Supplemental Material CBE—Life Sciences Education

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Bio-ITEST Educators Pre-Workshop Survey

Dear Educator:

Thank you for helping us better understand the effects of participating in NWABR professional development activities. We value your responses. These surveys are confidential. They will be sent to our external consultants who will report back aggregate data.

1) For each of the following, please select the number that best reflects how you would rate yourself, from "Very Low" to "Very High":

	Very Low						Very High
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
a) My comfort in finding biological information in publicly available databases	Ο	0	Ο	0	0	Ο	O
b) My interest in analyzing biological information	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
c) My comfort in using computer programs to visualize 3D images of molecules	O	0	Ο	Ο	0	Ο	O
d) My understanding of how databases that store biological information can be used to help make medical decisions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
e) My interest in how science knowledge can guide ethical decision making	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
f) My understanding of how the analysis of biological information can be used in different careers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
g) My awareness of reliable resources on the use of bioinformatics in different careers	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	Ο	О	О

•	what ways do you currently integrate information about science careers in your classroom?
	Student interviews with scientists
	Student research projects on science careers
	Student research on career paths
	Participation in BioExpo
	Field trip to worksite
	Guest speakers in classroom
	Other

If you selected "Other" please describe:

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NAMI	<u>:</u>	
	CHOOL: ame of school	_

3)	Name of school
4)	EDUCATION: As of today, what is your highest degree?
	O Bachelor's
	O Master's
	O Doctorate
5)	CERTIFICATIONS: As of today, what are your certifications? (Check all that apply)
	☐ Biology certification
	☐ Other science certification
	☐ Career and technical educator certification
lf y	☐ Conditional certification(s) you selected "Conditional certification(s)" please describe:

6) EXPERIENCE: As of today, what is the number of years experience doing each:

	# of years
a) High school teaching:	
b) Biology teaching:	
c) All science teaching including biology:	

7)	Have you had prior professional development in bioinformatics?
	O Yes
	O No

8) Have you had prior professional development in integrating ethics into science curricula?

O Yes

O No

9) GENDER: O Female O Male
10) YOUR ETHNICITY: Which ethnicity do you primarily consider yourself?
O Hispanic/Latino
O Non-Hispanic/Latino
11) YOUR RACE: Which race do you primarily consider yourself? O White
O Black/African American
O Asian/SE Asian
O American Indian
O Alaskan Native
O Native Hawaiian
O Pacific Islander
O Other (write in)

Thank you for completing this survey!

If you have any questions about this study or further comments, you may contact Davis Patterson at 206.525.5274 or Dina Kovarik at 206.957.3337.

Bio-ITEST Educators Post-workshop Survey

Dear Educator:

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1) For each of the following, please select the number that best reflects how you would rate yourself, from "Very Low" to "Very High":

	Very Low						Very High
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
a) My comfort in finding biological information in publicly available databases	О	Ο	0	0	0	Ο	О
b) My interest in analyzing biological information	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
c) My comfort in using computer programs to visualize 3D images of molecules	0	0	Ο	0	0	0	О
d) My understanding of how databases that store biological information can be used to help make medical decisions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
e) My interest in how science knowledge can guide ethical decision making	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
f) My understanding of how the analysis of biological information can be used in different careers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
g) My awareness of reliable resources on the use of bioinformatics in different careers	0	0	Ο	0	0	0	О

2) Now we would like you to consider how your level of skill, understanding, or awareness has changed as a result of the Bio-ITEST workshop. Please rate your level of skill, understanding, or awareness from "Low" to "High" BEFORE the Bio-ITEST workshop and then NOW.

