PSYCHOLOGY B65 SPRING 1996

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Date	Topic	Book Chapters
Jan 10	Introduction, overview of CNS organization, anatomy, development and evolution.	1, 3, 21
17	Function of the cerebral hemispheres, brain vascular supply, cerebral ventricles, cerebral coverings.	3
24	Neurological techniques and brain disorders (ischemia, tumors, hematomas, closed head injury, infections, M.S.).	4, 24
31	Neuronal functioning, epilepsy, transmitter substances.	4
Feb 7	Mechanisms of drug action, psychopharmacology of neural stimulants.	5
14	Psychopharmacology of drug action, depressants, opiates, and hallucinogens	5
28	Winter Conference on Neural Plasticity - classes cancelled.	
Mar 6	Mid-Term Exam	
13	Sensory and motor systems and disorders	11, 12
20	Cerebral dominance and the neuropsychology of language	9, 10, 15
27	Neuropsychology of brain damage and language: The aphasias.	17
Apr 3	Psychiatric and degenerative disorders	25
10	Neuropsychology of learning and memory, frontal and temporal lobe syndromes	13, 14, 16

There will be two exams, a mid-term and a final, each worth 50% of the final mark. Makeup exams will only be given with a note from a physician, otherwise a "0" will be recorded for that exam. Note: the final exam is cumulative.

Required text: Fundamentals of Human Neuropsychology, Fourth Edition, by Kolb & Wishaw.