

## COURSE DETAIL

### BIOINFORMATICS

**Country**

Hong Kong

**Host Institution**

University of Hong Kong

**Program(s)**

University of Hong Kong

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Computer Science

**UCEAP Course Number**

153

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

BIOINFORMATICS

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

BIOINFORMATICS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.30

## Course Description

This course provides a grounding in basic bioinformatics algorithms, tools, and databases. The course also provides hands-on bioinformatics analysis experience and the ability to conduct independent bioinformatics analyses. Topics: algorithms, especially those for sequence alignment and assembly, which comprise the foundation of the rapid development of bioinformatics and DNA sequencing; leading bioinformatics tools for comparing and analyzing genomes starting from raw sequencing data; the functions and organization of a few essential bioinformatics databases and how they support various types of bioinformatics analysis.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

COMP3353

## Host Institution Course Title

BIOINFORMATICS

## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Computer Science

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