	Very Low						Very High
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
a) My understanding of the role of bioinformatics in biology careers before the Bio-ITEST workshop	О	0	0	Ο	Ο	Ο	О
b) My understanding of the role of bioinformatics in biology careers now	0	0	0	0	Ο	0	O
c) My awareness that conducting biological research increasingly relies on using large datasets before the Bio-ITEST workshop	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	O	Ο	О
d) My awareness that conducting biological research increasingly relies on using large datasets now	0	0	0	Ο	O	0	О
e) My ability to use bioinformatics resources to support my classroom instruction before the Bio-ITEST workshop	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	O	Ο	O
f) My ability to use bioinformatics resources to support my classroom instruction now	О	0	0	0	0	0	O
g) My skill in accessing information in biological databases before the Bio-ITEST workshop	0	0	0	Ο	Ο	0	О
h) My skill in accessing information in biological databases now	0	0	0	Ο	О	0	О
i) My skill level in using bioinformatics tools (e.g., sequence analysis and protein visualization tools) before the Bio-ITEST workshop	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
j) My skill level in using bioinformatics tools (e.g., sequence analysis and protein visualization tools) now	0	0	0	0	0	0	О

Please provide your name for study tracking purposes only.	No individual information will ever be shared or
reported with anyone other than Bio-ITEST project staff.	

NAME:	

3) Which Bio-ITEST strand(s) will you teach?

- O Genetic Testing only
- O Genetic Research (DNA Barcoding) only
- O Both Genetic Testing and Genetic Research (DNA Barcoding)
- O Don't know/not sure

4) What is the most significant "take-away" from this workshop for you?
5) Please share any other comments you have:
Thank you for completing this survey!
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Bio-ITEST Educators End-of-Year Survey

Dear Educator:

Thank you again for helping us better understand the effects of participating in NWABR professional development activities. We value your responses. These surveys are confidential. They will be sent to our external consultants who will report back aggregate data.

1. For each of the following, please select the number that best reflects how you would rate yourself, from "Very Low" to "Very High":

	Very Low 1	2	3	4	5	6	Very High 7
My comfort in finding biological information in publicly available databases	O	0	Ο	Ο	Ο	0	О
1.2 My interest in analyzing biological information	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	Ο	0	Ο
My comfort in using computer programs to visualize 3D images of molecules	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
My understanding of how databases that store biological information can be used to help make medical decisions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
My interest in how science knowledge can guide ethical decision making	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
My understanding of how the analysis of biological information can be used in different careers	0	0	Ο	0	Ο	0	0
My awareness of reliable resources on the use of bioinformatics in different careers	0	0	Ο	0	0	0	0

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2. Now we would like you to consider how your level of skill, understanding, or awareness has changed as a result of participating in Bio-ITEST, thinking back to last summer before the Bio-ITEST workshop compared to now. Please rate yourself from "Very Low" to "Very High"

...BEFORE the Bio-ITEST workshop

...and then NOW.

		Very Low 1	2	3	4	5	6	Very High 7
2.1	My understanding of the role of bioinformatics in biology careers BEFORE the Bio-ITEST workshop	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2.2	My understanding of the role of bioinformatics in biology careers NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2.3	My awareness that conducting biological research increasingly relies on using large datasets BEFORE the Bio-ITEST workshop	0	0	0	О	0	Ο	О
2.4	My awareness that conducting biological research increasingly relies on using large datasets NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	О
2.5	My ability to use bioinformatics resources to support my classroom instruction BEFORE the Bio-ITEST workshop	0	0	0	0	0	0	О
2.6	My ability to use bioinformatics resources to support my classroom instruction NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2.7	My skill in accessing information in biological databases BEFORE the Bio-ITEST workshop	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2.8	My skill in accessing information in biological databases NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2.9	My skill level in using bioinformatics tools (e.g., sequence analysis and protein visualization tools) BEFORE the Bio-ITEST workshop	0	Ο	Ο	Ο	0	0	О
2.10	My skill level in using bioinformatics tools (e.g., sequence analysis and protein visualization tools) NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

3. Please provide the following information for each course in which you used this unit:

Name of course	Grade level(s): Check all that apply	Please indicate course type: general, AP, IB, or Honors
	□ 9 □ 10 □11 □12	(drop down)
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O Genetic Research (DNA Barcoding) only

