

# Geology 9601y Course Outline

## 1. Course Information

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Geology 9601y. **Regional Field Geology**

A ten-day field trip to study aspects of the Appalachian Orogen in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. 1<sup>st</sup> September to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2022.

### Prerequisites

Graduate students planning to take this course should have a reasonable grounding in igneous and sedimentary petrology, and in structural geology. Participation is at the discretion of the instructor. Course fees for Accelerated Masters students are included in their Academic Fees. Other graduate students are responsible for partial costs (\$400 in 2022). A \$200 deposit is payable by April 30<sup>th</sup> and the balance by August 1<sup>st</sup> 2022.

## 2. Instructor Information



## 5. Methods of Evaluation

Attitude & Participation	10%
Quality of Field Notes	20%
Field Mapping Exercises	20%
Final Exam (2 hours, in Saint John, last morning)	30%.
Literature review and synthesis for a specified field locality (due by Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> September).	20%

## 6. Student Absences

### Assessments worth 10% or more of the overall course grade:

For work totalling 10% or more of the final course grade, you must provide valid medical or supporting documentation to the Academic Counselling Office of your Faculty of Registration as soon as possible. For further information, please consult the Univer

[https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic\\_policies/appeals/accommodation\\_medical.pdf](https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/accommodation_medical.pdf).

The Student Medical Certificate is available at

[https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic\\_policies/appeals/medicalform.pdf](https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/medicalform.pdf).

If a student has been able to participate in at least five of the nine scheduled field days (1 to 9 September), but is prevented from attending one or more days, or from completing the final exam due to Covid-19 infection, then their work will be reweighted and assessed on the basis of a minimum of five

. If a student is unable to complete a minimum of five days of fieldwork, they will be considered not to have taken the course.

If a student is unable, due to Covid-19 infection, to sit the final exam on September 10<sup>th</sup> (in Saint John, N.B.) then an arrangement can be made for them to sit the final exam upon their return to UWO.

## 6. Accommodation and Accessibility

[https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic\\_policies/appeals/Academic Accommodation\\_disabilities.pdf](https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/Academic_Accommodation_disabilities.pdf).

## 7. Academic Policies

The website for Registrarial Services is <http://www.registrar.uwo.ca>.

In accordance with policy,

[https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/policies\\_procedures/section1/mapp113.pdf](https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/policies_procedures/section1/mapp113.pdf),

the centrally administered e-mail account provided to students will be their official university e-mail address. It is the responsibility of the account holder to ensure that e-mail received from the University at their official university address is attended to in a timely manner.

No electronic devices are required or permitted at the final exam.

**Scholastic offences** are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at the following Web site:

[http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic\\_policies/appeals/scholastic\\_discipline\\_undergrad.pdf](http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/scholastic_discipline_undergrad.pdf).

## 8. Support Services

Please visit the Science & Basic Medical Sciences Academic Counselling webpage for information on adding/dropping courses, academic considerations for absences, appeals, exam conflicts, and many other academic related matters: <https://www.uwo.ca/sci/counselling/>.

Students who are in emotional/mental distress should refer to Mental Health@Western (<https://uwo.ca/health/>) for a complete list of options about how to obtain help.

Western is committed to reducing incidents of gender-based violence. For more information, contact the 8. Support Services team at 519.327.4062 or [8.Support.Services@uwo.ca](mailto:8.Support.Services@uwo.ca).