

Human Origins

Archaeology 131

Section: E100

Term: 2000 Spring

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Evening course, Burnaby campus

Lecture time: Tuesday 17:30 - 20:20

Discussion Topics: Topics:

1. The search for human origins.
2. Dating techniques.
3. Humans among the animals.
4. The earliest primates.
5. The Transvaal hominids.
6. Discoveries at Olduvai, Omo and Turkana.
7. Evolution and homonid behaviour.
8. Homo erectus
9. Neanderthal: discovery, environments and culture.
10. Cro-Magnon/Peopling of the "New World".

Grading: Grading:

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| Mid-term exam | 40% |
| Final exam | 40% |
| Class participation | 20% |

Required Texts: Campbell, Bernard G. and James D. Loy Humankind emerging 1996 7th (or newest) edition Addison Wesley Longman ISBN 0 673 523640 Paperback

and

Galdikas, Biruté Reflections of Eden: my years with the orangutans in Bor

Recommended Texts: none

Materials/Supplies: none

Prerequisite/Corequisite: none

Notes: This is a lecture course with NO tutorials.

Deferred grades will be given ONLY on the basis of authenticated medical disability.

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