TMC Library Orientation

1. Library Mission
   a. Independent non-profit organization

2. Badge Registration for Gate entry
   a. Explain process and application
   b. Explain need for stats and security

3. Location
   a. 1133 John Freeman Blvd.
   b. Map: http://www.library.tmc.edu/aboutus/maps.html
   c. Parking options
      i. Bike racks
      ii. Garage
      iii. Short term parking in front of the building

4. Access
   a. Library Card
      i. Books and ILL
      ii. Register at circulation desk
   b. Resource Access
      i. Databases, electronic journals, ebooks
      ii. Registration Page: http://resource.library.tmc.edu/cf/resourceaccess/
      iii. Link to Library resources from Moodle http://moodle.sbmi.uth.tmc.edu/

5. Overview of Physical Space
   a. Hours
   b. Service Desks
      i. Circulation
      ii. Information
   c. Books
   d. Bound journals
   e. Computers
   f. Classroom
   g. Study spaces
      i. Open tables and chairs
      ii. Study carrels
      iii. Study rooms

6. Bioinformatics Resources Research Guide
   http://libguides.library.tmc.edu/bioinformatics
   a) Journals by category
      i. Bioinformatics
      ii. Computational Biology
      iii. Genetics
      iv. Genomics
b) Databases
   i. walk through selection and resource access process
   ii. Show search example in relevant database and how to retrieve full-text journals
       1. PubMed
       2. Other NCBI Databases
       3. Scopus

c) Bioinformatics Resources
   i. Directories
   ii. Portals
   iii. Repositories

d) Searching Books and e-books using the online catalog

7. Other Databases
   a. Major databases:
      http://www.library.tmc.edu/findlibrarymaterials/major.html
   b. Full database list: http://resource.library.tmc.edu/cf/databases.cfm

8. Other Services
   c. Library Classes
   d. TMC ProSearch
   e. Free Interlibrary loan Services