

Brooks College of Interdisciplinary Studies
Environmental Studies Minor

Name: _____ Date: _____ Advisor: _____

CORE COURSES (6 credits needed)

- ___ ENS 201: Intro. to Environmental Studies and Sustainability (3 cr.)(SFS)
- ___ ENS 401: Environmental Problem Solving (3 cr.)

This form is a planning tool and does not constitute an agreement regarding program requirements. It is imperative that you meet with an academic advisor in the Brooks College Advising Center early in your career.

ELECTIVE COURSES (9 credits needed)

One course from each of the following categories (I, II and III) below. All courses are 3 cr. unless specified.

I. Social and Cultural Perspectives

- ___ ANT 340: Culture and Environment (GE: I-S, WP)
- ___ ENG 338: Environmental Ethics (GE: I-S)
- ___ ENG 382: Literature & the Environment (GE: I-S)
- ___ GPY 220: Cultural Geography (GE: F-S/B)
- ___ GPY/ENS 362: Farmers, Crops and Our Challenging Agricultural World (SFS; GE: I-G, WP)
- ___ GPY/ENS 363: World Forests and Their Use
- ___ GPY/ENS 410: Landscape Analysis (GE: I-S)*
- ___ HST 320: American Indians
- ___ HST 323: Michigan History
- ___ HST 327: History of US Urban Society
- ___ LIB 322: Wicked Problems of Sustainability (GE: I-S)
- ___ LIB 330: Ideas of Nature
- ___ PSY 362: Environmental Psychology
- ___ SOC 288: Sociology of Food (SFS)
- ___ SOC 351: Urban Sociology (GE: I-S)
- ___ SW 150: Human Needs in Complex Societies (GE: F-SB)
- ___ WGS 335: Women, Health and Environment (GE: I-S)

II. Physical and Life Science Perspectives

- ___ BIO 105: Environmental Science (GE: F-NS)
- ___ BIO 107: Great Lakes and Other Water Resources (4 cr.) (GE: F-NS)
- ___ BIO 215: General Ecology (4 cr.)
- ___ BIO 470: Conservation Biology
- ___ CHM 311: Green Chemistry & Industrial Processes
- ___ CHM 321: Environmental Chemistry
- ___ CHM 322: Environmental Chemical Analysis
- ___ EGR 360: Thermodynamics (4 cr.)
- ___ GEO 100: Environmental Geology (GE: F-NS)
- ___ GEO 105: Living with the Great Lakes (GE: F-NS)
- ___ GEO 111: Exploring the Earth (GE: F-NS)(4 cr.)
- ___ GEO 300: Geology and the Environment
- ___ GPY 100: Physical & Environmental Geography
- ___ GPY/ENS 412: Global Environmental Change (SFS; GE: I-S)
- ___ NRM 330: Environmental Pollution
- ___ OSH 414: Environmental Safety and Health Regulations

III. Political and Economic Perspectives

- ___ BIO 319: Global Agricultural Sustainability (SFS; GE: I-S)
- ___ ECO 345: Environmental & Resource Economics (GE: I-S)
- ___ EGR 306: Urban Sustainability (GE: I-S)
- ___ EGR 406: Renewable Energy Systems (GE: I-S)
- ___ ENS 492: Sustainable Ag. Practicum (SFS)
- ___ GPY/ENS/PA 312: Urban & Regional Envir. Planning
- ___ GPY/PA 324: Urbanization (GE: WP)
- ___ GPY 335: Globalization and Development
- ___ GPY 345: Geography of MI/ Great Lakes Area
- ___ GPY 353: Geography of the U.S. and Canada (GE: US)
- ___ GPY/ENS 361: People, Env. & Dev. in the Amazon
- ___ HTM 175: International Food and Culture (SFS; GE: WP)
- ___ HTM 268: Adventure Tourism
- ___ NRM 150: Introduction to Natural Resources
- ___ NRM 420: Wildland Recreation Management
- ___ NRM 451: Natural Resource Policy (GE: I-S)
- ___ PA/GPY 307: Local Politics and Administration
- ___ PA 360: Voluntarism and the Non-Profit Sector
- ___ PLS/ENS 303: Intro to US Envir. Policy (GE: I-S)
- ___ PLS 314: International Law

Some courses may also count toward other GVSU program requirements:

- SFS = Sustainable Food Systems Certificate
- GE = General Education
- F-SB = Foundation—Social & Behavioral Sciences
- F-NS = Foundation—Natural Sciences
- I-S = Issues—Sustainability
- I-G = Issues—Globalization
- US = U.S. Diversity
- WP = World Perspectives

ADDITIONAL UPPER-LEVEL ELECTIVES

(6 credits needed, 300 level or above) Choose from **two** different disciplines from the list above. ENS 490: Internship in Environmental Studies can be taken as one elective.

- ___ ENS 490: Internship in Environmental Studies (1-5 cr.)
- ___ (Elective) _____
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TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS _____

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A total of 21 credits are needed to fulfill the Environmental Studies minor. A major must include at least 30 credits not duplicated in the minor.