

***ENVS 98: Outdoor Leadership Expedition***  
***INTERMEDIATE COURSE - Fall Quarter 2009***



**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY      APPLICATION DUE May 8, 2009**

This course uses instruction in wilderness safety, outdoor technical skills and low-impact camping to develop leadership skills and an appreciation of the natural world. Students are graded P/NP only. An online application is required prior to instructor approval. The course has been developed in collaboration with the Center for Student Leadership and Environmental Studies Institute.

**Class meets on Tuesdays from 6-8 PM. ALL CLASSES ARE MANDATORY, especially the first meeting (Tuesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>) as we will provide registration numbers at this session.**

**THE EXPEDITION IS ALSO MANDATORY: November 6-8 at Hetch Hetchy Valley, Yosemite national Park, CA. In order to make the most of the weekend we will depart campus on Friday, 10am, returning Sunday by 9pm. Transportation for the trip is arranged by the instructors.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

SCU Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Major(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Circle Year (in Fall 09): Fr So Jr Sr

Residential Learning Community (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

1. How did you hear about the Outdoor Leadership Expedition?

2. What is your level of experience with back packing/camping?

\_\_\_ **Novice**- I've never been back packing before.

\_\_\_ **Beginner**-I have a few experiences with backpacking and camping.

\_\_\_ **Moderate**- I've camped and back packed regularly; I feel comfortable taking care of myself in the outdoors, but do not feel I can lead others.

\_\_\_ **Advanced**-I'm an avid backpacker; I've had experience leading and taking care of others in the outdoors.

3. \*Please mark the backpacking equipment you own:

\_\_\_ Hiking Boots

\_\_\_ Sleeping bag

\_\_\_ Sleeping pad

\_\_\_ Tent (sleeps 2 or 3 persons)

\_\_\_ Backpack (3000-4000 cu. ft.; NOT a day pack)

*\*You will be responsible for getting the above equipment either by owning, renting or borrowing. Instructors will provide gear check lists and list of local rental shops the first day of class.*

Please list any other relevant gear you have:

4. What is the furthest you've hiked in one day?
5. Are you currently certified in Wilderness First Aid or CPR/First Aid?
6. What leadership experiences have you had?

**IMPORTANT: I understand that fully attending the expedition trip is an academic requirement of the class, and agree to the dates and times scheduled.**

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Signature

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Date

Please return your completed application to Leah Nakasaki (Environmental Studies Institute) no later than Friday, 8 May 2008. You will be **notified by email** (by 22 May 2008) if you are accepted into the course. If you have questions concerning the course please contact:

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