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## THE USUAL Because this stuff's important!

### • Letter Grade Policy

All courses you take to fulfill your major requirements, both lower and upper division, must be taken for a Letter Grade.

### • C - Grades

C- grades CANNOT be used to satisfy a major or GE requirement and cannot satisfy a prerequisite for another course. You must repeat a course if you receive a C- grade for major or pre-requisite credit. Only grades of "C" (2.0) or better will fulfill major requirements.

### • Required Labs

If a course has a required lab you must pass both the lecture and lab to fulfill a major requirement.

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#### NEW CLASSROOMS + LABS

Beginning in fall quarter, **most upper division** BIOE classes + labs will be located at the UCSC Coastal Science Campus.

- Courses located in "CoastBio" rooms are held at the new Coastal Biology Building.
- Courses located in "Lg Discovery" rooms are held at the Seymour Marine Discovery Center.
- Courses located in "Ocean Health" rooms are held at the Center for Ocean Health.

These facilities are located at UCSC's Coastal Science Campus, aka Long Marine Lab. They are not located on the main campus.

Check out the map on page 6 to find your classroom.

BIOE 20B and BIOE 20C will still be located on the main campus.

# FALL **ENROLLMENT UPDATES**

### STUDENT CONTRACT



#### Be accountable

Be aware of deadlines and policies, go to class, meet with your Advisers, and don't wait to ask for help if you need it.



#### **Read your email!**

We know you get a ton of emails, so EEB Advising won't email you very often. But if we do it means it's important. Read carefully.



#### Don't forget to use your UCSC ID

When emailing EEB Advising, always include your UCSC student ID number and only email us from your UCSC email **account.** This helps us help you!



# FALL ENROLLMENT UPDATES (cont.)

#### COURSE UPDATES

**BIOE 127/L** Ichthyology will not be offered in Fall 2017. BIOE 127/L will be offered in winter quarter instead.

**BIOE 135/L** Plant Physiology will be offered in fall quarter this year. It will not be offered in winter quarter.

**BIOE 161 and 161L** Enrollment is by permission of the instructor. Please contact Professor Pete Raimondi at raimondi@ucsc.edu for more information.

#### UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH COURSES

#### **BIOE 183W**

Students may enroll directly but must have a faculty sponsor arranged *and* a completed **undergraduate research contract** on file with the department by first class meeting.

#### BIOE 182F, 183L, 193, 193F, 195

Courses are offered Fall, Winter and Spring quarters. These courses do not appear in the schedule of classes. Enrollment is via undergraduate research contract. For details on courses, including prerequisites, see: undergrad.pbsci.ucsc.edu/eeb/undergradresearch/research-courses



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### EEB ADVISING UPDATES



#### EEB Advising has a new location!

**Room 105A** Coastal Biology Building (CBB) UCSC Coastal Science Campus



In person advising will begin in CBB Room 105A on Wednesday 9/27/17



**Coming soon: Schedule advising appointments online using Slug Success!** Find Slug Success in the Resources tile of your MyUCSC portal.



You can always find our current advising availability on our website:

undergrad.pbsci.ucsc.edu/eeb/EEB%20advising



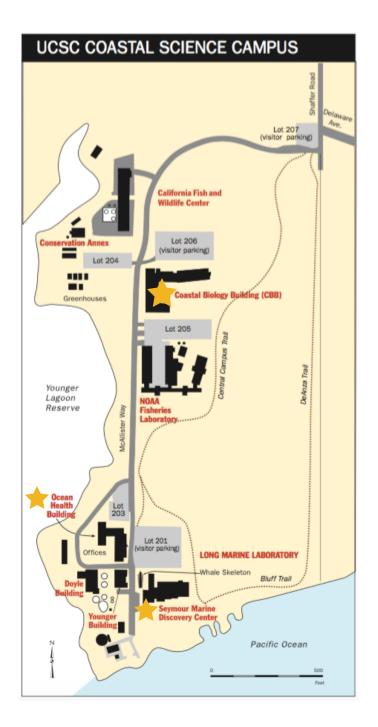




## COASTAL BIOLOGY BUILDING

After over a decade of classes, faculty, and staff being split between the UCSC Coastal Science Campus and the main campus, EEB is finally reunited!