O Both Genetic Testing and Genetic Research (DNA Barcoding)

5.	We are interesting in learning in which ways, if any, science teachers are able to provide information about science careers to their students. In what ways, if any, did you integrate information about science careers in general in you classroom this year? Please check all that apply:
	☐ Student interviews with scientists
	☐ Student research projects on science careers
	☐ Student research on career paths
	☐ Participation in BioExpo
	☐ Field trip to worksite
	☐ Guest speakers in classroom
	☐ Other, please describe:
Fo	r questions 6 and 7, we encourage you to provide thorough responses.
6.	What is the most significant impact this program has had on your students?
7.	Please share any other comments you have:

Thank you for completing this survey!

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Bio-ITEST Student Pre-Survey

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. You will not be graded and your teacher will not see your answers.

1. Please fill in the circle of the number that best reflects your <u>agreement</u> with each of the following:

		Strongly Disagree 1	2	3	4	5	6	Strongly Agree 7
1.1	In general, I enjoy learning about science topics.	Ο	0	Ο	0	0	О	О
1.2	I think it is important for people in our society to learn about science.	0	0	Ο	0	0	О	О
1.3	I feel comfortable finding biological information in databases.	0	0	0	0	Ο	О	О
1.4	I am confident that I can find reliable resources to get genetic information.	0	0	Ο	0	Ο	0	О
1.5	I am interested in analyzing biological information.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	О	О
1.6	I am interested in using computer programs to visualize 3D images of molecules.	Ο	0	Ο	0	0	0	О
		Strongly Disagree 1	2	3	4	5	6	Strongly Agree 7
1.7	I understand how databases that store biological information can be used in research.	Ο	0	Ο	0	0	О	О
1.8	I am interested in how science knowledge can guide ethical decision making.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	О	О
1.9	I am aware of several different types of careers that involve biology.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	О	О
1.10	I understand how the analysis of biological information can be used in different careers.	0	0	Ο	0	Ο	0	О
1.11	I am confident that I can find reliable resources on the use of science in different careers.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	О	Ο
1.12	I can see myself working in a career that involves understanding scientific information.	0	0	0	0	0	О	0

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Below are demographic questions for study summary purposes only. **No individual information will ever be shared or reported** with anyone other than Bio-ITEST project staff.

2.	YOUR NAME:	
3.	YOUR SCIENCE TEACHER'S NAME:	(drop down)
4.	YOUR BIO-ITEST LESSON SET (Ask your teacher for the answer): (drop down)	
	O Genetic Testing	
	O Genetic Research (DNA Barcoding)	
	O Both Genetic Testing and Genetic Research (DNA Barcoding)	
5.	YOUR SCHOOL:(drop down)	
6.	YOUR DATE OF BIRTH: Month Day Year (require MM/DD/YY	YY format online)
7.	YOUR GENDER: O Female O Male	
8.	YOUR GRADE: O Freshman O Sophomore O Junior	O Senior
9.	YOUR ETHNICITY: Which ethnicity do you primarily consider yourself?	
	O Hispanic/Latino	
	O Non-Hispanic/Latino	
10.	YOUR RACE: Which race do you primarily consider yourself?	
	O White	
	O Black/African American	
	O Asian/SE Asian	
	O American Indian	
	O Alaskan Native	
	O Native Hawaiian	
	O Pacific Islander	
	O Other (write in)	

Thank you for filling out this survey!

Bio-ITEST Student Post-Survey

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. You will not be graded and your teacher will not see your answers.

