

## PHYSICS SEMINAR, PHYS 3280, SPRING 2019

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**Lectures:** UGLC 234, W 4:30 pm – 5:50 pm **Term:** Jan 22, 2019 - May 09, 2019

**Course:** PHYS 3280 **CRN:** 24467

### Learning goals

This course is designed for students to learn oral presentation skills. Students will do oral presentations and prepare a formal written paper on topics from the physics literature or from undergraduate research projects.

### Course structure

There is no prescribed syllabus for this course. Faculty members and PhD/MS students from the department will be invited to deliver short presentations in the class where they would describe their research theme or a recent publication. You are then required to identify upto 5 concepts from the talk and then present them in the next class. Finally, each of you would prepare a half-page document about what you understood from each talk and the major concepts. The report must be prepared in LaTeX. As we progress, each one of you will be asked to deliver a presentation based on your own research topic (if you are working in a lab or doing research projects) or on a topic related to physics.

### Disability statement

If you have a disability please contact Center for Accommodations and Support Services (CASS)

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Without CASS documentation, no accommodations can be made. Please take care of this before the first exam.

### Military Statement

If you are a military student with the potential of being called to military service and/or training during the course of the semester, you are encouraged to contact the instructor at the beginning of the semester.

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