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Pedestrian Observation and Data Collection Curriculum Guide

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# Pedestrian Observation and Data Collection Curriculum Guide:
Readings, lecture notes, assignments, data collection forms, and classroom guidance

## Abstract
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Combined, these resources provide a comprehensive set of educational materials that can be used by instructors with little or no experience in pedestrian-related curriculum as a foundation for incorporating these topics into their teaching. The guide may also prove useful for organizations interested in pedestrian and bicycle planning and provide additional resources for experienced instructors.

### Specific outcomes include the following:
- Readings, curriculum, data collections tools, and general research design that instructors can adapt to their needs, while standardizing the data collection method. This can enrich classroom learning and facilitate fieldwork experience.
- The data collected from the exercise may provide a benefit to local agencies. Local jurisdictions are often interested in partnering with local university classes on data collection, but time constraints, particularly in the quarter system, can make planning and execution of projects time-prohibitive.
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Included curricula are aimed at undergraduate or graduate university students, but can be easily adaptable to high school students or community college classes interested in exploring these issues.

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the Pedestrian Observation and Data Collection Curriculum project, funded by the National Institute for Transportation and Communities. This guidebook provides a comprehensive set of class exercises suitable for students in courses related to travel behavior, traffic safety, urban planning and design, community health, or civil engineering. Exercises include activities developed through this project as well as a range of existing resources drawn from online resources.

This project developed three pedestrian-focused exercises that include elements of both traditional traffic counts and behavioral components, the latter of which are often lacking from current data collections efforts.

- The first assignment allows students to gain familiarity with manual pedestrian counts along a pathway (Pathway Counts).
- In the second assignment, students learn to count pedestrians and bicyclists at intersections (Intersection Counts).
- The third exercise focuses on pedestrian crossing behavior (Crossings/Interactions with Drivers). By encouraging students to consider behavioral interactions of roadway users (drivers yielding to pedestrians crossing the street), this activity provides students with field experience that generates data that underlie behavioral traffic theory and agent-based traffic models.

Overall, these activities allow students to gain experience in field research design related to traffic safety, while standardizing and collecting much-needed pedestrian data. Materials are organized to provide helpful guidance to instructors and offer insights gathered through pilot testing of classroom materials. Materials include lecture slides, data collection forms, classroom exercises, and readings.

Activities drawn from existing resources include a comprehensive set of educational materials that address different facets of pedestrian and bicycle planning. These resources are listed in Appendix A. Most are linked to or downloaded from the sites listed below, and their terms of use are defined by each site (see each website for details).

- Federal Highway Administration (FHWA; https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/publications/research/safety/pedbike/05085/)
- Portland State University’s Initiative for Bicycle and Pedestrian Innovation (IBPI; https://www.pdx.edu/ibpi/education-curriculum-modules).
- Pedestrian and Bicycle Information Center (PBIC; http://www.pedbikeinfo.org/training/courses.cfm)

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1.1 HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE

This guide is organized to help an instructor prepare a course module around pedestrian observation and data collection. Using the table of contents, an instructor can navigate directly to whichever piece of information they made need. For some, it may be useful to read the guide chronologically to facilitate the integration of concepts and exercises into the syllabus.

The first section details some of the challenges and considerations that need to be considered when planning to incorporate pedestrian observation and data collection into classroom assignments. Understanding the potential challenges can help an instructor choose the specific resources from the selection provided and help identify which direction they want to take exercises, which they can then select from the variety of resources, including example learning outcomes, syllabus text, and assignments.

Additional readings, organized by subject area, are provided in Appendix B. Course level, subject, and desired focus will guide the readings chosen for a particular class.

1.2 CHALLENGES AND CONSIDERATIONS

1.2.1 Scheduling

As with any group project, the biggest challenge in pedestrian observation or field experiment assignments is scheduling. Assigning groups and requiring out-of-class site visits is more flexible for students and preserves lecture time, but is highly dependent on student attendance. If students are late or do not show up, this seriously affects their group because the observations and experiment require multiple people performing different roles.

Assigning groups the day of a field visit ensures that each group has enough participants to complete the exercises. This method may be best used when the visits take up lecture time, which also necessitates the use of sites closer to the classroom.

1.2.2 Site choice

The selection of appropriate sites can be a challenge, should be carefully considered, and identified well in advance. The choice of sites will depend on the activities’ objectives and desired outcomes.

If the class is taking on data collection to assist in a real project (e.g., for a city or an advocacy group), site choice may be constrained. Site choice may be determined based on the focus of the class and/or assignment. An assignment focused on children’s health and travel, for example,
would need areas near schools (with any added preparations for collecting data near schools, like approval from the school district). An assignment focused on midblock crossing treatments would necessitate finding midblock crossings for each group (or assigning each group to collect data in one site at different times). If the desire to isolate particular variables of interest (e.g., the race of the pedestrian), then sites should be chosen to control for confounding factors.

In addition, accessibility must be taken into account to make sure all students can access the field sites and are physically able to be at the site for an hour or more.

