

GEOG 3000B/ENST 3900B. Honours Field Camp  
Assessing the Carleton Campus as a Happening Place for Students  
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### Course Description

*This is a non-residential field camp course based on campus.* Your task in this field camp is to assess the Carleton campus from the student's perspective. Is it a 'Green' campus? Is it a place that nurtures student health and wellbeing? Do students like being on campus? Basically, is it a 'happenin' place that offers students with a place of vibrance and creativity, and that encourages them to hang around after classes?

This course is all about fieldwork. You will be learning, and applying different methods used in the field today. You will also be learning about how one goes about planning fieldwork, the ethical responsibilities associated with fieldwork, and field analysis techniques. It is always a lot of fun!

You will be working in teams of four or five (depending upon the number of students enrolled in the course) in the field. The deliverables, however, are broken down to a single team vision project and a series of individual assignments. You will be working through a course laboratory manual, and I will be working alongside you, so the tasks will be easy to follow and results easy to interpret. By taking this course, you will gain important experience in the diverse range of field research methods available to you as environmental professionals.

NOTE: Please note two important points. First, this field camp runs over the Fall Reading Week. Second, it is mandatory that all students attend all classes and in-field days. This is an experiential course so you must be there to learn.

ALSO NOTE: There are two field course options this fall semester. The other field course is a residential-based course where you spend Reading Week outside of Ottawa. Contact Karen Tucker for more information on both.