

GEOL 106 Earthquake Country Video Project

As mentioned at the beginning of the class (and in the Course Information from the Syllabus), this document describes the video project assignment.

The Assignment: You have been given an internship from the USGS to prepare an educational video for high school students in the cities of Anaheim, Los Angeles, Sacramento, San Jose, and San Diego. The purpose of each video is to teach the viewer some fundamental concept. Videos must cover material that we discussed in class or read about in the readings.

Students will prepare an educational video to be presented in class during the final week. Students will work in teams of no more than five students (preferably 3). The videos will be 3 – 5 minutes in length. The videos will be posted online via Moodle, so ensure to list all material that is used (to ensure copyright laws are obeyed). In other words, give credit to the people that created material that you might use in your video (like at the end of a movie). References and credits at the end of the video do not count towards the required time length. Students will review others' videos in class (in order to get credit for this, each student needs to have a functional way of clicking!). The grade, worth 50 points, includes the video (students need to demonstrate they worked as a team, as evidenced in the credits), the presentation of the video in class, and the review of others' videos in class. Each video will be graded on (1) the ability to learn from the video and (2) on the ability to engage the viewer. Don't forget to make your video engaging (e.g. fun!).

Once you form your group, exchange contact information as soon as possible. Give yourself a team name. This will be your production name listed in the credits.

The final video, along with the filled-out video assignment form, **must be submitted electronically by 5 PM on 04/30/17**. There will be a place on Moodle to submit these documents listed in week 15. The video needs to follow the rules in the Student Code of Conduct (they will be reviewed for compliance). Any videos that violate the Student Code of Conduct will be disqualified from viewing and will not be accepted for credit. Have fun (most important), but be respectful of others.