STUDENT APPLICATION:
BIO 105 Ecology and Natural History of Jasper Ridge Biological Preserve
DUE: November 2, 2018

Name_______________________________ Date_____________
Major ____________________________ Year_______________
Email ______________________________ Phone____________

To complete your application please respond to/summarize the following points:

1) Why do you want to take Bio 105A/B? In answering this question, please explain what interests, skills, experiences, etc. you have that you will be able to contribute to the class.

2) A large component of this class is sharing your new knowledge and expertise with the larger community. What experiences do you have with community outreach or education programs?

3) Bio 105 covers a variety of topics in natural science. (However, students with all levels of experience in the natural sciences are welcome in the course.) We’re curious about your background in natural sciences: biology, botany, geology, etc.
   a. Have you taken any related coursework? If so, what?
   b. Do you have any related experiences or interests (ex: ecology projects, birding, archaeology, etc.)?
   c. Do you have any special research interest relevant to Jasper Ridge Biological Preserve? If so, please explain.

4) In selecting students for Bio 105 we’re looking to create a classroom full of diverse interests and talents, including those seemingly unrelated to natural science. What passions do you bring to the classroom (ex: ceramics, environmental policy, singing, activism, etc.)?

5) BIO 105 A/B is two quarters, winter and spring. The classes are Thursday afternoons from 1:30 to 5:00 (leaving campus at 1 and returning 5:30 or 5:45), and coursework includes both comprehensive assignments and independent research projects.
   a. Can you make a commitment to Bio 105 A/B every Thursday afternoon during both quarters and the associated coursework?
   b. What other academic, extracurricular, or social activities are you involved in?
   c. Can you commit to the time required to be an active member of the JRBP community during the next few years?

6) For our data gathering purposes:
   a. Do you know anyone who is a Jasper Ridge affiliate, researcher, class instructor, or ranger?
   b. How did you hear about this course?

Please email your application to Cindy Wilber (cwilber@stanford.edu) and TAs Jake Glassman (jacob8@stanford.edu) and Ardsley Sanders (ardsley@stanford.edu) by 11:59pm Friday, November 2nd, 2018.