Spring 2016 Course Announcement

Course Topic: *Global Climate Change, Extreme Weather and Public Health*

Course: EHS 894 Directed Readings in Environmental Health
Wednesdays: 1:00 PM-3:50 PM
School of Public Health, East Campus, C6

**Course Directors:**
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**Course Description:**
This course is designed to provide students with a comprehensive picture of how a changing climate and extreme weather/natural disasters affect public health. Students will learn the major implications of extreme weather on multiple health outcomes; understand what and how basic and special methods can be used to analyze health risks from climate change; learn how to identify vulnerable populations; and produce risk communication; and eventually develop climate-health adaptation strategies or intervention plan by integrating knowledge learned, evidence-based findings from NYS, and working with the instructor and other governmental officials.

**Prerequisites:** None / Open to all Master or Doctoral levels of students in School of Public Health, Atmosphere Science Program, Global Health, and Disaster Preparedness.

Please contact the Department of Environmental Health Sciences to reserve your seat today (473-7553 or lhilton@albany.edu)