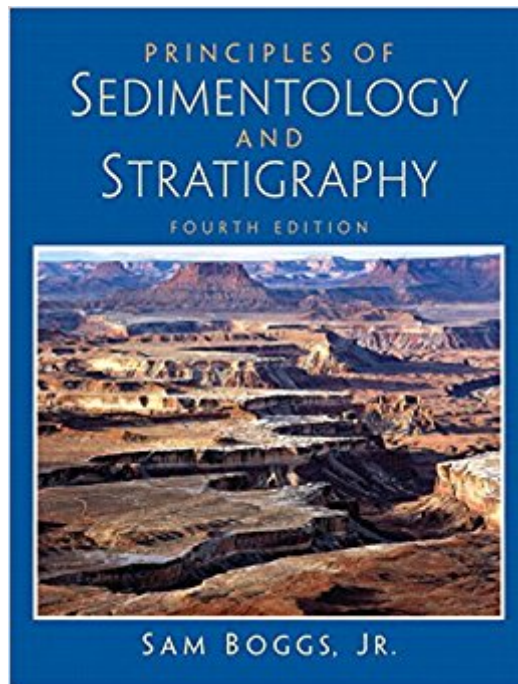




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I am a sedimentologist and I teach as a TA an undergraduate sedimentologist class. Sam Boggs's book is a classic a bit of everything intro book. If you are considering to teach with this book an undergraduate class, my opinion is that is ok, I am more of a process-bases sedimentologist to I prefer [Earth Surface Processes, Landforms and Sediment Deposits](#) or [Earth Surface Processes](#). However, if you are an undergraduate student that are taking this class... buy it... it will help you a lot for the exams, get a used one, this version or the older versions are just fine... you can then sell it... If you want to go and work for the oil industry... you can talk about field camp and how much you didnt like the Boggs... lol Cheers

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I just took sedimentology this semester and this book was surprisingly helpful. I read several of the introduction chapters to get a feel for it and I was really happy with it. Everything is easily stated so that people who aren't a specialist in the field can understand it and I used it for my final extensively. It also proved helpful for looking up terms for other classes. Probably one of the best geology books I own.

Overall this is a good book. However, I must say that I have never read a bad book about stratigraphy. Boggs does a good job with this one. I fail to understand where a student could be confused by his writing style. I suggest that those of you who were confused should read Tucker before you attempt to read the more advanced books.

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