Apr 6 Apr 8 Apr 13 Apr 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Overview of cellular regulation</b></li> <li>❑ Central dogma</li> <li>❑ Genome sequences</li> <li>❑ Genome expression</li> <li>❑ Genomic circuits</li> <li>❑ Protein/Metabolic/Signaling networks</li> <li>❑ High throughput biological data</li> <li>❑ Biological databases</li> </ul>
7-11	Apr 20 Apr 22 Apr 27 Apr 29 May 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Math modeling and systems analysis tools</b></li> <li>❑ Modeling strategies</li> <li>❑ Boolean models</li> <li>❑ Nonlinear ODE models</li> <li>❑ Discrete stochastic models</li> <li>❑ Systems biology modeling packages</li> <li>❑ Network analysis – robustness, identifiability</li> <li>❑ Design of experiment issues</li> </ul>
12	May 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Project proposals – in-class presentations</b></li> </ul>
13-14	May 11 May 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Case Study: bacterial chemotaxis</b></li> <li>❑ <b>Case Study: lambda phage</b></li> </ul>
15-16	May 18 May 20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Case Study: circadian rhythm</b></li> </ul>
17-18	May 25 May 27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Case Study: caspase signaling cascade</b></li> <li>❑ <b>Case Study: pap pili phase variation</b></li> </ul>
19	Jun 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Summary, review, and trends</b></li> </ul>
20	Jun 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ <b>Final project presentations</b></li> </ul>