

ANAT2341 Session 2, 2008 Assignment

Assignment: Length 2500 to 3000 words (not including references)

Due Date: Thursday September 25 2008 (marks deducted for late submission)

Topic: Select **one** system, organ, tissue or sensory structure and give an overview of its development.

Assessment Criteria:

1. The assignment should comply with the "Formatting Notes" shown in this current assignment information sheet.
2. The assignment should reference at least: 1 embryology textbook, 2 online resources, 2 review articles and 5 research articles.
3. The assignment should include a timeline of the selected topic development in humans.
4. The assignment should include at least one molecular signal pathway involved in the selected topic development.
5. The assignment should include at least one student-designed figure illustrating either the topic development overview or a selected key feature of its development.
6. The assignment should include information about current research (human or other species) in the selected topic.
7. Negative marking will apply for failure to meet the above criteria.

Formatting Notes:

1. Text should be Arial or Times (minimum font size 12) space and a half or double-spaced.
2. All References must be correctly cited using the APA System of Referencing and listed in an alphabetical Reference List at the assignment. (see about references over page)
3. References can be from online, Journal, textbook and media, but not solely from one of these sources.
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6. References can be from online, Journal, textbook and media, but not solely from one of these sources. Wikipedia can be used for background reading only and **must not** be used as a citation in your assignment.
7. Figures and graphs may be used and must be cited within the Text and have a legend. If derived from another reference this must also be cited in the legend. Figures should not be simply photocopied and inserted at the end of the assignment.
8. Assignment should be handed in stapled in the upper left hand corner, by the due date to the SOMS Office (Wallace Wurth room MG14, hours 9:30 – 4:30) using the SOMS Assignment coversheet. Including Student name, number, page count, signed and dated statement of originality. Note office staff must date the coversheet. Do not leave your assignment outside office hours of if office is unattended.
9. Electronic submission by email attachment using unimail email account only to course coordinator is acceptable by the due date. An electronic version of the SOMS Assignment coversheet must accompany the submission. If submitted electronically, receipt will be acknowledged for acceptance of your assignment submission by email from course coordinator within 24 hours.
10. Late Assignments will be penalized by 5% / day late.
11. Note the University policy concerning Plagiarism
<http://www.lc.unsw.edu.au/onlib/plag.html>
12. Further help on assignment writing from UNSW The Learning Centre
<http://www.lc.unsw.edu.au/>

Assignment Referencing

APA Style Samples

Journal article:

Fine, M. A., & Kurdek, L. A. (1993). Reflections on determining authorship credit and authorship order on faculty-student collaborations. *American Psychologist, 48*, 1141-1147.

Book:

Nicol, A. A. M., & Pexman, P. M. (1999). *Presenting your findings: A practical guide for creating tables*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

Book chapter:

O'Neil, J. M., & Egan, J. (1992). Men's and women's gender role journeys: Metaphor for healing, transition, and transformation. In B. R. Wainrib (Ed.), *Gender issues across the life cycle* (pp. 107-123). New York: Springer.

Electronic References:

Poland, D. (1998, October 26). The hot button. *Roughcut*. Retrieved October 28, 1998 from <http://www.roughcut.com>

See also the listed web page for details on how to cite electronic references or URLs. (<http://www.apastyle.org/eleceref.html>)

Citation Machine

This free service will generate references in the correct APA style. Note when entering text in the windows use capitals where required as these will not be corrected by the program.

<http://citationmachine.net/index.php>

PubMed References

Pubmed has several very useful resources for your assignment.

Bookshelf- A large number of fully searchable textbooks

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?db=Books>

Pubmed- A complete searchable database of all Medline references, including access to many full text versions of references and the ability to generate your own bibliography. Note the "History" tab allows you to combine search results.

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?db=PubMed>