December 12 – 16, 2025 | HHMI Headquarters

Learning Objectives Participants will be able to:

- Characterize and investigate phage genomes, including the details of gene calling, functional assignments, and preparing a final product of a submission file that meets QC requirements.
- Install and use the software for annotation/analyses of phages. The software includes DNA Master, Phamerator, PECAAN, and other web-based tools.
- Identify basic phage biology concepts that underlie the bioinformatic investigations.
- Devise a systematic plan for implementation of phage genomics in their classroom.

Prereq Participants will bring a computer with all software installed and tested. See computer requirements and software installation information at http://seaphages.org/faculty/information/#bioinformatics.

	Time	Location	Торіс
r 12		Conference	Registration
		Center	
la j	4:00	D124/D125	Introductions
Friday, December	4:30	D124/D125	Central Dogma
	5:30	Dining Room	Dinner
	6:45	D124/D125	Introduction to Genome Annotation & Getting Started
	8:00	Pilot	Social

	Time	Location	Topic
	8:15a	Dining Room	Breakfast
	9:00	D124/D125	Getting started in DNA Master and PECAAN
е е	10:15	Great Hall	Break
	10:30	D124/D125	Is it a Gene, and where does it start?
December	11:30	D124/D125	BLAST and Starterator
Ę	12:30p	Dining Room	Lunch
Ce	1.15	D124/D125	Working Session: Calling Genes
De	1:15	D113/D115	
	3:00	Great Hall	Break
Saturday,	4:00	D124/D125	Working Session: More Gene Calling
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Sat	5:00	D124&D125	Working Session: Gene Call Comparisons
•	5:30	Dining Room	Dinner
	6:45	Auditorium	Lab Meeting
	7:00	Auditorium	Phamerator
	8:00	Pilot	Social

AGENDA

	Time	Location	Topic
	8:15a	Dining Room	Breakfast
	9:00	Auditorium	Functional Annotation: HHPred and CDD
	10:00	Auditorium	Official Function List and Forums
4	10:15	Great Hall	Break
e Z	10:30	D124/D125	Working Session: Calling Genes and Protein Functions
December		D113/D115	
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<u>a</u>	2:00	D124/D125	Working Session: Gene Call Comparisons
Sunday,		D113/D115	
Su	3:00	Great Hall	Break
	4:00	Auditorium	Lab Meeting
	5:30	Dining Room	Dinner
	6:45	Auditorium	Talk
	7:45	Pilot	Social

	Time	Location	Topic
	8:15a	Dining Room	Breakfast
	9:00	Auditorium	Lab Meeting
	9:30	Auditorium	Special Annotations
- 5	10:15	Great Hall	Break
e.	10:30	D124/D125	Working Session: Special Annotations
Monday, December		D113/D115	
	12:30p	Dining Room	Lunch
	1:15	Auditorium	Tail Assembly Chaperones
	2:00	D124/D125	Working Session: Special Annotations
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Σ	4:00	D124/D125	Working Session: Collaborative Annotation
		D113/D115	
	5:30	Dining Room	Dinner
	6:45	Auditorium	Talk
	7:45	Pilot	Social

	Time	Location	Торіс
9	8-9:00a	Conference Center	Room Checkout Before Breakfast
	8:15	Dining Room	Breakfast
Tuesday, December	9:00	Auditorium	Final Annotation Review/Submitting an Annotation/Review to Improve
	10:30	Great Hall	Break
	10:45	TBD	Group Photo
	11:00	Auditorium	Classroom Best Practices Panel Discussion
	12:15p	Auditorium	Closing Remarks
	12:30	Dining Room & Conference Center	Lunch and Adjournment