## Hunter College of the City University of New York THE GEOGRAPHY OF THE U.S. AND CANADA EXTRA CREDIT EXERCISE for EXAM ONE

## *The Physical Geography of Canada* Due no later than the start of Exam 1.

This take home extra credit question may add as many as 5 points to your exam grade.

Consult a road atlas, *Goode's World Atlas*, *Atlas of Canada*, *Google Earth* or other satellite image web site and your textbook. The Reference Room of the HC Library has many atlases.

- 1. Select any line of latitude running across Canada between 49°N and 70°N.
- 2. Locate the following 5 lines of longitude: 65°W, 75°W, 95°W, 115°W and 130°W.
- 3. For the intersection of the coordinates of latitude and longitude, provide <u>one</u> of the following for <u>each set</u>: A photocopy of the area from a road atlas OR a section of the topographic map covering the area from *Natural Resources Canada* (or other source) OR a *Google Earth* or other satellite image of the area. (Be sure to cite the source of your photocopy or image.)
- **4.** Using the intersection with your chosen line of latitude and my lines of longitude as a base, provide all of the following information:
  - **a.** Name of the **province or territory** located at these coordinates.
  - **b.** Name of one **city/town/village** located closest to these coordinates.
  - c. Name of the climate region surrounding these coordinates.
  - d. Name of the physiographic unit surrounding these coordinates.
  - **e.** Name of one **prominent landform feature** (mountain, lake, river, swamp, bay, etc.) located near these coordinates. Identify any obvious glacial feature(s) found in the area.
  - f. Place answers a-e next to the image or map of each of the 5 intersections.
- 5. When assembling your extra credit assignment for submission, create a cover page with (a) your name, (b) course number and (c) exercise name along with (d) a photocopy or image of a map of Canada. On the map please:
  - a. Label and highlight in yellow your chosen line of latitude.
  - b. Locate and mark with an "X" the 5 intersections with the lines of longitude listed above.

The points earned will be based on the material provided in paragraphs 1-5.

## Late hand-ins will NOT be accepted for this exam extra credit.

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