Syllabus

Week 1:  **Dates**: Jan. 4–8; *no class* on Jan. 6 and 8
Introduction; discussion of syllabus, how class is run; bid assignment
Sponsors’ presentation of projects available to all groups (Jan. 8 at 10:30am via Webex)

Week 2:  **Dates**: Jan. 11–15; *no class* on Jan 13 and Jan. 15
Review of writing research papers; detailed discussion of bid assignment
Sponsors’ presentation of projects available to all groups (Jan. 15 at 10:30am via Webex)

Week 3:  **Dates**: Jan. 18–22; *no class* on Jan. 18 (Martin Luther King Day)
Sponsors’ presentation of UC Davis-specific project (Jan. 20)
Sponsors’ presentation of more projects available to all groups (Jan. 22 at 10:30am via Webex)

Week 4:  **Dates**: Jan. 25–29
**Due**: Project bids due on SmartSite and PURR (Jan. 31 by noon Pacific time)

Week 5:  **Dates**: Feb. 1–5
Notification of projects, selection of teams, data management plan
**Due**: Draft expanded project proposal due on SmartSite (Feb. 6 by noon Pacific time)

Week 6:  **Dates**: Feb. 8–12
Review of draft proposals; discussion
**Due**: Expanded project proposal due on SmartSite and PURR (Feb. 13 by noon Pacific time)

Week 7:  **Dates**: Feb. 15–19; *no class* on Feb. 15 (Presidents’ Day)
Weekly dashboard presentation assignment; progress report assignment; discussion
**Due**: Expanded literature review due on SmartSite (Feb. 20 by noon Pacific time)

Week 8:  **Dates**: Feb. 22–26
Dashboard presentations begin on Friday, Feb. 26
**Due**: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (Feb. 25 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 9:  **Dates**: Feb. 29–Mar. 4
Draft progress report presentations (Mar. 2 in class); Dashboard presentations (Mar. 4 in class)
**Due**: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (Mar. 3 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 10:  **Dates**: Mar. 7–11
Practice progress report presentations (Mar. 7, 9 in class)
**Due**: Progress reports due on SmartSite and PURR by Mar. 11 at 3pm Pacific time)

Week 11:  **Dates**: Mar. 14; Winter Quarter instruction ends on Mar. 14
Week 12:  **Dates**: Mar. 28–Apr. 1; Spring Quarter instruction begins on Mar. 28
Review of projects and plans (Mar. 31 in class)

Week 13:  **Dates**: Apr. 4–8; *no class* on Apr. 7
Dashboard presentations (Apr. 5 in class)
**Due**: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (Apr. 7 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 14:  **Dates**: Apr. 11–15; *no class* on Apr. 12
Dashboard presentations (Apr. 14 in class)
**Due**: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (Apr. 14 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 15:  **Dates**: Apr. 18–22; *no class* on Apr. 19
Dashboard presentations (Apr. 21 in class)
**Due**: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (Apr. 21 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 16:  **Dates**: Apr. 25–29; *no class* on Apr. 26
Dashboard presentations (Apr. 28 in class)
**Due**: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (Apr. 28 by 3pm Pacific time)
Final presentations for all universities *except UC Davis* to all institutions

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Week 17: Dates: May 2–6; no class on May 3
Continue final presentations for all universities except UC Davis to all institutions
Due: Penultimate report due on SmartSite and PURR (May 5 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 18: Dates: May 9–13; no class on May 10
Dashboard presentations (May 12 in class)
Due: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (May 12 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 19: Dates: May 16–20; no class on May 17
Dashboard presentations (May 19 in class)
Due: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (May 19 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 20: Dates: May 23–27
Practice final report presentations (May 24); Dashboard presentations (May 26 in class)
Due: Weekly dashboard reports due on SmartSite and PURR (May 26 by 3pm Pacific time)

Week 21: Dates: May 30–June 2; Spring quarter instruction ends on June 2
Final presentation (possibly to other institutions)
Due: Final report, presentations due on SmartSite and PURR (June 2 by 3pm Pacific time)