



**Spring 2016
Important Dates**

April

- 4- Senior registration begins
- 7- Junior registration begins
- 14- Sophomore registration begins
- 21- Freshman registration begins

Remember:

Registration times are assigned by the number of credits you have completed. Check Ramweb for your specific date and time.

May

- 5- Last day of spring classes.
- 5- Last day to request a University Withdrawal
- 8-12 - Final Exams
- 12-13- Commencement Ceremonies
- 29- University closed

SPRING IS IN THE AIR AND REGISTRATION IS NEAR!

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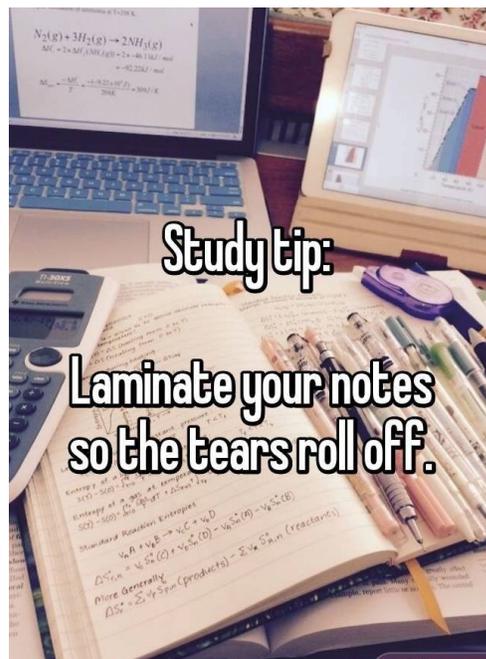
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There are only 5 weeks of class remaining before finals week! It's time to start gathering materials and preparing study guides for finals. Visit your professors' office hours if you're uncertain of how to prepare for your final exam. Statistically, students who space their studying over the course of several weeks not only perform better on exams, but they retain the information longer (meaning you'll likely do better in next semester's courses since you'll be able to recall prerequisite knowledge).



ARE YOU READY TO REGISTER FOR FALL CLASSES?

There are multiple ways to connect with an Academic Success Coordinator if you need to discuss your fall schedule.

- **Schedule an appointment at www.biology.colostate.edu**

- **Come to walk-ins:**

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 1-3pm

- **Send an email to your advisor**

While we are here to offer our guidance, support, and advice, it is important that you come to your appointment prepared. Choose the courses you want to take this fall and/or summer and use the catalog (catalog.colostate.edu) to look them up and make sure they're offered.

Remember to check RamWeb for your registration date.

You won't need an advising code to register **unless**: you're on academic probation or if this is your first semester at CSU and you have not yet met with an ASC.

Paid Internship Opportunity for undergraduates: Agricultural Research Service

Job summary: "Find Solutions to Agricultural Problems that Affect Americans Every Day, From Field to Table. "

The window to apply to very short - **deadline is Wednesday, April 5th!**

Apply here: <https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/466890400/>



Course highlights for fall 2017

Courses below are not offered every semester





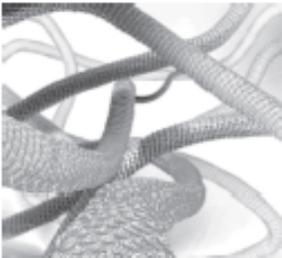
College of
Natural Sciences
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Bioinformatics and Genomics

BZ 360

TR 12:30-1:45, Fall, 2017

Topics include:

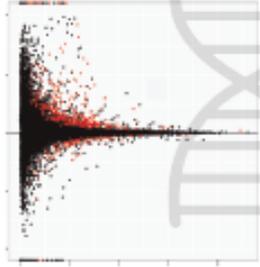


Genomics

Intro to Computer Programming for Biology



Data Analysis





For additional information, contact Tal Montgomery, tai.montgomery@colostate.edu

*if you are interested in medical school or graduate programs in biology, BZ 360 is for you!

Check out these other fall courses that only come around once a year
(or once every two years!)

BZ 330 - Mammalogy

BZ 332 - Phycology

BZ 333 - Mycology

BZ 346 - Population & Evolutionary Genetics

BZ 348 - Population and Evolutionary Ecology

BZ 349 - Tropical Ecology & Evolution

BZ 418 - Ecology of Infectious Disease

BZ 433 - Behavioral Genetics

BZ 462 - Parasitology & Vector Biology

BZ 471 - Stream Biology & Ecology

BZ 472 - Stream Biology & Ecology Lab

BZ 481 - Marine Mammalogy

Are you on Academic Probation?

