Environmental Studies: Environmental Geomatics

Environmental Studies is an interdisciplinary program that investigates interactions between humans and their environment. This includes physical and biological aspects in addition to the highly modified human-made environments such as urban and agricultural systems.



Provides students in depth understanding of geographic information systems, remote sensing and the fundamental skills needed to study geospatial environmental issues that integrate social, economic, physical and biological systems. Graduates are prepared to conduct resource monitoring and management, to study complex environmental problems at local and global scales and to inform environmental policy and are immediately employable in either the private or public sector.

Required Courses

Environmental Core:

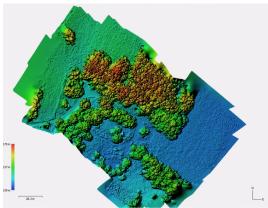
ENVS 201 – Foundations in Environmental Science I ENVS 201L – Foundations in Environmental Science I Lab ENVS 202 – Foundations in Environmental Science II ENVS 202L – Foundations in Environmental Science II Lab ENVS 462 – Environmental Capstone

Additional Requirements:

ENVS 390 – Geographic Information Systems ENVS 391 – Remote Sensing ENVS 395 – Advanced GIS ENVS 461 – Environmental Research MATH 314 – Statistics PHYS 302 – Physical Computing

Elective Courses

Foundational Sciences (choose three):



BIOL 211 – Fundamentals of Biology I: Molecular and Cellular Function
BIOL 212 – Fundamentals of Biology II: Diversity of Life
CHEM 207 – General Chemistry I, CHEM 207L - General Chemistry I Laboratory
CHEM 209 – General Chemistry II, CHEM 209L - General Chemistry II Laboratory
MATH 207 – Calculus I
MATH 208 – Calculus II
PHYS 201 - College Physics I, PHYS 201L - College Physics I Laboratory
PHYS 202 - College Physics II, PHYS 202L - College Physics II Laboratory
PHYS 221 - General Physics I, PHYS 221L - General Physics I Laboratory
PHYS 222 - General Physics II, PHYS 222L - General Physics II Laboratory

Geomatics Electives (choose two):

ENVS 393 – Geospatial Statistics ENVS 394 – GIS instrumentation ENVS 396 – Photogrammetry

Physical Science Electives (choose two):

CHEM 333 – Environmental Chemistry AND CHEM 333L – Environmental Chemistry Lab ENVS 341 – Sustainable Energy and Lab ENVS 441 – Hydrology and Lab GSCI 301 – Physical Geology GSCI 303 – Meteorology GSCI 306 – Introduction to Oceanography and Lab PHYS 301 – Energy

Biological Science Electives (choose two):

BIOL 303 – General Ecology BIOL 363 – Mycology BIOL 383 – Ornithology ENVS 300 – Integrated Pest Management and Lab ENVS 301 – Wildlife Management and Lab ENVS 302 – Forestry Management and Lab ENVS 362 – Soil Science ENVS 401 – Conservation Ecology ENVS 422 – Stream Ecology

Social and Economic Electives (choose two):

BADM 338 – Business Information Systems BADM 340 – Principles of Marketing DATA 118 – Data Analytics Introduction GEOG 105 – World Cultural Geography GEOG 301 – World Economic Geography SOCI 307 – Population and Development

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