

MS 3's: Requires Course Director's approval on Course Preference form

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<b>Faculty In Charge Of Course:</b>	Len Cleary, Ph.D.
<b>Participating Faculty:</b>	None
<b>Location:</b>	Human Structure Facility, Medical School
<b>Offered:</b>	October - April
<b>Max. # Students/Period:</b>	2

**Course Objective****Material Covered:**

Students will dissect one region of the body in order to illustrate a topic of clinical interest. For example, one could attempt to simulate a specific surgical procedure. The extent of the procedure will be determined by the specific project. If necessary, a supplemental dissection will be required.

**Skills Acquired:**

Students will be required to document their dissection with a digital camera, and use a computer to annotate the images and incorporate them into presentations. In addition, students will summarize their final presentation as a poster.

**Activities Of Elective****Student Time Allocation:**

Place of Activity:	Laboratory 50% and library/reading 50%
Who supervises:	Independent study; lab staff will be available

**Scheduled Duties Of Student:**

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Weekly schedule of required teaching sessions:	Total of 20 hours/week in elective
Other required activities:	Students will meet on the first class day of the period for orientation, and one day per week (1-3 PM) for oral presentations. Students will document their daily activity on a course wiki. Two (2) oral presentations are required. One will be a journal club presentation, and the second will be the final presentation, which will include digital images of the dissection.

**How Is Student Evaluated:**

Students are evaluated on the quality and extent of their assignments. More details are available on the course web page (<http://nba.med.uth.tmc.edu/courses/index.htm>).

**Who Evaluates Students:**

Course director

**Unique Features Of This Elective:**

Access to the Human Structure Facility.