GEOGRAPHY 103: INTRODUCTION TO PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY, UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA

Course outline - Summer 2015

GENERAL INFORMATION

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EVALUATION CRITERIA

COURSE COMMUNICATION

CourseSpaces learning management systems (LMS) will serve as the main avenue of communication in this course (http://coursespaces.uvic.ca). Please monitor the page on a regular basis for course announcements, readings assignments and lecture handouts. If you are having difficulty logging in or password problems, contact the Computer Help Desk Email: helpdesk@uvic.ca, Tel: 250-721-7687

LECTURE HANDOUTS

Topic handouts on lecture presentations will be provided. They will be posted on CourseSpaces the evening before the next lecture. Topic handouts will be removed <u>7 days</u> after the posting date. Students are responsible for downloading/saving and completing notes packages. If you miss any material, make arrangements to get handouts from a fellow student, not from instructor.

IMPORTANT COURSE POLICIES

- Students must complete all evaluation components to obtain credit.
- All lab assignments must be submitted to write the final exam.
- Students must obtain a passing grade on <u>both</u> the examination component (midterm and final) <u>and</u> laboratory component (labs and lab exam) to obtain credit

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- Conflicts with holidays or travel plans are not considered an acceptable reason to apply for an assignment extension.
- Please attend only the laboratory section for which you are registered. If you must miss a lab for exceptional circumstances please make arrangements with your TA in advance to attend another section
- Details regarding your labs and their marks are managed by the course TA. Please discuss any issues on labs with your TA first.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

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TENTATIVE LECTURE SCHEDULE*

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May 11-15 **Introduction**

LAB ASSIGNMENT SCHEDULE

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1	May 14/15	Lab 1 – Topographic Maps
2	May 21/22	Lab 2 – Climatology