

## **Geography 4321/5321: Snow Hydrology, Spring 2016 Laboratory Information and Syllabus**

**Lab Time:** Wednesday 2:00-3:50 PM

**Lab location:** Guggenheim Room 6 (KESDA Computer lab in the basement)

### **Course Content:**

[http://snobear.colorado.edu/Markw/SnowHydro/geog4321\\_course12.html](http://snobear.colorado.edu/Markw/SnowHydro/geog4321_course12.html)

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The best sources of information concerning lecture schedule and topics, exams, reading assignments, grading procedures, etc., are the syllabus online for the class.

### **Grading and Attendance**

**The labs are worth 40%** of your overall grade. Concepts introduced in lab will be found on the exams. **Attendance is mandatory.** If you miss a lab without discussing it with either the TA or the instructor you will receive a zero for that lab. Therefore, please contact your TA prior to your lab section if you cannot be in class and arrangements will be made.

***Labs are due Monday by 5pm in my mailbox in Guggenheim***

***The lowest lab grade will be dropped at the end of the semester.***

***Late assignments will be penalized 10% per day. No work will be accepted after 2pm on Wednesday.***

### **Homework Instructions:**

- Show all your work.
- For equations, either use equation editor in word, or write it out – I am happy to accept both typed and hand-written assignments, as long as they are legible.
- The easier it is for me to follow your work, the better you'll do and the happier I'll be. SO –
  - Clearly show mathematical steps
  - If you make a mistake, go back and correct your work – DO NOT just scribble in your correction, or worse, just put in the right answer. The right answer with the wrong steps is worth less than no answer at all
  - Make sure your final answer is clearly visible – if your prior steps are well written, the final answer should be obvious, but it never hurts to box it.
- When printing homework, make sure page breaks are in logical places – homework in which plots are split across four different pages will be scorned and graded accordingly.

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