Welcome to Surv 101 – Introduction to Land Surveying!! In this class you will develop a basic but general understanding of land surveying, field practices, and surveying related calculations. By the end of the class you will be able to perform basic land surveying applications, calculations, and field practices.

Course Format:
This is a HYBRID course. For an explanation of the difference between online and hybrid courses, please see [http://www.canyons.edu/Offices/DistanceLearning/OnLine/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.canyons.edu/Offices/DistanceLearning/OnLine/Pages/default.aspx) on the Distance Learning website. The online portion of this course is offered using Blackboard. Please see the technical requirements indicated below for additional information on Blackboard.

It should be noted that this is not a self paced course. There are weekly due dates and assignments. It is important that you attend every in person class meeting and visit the Blackboard classroom each week.

Generally the lecture material will be provided through Blackboard and all field labs and exams will be in person. It is not possible to make up field labs so it is essential that you attend every in person class meeting.

All exams will be given during class meetings.

Class Meeting Dates:
This course starts on Monday, February 9, 2015 and ends on Thursday, June 4, 2015.

The lab will meet from 9:00am - 3:50pm on the following Fridays: 2/20, 3/6, 3/20, 4/3, 4/17, 5/1, 5/15, and 5/29.

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Technical Requirements:
A portion of this course is offered using Blackboard. The following links provide information and assistance for Blackboard and online learning.

Distance Learning Home Page:
[http://www.canyons.edu/Offices/DistanceLearning/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.canyons.edu/Offices/DistanceLearning/Pages/default.aspx)
Blackboard resources/tutorials and Access to the course: http://bb.canyons.edu (Please note that you cannot access the course until the first day of the semester, Mon., February 9th)

Required Textbook and Course Materials:
Published by Pearson Prentice Hall
ISBN# 978-0-13-700940-4

You will also need a scientific calculator and a field book. Scientific calculators can easily be purchased in the campus bookstore, at WalMart, Staples, Office Depot and a number of other stores. The important features are trigonometric functions (Tan, Cos, Sin) and conversions of degrees, minutes, and seconds to decimal degrees and back. The field book is available in the campus bookstore. Please note that cell phone calculators are not permitted in class.

In addition you will need a reliable internet connection, your college email address, and basic computer skills including familiarity with basic windows formats, opening and closing files, sizing windows, starting programs, sending emails, attaching documents, and basic file management skills.

You are responsible for checking and using your assigned college email address. This is the only email address that will be used in this course. You will miss important course information if you do not check this email account on a regular (daily) basis.

If you have any course related questions, please contact me via email at regina.blasberg@canyons.edu or by telephone at (661) 362-5096. When sending an email, please include “Surv 101” in the subject line of the email. Doing so will likely improve the promptness of the reply. In general emails will be replied to within 24-48 hours.

I look forward to seeing you in class!

Regina Blasberg