Syllabus Phys-302 Physics of Biological Systems

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Syllabus

| Week | Topic |
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| 1 | Population genetics 1 |
| 2 | Population genetics 2 |
| 3 | Population genetics 3 |
| 4 | Population genetics 4 |
| 5 | Sequence alignments, extreme value distributions |
| 6 | Random graphs |
| 7 | Hopfield networks |
| 8 | Synchronization |
| 9 | Turing patterning |
| 10 | Microtubule growth, dynamic instability |
| 11 | Chemical kinetics modeling |
| 12 | Kinetic proofreading |
| 13 | Final project presentations |
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Homework

4 graded homework sets

Final project topics

- Present any paper from https://www.epfl.ch/labs/lpbs/teaching/
- Create protein-antibody fusions that assemble into interesting structures