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course:
  name: BioMI 1100: The Microbiology of College Life
   instructor:
     name: Kathleen Hefferon
      email: klh22@cornell.edu
     office: Wing Hall 106
  office_hours:
     instructor:
        day: Mondays
         time: 4-5pm
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  lectures:
     days:
        Monday
        Wednesday
        Friday
      time: 12:20 - 1:10pm
     location: Uris Hall G01
  textbook: Stearns et al. 'Microbiology for Dummies'
  course_description: Microbial habitats are literally everywhere on a college campus. This class explores
  microbiology and microbial ecology as it relates to the college campus environment.
  learning_objectives:
     Demonstrate understanding of core microbiology concepts.
     Recognize differences between pathogens, opportunists, and non-pathogenic microorganisms.
     Describe how microorganisms facilitate major biogeochemical cycles.
     Apply the scientific method and use objective observation.
     Explain fundamental concepts of microbiology in written and oral formats.
  grading:
     midterm 1: 10%
      midterm_2: 10%
     final_exam: 25%
     attendance_participation: 25%
     homework_assignments: 20% on Canvas
     wikipedia_assignment: 10%
  modules:
     title: Introduction
      lectures:
        date: Mon Jan 22
         title: Welcome and Overview
        date: Wed Jan 24
         title: Zits and Dandruff
        date: Fri Jan 26
         title: Critical Thinking online minicourse
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title: The Microbiology of Growing Up lectures:
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date: Mon Jan 29title: Head licedate: Wed Jan 31

title: Dental plaque and bad breath!

date: Fri Feb 2

title: How to read a science paper, bacterial diversity

exams:

midterm_1:

date: Wed Feb 21 activity: No Activity!

midterm_2:

date: Wed Mar 27
activity: No Activity!

final_exam: date: TBA assignments:

homework: Each week during lecture, the instructor will assign multiple choice/short answer questions on Canvas.

wikipedia: There will be one short written assignment (Wikipedia), which can be performed as a group or individually.

late_work_policy: Students are strongly encouraged to ensure on-time submission of assignments. Late submissions are penalized.

attendance_policy: Attendance is highly recommended. You may miss a total of 2 discussion periods without penalty.

integrity_policy: Sharing of materials from previous years is not permitted. Work presented in other courses is not acceptable.

mental_health_support: The instructors, teaching assistants, and the university care about your wellbeing. Seek support if needed.