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**Marijuana:
From Mana to Mass Hysteria
to Medicine to Munchies**

Instructor: Dr. Ken Sweat

1 session: Monday, Oct. 31

10:30 a.m. – noon

LOCATION:

OneAZ Credit Union Corporate Office

RC Robertson Auditorium

2355 W Pinnacle Peak Road, Phoenix, AZ 85027



Lecture: Arizona today is one of many states that have legalized marijuana for medical use, and the plant is again in the news this political season with the voters considering legalization for recreational use as well. With a history as old as civilization, from ancient shamans to blues musicians to the modern indoor growing facility, the plant has been strongly shaped by its relationship to humans. In this class, we will explore this history, including the modern events that have lead us to the place we are today.

Instructor: Ken Sweat, PhD, is a senior lecturer in the New College of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences at ASU. He received a bachelor's degree in biology and mathematics from Claremont McKenna College, and his master's and doctorate's degrees from ASU. Dr. Sweat joined the faculty at ASU in the fall of 2000 and has taught diverse courses in general biology, botany, natural history, statistics for biologists, and the philosophy of science. Dr. Sweat has worked extensively in the environmental consulting field, conducting endangered species surveys and writing and editing documents that ensure compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act and other relevant laws and regulations.

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