

**URBAN STUDIES 591
H(3S-0)**

Integrative Seminar

Timetable: See current Infonet information at: <http://www.ucalgary.ca/InfoNet/> **Catalogue #:** See current information on Infonet

Instructor: Geoff Ghitler

Official Course Description:

Advanced seminar for the interdisciplinary consideration of selected problems in urban studies.

NOTE: May not be offered every year. May be taken as a reading course if an instructor is available.

Prerequisite:

Urban Studies 201 or 253 and two of Economics 361, Geography 351, Political Science 425, Sociology 353 or consent of the Faculty

Supplementary Fees: (*field trips etc*). N/A

Text(s)/Readings: Cronon, W. 1991. *Nature's metropolis: Chicago and the Great West*. New York: W. W. Norton

Grading (Weighting): Written Assignments 30%; Midterm Exam, 20%, Participation 10%; Final Group Project 40%

There is no final examination for this course. It is not essential to pass all elements/components to pass the course as a whole.

Grading System:

A+	95-100%	B	80-83.9%	C-	64-67.9%
A	92-94.9%	B-	76-79.9%	D+	60-63.9%
A-	88-91.9%	C+	72-75.9%	D	56-59.9%
B+	84-87.9%	C	68-71.9%	F	Below 56%

For additional detailed course information posted by the Instructor see Blackboard at:
<http://blackboard.ucalgary.ca/>

Plagiarism

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Re: Posting of Grades and Picking-up of Assignments

- Assignments will be handed back only in class or by the Professor at pre-arranged time(s).
- To receive your assignment back via mail, please include an appropriately sized self-addressed, stamped envelope with your assignment when handing in to the professor.
- Posting of grades will be at the discretion of each Professor and, if posted, they will be scrambled. Grades will **not** be available at Geography's main office.

Contact Information for Student and Faculty Representation

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- SU Faculty Rep. Phone: 220-3913 and e-mail: socialscirep@su.ucalgary.ca

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