Selection of sites should also take into account how long the duration of data collection is, and the expected usage of the site by pedestrians. For example, if the desired outcome is an understanding of pedestrian counts at a location, then the actual pedestrian volume is not critical. If the desired outcome is an understanding of driver/pedestrian interactions, however, sites with adequate volume of pedestrians and drivers have to be selected to ensure that students will collect enough data points to analyze interactions.

Pre-selection of sites via a map or Google Earth may not be sufficient, and instructors should consider visiting sites before the assignment.

1.3 EXAMPLE SYLLABUS INFORMATION

The following includes examples for various sections of a syllabus.

1.3.1 Learning outcomes

1.3.1.1 Example #1:

Learning objectives - This assignment aims to improve students’ ability to:
- Assess relationships between the physical environment and individual behavior.
- Identify planning and design decisions that promote or hinder walking for transportation.
- Discuss the roles of urban planning and design in shaping the built environment and promoting healthy and safe transportation.
- Gain experience in field data collection, data entry, and analysis.
- Communicate concepts through written and other formats.

1.3.1.2 Example #2

Learning Objectives:
- Students will learn why it is important to plan for walking as a form of transportation, and some of the challenges in collecting data about walking.
- Students will learn about how these field tools are accessible to them, and how they may be able to improve on existing tools.
- Students will do a round of data collection, including multimedia audits, and reflect on that process.
1.3.2 Syllabus section

1.3.2.1 Example section #1:

Street observation assignment - X%
This is a group project (groups will be pre-assigned). This project will require one out-of-class field visit as a group, and data entry and a group report done either in person or via shared online documents. You will need to choose a date and time when all members of the group can make the field visit. Please ensure that all group members play a role in creating the final report, which is due by the end of class on X date. Details on this project will be provided in class on Y date.

1.3.2.2 Example section #2:

Street observation assignment – X%
This assignment will be conducted in groups. Groups will be assigned on the day of the field observation (check the class schedule). Each group will be assigned a site near the classroom. After reviewing the data collection forms, we will head out to do the data collection. Please wear comfortable clothes and bring a bottle of water and anything else you will need to be in the field for the duration of lecture time. Data entry and the report writing will be done as a group, either in person or via shared online documents like Google Docs, Evernote, etc. Please ensure that all group members play a role in creating the final report, which is due by the end of class on X date. Details on this project will be provided in class on Y date. If you must miss the day of the field visit, let me know as early as possible so we can discuss how you will complete the assignment.

1.3.3 Readings to assign (Examples)

Overall problem:


Equity issues:


Pedestrian attitudes:

Street design:


Pedestrian behavior:


Pedestrian distraction:


Driver bias and behavior:


1.4 LECTURE SLIDES

1.4.1 Example #1:

Weigand slides on pedestrian data collection and research issues. (PDF)

1.4.2 Example #2:

Goddard slides for undergraduate healthy communities’ course. (PDF)
1.5 ASSIGNMENTS

1.5.1 Pathway Counts

1.5.1.1 Instructor instructions, assignment text, forms (PDF)

1.5.2 Intersection Counts

1.5.2.1 Instructor materials, assignment text, forms (PDF)

1.5.3 Crossings/Interactions with Drivers

1.5.3.1 Instructor materials

Instructions (PDF), PowerPoint slides (PDF)

1.5.3.2 Student material

Assignment (PDF)

1.5.3.3 Forms & instructions

Data collection instructions (PDF)
Data collection forms:
- Intersection Characteristics (Sheet 1) (PDF)
- Pedestrian Characteristics (Sheet 2) (PDF)
- Driver Yielding Behavior (Sheet 3) (PDF)
- Driver Demographics (Sheet 4) (PDF)

Simplified data collection forms:
- Driver Characteristics (PDF)
- Pedestrian Counts (PDF)

1.5.3.4 Data entry & analysis

Excel Workbook (for data entry) (XLS)

Suggested observational assignment tests (PDF)
### APPENDICES

#### APPENDIX A: EXISTING RESOURCES

**Table 1: Resources and publications available through FHWA**
(https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/publications/research/safety/pedbike/05085/)

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1Slides are annotated. PowerPoint files that include instructor notes can be downloaded from the source website.

