

Semester Class Schedule

Date	Topic (including assigned student topics)		Presenter	
January 25, 2017	Introduction to BIOMS 5665	Intergroup dialogue group discussion	Course Instructors	Jum Warritay, Cornell SITE faculty
February 8, 2017 <i>Class theme: Nature vs. Nurture</i>	Cancer Genetics	Nutrition and Cancer: non-genetic determinants of cancer	Lucia Borile & Darshil Patel	Robert Swanda & Korie Grayson
February 22, 2017 <i>Class theme: History of Cancer</i>	How to create public science vlog posts	Cancer History and its role in Human Evolution	Dr. Jon McKenzie, Visiting Arts and Sciences Professor	Michael McCoy & Molly O'Shea & Alexa Uribe
March 8, 2017 <i>Class theme: Public communication of science</i>	Interpersonal and professional communication skills for scientists		Dr. Kristen Eichhorn, SUNY Oswego	
March 22, 2017 <i>Class theme: The Environment and Cancer</i>	Political engagement by academic scientists		Dr. Sandra Steingraber, Ithaca College	
April 12, 2017 <i>Class theme: Cancer Advocacy</i>	Grief in the cancer context		Dr. Holly Prigerson, Weill Cornell Medicine	
April 26, 2017 <i>Class theme: The biology of cancer formation and spread</i>	The development of a tumor: tumorigenesis	The metastatic cascade	Kristel Yee Mon & Johana Uribe	Jessica Elmore
May 10, 2017 <i>Class theme: Translational Science</i>	Personal Medicine and Biomarkers	Cancer Immunotherapy	Jeremy Keys	Rob McDonald

Presentation format: Presenters can choose an additional student to work with them, as long as all 7 presentations are accounted for. Each group must contain one PhD student. Each presentation should be prepared to last no more than 30 minutes.