

ERTH 493, Seminar, 1 cr, 1 cl hr

*Offered fall and spring semesters*

Seminar presentations by faculty, students, and outside speakers. Provides a broad overview of current Earth Science research and directions. Graded on S/U basis.

Satisfactory performance consists of regular attendance at approved seminars.

Credit may not be applied toward degree requirements. (Same as GEOC 593, GEOL 593, GEOP 593, HYD 593)

Rationale:

The seminars cover a broad range of topics and are presented by practitioners of earth science from throughout the state and nation. This is a valuable opportunity for undergrads to gain perspective on potential career paths and to learn about cutting-edge topics, many of which cannot be covered in the standard curriculum. The seminar has been offered twice now to undergraduates as a 489 class with reasonable success. There are 2 undergraduates attending the Fall 2013 seminar series for credit.