BIOLOGY 343 TENTATIVE COURSE OUTLINE July 5th to July 30th, 2010

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Lectures: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, 10:30 – 12:30, Wesbrook 201 *Labs and Field Trips:* Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, 1:30 – 4:30, Rm 3001

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Textbook: Levetin, E. and K. McMahon 2005 Plants and Society.

Website: www.vista.ubc.ca Lab Fee: \$20.00

| Date | Lectures | Labs and Field Trips |
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| July 5 | Unit 1 - Introduction | Field Trip: Pacific Spirit Park |
| July 7 | Unit 2 - Plant Structure | Lab #1: Plant Structure I |
| July 8 | Unit 2 - Plant Structure (cont) | Lab #1: Plant Structure I (Quiz #1) |
| July 9 | Quiz #2 | Lab #2: Plant Structure II |
| | Library Orientation (meet at rm 2361) | |
| July 12 | Field Trip: UBC Arboretum | Unit 3 - Origins and History of |
| | | Agriculture (and other Food Plants) |
| July 14 | Unit 4 - Flowers to Fruit | Lab #3: Plant Reproduction |
| | | (Quiz #3) |
| July 15 | Unit 5 - Plant Biotechnology, | Lab #4: Plant Families I |
| | Genetically Modified Plants | |
| July 16 | Special Topic (<u>not</u> optional): | Optional Activity: Plants to Dye For |
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| July 19 | Unit 6 - Spice Trade | Lab #5: Plant Families II |
| | | (Quiz #4) |
| July 21 | Field Trip: UBC Farm | Lab #6: Plant Families III |
| July 22 | Unit 7 - Substances Extracted from | Field Trip: China Town |
| | Plants | |
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| July 23 | Unit 8 - Stimulating Beverages | Field Trip: Anthropology Museum |
| July 26 | Unit 9 – Medicinal and Poisonous | Lab #7: Medicinal and Poisonous |
| | Plants | Plants – <i>Extraction</i> |
| | | (Quiz #5) |
| July 28 | Final Lab Exam, rm 3001 | Antibiotic Assay |
| | | Unit 9 - Medicinal and Poisonous |
| | | Plants (cont) |
| July 29 | Class Presentations | Antibiotic Assay Data Collection |
| | | Unit 10 - Ethnobotany |
| July 30 | Class Presentations | Class Presentations (Poster Session) |
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^{*}Fieldtrips: Pacific Spirit Park and the UBC Arboretum are mandatory. You should attend at least two additional fieldtrips. One fieldtrip is offered outside of class time: Botanical Garden, July 27 at 10:00 (meet at the UBC Botanical Garden at the front)