LIFS 6114A

Current Topics in Biotechnology and Traditional Chinese Medicine

1. Course description

This course will expose postgraduate students to selected current topics in Biotechnology and Traditional Chinese Medicine. This course may be repeated for credits. Graded P or F.

2. Learning outcomes

On successful completion of the course, students will be able to:

1. Describe the current research findings in the area of Biotechnology and Traditional Chinese Medicine.

2. Evaluate and analyze information relevant to Biotechnology and Traditional Chinese Medicine systematically.

3. Exchange research information/ideas, communicate and explain information/ideas in the area of Biotechnology and Traditional Chinese Medicine.

4. Present research and scientific topics in an organized and rational manner, effectively use data and scientific principles to support rational conclusions and defend them in the discussion part of the presentation.

3. Date/Time: 5:00 PM-6:50 PM (Wednesday)

4. Venue: Rm 1032, LSK Bldg (45)

5. Course instructors:

Prof. Raymond Wan Keung WONG (WK) (Course coordinator) (Ext. 7299, E-mail: bcwkrw@ust.hk)

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6. Course Assessment

The grading system of the course is P/F, mainly based on class attendance and participation. The minimum

Attendance requirement is 70% of scheduled classes. The students are expected to be active participants during each class period.

7. Schedule

Date	Lecture	Instructor
Sept. 6th	Brief introduction	WK
Sept.13th	Student presentation (1-1)	WK
Sept. 20th	Student presentation (1-2)	WK
Sept. 27th	Student presentation (2-1)	KC
Oct. 4th	Student presentation (2-2)	RK
Oct. 11th	Student presentation (3-1)	KC
Oct. 18th	Student presentation (3-2)	RK
Oct. 25th	Student presentation (4-1)	NL
Nov. 1st	Student presentation (4-2)	NL
Nov. 8th	Student presentation (5-1)	CL
Nov. 15th	Student presentation (5-2)	CL
Nov. 22nd	Student presentation (6-1)	KT
Nov. 29th	Student presentation (6-2)	KT