

***CAMOSUN COLLEGE - CHEMISTRY & GEOSCIENCE DEPARTMENT***

***APPLIED CHEMISTRY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY PROGRAM***

**Chemistry 106 - ACB Seminar 2**

***Class Outline***

This course involves biweekly seminars or workshops focusing on instructional application of verbal communication skills. Students will receive instruction in the preparation and delivery of scientific talks and, working in pairs, will prepare and present one ten-minute seminar on a scientific topic relevant to the Applied Chemistry and Biotechnology Program

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As posted on Jamie's office door.

Open door policy: Whenever my door is open, feel free to talk with me.

Appointments: Appointments can be scheduled at other times.

**Course offering**

Semester

Winter, 2003

Credits

0.5

In-class workload

1 hour every other week

Out-of-class workload

1 hour every other week

**Course time and location**

Wednesday, 12:30 to 1:20.

Notices of seminar topics, speakers, and room numbers will be posted in advance on the ACB Bulletin Board located on the Third Floor of the Fisher Building.

## Course evaluation

Attendance is **mandatory**. No more than one seminar can be missed without an acceptable reason submitted in writing (e.g. a note from medical doctor).

Attendance and Participation: 40 %

Seminar Presentation: 60%

*Information concerning the preparation of a ten-minute, powerpoint-based, seminar presentation will be provided in class.*

## Intended Learning Outcome

Students will be able to prepare and deliver a seminar presentation on a scientific topic in a ten-minute format typical of that used at scientific meetings and conferences.

## Grade scale

The percentage marks for the course will be converted to letter grades according to the grading system published in the current edition of the Camosun College Calendar.

A+ = 95% to 100%	B- = 70% to 74%
A = 90% to 94%	C+ = 65% to 69%
A- = 85% to 89%	C = 60% to 64%
B+ = 80% to 84%	D = 50% to 59%
B = 75% to 79%	F = 0% to 49%