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FOR 241.01: Dendrology

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FOR 241
Dendrology
Autumn Semester
3 Credits

Instructor: Burke, Edwin J. -- Journalism 105 -- 243-5157
Graduate Teaching Assistant: Yen, Tsair-Bor, Journalism 105 -- 243-5157
Schedule: Lecture: Tuesday, Thursday, 1:10 - 2:00 pm., Journalism 112 (Plant Lab)
Laboratory: Tuesday or Friday, 2:10 - 5:00 pm., Journalism 112 (Plant Lab)
Required Texts: Faculty Pak @ Bookstore; Fruit and Twig Key, Dover Press.
Grading: Lecture
1 hr. exam covering stem and leaf structure,
13:10-14:00, Thursday, Week 7 (19 October 2000) 50
1 hr. mid-semester exam covering Angiosperms,
13:10-14:00, Thursday, Week 8 (26 October 2000) 100
1 hr. exam covering root and phloem structure,
13:10-14:00, Tuesday, Week 12 (21 November 2000) 50
1 hr. exam covering xylem structure,
13:10-14:00, Tuesday, Week 15 (12 December 2000) 50
1 hr. mid-semester lecture exam covering Gymnosperms
13:10-14:00, Thursday, Examination Week 100

Angiosperm Laboratory:
6 weekly quizzes, starting week #2 @40 pts. ea. 240
Laboratory Examination, over weeks 1-7, during lab, Week 8 200
5-specimen pressed, dried and mounted collection, due at beginning of lecture, Tuesday, Week 8 (24 October 2000). 50

Gymnosperm Laboratory
5 weekly quizzes, starting week # 11 @40 pts. ea. 200
Laboratory Examination, over weeks 9-14 during lab, Week 15 200
Subtotal Points for Class 1240
Minus lowest quiz score for the semester -40
Total Points for Class 1200

One make-up quiz for those who were absent for any quiz during the semester will be given near the last week of the semester, during the Gymnosperm section. The quiz will cover angiosperms, but can be used to count for a quiz missed during the Angiosperm section. Only one missed quiz can be made up, and only at the one time offered at the end of the semester.

In addition, the lowest quiz score for the semester will be dropped. If all quizzes were taken and show scores, the lowest of these will be dropped. If you missed, and did not make up a quiz, that missing grade (0 points) will be dropped. Weekly grades will be posted in the classroom and outside Yen and Burke's office, Journalism 105.

A=93%+; B=85%+; C=77%+; D=70%+; F< 70%
## FOR 241
### Dendrology- Autumn Semester
#### Topical Outline and Course Schedule

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<th>Week</th>
<th>New Trees</th>
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<td>1</td>
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<td>Introduction; Dendrology Terminology Slide Tape (avail. at IMS for review at any time during semester); <em>Salicaceae</em> (lecture and lab during lab period this week)</td>
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<td><em>Betulaceae</em> (4), <em>Juglandaceae</em> (4), <strong>Quiz A-1</strong>; Stem structure</td>
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<td><em>Fagaceae</em> (8), <em>Ulmaceae</em> (3); <strong>Quiz A-2</strong>; Stem structure</td>
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<td><em>Oleaceae</em> (2), <em>Magnoliaceae</em> (2), <em>Lauraceae</em> (2), <em>Fabaceae</em> (1), <em>Caesalpiniaeae</em> (1); <strong>Quiz A-3</strong>; Stem structure</td>
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<td><em>Hippocastanaceae</em> (1), <em>Aceraceae</em> (8), <em>Platanaceae</em> (1), <em>Hamamelidaceae</em> (1); <strong>Quiz A-4</strong>; Leaf structure</td>
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<td><strong>Quiz A-6</strong> in Tuesday lecture; <strong>Structure Exam</strong> over stem and leaf structure on Thursday during lecture. Lab open for questions about ID and tree structure and study during laboratory times. No new trees this week.</td>
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<td><strong>Make-up Quiz</strong> in Tuesday’s lecture period, angiosperm collection also due at this time; Review for examination. The Angiosperm <strong>Lecture Exam</strong> is to be held during Thursday’s lecture period. The Angiosperm <strong>Laboratory Exam</strong> is to be held during this week’s laboratory periods.</td>
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<td><em>Ginkgoaceae</em> (1), <em>Taxaceae</em> (1), *Pinaceae-*Hapoxylon of <em>Pinus</em> (7); No Quiz</td>
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<td>*Pinaceae-*Dipoxylon of <em>Pinus</em> (7); <strong>Quiz G-1</strong>; Root structure</td>
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<td>No Lecture Thursday (Holiday); *Pinaceae-*Larix (3), <em>Pseudotsuga</em> (1), <em>Tsuga</em> (3); <strong>Quiz G-2</strong>; Phloem Structure</td>
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<td><strong>Structure Exam</strong> over root and phloem structure in Tuesday's Lecture; No Labs this week—Thanksgiving Break</td>
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<td>*Pinaceae-*Picea (6), <em>Abies</em> (4); <strong>Quiz G-3</strong>; Xylem Structure</td>
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<td>*Cupressaceae-*Sequoia (1), <em>Sequoiodendron</em> (1), <em>Juniperus</em> (2), <em>Calocedrus</em> (1), <em>Thuja</em> (2); <strong>Quiz G-4</strong>; Xylem Structure</td>
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<td><strong>Structure Exam</strong> over xylem structure combined with during Tuesday’s lecture period. Gymnosperm collection also due at this time; Thursday lecture—<strong>Quiz G-5</strong>; Gymnosperm <strong>Laboratory Exam</strong> this week’s laboratory periods.</td>
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<td>Finals Week. <strong>Gymnosperm Lecture Exam</strong>. Examinations and collections graded and ready to pick up by Friday.</td>
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Total # of trees = 97
Key to Species Groups and Geographic Location Abbreviations

OCYP = oak, chestnut, yellow-poplar
BBM' = birch, beech, maple
NH = northern hardwoods (mixture of white oak, northern red oak, sugar and red maple, yellow and paper birch, white ash, quaking and bigtooth aspen, yellow-poplar and basswood).
SH = southern hardwoods (mixture of southern red oaks, sweetgum, black and water tupelo, flowering dogwood, magnolia, basswood, pecan hickories)
SCP = sycamore, cottonwood, poplar (riparian or riverbanks of midwest is a better descriptor as this abbreviation can be confused with southern coastal plain)
D-FL = Douglas-fir, western larch
EWP = eastern white pine
PJ = pinyon, juniper
SYP = southern yellow pine
LPES = lodgepole pine, Engelmann spruce
SCP = southern coastal plain
PC = Pacific coast of U.S. and Canada, including Alaskan coast
NE = New England, or northeast U.S. and eastern Canada
SW = Southwest U.S.
NRM = northern Rocky Mountains; w. Washington, n.Idaho, Montana & Canada
SRM = southern Rocky Mountains (Wyoming, s. Idaho, Utah, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona w. Texas and northern Mexico)
BH = Black Hills of South Dakota and northern Nebraska
FB = Fog Belt of northern California, north to s. coast of Oregon
IE = Inland Empire (w. Montana, n. Idaho, w. Washington, s.e. British Columbia)

OH = oak, hickory
SM = sycamore, silver maple
NWC = northern white cedar
ESAF = Engelmann spruce, subalpine fir
SH = spruce, hemlock (eastern or western species)
WYP = western yellow pine
SPF = spruce, pine, true fir