

SS4846A/SS9846A Course Outline

1. Course Information

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Learning Outcomes

5. Methods of Evaluation

The overall course grade will be calculated as listed below:

Assignments (3)	_15_ %
Test #1	_25_ %
Test #2	_25_ %
Final group project	_25_ %
Presentation	_10_ %

Three assignments are due in class on

Oct. 5
Nov. 7
Nov. 28

Two tests in class (closed-book test, one letter-size double-sided help sheet is allowed, a non-programmable calculator is needed. Devices such as a cell phone cannot be used as a calculator in the tests)

Test #1: Oct. 21 (F: 9:30-10:20am)
Test #2: Nov. 30 (W: 9:30-10:20am)

Project Presentations

Each group has 15 minutes for presentation
In classes on Dec. 2, 5, 7, 2022
Group membership will be randomly assigned
Group order will also be randomly assigned

Final group project due

Dec. 12, 11:59pm (Canadian Eastern Time)

Course-specific conditions that are required to pass the course:

Accommodated Evaluations

Late assessments without illness reports will be counted 0

Late assessments with illness reports should be submitted within 24 hours of submission of the last illness report

No make-up tests. The weight of the test will be redistributed to the other assessments

If the two tests are missed, the student will receive an incomplete (INC) in the course grade. The student will get assessment from the next time the course is offered.

Rounding of Marks Statement

Across the Sciences Undergraduate Education programs, we strive to maintain high standards that reflect the effort that both students and faculty put into the teaching and learning experience during this course. All students will be treated equally and evaluated based only on their actual achievement. ***Final***

grades on this course, irrespective of the number of decimal places used in marking individual assignments and tests, will be calculated to one decimal place and rounded to the nearest integer, e.g., 74.4 becomes 74, and 74.5 becomes 75. Marks **WILL NOT** be bumped to the next grade or GPA, e.g. a 79 will **NOT** be bumped up to an 80, an 84 **WILL NOT** be bumped up to an 85, etc. The mark attained is the mark you achieved, and the mark assigned; requests for mark “bumping” will be denied.

the centrally administered e-mail account provided to students will be considered the individual's official university e-mail address. It is the responsibility of the account holder to ensure that e-mail received from the University at their official university address is attended to in a timely manner.

A non-programmable calculator is needed in the tests. Other devices such as cell phones cannot be used as calculator in the tests.

Scholastic offences are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at the following Web site:

http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/scholastic_discipline_undergrad.pdf.

9. Support Services

Please visit the Science & Basic Medical Sciences Academic Counselling webpage for information on adding/dropping courses, academic considerations for absences, appeals, exam conflicts, and many other academic related matters: <https://www.uwo.ca/sci/counselling/>.

Students who are in emotional/mental distress should refer to Mental Health@Western (<https://uwo.ca/health/>) for a complete list of options about how to obtain help.

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