**Table 2: Curriculum modules and educational materials available through Portland State University’s Initiative for Bicycle and Pedestrian Innovation** (IBPI, https://www.pdx.edu/ibpi/education-curriculum-modules).
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<td>Creating a Master Plan for bicycling and pedestrians is one of the first steps in achieving active transportation goals. This module explores the unique needs of pedestrians and bicyclists and the elements present in a complete Master Plan. Steps to creating a Master Plan and the components that make up a plan are explained.</td>
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<td><strong>Bicycle and Pedestrian Programs and Design Movements:</strong> There is an array of programs and initiatives within the fields of transportation, planning and public health that relate to or support pedestrian and bicycling policies and infrastructure, and education and encouragement programs. This module introduces different movements in transportation and design that lend themselves to more bicycle and pedestrian oriented planning.</td>
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<td><strong>Bicycle Facility Design:</strong> Bicycle facilities range from conventional bike lanes to coordinated way finding systems, all acting to improve the safety and comfort of bicyclists. This module reviews different types of facilities available to jurisdictions to improve their bikeway network. They are drawn from international best practices and this module give an overview of when and how they can be used.</td>
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<td><strong>Data Collection:</strong> This module reviews some of the methods and reasons behind conducting research on bicycle and pedestrian planning. Research on bicycle and pedestrian planning helps answer questions about behavior, needs, and will help set benchmarks to determine the progress and success of a program. From answering questions about users to facilities, this research can improve the outcomes of a bicycle or pedestrian facility and network.</td>
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<td><strong>Education and Encouragement Programs:</strong> This module looks at ways a variety of organizations are educating and encouraging youth to be safe bicyclists and pedestrians. Since children see, hear, and process information differently than adults, education programs must be crafted specifically with the child’s developmental ability in mind. Education and encouragement activities for youth take on a variety of forms and intend to impart healthy habits for life.</td>
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<td>This module begins by looking at the history of bicycle and pedestrian travel, or active transportation, and ways in which it has been designed and funded in the United States. Active transportation choices have economic, health, and environmental benefits, which makes it increasingly relevant to communities across the United States today. The module ends with a discussion on current collaborations among different organizations and institutions that focus on improving bicycle and pedestrian transportation.</td>
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| **Pedestrian Facility Design:** Pedestrians are a diverse group with different facility needs. The four primary design elements for pedestrians are outlined. Strengths of the different facility types, how to plan for the American with Disabilities Act (ADA), and theories such as Universal Design are discussed to give planners and advocates a better idea of how to create a welcoming pedestrian environment. | Lynn Weigand, Ph.D. Portland State University | Overview (PDF) Slides (PDF) Lecture Notes (PDF) Assignment 1 (PDF) Assignment 2 (PDF) |

| **Trail Design:** Trails are increasingly being used as a vital component to the bicycle and pedestrian network and are seen as an asset to the community. Traditionally, trails in communities were primarily for recreational purposes. Now they are providing needed connections between communities and a safe place to ride. This module looks at the variety of trail types and the components that are necessary for a successful trail project. | Lynn Weigand, Ph.D. Portland State University | Overview (PDF) Slides (PDF) Lecture Notes (PDF) Assignment 1 (PDF) Assignment 2 (PDF) Counting Form (PDF) |

| **Transportation Facilities Design** is a curriculum module developed for a graduate education course required for graduate students in transportation engineering. It introduces common facility design concepts for transportation infrastructure. The report summarizes the information included in the course, supplemental materials developed from the course, and resulting course assessment. | Karen Dixon, Ph.D. Oregon State University | Curriculum Report (PDF) |

| **Integrating Bicycle & Pedestrian Topics into Transportation Engineering Curriculum:** Presentations outline lessons learned from including projects into engineering curriculum and connecting them to the profession (undergraduate education). | Miguel Figliozzi Ph.D. & Chris Monsere, Ph.D., P.E. Portland State University | PowerPoint Presentation (PDF) |

<p>| <strong>History of Bike &amp; Pedestrian Planning and Engineering:</strong> Provided presentations provide introductory material for bicycle planning curriculum. | Susan Mason, Ph.D. Boise State University | Bicyclist Planning for Engineering 108 - Intro (PPT) Brief History of Portland |</p>
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require students to develop working papers, plans, and presentations that demonstrate their learning and learning outcomes. Sample problems used in the course as well as examples of products produced by students given the specific sample problem.

| CE 351 Transportation Systems: The materials provided are project examples that were used as part of a undergraduate transportation course in Civil and Environmental. | Miguel Figliozzi, Ph.D. Portland State University | Sample Project #1 - Existing Conditions Report (Student work) (PDF) Sample Project #2 - Problem Statement (PDF) Sample Project #2 - Project Understanding (Student work) (PDF) Sample Project #2 - Final Presentation (Student work) (PDF) Sample Project #3 - Existing Conditions Report (PDF) Sample Project #3 - Existing Conditions Presentation (PDF) Sample Project #3 - Final Presentation (PDF) Sample Project #4 - Final Paper (PDF) Sample Project - Existing Transportation Conditions Summary (PDF) Calculating Green Times for Bicyclists (PDF) Example Group Project & Presentation (PDF) Example Transportation Project (PDF) |
Table 3: Resources provided by the Pedestrian and Bicycle Information Center (PBIC) for an undergraduate university course and UCLA’s adaptation of the materials. (PBIC also provides materials for a graduate level course upon request; see [http://www.pedbikeinfo.org/training/courses.cfm](http://www.pedbikeinfo.org/training/courses.cfm))

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APPENDIX B: LITERATURE BY SUBJECT AREA

Pedestrians and Infrastructure


**Pedestrian Behavior**


**Pedestrian Data Collection and Forms**


**Pedestrian and Driver Interactions**


**Pedestrian Age, Gender, and Race**


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**Pedestrian Injury Statistics**


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