

Semester group meeting (2). 7. semester

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Participants:

Maj Schneider Thomsen, BM profile coordinator and semester coordinator

Dorthe Skree, Study secretary

6 students – 4 MMA and 2 TM students. No BM students

Minutes by: Dorthe Skree

BM/TM/MMA: Evaluation of courses

- **TM:** current research course is very good.

- **MMA:** Quality development and patient safety:

The learning objectives are not specific.

KVT students have following comment for the course:

Difficult to find out what is important for the course.

Generally very unstructured in terms of reading literature and preparation. Material are rarely posted at Moodle, and they do not have an overview of what literature is relevant. Maybe it is forgotten, that there are students from KVT, as it is often taken for granted that MedIS students know the different things.

Students from KVT don't get the messages regarding cancellations

- **BM/TM:** Genomic, proteomic, and Bioinformatic:

The teaching in proteomics is confusing, and the teaching does not fit an exam without aids.

The learning objectives for proteomics are not on Moodle.

- **BM/TM:** Molecular and Cellular Methods in Biomedicine:

Many of the student presentations were with the same subject, and it is suggested that this could be optimized.

One of the teachers were not interested in teaching, and for a lecture of 4 x 45 minutes, the teacher was only present for half an hour. And the next day the teacher was very angry for some unknown reason.

- **BM/TM:** Safety course:

The students find it a waste of time, because they have already had it on the 4th. Semester. So perhaps it should only be for the new foreign students.

Not all TM students feel that it is necessary for them to participate since they are not going to be in the lab.

Messages from coordinator

- Statens seruminstitut have a “Biosafety” course. Semester coordinator will send out on Moodle for further information regarding this.

Projects

- MMA: There are discrepancies in the content of the projects that were offered for the MMA students.

E.g. Aalborg Kommune has already started the project which was in the catalog for the MMA students. But Aalborg Kommune does not think academically, and they need facts.

Perhahaps they need more clarity on what a collaborator can expect.

TM: Not enough only TM projects in the catalog, the students don't want to chose a TM/BM project

A.O.B.

- The semester secretary informed about the written exams, that it is the students responsibility to ensure that they have a computer that is fully updated to be doing the exam.

This was send out on Moodle for all students:

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