INT 96DM - CANCELLED

- **Title:** Geography of Beer and Brewing
- **Department:** Geography
- **Instructor:** Dan Montello
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- **Day - Time - Room:** Monday & Wednesday 3:00-3:50 in HSSB 4201
- **Enroll Code:** 57588

**Course Description:** Geography is the study of Earth as the home of humanity, focusing on describing and explaining spatial patterns of natural and human phenomena. That includes beer and brewing. Some questions about beer and brewing that can be addressed via geography include: Where did it originate and how did it spread across the landscape? Where did other beer and brewing innovations occur and spread, including innovations in styles, transportation, packaging, and marketing? What are the spatial patterns of beer brewing and consumption, and why? How do brewing and distribution patterns relate to spatial aspects of agriculture, climate, culture, and economics?

**Bio:** Daniel R. Montello is the primary instructor for this seminar. He is Professor in the Department of Geography at UCSB, where he has been on the faculty since 1992. His main research areas concern spatial, environmental, and geographic perception, cognition, and behavior. He has taught Introductory Human Geography since 1993 and has coauthored a popular textbook on the subject. In addition to Professor Montello’s class sessions, additional disciplinary perspectives will be provided by one week of classes led by Dr. Jarett Henderson of the History Department and another week led by Dr. Mike Wilton of the MCDB Department. Author Brian Yaeger will also visit one class to provide further perspectives from beer and brewing industries.

INT 96MS-CANCELLED

- **Title:** Health Equity and Community Well-being: An intersectional justice approach
- **Department:**
- **Instructor:** Melissa Smith
- **Instructor Email:** melissasmith@ucsb.edu
- **Day - Time - Room:** Tuesday 4:00-5:50 in HSSB 1227
- **Enroll Code:** 62588
Course Description: This seminar provides an introduction to the theory and practice of efforts to advance health equity and community well-being, drawing on an intersectional justice approach. We focus on upstream conditions of social inequality and how they impact downstream health inequities for historically marginalized communities. Students interested in health and social justice will gain an appreciation of diverse disciplinary approaches to addressing the social determinants of health. Dr. Melissa Smith is a family medicine physician who has worked in low-income communities for three decades, both as a clinician, and in collaboration with academic partners and community activists in efforts to advance health equity.

Bio: Melissa Smith, M.D., is a family medicine physician who has worked in primary care clinics in low-income communities in the US and Central America for three decades. She has also been involved in health and social justice efforts to complement her clinical work. Dr. Smith is the Director of Health Equity Initiatives at UC Santa Barbara, where she co-teaches a seminar on Community-based Participatory Research on health disparities, and is involved in collaborative efforts to address health concerns of immigrants in Santa Barbara County. Dr. Smith has developed culturally sensitive training programs for community health workers and midwives in Nicaragua and Guatemala, and has been engaged in a Participatory Action Research project focused on maternal health in Mexico. She has served as medical editor and writer for Hesperian Health Guides, who produce widely used public health manuals on community health and empowerment. Dr. Smith is lead author of Hesperian's book, Health Actions for Women: Practical Strategies to Mobilize for Change, which is now translated into six languages and accessed by poor communities around the globe on Hesperian’s open-source digital platform.

In 2012, Dr. Smith received the University of Washington School of Medicine Alumni Humanitarian award. She obtained a BA from Harvard University and an M.D. from the University of Washington.