

CSE 130

Technical Presentation

Spring 2010 • Tu 12:10 pm – 1:00 pm • Packard Lab 360

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Textbook *The Craft of Scientific Presentations*, Michael Alley, Springer, ISBN 978-0387955551.

Blackboard Course materials will be available @ <http://ci.lehigh.edu>

Grading

- Attendance and peer critiques = 25% of final grade
- Short presentations (3 @ 4 minutes) = 25% of final grade
- Long presentation (8 minutes) = 25% of final grade
- Research paper (6 pages) = 25% of final grade

Important Notes PowerPoint slides must be uploaded to Blackboard by 11:45 am on the day of your presentation.
 Missing a class will result in a score of “0” for all of the work in question for that date.

Week	Topics	Readings	Other Activities
Jan. 18	No class – Prof. Lopresti away	Alley 1	
Jan. 25	<i>Course Intro</i> “The Invention of the Genetic Code”	Alley 2 (first half) Brian Hayes article from <i>American Scientist</i>	
Feb. 1	<i>Setting Goals</i> Short presentations Ia (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 2 (second half)	
Feb. 8	<i>Presentation Structure 1</i> Short presentations Ib (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 3 (first half)	
Feb. 15	<i>Presentation Structure 2</i> Short presentations Ic (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 3 (second half)	
Feb. 22	<i>Visual Aids 1</i> Short presentations IIa (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 4 (first half)	
Mar. 1	<i>Visual Aids 2</i> Short presentations IIb (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 4 (second half)	
Mar. 8	No class – spring break		
Mar. 15	<i>Style and Delivery 1</i> Short presentations IIc (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 5 (first half)	
Mar. 22	<i>Style and Delivery 2</i> Short presentations IIIa (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 5 (second half)	
Mar. 29	<i>Technical Writing</i> Short presentations IIIb (5 @ 4 minutes)	Alley 6	
Apr. 5	<i>Scientific Paper Review Process</i> Short presentations IIIc (5 @ 4 minutes)		Draft papers due April 5 @ 5:00 pm
Apr. 12	Long presentations Ia (5 @ 8 minutes)		Feedback to you by April 12 @ 5:00 pm
Apr. 19	Long presentations Ib (5 @ 8 minutes)		
Apr. 26	Long presentations Ic (5 @ 8 minutes)		Revised papers due April 30 @ 5:00 pm

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