***FIELD COURSE ITINERARY FOR 2018***

**Tuesday, June 19, 2018 *Begin*** integrated, concurrent classes on WWU campus, **Tuesday, June 26th *Leave*** for research site in Alvord Basin, Harney Co, OR **Wednesday June 27th** Set-up camp & research plot & capture *Phrynosoma*

June 27 to July 3 Capture, mark, measure, exercise & release lizards

Perennial plant mapping

Developing proficiency of team research methods

July 4 to July 20 Team research project in Ecological Methods

Team research project in Reptile Ecology

**Saturday, July 21 *Return*** to WWU campus

**Sunday, July 22** Unload & clean gear

July 23 to August 3 Process pitfall & fecal samples, Transcribe video focal samples,

Develop raceway data from high speed videos, Enter, edit data, preliminary analyses,

Develop careful explication of Research Methods,

Develop powerpoint summary of research

**Friday August 3, 2018**. Formal Course Schedule Ends

**Biol 408 is *Ecological Methods.* Biol 409 is *Research in Reptile Ecology.***