

Spring 2017

SPECIATION BIOLOGY AND GENETICS

VIBS/GENE/EEBL 689

Tue, Thurs: 11:10 am – 12:25 pm
3 credits

SPECIAL TOPICS COURSE for graduate students

Prerequisites:

Previous coursework in Genetics and Evolution (if unsure, please contact the instructor).

General Theme:

A review of the literature on the origin of species from pre-Socratic times leading to Darwin's theory, and continuing through contemporary studies in this genomic era. This course aims to provide an overview of several major topics in speciation biology with special emphasis on the genetics of speciation.

Organization:

Combination of lectures, journal clubs, student-led discussions with a heavy reading component. This is a graduate level class and will be taught in the style of the Socratic method, as needed, to draw out student participation.

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