STUDENT APPLICATION:
BIO/ESYS 105 A/B Ecology and Natural History of Jasper Ridge Biological Preserve
Deadline: Friday November 1st, 2019

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/ESYS 105A/B? Please explain what interests, skills, experiences, etc. you have that you will be able to contribute to the class.

2) A large component of BIO/ESYS 105A/B is sharing your new knowledge and expertise with the larger community. What experiences do you have with community outreach or education programs?

3) BIO/ESYS 105A/B 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/interests (ex: ecology projects, birding, archaeology, etc.)?
   c. Do you have any special research interest relevant to JRBP? If so, please explain.

4) In selecting students for BIO/ESYS 105A/B 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/ESYS 105A/B is two quarters, winter and spring. The classes are Thursday afternoons from 1:00 to 5:00 PM, and coursework includes both comprehensive assignments and independent research projects.
   a. Can you make a commitment to attend 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 Jorge Ramos (jorge.ramos@stanford.edu) and TAs Hannah Joy Payne (hannapa@stanford.edu) and Julia Goolsby (jgoolsby@stanford.edu) by 11:59pm Friday, November 1st, 2019.