Developmental Genetics
GMS 6013

Meeting time: Tuesday and Thursday 10:00-11:30 AM.

Location: Cancer/Genetics 436

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Course objective: Students will develop an in depth understanding of topics in Developmental Biology.

Format for course: Each class will consist of a lecture by the instructors followed by a discussion of the assigned reading for that day. ALL students are expected to do the reading BEFORE class, and to be prepared to discuss the paper. To facilitate a rich intellectual exchange during the discussion, each student must submit a written summary (5 sentences max) of the paper along with 2 questions (or critical comments) that arose from your reading of the paper. We will share these questions/comments in class. Class attendance is mandatory. Students requesting classroom accommodation must first register with the Dean of Students Office. The Dean of Students Office will provide documentation to the student who must then provide this documentation to the Instructor when requesting accommodation. There are no texts books for this course. All readings will be from journal articles that will be provided prior to the lectures.

Grading system: The grade for this class will be determined by your performance on the presentation, your contribution to discussions throughout the class, and submission of the paper summaries and 2 questions/comments.

Office hours: Students should email either Dr. Harfe or Dr. Cohn to meet with them outside of class.