

BIOCEP-624: MASTER SEMINAR FOR BioCEP**(3 ECTS, 4 MC)**

Course Description and Syllabus

Basic Information

Type of Course	Seminar
Term	2 nd semester
Expected no. of participants	< 20
Language	English
Hours per week in term	4 hr/week for seminar presentations

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The Master Seminar is designed to guide and support students individually and in depth in the conception, development and fine tuning of their project idea or research topic. The seminar will also foster collaboration and mutual support among the students. It will also serve as a first socialization to professional skills and responsibilities such as discussing or reviewing other people's work and to practice presentation skills. It will also be the platform to share the experience of the internship.

The seminar may be a forum for discussing the thesis process, refining research questions, and presenting work in progress. Students may update one another on their progress or present or discuss tasks they complete for the thesis. Students may share their positive and negative experiences and, help one another negotiate them. Other times meetings may be structured as a workshop where participants ask probing questions or provide constructive feedback on the writing or presentations of other participants.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon successful completion of this course students will:

- have presented their project idea, thesis topic or internship experience to their peers
- be able to engage in the discussion of another students' work
- critically evaluate own work and answer questions
- gain confidence in expressing yourself in English.

TEACHING METHOD

Presentation by the students followed by a session of discussion. Students will present their project ideas, thesis topic or the experience of their internship.

CLASS ATTENDANCE

Students are expected to attend regularly to the class. Students need 75% of total attendance for successfully completion of the course.

GRADING

Grades are based on credit/no credit.