If you are on academic probation, you will need to get your advising code from an Academic Success Coordinator before you can register!

You are required to make an advising appointment with an Academic Success Coordinator if you are on probation 1 or probation 2. Don't wait to schedule your appointment as advising calendars are filling up quickly!

We meet with every student on academic probation to discuss academic status, give out advising codes, plan for future semesters, and offer additional help/support for getting back into good academic standing.

Plan ahead and schedule your appointment or make a plan to attend walk-ins!

You will not be able to register without your advising code.

To make an appointment with an ASC, and view walk-in hours, please visit:

<http://www.biology.colostate.edu/undergraduates/schedule-an-appointment/>

TILT Academic Skills Sessions

Creative Thinking	Leverage your instinct and individuality to generate new ideas and build upon existing knowledge.	Tues. April 4 @ 5PM Thurs. April 6 @ 6PM
Working Well in Teams	Learn strategies and perspectives for success, and how to address conflict amongst group members.	Tues. April 11 @ 5PM Thurs. April 13 @ 6PM
Designing Discovery	Explore the basic methods, processes, and tools involved in conducting your own research.	Tues. April 18 @ 5PM Thurs. April 20 @ 6PM
Applying Your Academics <small>Sponsored by Year2@CSU</small>	Become aware of existing avenues to have course lessons become practical actions in the real world.	Tues. April 25 @ 5PM Thurs. April 27 @ 6PM
Marketing Academic Skills for Career Success <small>Presented by the Career Center</small>	Translating your academic skills and experience to a resume and career.	Tues. May 2 @ 5PM Thurs. May 4 @ 6PM

Location: TILT 221

Duration: 50-minutes

No pre-registration required. Just sign-in when you arrive! These workshops are highly interactive so come prepared to write, share, and engage!

FREE to all CSU students.

Questions? Contact Darrie Matthew Burrage at darrie.burrage@colostate.edu or (970) 491-2519

tilt.colostate.edu/learning

Mental Health Tip

In these last six weeks of school, spend some time outside on sunny days for an extra boost. Your body makes vitamin D after sun exposure, and research suggests a link between enough vitamin D and good mental health.



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COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY

JUST IN TIME

April 5
4:30-7pm
LSC Main Ballroom

Job & Internship Fair

Download the Fairs App today to get prepared for the fair

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TEACHER JOB FAIR

APRIL 19 | 8AM - 5PM
LSC GRAND BALLROOM

8AM - 10AM
Fair and interview sign-ups

10AM - 5PM
Interviews

Free
CSU students/alumni
\$35 pre-registered
\$50 day-of registration
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Colorado State University

*Even if you aren't quite ready to apply for jobs, you can still attend job fairs! It's an opportunity to learn which employers are coming to CSU, talk to employers to start building your network, and prepare for your future after graduation.



BSURE 2017

Biological Summer Undergraduate Research Experience

Colorado State University

May 22nd – July 31st

Are you a bit of a biology nerd? Do you work in a life sciences-related research lab on campus? Are you interested in developing your research ideas? Are you planning on going to graduate school?

The Summer 2017 Undergraduate BSURE program will hone your skills as a researcher and prepare you to win at grad school. Spend an hour each week with graduate students, post-docs, professionals, and professors, and the BSURE Summer program will give you:

- An understanding of the mysterious inner workings of grad school
- Field trips to businesses and facilities using biology IRL
- Charm and poise when talking about your research
- Friends in high(er) places and professional development
- Enrichment of research ideas and goals
- FREE PIZZA

Send a one-page letter of interest and a one-page summary of your current research to Anne Howard at anne.howard@colostate.edu in PDF form by **April 15, 2017**. To be accepted to this program your PI must approve your enrollment in writing. This program is free of charge.

For more information visit <https://csubsure.wordpress.com>

Check Out What's Happening With Some of Your CSU Faculty!

Google Street View Cars Detecting Urban Methane Leaks with Joe Von Fischer:

<http://www.biology.colostate.edu/google-street-view-cars-are-eyes-on-the-ground-for-urban-methane-leaks/>

Diana Wall to Receive Top Honor From Ecological Society of America: <http://www.biology.colostate.edu/soges-director-diana-wall-receives-top-honor-from-ecological-society-of-america/>

Endangered Frog Species Discovered in Ecuador's Cloud Forests with Chris Funk: [http://](http://www.biology.colostate.edu/spectacular-looking-endangered-frog-species-discovered-in-ecuadors-cloud-forests/)

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