

Analytical and Computer Cartography

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Assignment: Create a map of the campus from pen or pencil and paper. No computer resources will be required to complete this assignment.

Due: Jan 29, 2004

Where: Classroom

Points: 20

Purpose: This lesson is designed to introduce the student to the elements and basic techniques involved with creating a large-scale general reference map. The purpose of this exercise is to acquaint the student with the fundamental components involved with creating a map without the incumbrance of computerized tools.

Tools: Pen, pencil paper. You may use the computer to create text to paste on your map

Grading Points: Accuracy of the map
Care and neatness in execution
Core components of a general reference map present
Completeness of the map.

Corpus:

As a cartographer you will of course be called upon to make maps. Your task for this assignment is to create a map of the campus. The map you are making is to replace the general reference map currently in use. You will need to map, and label all of the buildings, roads, parking, and any other feature you deem important enough to include in your map. You may use whatever you like to complete the map, pen pencil whatever. Remember though that you will be graded on the neatness of your map. You also have the opportunity to earn an extra 10 percent on your grade in extra credit. If you include an inset on your map you may earn an additional 10% on your grade.

You are creating a general reference map showing all of streets and buildings names within the bounds of the Bancroft campus. You need to insure that you have all of the elements of a good map, a north arrow, a scale, a neat line.

The deadline shown above will be enforced. If however, your map is delayed your grade for this project will be reduced by 10% a day until a zero is reached.