

Biology 541 – Ecology of Fishes and Fisheries Biology

Timeline (deadlines) for Written Paper and Oral Presentation

October 23 -- Outline due

November 13 -- “Description, Range, and Distribution of Species” / Introduction due

November 20 -- Receive comments on “Description of Species” / Introduction due

December 9 -- Final paper due (100 pts. total)

December 11 -- Oral presentation (35 pts. total)

Allocation of Points for Written Paper (100 pts.)

Partial draft (10 pts.) – points based on categories below

Organization (20 pts.)

Paper well organized by topic; well-constructed topic sentences with pertinent and informative paragraphs

Content (40 pts.)

Completeness of the treatment of various topics; high ratio of information to content

Grammar & Spelling (20 pts.)

No misspellings; good grammatical structure, complete sentences

Literature Cited (10 pts.)

At least 10 references of primary and secondary literature; proper format