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***Due to the committee: March 26, 2021 Grading Due Date: April 2, 2021***

Students were required to submit a title and introduction section for their for their research paper, containing at least seven (7) full in-text citations of peer-reviewed sources. Citations should be in standard ACS format (with titles) or *Biochemistry* format.

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| 1. **Title** – Does the title clearly and accurately reflect the content and emphasis of the paper?
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