

# ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY MINOR

Environmental concerns are more pressing than ever before. We find ourselves challenged to find ways to sustainably engage the natural resources of our planet in ways previously unheard of. This minor offers students the opportunity to engage issues of sustainability between multiple disciplines in order to reach a breadth of understanding of the complexities of these issues. Paired with any number of our undergraduate majors, the interdisciplinary minor in environmental sustainability prepares students to critically think and evaluate complex issues facing our society.

Our Minor in Environmental Sustainability engages multiple definitions of sustainability pertaining to the tensions between profit, planet, and people. Students will seek to engage ideas that critically apply principles of sustainability to professional and disciplinary, as well as daily-life. We expect that students will express ideas or proposals related to sustainability for different audiences and be able to students demonstrate proficiency in sustainability-related research and writing.

This minor is available to students in any major, however, to receive this minor, students must complete 3 courses for the minor that do not count towards their major(s) or any other minors.

HON 354	Science in the 21st Century	3
MAT 345	Climate and Sustainability	3
PHI 247	Food and Agricultural Ethics	3
MGT 350	Strategic Sustainable Development	3
MGT 430	Sustainability and Supply Chains	3
PHI 264	Justice & the Environment: The Problem of Climate Change	3
PSC 360	Political Economy of the Developing World	3
RST 342	Theological Ethics and Environmental Justice	3
SOC 273	Social Movements and Social Change	3

## Curriculum

Code	Title	Credits
CHM 104	Energy, Environment, and Society	3
SOC 234	Environment and Society	3
PHI 244	Environmental Ethics	3
EVST 110	Science of Environmental Problems I	3
or BIO 360	Environmental Health	
2 additional sustainability electives		6-8
Total Credits		18-20

## Sustainability Electives

Students must take two of the following courses

Code	Title	Credits
ABEC 333	Conservation Behavior	3
ABEC 335	Conservation Education	3
ABEC 341	Urban Ecology	3
ABEC 342	Animal Geographies	3
ABEC 405	Field Studies in Political Ecology & Wildlife Conservation	3
ANT 341	Environmental Anthropology	3
BIO 320	Field Ecology	4
BIO 322	Conservation Biology	3
BIO 375	Community Ecology	3
BIO 377	Freshwater Biology	4
BIO 477	Plants and Society	3
COM 348	Environmental Communication	3
ENT 314	Social Entrepreneurship and Sustainability	3
EVST 111	Science of Environmental Problems II	3
EVST 275	Global Environmental Problems	3
HON 352	Water and Society	3