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Date: Wednesdays, Nov. 14–28, 2018;
6:30 to 8:30 pm

Humans have been making decisions about the environment since time immemorial, and different societies and cultures have approached the environment in diverse ways. In this three-part course we will explore aspects of local knowledge, traditional ecological knowledge, and Indigenous knowledge. A core focus will be the relationships between Indigenous knowledge systems and western scientific knowledge, and the opportunities and challenges on the path towards interweaving the two in support of improved environmental conservation strategies and Indigenous rights resurgence.

Instructor: Lauren Eckert is currently a Raincoast Conservation Fellow and a National Geographic Explorer. She is also a conservation scientist, adventure enthusiast, and PhD student in the Applied Conservation Science lab at UVic.

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