

BIO-9 — INTRODUCTION TO THE NATURAL HISTORY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

About This Course

Transfer: UC, CSU

3.00 units

Prerequisite: None.

Description: An introduction to the identification, description, and adaptations of plant and animal species found in southern California. Examples of habitat types that will be covered include local mountains, deserts, and coastal marine ecosystems. This course is designed to offer students an opportunity to discover what factors have shaped habitat types in southern California, what types of organisms are found in these varying habitats, and how southern California compares to other regions of biologic interest. 36 hours lecture and 54 hours laboratory.(Letter grade only)