

Week 7 Assignment
Due 11/22/2010

Complete a short segment of your talk:

Our guest speaker Alli Coffin led us through public speaking skills, and now it's time to practice them on an actual segment of our talks. Create the slides and develop the narrative for at least 3-minutes of your talk. Include everything we've been discussing in the class so far – tell a story about your science.

On 11/22, we'll each have 3 minutes to give part of our talks. We'll then provide feedback on all aspects, from the public speaking pieces (tone, projection, speed, verbals, body language, etc) to the content (hooks, appropriate for the audience, story structure (as much as we can for 3 minutes)) and the slides themselves (images, animations, etc).

You are welcome to complete more than 3 minutes – in fact, we highly encourage you to start really making your slides, preparing for demos/props, etc. But we only have time for 3 minute segments on 11/22.