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Extra Credit Book Review

Bass, William M. 2003. Death's acre: inside the legendary forensic lab the Body Farm where the dead do tell tales.
New York: G.P. Putnam's Sons.
GN69.8 .B37

Graves, Joseph L. 2001. The Emperor's new clothes: biological theories of race at the millennium.
New Brunswick, N.J.: Rutgers University Press.
GN269 .G73

Jolly, Alison. 1999. Lucy's legacy: sex and intelligence in human evolution.
Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press
GN281 .J6

Jolly, Alison. 2004. Lords and lemurs: mad scientists, kings with spears, and the survival of diversity in Madagascar.
New York: Houghton Mifflin
QL737.P95 J65

Marks, Jonathan. 2002. What it means to be 98% chimpanzee: apes, people, and their genes.
Berkeley: University of California Press.
GN280.7 .M37

Tattersall, Ian. 1995. The last Neanderthal: the rise, success, and mysterious extinction of our closest human relatives.
New York: Macmillan, USA.
GN285 .T37

Tattersall, Ian. 1995. The fossil trail: how we know what we think we know about human evolution.
New York: Oxford University Press.
GN281 .T357

Tattersall, Ian. 1998. Becoming human: evolution and human uniqueness.
New York: Harcourt Brace.
GN281 .T355

Tattersall, Ian. 2001. Extinct humans.
Boulder, Colo.: Westview Press.
GN282 .T37

Wells, Spencer. 2002. The journey of man: a genetic odyssey.
Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press.
GN281.4 .W45

Extra Credit: A book review based on one of the selected books will be eligible for up to 6 points of extra credit. The point total will appear on your grade sheet in the space for labs 6.1, 6.2, and 6.3. This extra credit is in lieu of the zoo trip and lab assignment, and is meant only for those students who were unable to join us on the zoo trip. The assignment is as follows:

1. Students need to check out one of the books that are on 7-day reserve at the reserve desk in Gorgas Library.
2. Read the entire book and write an essay of no more than 1000 words (approximately 3 pages). In the essay, briefly summarize the points made by the author and contrast them to our approaches to the same material in class.
3. The essay is due no later than at the start of class on November 30.

Format: Your paper must be printed using a 12 point font on pages with one inch margins (top, bottom, left, right). Be sure to include your name and the title of the book. All text must be double-spaced. If you need writing hints, try my web site: http://www.as.ua.edu/ant/bindon/ant570/pap_rule.htm.