## Plant Sciences 407b Plant Secondary Metabolism

## **Assignment No. 1 Ecological Perspectives**

Due Jan. 16, 2004

Choose a recent journal article (i.e., 2000-2003) describing the ecological relevance or biological activity of a phytochemical(s). Using a **maximum** of 2 pages single-spaced, type-written, (or the equivalent hand written) summarize the main finding(s) of the article, and in your own words, the contribution it makes to our understanding of secondary metabolites and their role(s) in plants, and/or the interaction between a plant and its environment.

Hand in a copy of the article with your assignment.