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Meeting time: Fridays, 2:20–3:10 PM in Lafayette L-210.

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Always free to make an appointment.

Course description: We are spending the semester addressing a key skill for chemistry majors—the presentation of data in written form. Whether it is your data or not, it is important that you can clearly present the data and provide some assessment of its value.

The plan is to use the semester to selected and build your skills in finding, understanding, and writing about the chemical literature. This requires ample outside reading as well as some discussion. Finally, learning to write requires practice, which we will do a couple of different ways.

Learning goals: The goal of this course is for students to find information in the chemical literature, give some assessment on the value of that information, and disseminate that analysis in written form. Therefore, we need

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