

CS195 HW9*Due Tuesday May 6th 2008***Nobel Presentation (100 points)**

Read the transcript of the Nobel Lecture of given by your scientist online. Prepare a 10-minute presentation on the discovery, its implications and importance, and how this achievement relates to bioinformatics. Think of this as an opportunity to 1) teach your classmates about historical achievements and 2) explore how algorithms and computational tools can be used to explore the fields opened up by these discoveries.

A simple example: The speaker giving a presentation on Anfinsen could talk about the implications of his work for protein-folding, and how the field has progressed since then, and about algorithms that relate to the problem. Feel free to examine both existing computational work as well as think of possible ways to computationally explore the problems brought up by these discoveries.

Presentations will take place next Tuesday, and the remainder of presentations will take place on Thursday. The 2-3 page paper is no longer required, but note the 10-minute requirement.