CASPER COLLEGE COURSE SYLLABUS
ANSC 2130 – SWINE PRODUCTION

Semester/Year: Spring 2015

Lecture Hours: 3    Lab Hours: 0    Credit Hours: 3
Class Time: 10:00 -10:50 a.m.  Days: M W F  Room: WA 110

Instructor’s Name: Dr. Jeremy Burkett

Instructor's Contact Information: Office Phone: 307-268-2417  Email: jburkett@caspercollege.edu

Office Hours: As posted on office door or by appointment

Course Description: Swine production in the United States including production of purebred and commercial swine: breeds, breeding, feeding, marketing, and management. Emphasis is on problems encountered in the production of swine in Wyoming.

Statement of Prerequisites: ANSC 1010; ANSC 1020 or permission of the instructor

Goal: The major objectives of the course are to give students the understanding and basic principles associated with management of swine production.

Outcomes: Demonstrate an understanding of basic concepts and principles in the following areas of swine production:
1. History
2. Health
3. Nutrition
4. Reproduction
5. Selection
6. Management and facilities
7. Handling

Methodology: This course is designed to be strictly a lecture course; however, every means possible will be used to convey this information to the student. Films, slides, video tapes, guest lectures, live animals, along with the lecture material will be used. Because of our facility, live animals can be brought in and used when necessary.

Evaluation Criteria: Grades in this course will be based on the following criteria: tests, quizzes, in-class assignments, group projects, and attendance.

ATTENDANCE:
1. Attendance is critical! Your presence is important for your own learning.
2. If an absence is unavoidable, please arrange ahead of time to discuss options for making up work. Full credit can be earned on work submitted on or before the due date. Late assignments will result in lower grades.
3. Make-up exams that are missed due to an excused absence may be made up before the next class meeting by arrangement with the instructor.

Class Policies: Last Date to Change to Audit Status or to Withdraw with a W Grade: Last Date to Change to Audit Status or to Withdraw with a W Grade: Please refer to current college catalog. In this course, if you are considering a change to Audit status, or dropping the course, you should first speak with the instructor to evaluate your options policy, anything particular to your class)

Student Rights and Responsibilities: Please refer to the Casper College Student Conduct and Judicial Code for information concerning your rights and responsibilities as a Casper College Student.

Chain of Command: If you have any problems with this class, you should first contact the instructor to attempt to solve the problem. If you are not satisfied with the solution offered by the instructor, you should then take the matter through the appropriate chain of command starting with the Department Head/Program Director, the Dean, and lastly the Vice President for Academic Affairs.

Academic Dishonesty: (Cheating & Plagiarism) Casper College demands intellectual honesty. Proven plagiarism or any form of dishonesty associated with the academic process can result in the offender failing the course in which the offense was committed or expulsion from school. See the Casper College Student Code of Conduct for more information on this topic.

Official Means of Communication: Casper College faculty and staff will employ the student's assigned Casper College email account as a primary method of communication. Students are responsible to check their account regularly. This is also, where you will find course evaluation links during course evaluation periods.

ADA Accommodations Policy: If you need academic accommodations because of a disability, please inform me as soon as possible. See me privately after class, or during my office hours. To request academic accommodations, students must first consult with the college’s Disability Services Counselor located in the Gateway Building, Room 344, (307) 268-2557, bheuer@caspercollege.edu. The Disability Services Counselor is responsible for reviewing documentation provided by students requesting accommodations, determining eligibility for accommodations, and helping students request and use appropriate accommodations.

Calendar or schedule indicating course content: TBD