

BE 4337: Regenerative Medicine
Fall 2018 Syllabus

Class schedule: MWF 8:30 - 9:20am

Text book: Appropriate research and review papers will be provided for each class.

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Course description: This course is designed to introduce technologies to regenerate tissues and organs utilizing stem cells and engineered biomaterials. Widely utilized and most advanced regenerative engineering technologies will be presented and discussed. Translational and clinical applications of engineered tissues will be discussed as well.

Course learning objectives: By the end of the course you should be able to do the following:

1. Understand the fundamental principles at the interface of biology and engineering
2. Define the gaps in knowledge in Regenerative Medicine by critically analyzing recent literatures
3. Work in multidisciplinary teams to communicate effectively with peers to prepare a microteaching (15 min.n-in.n-in.nC TJ15.45 0 Td(u)4 (b)-1 (m)4 (it a p)-2 (o)13 (tent

Date	Topics covered (provisional)
Week1	Course introduction Introduction to stem cell and regenerative medicine Embryonic stem cells (ESCs)
Week2	Human ESCs in regenerative medicine Current status of induced pluripotent stem cells (iPSCs) iPSCs (clinical applications)
Week3	MSCs (latest advances) Therapeutic applications of MSCs Stem cell bioengineering (PSC)
Week4	Stem cell bioengineering (MSC) Literature discussion (Stem cell and regenerative medicine) Review for Midterm 1
Week5	Midterm 1 Extracellular microenvironments (ECM)
Week6	Extracellular microenvironments (natural biomaterials) Extracellular microenvironments (synthetic biomaterials) Extracellular microenvironments (composite biomaterials) Organ fabrication via decellularization
Week7	Tissue fabrication (2D planar and hollow organs) Organ fabrication (3D and 4D bioprinting) Literature discussion (solid organ fabrication)
Week8	Vascular tissue engineering (blood-contacting biomaterials) Vascular tissue engineering (functional blood vessels) Cardiac tissue engineering (approaches)
Week9	Cardiac tissue engineering (cardiac patches) Cardiac tissue engineering (maturation of differentiating cardiomyocytes)
Week10	Use of large animal models and nonhuman primate models (CVTE)

