BME 178 Syllabus (tentative), Winter Quarter 2017 Tuesday/Thursday 3.20 – 4.55 pm, Baskin Engineering 372

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Class #	Date	<u>Lecture</u>
1	Jan 10	Intro: what are stem cells?
2	Jan 12	Hematopoietic stem cells I
3	Jan 17	Hematopoietic stem cells II
4	Jan 19	Regenerative medicine: Hematopoietic transplantation therapies
5	Jan 24	Experimental bone marrow transplantation
6	Jan 26	Early development, embryonic stem cells, and transgenic technologies
7	Jan 31	Stem cells and DNA repair
8	Feb 2	Midterm I
9	Feb 7	Epigenetics
10	Feb 9	Reprogramming and iPS cells
11	Feb 14	IncRNAs in reprogramming
12	Feb 16	Stem cells and cancer I
13	Feb 21	Stem cells and cancer II
14	Feb 23	Tissue-specific stem cells I
15	Feb 28	Midterm II
16	Mar 2	Stem cells to cure cancer
17	Mar 7	Ethical considerations in stem cell research
18	Mar 9	Student Debate
19	Mar 14	Gene therapy
20	Mar 16	Aging and degenerative disease
-	Mar 20	Final Exam, 4-7 pm (Monday)