

School of Arts & Science ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT ENVR 110

Environmental Seminar Fall 2013

COURSE OUTLINE

The course description is online @ http://camosun.ca/learn/calendar/current/web/envr.html

W Please note: the College electronically stores this outline for five (5) years only. It is strongly recommended you keep a copy of this outline with your academic records. You will need this outline for any future application/s for transfer credit/s to other colleges/universities.

1. Instructor Information

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2. Intended Learning Outcomes

(No changes are to be made to these Intended Learning Outcomes as approved by the Education Council of Camosun College.)

The student will be aware of the environmental issues in British Columbia and begin to appreciate the complexity behind those issues.

The student will be knowledgeable about the ENVR TECH Program at Camosun College. They will become a member of the Environmental Technology Program TEAM at Camosun College. This team includes students - present and past - staff, faculty and advisory board members.

Specific Outcomes:

- 1. Competency with a Data Logger.
- 2. Competency with the internet in researching environmental issues.
- 3. Knowledge of BC geography.
- 4. Interview and oral presentation skills.

3. Required Materials

(a)	Texts	none
(b)	Other	none

4. Course Content and Schedule

(This section can include: class hours, lab hours, out of class requirements and/or dates for quizzes, exams, lectures, labs, seminars, practicums, etc.)

Week 1 Sept 6	Introduction to the ENVR TECH Program and ENVR 110 Course website: www.online.camosun.ca Program website: http://faculty.camosun.ca/et/ Course Theme: Think Globally-Act Locally – Sustainability on campus Assignment 1: Check out the website http://camosun.ca/about/green/ - See assignment in the Content Tab DUE: Sept 13th
Week 2 Sept 13	Assignment 2: Company Profile/Interview Assignment introduced Class Discussion: How green is Camosun?
Week 3 Sept 20	Class Discussion: Profile of the Environmental Sector
Week 4 Sept 27	Guest Speaker: - TBA
Week 5 Oct 4	Environmental Movement: Fact and/or Fiction Assignment 3: Data Logger Experiment/Report - introduced
Week 6 Oct 11	Assignment 4: British Columbia Geography – introduced • Sewage a HOT topic
Week 7 Oct 18	Guest speaker – TBA
Week 8 Oct 25	Guest speaker – Jason Jung, ASTTBC
Week 9 Nov 1	Guest Speaker – TBA
Week 10 Nov 8	ТВА
Week 11 Nov 15	Assignment 2: Company Profile/Interview Assignment due: Company Profile Presentations
Week 12 Nov 22	Assignment 3: Data Logger Assignment Due: Company Profile Presentations
Week 13 Nov 29	Assignment 4: British Columbia Geography Due: Company Profile Presentations
Week 14 Dec 6	Company profile presentations

5. Basis of Student Assessment (Weighting)

(This section should be directly linked to the Intended Learning Outcomes.)

- (a) Assignments 60%
- (b) Report 15%
- (c) Final Exam 25%

6. Grading System

(No changes are to be made to this section unless the Approved Course Description has been forwarded through the Education Council of Camosun College for approval.)

Standard Grading System (GPA)

Percentage	Grade	Description	Grade Point Equivalency
90-100	A+		9
85-89	Α		8
80-84	A-		7
77-79	B+		6
73-76	В		5
70-72	B-		4
65-69	C+		3
60-64	С		2
Minimum level of achievement for which credit is granted; a course with a "D" grade cannot be used as prerequisite.		1	
0-49	F	Minimum level has not been achieved.	0

Temporary Grades

Temporary grades are assigned for specific circumstances and will convert to a final grade according to the grading scheme being used in the course. See Grading Policy E-1.5 at **camosun.ca** for information on conversion to final grades, and for additional information on student record and transcript notations.

Temporary Grade	Description
I	Incomplete: A temporary grade assigned when the requirements of a course have not yet been completed due to hardship or extenuating circumstances, such as illness or death in the family.
IP	In progress: A temporary grade assigned for courses that, due to design may require a further enrollment in the same course. No more than two IP grades will be assigned for the same course. (For these courses a final grade will be assigned to either the 3 rd course attempt or at the point of course completion.)
cw	Compulsory Withdrawal: A temporary grade assigned by a Dean when an instructor, after documenting the prescriptive strategies applied and consulting with peers, deems that a student is unsafe to self or others and must be removed from the lab, practicum, worksite, or field placement.

7. Recommended Materials or Services to Assist Students to Succeed Throughout the Course

LEARNING SUPPORT AND SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

There are a variety of services available for students to assist them throughout their learning. This information is available in the College calendar, at Student Services, or the College web site at camosun.ca.

STUDENT CONDUCT POLICY

There is a Student Conduct Policy which includes plagiarism. It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the content of this policy. The policy is available in each School Administration Office, at Student Services, and the College web site in the Policy Section.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AS APPROPRIATE OR AS REQUIRED