Petrology - GEOL 315  
SIUC Department of Geology  
Spring 2015 Syllabus  
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Office Hours: M-W 11-12; 1-3; or by apt; Parkinson 301E  
Course Time: M-W-F 9-9:50am Parkinson 110  
Lab Section 1: F 1-3:50pm Parkinson 215  
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Text:  
Petrology, Blatt, Tracy and Owens, third addition

Suggested Text:  
Minerals in Thin Section, Perkins and Henke, second addition

$15 lab fee

Academic honesty: Any form of academic dishonesty will result in a zero for that assignment, quiz, exam, as well as possible disciplinary action. See your student handbook for guidelines.

Emergency Procedures: Southern Illinois University Carbondale is committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for study and work. Because some health and safety circumstances are beyond our control, we ask that you become familiar with the SIUC Emergency Response Plan and Building Emergency Response Team (BERT) program. Emergency response information is available on posters in buildings on campus, available on BERT's website at www.bert.siu.edu, Department of Safety's website www.dps.siu.edu (disaster drop down) and in Emergency Response Guideline pamphlet. Know how to respond to each type of emergency.

Instructors will provide guidance and direction to students in the classroom in the event of an emergency affecting your location. It is important that you follow these instructions and stay with your instructor during an evacuation or sheltering emergency. The Building Emergency Response Team will provide assistance to your instructor in evacuating the building or sheltering within the facility.
Classes begin: January 20, 2015
Holidays: Spring Break Saturday, March 7, 12:00 Noon through Sunday, March 15

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Grading:
Attendance/Participation 5%
Pop Quizzes 5%
Exams 30% 3 exams equal weighting
Labs 25%
Homework 15%
Lab exam 20% 2 exams equal weighting 100%
Syllabus Attachment

Spring 2015

http://pvmca.si.edu/

IMPORTANT DATES *

Semester Class Begins ........................................... 01/20/2015
Last day to add a class (without instructor permission) ........ 01/25/2015
Last day to withdraw completely and receive a 100% refund ... 02/01/2015
Last day to drop a course using SalukiNet ...................... 04/05/2015
Last day to file diploma application (for name to appear in Commencement program) ........................................ 03/13/2015
Final examinations: ............................................. 05/11 - 05/15/2015

Note: For outreach, internet, and short course drop/delay dates, visit Registrar’s Academic webpage: http://registrars.siu.edu/

SPRING SEMESTER HOLIDAYS
Martin Luther King, Jr.’s Birthday 01/19/2015
Spring Break 03/07 - 03/15/2015

WITHDRAWAL POLICY - Undergraduate only

Students who officially register for a session may not withdraw merely by the stopping of attendance. An official withdrawal form needs to be initiated by the student and processed by the University. For the proper procedures to follow when dropping courses and when withdrawing from the University, please visit http://registrars.siu.edu/pdf/undergraduatecatalog1314.pdf

INCOMPLETE POLICY - Undergraduate only

An INC is assigned when, for reasons beyond their control, students engaged in passing work are unable to complete all class assignments. An INC must be changed to a completed grade within one semester following the term in which the course was taken, or graduation, whichever occurs first. Should the student fail to complete the course within the time period designated, that is, by no later than the end of the semester following the term in which the course was taken, or graduation, whichever occurs first, the incomplete will be converted to a grade of F and the grade will be computed in the student's grade point average. For more information please visit: http://registrars.siu.edu/grades/incomplete.html

REPEAT POLICY

An undergraduate student may, for the purpose of raising a grade, enroll in a course for credit no more than two times (two total enrollments) unless otherwise noted in the course description. For students receiving a letter grade of A,B,C,D, or F, the course repetition must occur at Southern Illinois University Carbondale. Only the most recent (last) grade will be calculated in the overall GPA and count toward hours earned. See full policy at http://registrars.siu.edu/pdf/undergraduatecatalog1314.pdf

GRADUATE POLICIES

Graduate policies often vary from Undergraduate policies. To view the applicable policies for graduate students, please visit http://gradschool.siu.edu/about-us/grad-catalog/index.html

DISABILITY POLICY

Disability Support Services provides the required academic and programmatic support services to students with permanent and temporary disabilities. DSS provides centralized coordination and referral services. To utilize DSS services, students must come to the DSS to open cases. The process involves interviews, reviews of student-supplied documentation, and completion of Disability Accommodation Agreements. http://disabilityservices.siu.edu/

PLAGIARISM CODE


MORRIS LIBRARY HOURS

http://www.lib.siu.edu/alivet

SAFETY AWARENESS FACTS AND EDUCATION

Title IX makes it clear that violence and harassment based on sex and gender is a Civil Rights offense subject to the same kinds of accountability and the same kinds of support applied to offenses against other protected categories such as race, national origin, etc. If you or someone you know has been harassed or assaulted, you can find the appropriate resources here: http://safe.siu.edu

SALUKI CARES

The purpose of Saluki Cares is to develop, facilitate and coordinate a university-wide program of care and support for students in any type of distress—physical, emotional, financial, or personal. By working closely with faculty, staff, students and their families, SIU will continue to display a culture of care and demonstrate to our students and their families that they are an important part of the community. For Information on Saluki Cares: (618) 453-5714, or saulcares@siu.edu. http://salukicares.siu.edu/index.html

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INCLUSIVE EXCELLENCE

SIU contains people from all walks of life, from many different cultures and sub-cultures, and representing all strata of society, nationalities, ethnicities, lifestyles, and affiliations. Learning from and working with people who differ is an important part of education as well an essential preparation for any career. For more information please visit: http://www.inclusiveexcellence.siu.edu/

LEARNING AND SUPPORT SERVICES

Help is within reach. Learning support services offers free tutoring on campus and math labs. To find more information please visit the Center for Learning and Support Services website:

Tutoring: http://tutoring.siu.edu/
Math Labs: http://morris.siu.edu/math_tutoring/index.html

WRITING CENTER

The Writing Center offers free tutoring services to all SIU students and faculty. To find a Center or Schedule an appointment please visit http://write.siu.edu/

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION & EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

Our office’s main focus is to ensure that the university complies with federal and state equity policies and handles reporting and investigating of discrimination cases. For more information visit: http://diversity.siu.edu/

Additional Resources Available:

SAULCNET: https://salukinet.siu.edu/cp/home/displaylogin
ADVISEMENT: http://advisement.siu.edu/
SIU ONLINE: http://online.siu.edu/

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