



MEXICO FIELD SCHOOL  
CUERNAVACA – APR/MAY 2010

- 
- Improve your Spanish abroad
    - Travel
    - Learn
    - Earn 6 credits

# THE COURSE: MLAN 270



# Prerequisites

Spanish 111 & 121 or equivalent.

Instructor's permission (see application form). This course is designed for students whose first language is NOT Spanish.

# Selection Process

- Obtain application form from Annette Dominik or from ML Café moodle site
- Fill out application form
- Submit form to Annette Dominik (AE229) or Jackie Mullen (Department secretary—AE253)
- Wait to receive notification of permission to register



# Course Description

# BEFORE WE LEAVE

- Preparatory classes in Kamloops at the TRU campus.
- Daily lessons (room TBA)
- One written quiz
- Briefing meetings
- Departure in early May (TBD)



# KUKULCAN LANGUAGE SCHOOL



- May 2 – May 29, 2009 (dates subject to change), in Cuernavaca, México.
- Homestay with a Mexican family.
- Daily lessons
- Focused application of newly acquired language patterns from 1:00-3:00 pm in actual settings.
- Excursions to Taxco, Teotihuacan pyramids, museums, etc.

The main office



The inside classroom



# The reading room



A class in progress



# A cooking class



One of the swimming pools



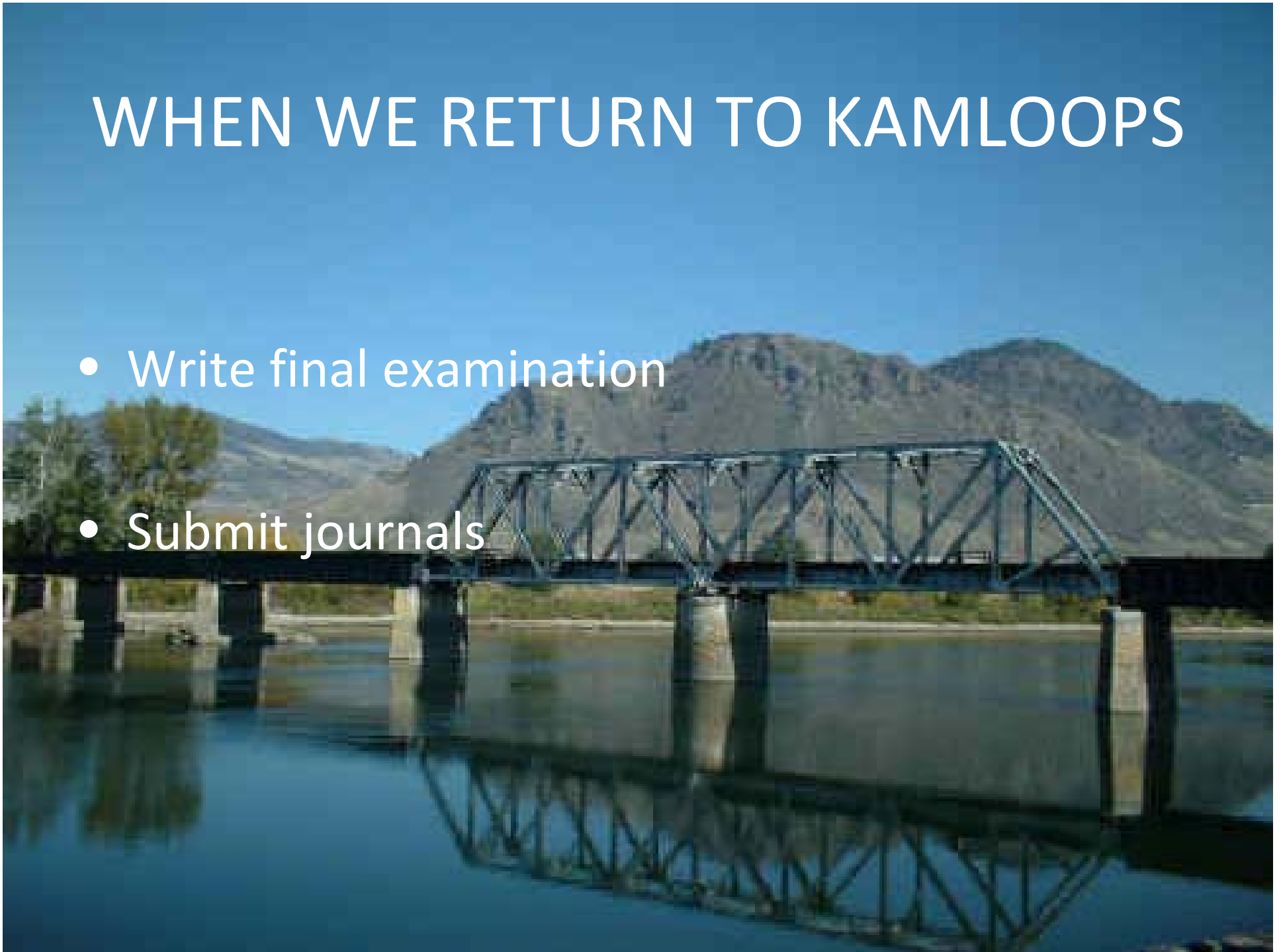
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# OUTSIDE CLASS TIME

- Scheduled, guided day-excursions (Taxco, Mexico City, Teotihuacan pyramids, etc.).
- Free time.

