

Chem 30A Fall 2004
Very Tentative Class Schedule

Week 0	F	Oct 01			Introduction
Week 1	M	Oct 04		Ch 1	Structure and Bonding
	W	Oct 06		Ch 1	Structure and Bonding
	F	Oct 08		Ch 1	Structure and Bonding
Week 2	M	Oct 11		Ch 2	Molecular Dynamics
	W	Oct 13	Quiz 1	Ch 2	Molecular Dynamics
	F	Oct 15		Ch 3	Stereochemistry
Week 3	M	Oct 18		Ch 3	Stereochemistry
	W	Oct 20		Ch 4	Organic Acids & Bases
	F	Oct 22		Ch 4	Organic Acids & Bases
Week 4	M	Oct 25		Ch 4	Organic Acids & Bases
	W	Oct 27	Midterm 1		
	F	Oct 29		Ch 8	Nucleophilic Substitution
Week 5	M	Nov 01		Ch 8	Nucleophilic Substitution
	W	Nov 03		Ch 8	Nucleophilic Substitution
	F	Nov 05		Ch 8	Nucleophilic Substitution
Week 6	M	Nov 08		Ch 8	Nucleophilic Substitution
	W	Nov 10	Quiz 2	Ch 8	Nucleophilic Substitution
	F	Nov 12		Ch 8	Nucleophilic Substitution
Week 7	M	Nov 15		Ch 8	Elimination Reactions
	W	Nov 17		Ch 8	Elimination Reactions
	F	Nov 19		Ch 5,6,10	Electrophilic Addition to Alkenes
Week 8	M	Nov 22	Midterm 2		
	W	Nov 24		Ch 5,6,10	Electrophilic Addition to Alkenes
	F	Nov 26	<i>Thanksgiving</i>		
Week 9	M	Nov 29		Ch 5,6,10	Electrophilic Addition to Alkenes
	W	Dec 01		Ch 5,6,10	Electrophilic Addition to Alkenes
	F	Dec 03		Ch 7	Radical Reactions
Week 10	M	Dec 06		Ch 7	Radical Reactions
	W	Dec 08	Quiz 3		Catch Up Day
	F	Dec 10			Review & Evaluations
Final	F	Dec 17 (11:30 am – 2:30 pm): Location to be determined			

Miscellaneous

Textbook: Brown & Foote, Organic Chemistry, 3rd Edition

Reading: Reading the textbook is highly recommended; a light survey of upcoming material, in addition to a thorough study of material just presented, is encouraged.

Homework: Regular undertaking of practice problems from the book will reinforce what you hear in the lectures – a good point for discussion with TAs and the Professor.

Quizzes: 15 min, total 20% of final grade, closed book, start at 9 am in class, **no make-up quizzes**.

Midterms: 50 min, total 40% of final grade, closed book, start at 9 am in class, **no make-up midterms**.

Final Exam: ~2.5 hrs, counts 40% of final grade, closed book, comprehensive (all topics discussed in class may be included in the final exam), **no make-up final exam**.

Grades: Grades will be based on the complete course. Good individual performance on the final exam, however, could enhance your final letter grade.

Regrades: Written requests only, and remember, your grade could go UP or DOWN.

Chem 30A
Chemical Dynamics and Reactivity: Introduction to Organic Chemistry
Fall 2004

MWF – 9 AM – CS50

Instructor: Stuart Cantrill (Young Hall 3077D); cantrill@chem.ucla.edu

Office Hours: MW 4–5 pm in 3077F Young Hall, or by appointment, beginning Oct 4th

Virtual Office Hours: see <http://voh.chem.ucla.edu>

Class Website: <http://www.chem.ucla.edu/~cantrill/teaching.htm>

TAs: (All office hours in 3077F Young Hall)

Adam Braunschweig	(abraunsc@chem.ucla.edu);	office hours:	M 8 am / W 3 pm
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Cari Pentecost	(cari@chem.ucla.edu);	office hours:	R 8 am / R 9 am
Heather Shepherd	(hshepher@chem.ucla.edu);	office hours:	R 10 am / R 11 am

Discussion Sections: Please be consistent as to which discussion sections you attend.
Quizzes and midterms will be returned to you by your TAs in discussion section.

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Assessment: 3 Quizzes, 2 Midterms, and 1 Final: **All unexcused absences will count as zero.**

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Impacted! Chem 30A is an impacted class. The last day to drop this class is Friday of Week 2 (Oct 15th). For more details, see: <http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/soc/impact.htm>

Exam Policy: (i) You will not need a calculator for any of the quizzes, midterms, or indeed the final exam. Furthermore, the use of any other handheld electronic devices (cell phones, PDAs, etc.) during any of these examinations is strictly forbidden. Anyone seen using such an item during an exam will automatically receive a score of ZERO for that exam.

(ii) We have the right to ask for your ID at any time during any exam. We may choose to check all IDs in the room, or to spot-check some of them during the exam.

(iii) There should be nothing on your desk other than your exam script and the writing implements you need to complete it (and your ID if requested).

(iv) After you have been told to STOP writing, you must do this immediately, and pass your exam to the nearest aisle. If the instructor or TA see anyone writing after the instruction to stop, your exam will be marked as 'LATE' and points will be deducted.