Ichthyology Lab (ECOL 4050/6050)
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Overview: Over the course of the semester we will introduce you to the diverse world of fishes. **This is a hands-on lab.** Plan to get your hands dirty, and plan to participate in the field sampling trips. This lab is divided equally between laboratory and field activities. We are planning 4-5 off-campus field trips, including an overnight camping trip to the Blue Ridge mountains in western North Carolina. All field trips which extend beyond regular lab hours are not required, but you are strongly encouraged to participate. Material covered during field trips will be included on lecture and laboratory exams.

Required Materials:
1. A lab notebook for drawings, notes, and handouts.
3. Index cards, or similar material for taking taxonomic notes, drawings etc…

Recommended Materials:

*Peterson’s Field Guides: Freshwater Fishes*, by Page and Burr

Lab Grade:
Your lab grade comprises 32% of your final class grade;
Lab Practical 1 = 16% and Lab Practical 2 = 16%.

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