Field Education Short Course packing and information  
*Using high resolution topography, UAVs, and GPS in undergraduate field education*  
August 15-18, 2017 short course

- **Accommodations** – All non-local participants will be staying at the *Springhill Suites by Marriott* in Longmont about 15 minutes away from the UNAVCO office. Unless you have specified that you are willing to pay extra for a single room, the rooms will be shared. Rides back and forth from the hotel will be in the same set of vehicles that you came in from the airport in carpools.

- **Weather** - Please note that in August daytime high temperatures average 85 F but daytime highs from 60-100 F are possible. Evening lows are typically in the mid 50s F but could be into the 40s. Everything from rain and thunderstorms to intense sun are possible. Please bring appropriate clothes and layers for these climate ranges.

- **Food & Drink**
  - Breakfasts are available at the hotel
  - Lunches and dinners will be provided by the short course
  - You should bring snacks if you need to eat between meals
  - Bring water bottles for the field. Also a reusable coffee mug is suggested.
  - There are shops a few blocks north and northeast of the hotel if you find you need to get anything during the course; but time available to go there will be limited.
  - The hotel rooms have refrigerators.

- **Computers and software** – The short course will be using Agisoft and some engineering software during the data processing parts of the program. You will have a chance to load the software on to your computer during the program. Macs with PC emulators will be fine. **It is recommended that all participants bring a laptop, even if it is a Mac because some of the software works on a Mac.** We have arranged to provide PCs for the few people who indicated that they would need them.

- **Packing**
  - Laptop (PC if possible)
  - Digital camera device (optional)
  - Boots
  - Field clothes for sun, rain, heat & cold
  - Field supplies that you like to use (notebook, tablet, pens, pencils, etc.)
  - Sunscreen
  - Sunglasses
  - Toiletries
  - Small first aid kit
  - Daypack
  - Water bottles for up to 6 hours in the field
  - Coffee mug
  - Camera (smart phone or other camera device; ideally have a way to quickly download pictures)