With the move to the Coastal Biology Building, we will be able to offer students a richer, more immersive educational experience than ever before. With state-ofthe-art seawater labs, the most advanced teaching facilities, and the UCSC Natural Reserves and Monterey Bay Marine Sanctuary all steps from one another, EEB's Coastal Biology Building is unique across the entire UC system and beyond.



## **GETTING THERE**



The Santa Cruz Metro is free for all UCSC students with valid student ID and current sticker. As of Summer 2017, Santa Cruz Metro's Route 3 buses stop in front of the Coastal Biology Building during seven trips per weekday and six trips Saturday and Sunday.

A new Metro Route 22 will provide hourly services between the main UCSC campus and the Coastal Science Campus weekdays during the UCSC regular academic year. **Route 22 will begin service on Monday, September 25, 2017.** 



Bike parking is available at the Coastal Biology Building (CBB), and new covered bike racks and bike lockers have been installed.

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"A" parking permits will be required at the Coastal Science Campus 8am - 5pm M-F. "C" and "R" permits are not valid at the Coastal Science campus.

Fortunately there is ample free parking along Delaware and Shaffer Rd. just outside the Coastal Science Campus gate.

# Fall WELCOME WEEK 2017

### DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY & EVOLUTIONARY BIOLOGY



## EEB Department Orientation 9/26

- Targeted toward incoming freshmen, but **all are welcome!**
- Learn about life as an EEB student
- Be the first to tour the new Coastal Biology Building
- Visit our mini UCSC campus resource fair
- Enjoy light refreshments

Join us!

- Tuesday September 26, 2017
- 9:30 11:30 am
- Coastal Biology Building Room 110

UCSC Coastal Science Campus 130 McAllister Way Santa Cruz, CA 95060





## SCUBA + SWIMMING AT UCSC

Did you know UCSC offers courses on campus to take you from swimming novice to a certified Scientific Diver?

Swimming and SCUBA diving are critically important skills for Marine Biologists. Many employers also look for Scientific Diving Certification when looking for new grads to hire!

If you want to dive at UCSC you must have your **Scientific Diving Certification (AAUS)**.

OPERS offers the required swim and SCUBA courses to prepare you for **BIOE 75 Scientific Diving Certification.** 



A Scientific Diving Certification is required for:

**BIOE 161 + 161L** Kelp Forest Ecology + Lab

**BIOE 159** Marine Ecology Field Quarter

It's important to start your diving preparation early, so plan ahead!

Vist **ww2.ucsc.edu/scidiving** to get started.





# **OPPORTUNITIES + RESOURCES**





#### NOAA + Ernest F. Hollings Scholarships

The Ernest F. Hollings Scholarship is an excellent way to fund your undergraduate research and gain valuable access to incredible new opportunities. The Hollings Scholarship offers students up to \$9,500. NOAA also offers a variety of other scholarships for undergraduates. **Apply today!** 

#### www.noaa.gov/office-education/scholarships

#### Koret Undergraduate Research Scholarship

Apply for a \$1,500 Koret Undergraduate Research Scholarship! Koret Scholarships are available to students in any major or discipline who propose an undergraduate research project or creative activity. Up to an additional \$500 is available for materials and expenses. **The deadline to apply is October 31, 2017.** 

#### Find a job on or off campus:

careers.ucsc.edu/student/FindOpportunities /student-employment/index

### Undergraduate Research opportunities:

ugr.ue.ucsc.edu/pbsci



If you are impacted by the Trump Administration's recent decision regarding the DACA program, please reach out to:

#### Valeria Chavez-Ayala

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#### koretscholars.ucsc.edu