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IB 41 - MARINE MAMMALS (2 UNITS)

(Taken from the UC Berkeley Course Guide (<http://guide.berkeley.edu>))

COURSE OVERVIEW

SUMMARY

A survey of marine mammal evolution, biology, behavior, ecology, and politics with a concentration on those species found in the North Pacific. Coverage would include: origin and evolution of cetaceans, pinnipeds, sirenians, and sea otters; basic biology and anatomy of marine mammal groups, and North Pacific species in particular; ecological interactions and role in nearshore and pelagic marine communities; and interactions between humans and marine mammals.

PREREQUISITES

Designed for those not specializing in Integrative Biology

Offered in the summer/p>

WORKLOAD

TIME COMMITMENT

8 weeks - 4 hours of lecture per week

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