Syllabus for CHEM504500 PROTEIN STRUCTURE AND CHEMISTRY, Spring 2024

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Lecture:

Time: T3T4R2 Room: CHEM R326 Method: Lecture, 3 credits

Course Outline:

Part I (JCH) Feb. 20 ~ Mar. 26, 2024

- Protein chemistry
    - Overview of amino acid chemistry and properties
    - Peptide/protein sequence analysis
    - Peptide synthesis
    - Chemical ligation

Part II (CWL) Mar. 28 ~ Jun. 11, 2024

- Protein structure
    - Secondary structures
    - Common structure motif
    - Noncovalent interactions in proteins
    - Protein aggregations
- Basic principles of protein folding
- Membrane protein
    - Overview of membrane protein
    - Transport
    - Enzymatic activities
    - Signal transduction
    - Intercellular junctions
    - Cell-cell recognition
    - Cell shape
    - Membrane dynamics

Note:

Course information and materials are available on the NTHU **eeclass** platform.

Grading:

Part I (35%)

Homework	10%
One exam	25%

- 2024/3/26 (Tue)

Part II (65%)

Homework	15%
Two exams	25% × 2

- 2023/4/30 (Tue) & 2023/6/11 (Tue)

References:

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- A. Fersht (1999), *Structure and Mechanism in Protein Science*.
- S.M. Hecht (Ed.) (1998), *Bioorganic Chemistry: Peptides and Proteins*.
- W.C. Chan & P.D. White (Ed.) (2000), *Fmoc Solid Phase Peptide Synthesis: A Practical Approach*.