# WHEN WE RETURN TO KAMLOOPS

- Write final examination
- Submit journals



# How much money do I need?

- All cost estimate figures on the following slides are based on a field school enrollment of 20 students and are subject to change.



# Tuition

- 6-credit course
  - tuition (without UPASS\*) **\$894.72**

\*(Students must see Student Society re: waiving UPASS (\$48.00))

# Airfare

- Based on group rates
- Vancouver to Mexico City return      TBD



# BASIC COST ESTIMATE

(subject to change)

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- Tuition \$ 895
  - Kukulcan costs \$ 2020
  - Instructor's salary \$ 386
  - Vancouver to Mexico return \$ 800
  - **Total estimated costs and fees: \$ 4101**

# EXTRAS

- spending money for your own souvenirs, etc...  
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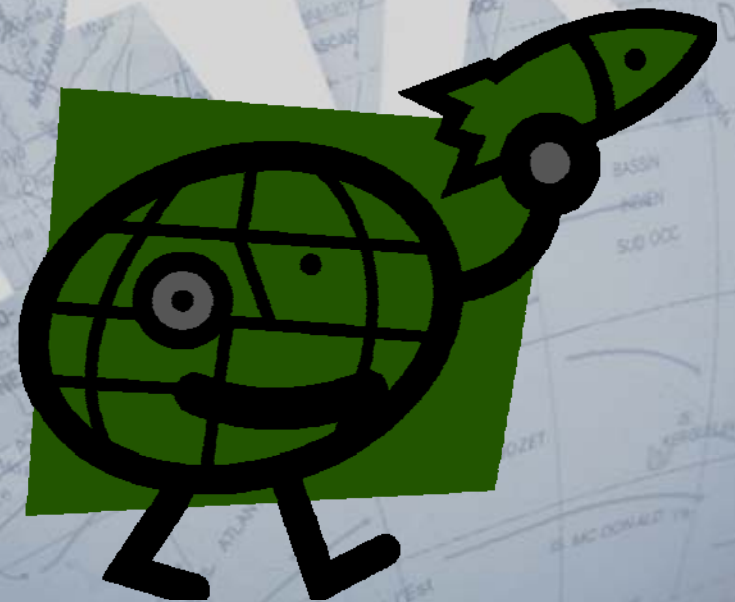


# Registration information

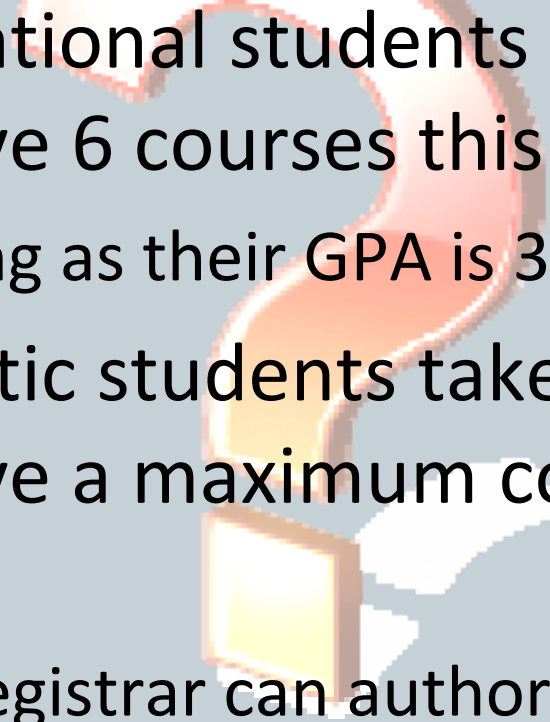
- To register for MLAN 270:
  - Fill out an application form (available from Annette Dominik)
  - Wait to be notified that you have been accepted
  - Pay course fees at the campus cashier.
- Purchase your plane ticket.

# International Students

- Tuition is included in your winter semester fees, even if you are already taking 6 courses.
- International students are responsible for applying for their own visas.



# Frequently-Asked Questions

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- Can international students take this if they already have 6 courses this semester?
    - Yes, as long as their GPA is 3.0 or better
  - Can domestic students take this if they already have a maximum course load for this semester?
    - Yes, the registrar can authorize this, since the course does not start until after the winter exams are finished.

**NOS VEMOS EN MÉXICO 2010!**

