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RE: Structural Biology Group

Hi everyone,

With the upcoming holiday season and working on preparing for next year, there will not be a December meeting. **Meetings will resume in January. Per request, the new semester will start with a primer on PyMol and pdb files. We will cover the basic information in a pdb file, getting started with PyMol, and basic tools and wizards. The meeting will start at 3:30 PM in GMB 2007.**

The schedule will also adopt an alternating topic pattern, moving between more introductory and orientation topics targeted towards people new to structural biology, and more detailed treatments such as processing diffraction patterns and data collection.

The topics will be expanded to include more structural biology disciplines, starting with NMR and Cryo-EM. To that purpose, I am looking for speakers to introduce these topics, starting with the basics and the possible benefits, particularly to labs not currently utilizing them.

If you have any topics you would like to hear about or present, please contact me. Feedback has generally been positive, but to keep this moving forward I need to know what people would like to cover. Furthermore, I am looking for help in running the group. Someone else to help schedule, advertise, and contact people would be of great assistance. If you can contribute, please contact me.

Please remember to forward this e-mail to anyone you think may be interested or gain from attending and encourage your peers and students to attend.

Thank you,
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