Command-Line Unix

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- Files and the File System
- Commands and Aliases
- Modifying your Workspace
- Printing

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- Can be tricky to use—ask someone!

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- Finding programs/the PATH variable
- Command aliases
- Where to get help

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% echo $PATH
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% setenv PATH /home/l/i/lib51/bin:{$PATH}
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Alternate specification:

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% set path = (/home/l/i/lib51/bin $path)
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To use, either run source .aliases or logout and login again

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- Refer to Slide 3

MODIFYING YOUR WORKSPACE

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- Shell settings

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- To test, type source .login (or the appropriate file)

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Many more options—read man tcsh

PRINTING

- Viewing printing status
- Printable files
- Printing files

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Don't print any other type of file!

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Without the –P option you will print to scb11