

BIOL508

Topics in Neuroscience

BIOL508 will meet once a week online at:

<https://uidaho.zoom.us/j/7610897462>

From 1-2 on Tuesdays.

Students will take turns presenting papers from the primary literature.

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Class expectations:

Presentation weeks: Students will identify and distribute a primary literature paper at least one week before the week in which they will present. The presenter will prepare a presentation to facilitate discussion of the manuscript (i.e., a PPT presentation). The presenter should arrive at least 15 minutes before class begins to set up their presentation to ensure that class begins on time. The presenter will lead the class through the work with a focus on methodology, discovery and impact.

Non-presentation weeks: Students are expected to attend the sessions, having read and considered the manuscript beforehand. Student input is essential to the course and will be expected. Absences are discouraged. More than two missed sessions will be grounds for an incomplete in the course.

Grading: grading is pass fail. In order to pass a student should complete assignments in both the presentation and non-presentation weeks format.