PSYCHOLOGY B65S SUMMER 2006

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

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Date	Topic	Book Chapters
May 8	Introduction, overview of CNS organization, anatomy, development and evolution.	1, 13
15	Function of the cerebral hemispheres, brain vascular supply, cerebral ventricles, cerebral coverings.	4
22	Neurological techniques and brain disorders (ischemia, tumors, hematomas, closed head injury, infections, M.S.)	3, 14
29	Neuronal function, epilepsy, transmitter substances	2, 14
June 5	Sensory and motor systems and disorders.	5, 6
12	Psychiatric and degenerative disorders	12, 13, 14
19	Mechanisms of drug action, psychopharmacology of neural stimulants.	7
26	Mid-term test requested. Exact date to be scheduled by the Registrar. When available, this date will be posted to the INTRANET	
July 3	Reading Week	
10	Psychopharmacology of drug action, depressants, opiates, and hallucinogens.	8
17	Cerebral dominance and the neuropsychology of language.	9
24	Neuropsychology of brain damage and language: The aphasias.	9
31	Neuropsychology of learning and memory, frontal and temporal lobe syndromes	7, 8, 10, 11

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. Please use only the medical note available for download at www.utsc.utoronto.ca/~registrar/. The mid-term test will not include the lecture or readings scheduled on June 19.

Note: the final exam is cumulative on all lecture material but not cumulative on the text. The date of the final exam will be scheduled by the Registrar.

Required Text: Cognitive Neuroscience and Neuropsychology (2nd Edition) by Marie Banich. Please note: This is the same text that has been used in the past for this course and new and used copies are available in the bookstore.