

Key**Red:** Requirement (no choice)**Purple:** Selected from restricted list of options**Green:** Electives

Environmental Studies Major March 2016 update - applicable for Class of '18 and '19

ENVI 101:
Nature and Society

ENVI 102:
Introduction to Environmental Science

One 200-Level
Culture/Humanities
course from list below

ENVI 217
Environmental Humanities

ENVI 244
Environmental Ethics

ENVI 209
Ecologies of Place

One 200-Level
Social Science
course from list below

ENVI/ECON 213
Introduction to Natural Resource
and Environmental Economics
(ECON 110 prereq)

ENVI 270
Environmental Problems

ENVI/PSCI 283
Dirty Politics

One 200-Level
Science with Lab
course from list below

ENVI 203
Ecology

ENVI 205
Geomorphology

ENVI 215
Climate Changes

5 course elective cluster

- In their proposal, students identify and name a five course specialization sequence (this is their "elective cluster")
- Elective cluster can be either disciplinary or thematic
- One course in cluster must be designated as a methods course (see indicative list in catalog)
- Student expected to make a compelling case for how their designated methods course complements their proposed specialization.
- Student can make case for drawing courses not listed/cross-listed in ENVI

One 400-level Environmental Practicum

ENVI 411 Practicum: Environmental Planning Workshop

- offered every fall, taught by Sarah Gardner
- local client-driven projects, nature of projects would vary

ENVI 412 Practicum: Environmental Science and Policy

- offered every other spring, taught by Pia Kohler, next offered Spring 2017
- broadly collaborative projects around a common theme, theme in 2017: Climate Change

ENVI 413 Practicum: Environmental Culture and Society

- offered every other spring, taught by Nick Howe, next offered Spring 2018
- broadly collaborative projects around a common theme, theme in 2018: Local Env'l History

Optional Senior Thesis

Supervised by ENVI faculty member

Can be either year-long, or 1 semester+ winter study

If year-long thesis option, then need only 4 course elective cluster

Proposal for Major

- To be prepared in consultation with CES Advisor, submitted when declaring major, reviewed/approved by CES Adv. Board
- Student puts forward detailed plan and accompanying rationale for proposed path, including "elective cluster" sequence
- Plan must include one "Living Systems" course (can be one of designated 200-level courses or part of cluster):

BIOL 203/ENVI 203 Ecology	BIOL 231/MAST 311 Marine Ecology
BIOL 134/ENVI 134 The Tropics: Biology and Social Issues	GEOS 210/MAST 211 Oceanic Processes
BIOL 220/ENVI 220 Field Botany and Plant Natural History	BIOL 302/ENVI 312 Communities and Ecosystems
- Major declaration details which courses student intends to count to fulfill the different elements of the major.
- A strong proposal will include a progressive sequence that shows opportunity to build on material considered in earlier classes
- Proposal (max 1 page) should include a brief narrative justification for the proposed "elective cluster"