1.	NAME:	
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2. Please fill in the circle of the number that best reflects your <u>agreement</u> with each of the following:

		Strongly Disagree 1	2	3	4	5	6	Strongly Agree 7
2.1	In general, I enjoy learning about science topics.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	О	0
2.2	I think it is important for people in our society to learn about science.	Ο	0	Ο	0	0	Ο	0
2.3	I feel comfortable finding biological information in databases.	Ο	0	0	0	0	0	0
2.4	I am confident that I can find reliable resources to get genetic information.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	0
2.5	I am interested in analyzing biological information.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	О
2.6	I am interested in using computer programs to visualize 3D images of molecules.	Ο	0	Ο	0	0	0	0
		Strongly Disagree 1	2	3	4	5	6	Strongly Agree 7
2.7	I understand how databases that store biological information can be used in research.	Ο	0	Ο	0	0	0	0
2.8	I am interested in how science knowledge can guide ethical decision making.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	0	0
2.9	I am aware of several different types of careers that involve biology.	Ο	0	Ο	0	Ο	0	О
2.10	I understand how the analysis of biological information can be used in different careers.	О	0	Ο	0	0	0	0
2.11	I am confident that I can find reliable resources on the use of science in different careers.	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	0	Ο	0
2.12	I can see myself working in a career that involves understanding scientific information.	Ο	О	0	0	0	0	0

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- 3. Now we would like to hear how you think participating in the bioinformatics lessons might have affected you. Please rate yourself from "Very Low" to "Very High"
 - ...BEFORE this unit
 - ...and then NOW.

		Very Low						Very High
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3.1	My understanding of ethical issues in genetic testing BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3.2	My understanding of ethical issues in genetic testing NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3.3	My understanding of the connection between biology content and issues that I might face in my personal life BEFORE this unit	0	Ο	Ο	0	Ο	Ο	О
3.4	My understanding of the connection between biology content and issues that I might face in my personal life NOW	0	0	0	0	О	О	О
3.5	My confidence in accessing biological databases BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	Ο
3.6	My confidence in accessing biological databases NOW	0	0	0	0	0	Ο	0

Thank you for filling out this survey!

Bio-ITEST Genetic Research Curriculum Student Survey

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. You will not be graded and your teacher will not see your answers.

Your answers to these questions will help the developers of the DNA Barcoding unit (*Using Bioinformatics: Genetic Research*) understand how the lessons might have affected your level of understanding and interest. Please think back to the time before you started the DNA Barcoding unit. Then rate yourself from "Very Low" to "Very High"

...BEFORE this unit

...and then NOW.

		Very Low						Very High
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1a.	My understanding of the connection between biology content and issues that I might face in my personal life BEFORE this unit	0	Ο	О	Ο	О	Ο	О
1b.	My understanding of the connection between biology content and issues that I might face in my personal life NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2a.	My interest in how science knowledge can guide ethical decision making BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2b.	My interest in how science knowledge can guide ethical decision making NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
За.	My understanding of how databases that store biological information can be used in research BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3b.	My understanding of how databases that store biological information can be used in research NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	O
4a.	My confidence in accessing biological databases BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4b.	My confidence in accessing biological databases NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	O
5a.	My interest in analyzing biological information BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5b.	My interest in analyzing biological information NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6a.	My interest in using computer programs to visualize 3D images of molecules BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6b.	My interest in using computer programs to visualize 3D images of molecules NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7a.	My understanding of how the analysis of biological information can be used in different careers BEFORE this unit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7b.	My understanding of how the analysis of biological information can be used in different careers NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8a.	My openness to working in a career that involves understanding scientific information BEFORE this unit	0	О	0	0	0	0	0
8b.	My openness to working in a career that involves understanding scientific information NOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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2.	What were the most important thing Barcoding unit?	s you learned about bio	pinformatics that you	u didn't know before the DNA
3.	In what ways, if any, did the DNA Bayourself?	arcoding unit change h	ow you think about t	future career possibilities for
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4.	YOUR NAME:			
5.	YOUR SCIENCE TEACHER'S NAME:			
6.	YOURCOURSE NAME:			
7.	YOUR GENDER: OFemale OMale			
8.	YOUR GRADE: OFreshman	OSophomore	OJunior	OSenior
9.	YOUR ETHNICITY: Which ethnicity do you primarily consider yourself?			
	OHispanic/Latino			
	ONon-Hispanic/Latino			
10.	YOUR RACE: Which race do you primarily consider yourself? OWhite			
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