

# Columbia River Gorge Field Studies (G200)

## *Fall 2015*



**Lecture:** Friday, 30 October, 2:00-3:00 pm, Broadway Housing Building (BHB) 222  
**Field Trip:** Saturday, 31 October, 8:00am – 6:00pm, Off-campus

**Prerequisites:** none

**Course Description:** Introduction to field observation by examining geologic formations in the Columbia River Gorge. We will visit rock exposures and viewpoints at various locations between Portland and The Dalles. The lecture will include an overview of the rocks found in the gorge, how the gorge formed, and active processes today. Lecture attendance is required for successful completion of this course.

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**Grading:** Pass/Fail. To get credit, you must attend both the lecture and field trip, and turn in the field guide completed with all questions answered by Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>.

**What to bring:** Casual clothing including rain-gear and walking shoes. Conditions may be windy, cold, wet, or any combination. Ensure you are prepared! Bring water, lunch, and a small notebook. A camera can also be helpful. Transportation and material costs are covered by the course fee which is assessed at the time of registration.