

## **Feed & Feedback**

**April 24, 2013**

11 students present

### **Student Comments**

#### **Courses**

- Some important concepts are repeated in GEO 3200 and GEO 3550, but that is a good thing.
- Little calculus is actually used in courses like Structure, which require it.
- Appreciate flexibility with regard to waivers of course prerequisites.
- Wish that more of the 5000-level Geology courses were offered every year.
- It would be good to have earlier exposure to geologic field methods.
- Would like to actually use analytic instruments (XRD, XRF) in Mineralogy course.
- Should have more field trips in some courses. Willing to pay higher lab fees.
- Students starting in Spring will have some course sequencing issues.
- Faculty sabbaticals can cause course scheduling issues.
- Incorporate Matt Lab in more courses.
- Incorporate GIS in more courses or make it a required course.
- Change CS 1400 option (not very useful) - require GIS instead.
- Intro Physics labs are pointless.
- Could Physics add some geologic examples to their labs?
- Intro Chemistry labs are pointless.
- The Math refresher course was not very helpful.
- Stats 3000 is a good alternative to Calculus II.

#### **Miscellaneous**

- Like accessibility of faculty.
- Advertise undergraduate research opportunities more.
- Try to pair undergraduates with graduate students doing research.
- Get the word out about internship possibilities- CEU Paleontology, Rio Tinto mining.