8PM Wednesday Recitation 041 Students Only

Vines and Vineyards

Emerson Vineyards

Highway 99 and Airlie Road (carpooling)

Saturday, January 27

9:00 – 1:00pm

**Contact Person: James Cassidy –** [**james.cassidy@oregonstate.edu**](mailto:james.cassidy@oregonstate.edu)

***Project Description:***

Emerson Winery is one of the top small producers of high quality wine in the Willamette Valley. As members of the Willamette Valley Wineries Association, Emerson is known for their high quality value wines (i.e. low prices). Much of the wine is produced from estate fruit so seasonal vineyard work is ongoing. Students will receive a winery tour as part of this project and will work in the vineyard alongside professionals pruning, and removing last year’s canes. Significant portion of the day will be looking at soils and mapping the vineyard(!) Bread and a vegetarian lunch included. You will learn more about soil, growing grapes, and making wine than you ever thought possible! Please bring a current ID if you wish to participate in the wine tasting or purchase of discounted wines!

Outdoor activity with moderate physical activity.

**Dress for outdoor work for 4 hours! – layers, rain or shine, REAL footwear (sloppy muddy slippery ground!) – No yoga pants. Not tennis shoes. REALLY, its going to be wet and cold!**

***Location:*** Emerson Vineyards - <http://www.emersonvineyards.com/contact/mapdriving-directions>

All members of the group are required to attend the actual work site and work. Then you can divide up the writing and presenting to class as you wish.

**Each Group consists of a Group Leader with up to five other group members.**

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**GROUP LEADER Responsibilities:**

1. Contact the “contact person” the first week of classes.

2. Be sure that all group members are aware of the project date and location and plan to show up.

3. Organize the group—which group members will produce the written report and which group members will

prepare the oral presentation.

A class presentation on the project will be required at the end of the term. This presentation is accompanied by a 500 word report to be turned in at the same time. The report requirements will be outlined by your TA during a Group Project Workshop recitation in Week # 8.