MBIO 4010/4020 IMMUNOLOGY January-April 2012.

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Textbooks: There is no required textbook, but two optional books are available at the Bookstore: Kuby Immunology (6th Ed, by Kindt, Goldsby and Osborne, W.H. Freeman & Co. publishers) and Immunology - A Short Course (5th Ed.) Benjamini, Coico and Sunshine

TOPICS (Chapters Based on Kuby Immunology)

- 1. Introduction/ Innate vs Acquired Immunity (Ch 1 and 3)
- 2. Antibodies as Tools (Ch 6)
- 3. Cells and Organs Involved in the Immune Response (Ch 2)
- 4. Antigens (Ch 4)
- 5. HIV and AIDS brief overview from an immunological perspective (1 lecture, Ch 20 and review papers)
- 6. Immunoglobulins (Ch 4)
- 7. Immunoglobulin Genes (Ch 5)
- 8. T Cell Receptors structure and genetics (Ch 9 and 10)
- 9. Major Histocompatibility Complex MHC structure and genetics (Ch 8)
- 10. Cytokines (Ch 12)
- 11. B and T Cell Development and Activation (Ch 9 and 10)
- 12. Autoimmune disease mechanisms and immunological approaches to treatment (1 lecture; Ch 16 and review papers)
- 13. Allergy (Ch 15 and review papers)

Guest lectures Dr. Julia Rempel (Immunology - Hepatitis C and Type 2 Diabetes); Dr. Neeloffer Mookherjee (Immunology - Proteomics/Systems Biology, Chronic Inflammation); Dr. Rodriguez-LeCompte (Animal Science – Avian Immunology)

Assessment for final grade in the course:

	4010	4020	Date
Laboratory	20%	n/a	
Assignment (4020)	n/a	10%	Tues., Feb. 21 (by 11:59 pm; on
Angel)			
Assignment (all)	5%	5%	Mon., Mar. 26 (by 11:59 pm; on Angel)
Short quiz (1/2 class)	7%	7%	Thurs., Feb. 9
Long Quiz (full class)	18%	28%	Thurs. Mar. 8
Final Exam	50%	50%	(set by Student Records Office)
(VW date - March 16)			

There are no deferred quizzes - if you miss a quiz, the marks will be added to the final exam.

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