

# ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES PLANNING FORM

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID # \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

Other Majors/Minors \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Year

New  Revised

*Three Introductory Courses*

Course Number/Name	Semester taken/to be taken	Grade
<input type="checkbox"/> ENVI 133 – Environmental Science or <input type="checkbox"/> ENVI 140 – The Earth’s Climate System or alternate: _____		
ENVI 215 – Environmental Politics and Policy or alternate: _____		
ENVI 234 – U. S. Environmental History or alternate: _____		

*Four Required Environmental Studies Courses*

Course Number/Name	Semester taken/to be taken	Grade
ENVI 280 – Environmental Classics		
ENVI 489 – Environmental Leadership Practicum		
ENVI 490 – Environmental Leadership Seminar		
<input type="checkbox"/> ENVI 488 – Sr. Seminar or <input type="checkbox"/> ENVI 644 – Honors Project in Environmental Studies		

*One Natural Science Course*

Course Number/Name	Semester taken/to be taken	Grade

*One Social Science Course*

Course Number/Name	Semester taken/to be taken	Grade

*One Humanities Course*

Course Number/Name	Semester taken/to be taken	Grade

*EMPHASIS – Seven Courses – Emphasis Name:* \_\_\_\_\_

Course Number/Name	Semester taken/to be taken	Grade
METHODS:		

*NOTE: Some courses may be double counted. A minimum of 15 courses (not including ENVI 490) are required for the major.*

The Environmental Studies Major has four major components that together form the basis for a robust background for our students.

1. **Introductory Courses** – These courses are meant to introduce students to the range of topics and approaches utilized in studying environmental issues.
  - a. ENVI 133 – Environmental Science or ENVI 140 – The Earth’s Climate System
  - b. ENVI 215 – Environmental Politics and Policy
  - c. ENVI 235 – Environmental History
  
2. **Intermediate Courses** – These courses are designed to give students an overview of the important texts that scholars and practitioners use as the basis of their understanding of environmental issues and in to give students a “real world” experience working in the environmental field. The courses are also meant to allow students to reflect on their goals as majors in environmental studies
  - a. ENVI 280 – Environmental Classics
  - b. ENVI 489 – Environmental Leadership Practicum/ENVI 490 – Environmental Studies Leadership Seminar
  
3. **Capstone Courses** – These courses are intended to provide students the opportunity to utilize their background in environmental studies to address an environmental issue as part of an interdisciplinary team.
  - a. ENVI 488 – Senior Seminar in Environmental Studies or ENVI 644 – Honors Project in Environmental Studies
  
4. **Disciplinary or Interdisciplinary Emphasis** – The emphasis allows students to gain depth in a particular disciplinary approach to examining environmental issues or in a particular environmental theme or problem considered from an interdisciplinary perspective. The emphasis includes a series of 6 courses to provide the depth and a methods course to insure students have the appropriate “tools” to implement their area of study.