

Animal Science 310 Man and Animal Interaction Fall 2009
9-9:50 pm M W F 306 KH

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Recommended Text: None

Other Requirements: Basic calculator

Course Objectives:

1. Develop a basic understanding of the principles of animal health and well being
2. Consider the implications of animal behavior in our relationships with animals
3. Examine social and moral issues related to the interaction of man and animals

Grading system:

Lecture exams and final	450pts	A= 648-720
Participation	120	B= 576-647
Individual Report	75	C= 504-575
Presentation	75	D= 432-503
Total	720	F= 0-431
Extra credit assignment	30	

Exam and Assignment Policy:

Exam dates are provided in the course outline. Assignments are due at the start of the next class period unless specified otherwise. Late assignments will be deducted 5 points per day. The assignment sheet must be included or 5 points will be deducted.

Attendance policy:

Attendance and participation are important components of this course. Attendance is expected. Excuses for a missed quiz, assignment or exam will be considered only in emergency situations or special prior arrangements with the instructor.

Student rights and responsibilities:

See <http://www.wiu.edu/provost/student/> for policies relating to academic dishonesty, class attendance, and grade appeal.

ADA Compliance:

In accordance with University policy and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), accommodations in the area of test or note taking may be made for any student who notifies the instructor of the need for an accommodation. It is imperative that you take the initiative to bring such needs to my attention, as I am legally not permitted to inquire about the particular needs of students. Furthermore, I would like also to request that students who may require special assistance in emergency evacuations (i.e., fire, tornado, etc.) contact me as to the most appropriate procedures to follow in such an emergency.

ANSC 310**Tentative Course Schedule**

Aug	24 M	Introduction
	26 W	Man and animal relationships
	28 F	Types of diseases
	31 M	NO CLASS - HOLIDAY
Sep	02 W	Infectious disease model
	04 F	Decreasing exposure to disease – Sanitation and disinfection
	07 M	Decreasing exposure to disease – Quarantine, isolation, and biosecurity
	09 W	Increasing immunity
	11 F	Decreasing predisposing factors
	14 M	General disease symptoms and diagnosis
	16 W	Beef farm tour 10pts
	18 F	Swine farm tour 10pts
	21 M	Respiratory and gastrointestinal disease
	23 W	Reproductive and parasitic disease
	25 F	Animal health careers
	28 M	Exam 1 200pts
	30 W	Animal behavior - principles
Oct	02 F	Animal behavior – herding and handling
	05 M	NO CLASS - BULL TEST
	07 W	Animal behavior - herding and handling
	09 F	Animal Behavior Lab 10pts
	12 M	Animal behavior – facility design
	14 W	Animal behavior
	16 F	Animal Behavior Lab 10pts

19 M Animal rights and welfare issues **Topic synopsis/outline due 15pts**
 21 W Animal rights and welfare issues
 23 F **Animal Behavior Lab 10pts**

26 M **Exam 2 100 pts**
 28W Student presentations (60pts)
Paper (60pts) and exam questions (15pts) due on day of presentation
 30 F Student presentations

Nov 02 M Student presentations
 04 W Student presentations
 06 F Student presentations

09 M Student presentations
 11 W Student presentations
 13 F Student presentations

16 M Student presentations
 18 W Student presentations
 20 F Student presentations

23-27 **NO CLASS FALL BREAK**

Dec 30 M Student presentations
 02 W Student presentations **Extra credit assignments due 30pts**
 04 F Student presentations

07 M Student presentations
 09 W Student presentations
 11 F Student presentations

16 W **FINAL EXAM – 8 am 150pts**