

01:694:215 and 01:694:316 Honors Introduction to Research in Molecular Biology

What does “synchronous/asynchronous” mean for this course? When are expected and/or required to be online? Will there be regular deadlines for assignments/quizzes/etc. during the week?

In Fall 2020 the course will be given in an asynchronous manner. All of the content will be posted in videos and lecture notes on the course Canvas. Students will be expected to work through the chapters and take review quizzes on their own. There will be at least two 80 minute discussion periods each week where we will quickly review the content and then work through problems. These discussion sections will be recorded.

When and how will help be provided?

Dr. Vershon’s official hours are 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM (East Coast time) Tuesdays using the meeting software in Canvas. However, since the best time to ask questions and get help is during the online portions of the class. Students may also post their questions on the Chat tool on Canvas. We will regularly monitor this several times a day. We are available on-line at some points on nights and weekends. Students may also email or call us to make an appointment if you have problems or questions.