

Environmental Policy and Planning, Minor

Requirements

The undergraduate minor in environmental policy and planning requires a minimum of 18 s.h., including 12 s.h. in University of Iowa courses numbered 3000 or above. Students must maintain a grade-point average of at least 2.00 in all courses for the minor and in all UI courses for the minor. Coursework in the minor may not be taken pass/nonpass. CLAS minors may only be earned concurrent with or subsequent to earning a University of Iowa bachelor's degree. They cannot be granted as standalone credentials or as the sole program of study completed at the University of Iowa.

The minor in environmental policy and planning requires the following coursework.

Requirements	Hours
Foundation Courses	9
Electives	9

Foundation Courses

Course #	Title	Hours
Both of these:		
SEES:1070	Contemporary Environmental Issues	3
POLI:3111	American Public Policy	3
One of these:		
AMST:1290/ GHS:1290/ HIST:1290/ NAIS:1290	Native American Foods and Foodways	3
ANTH:3103	Environment and Culture	3

Electives

Course #	Title	Hours
At least 9 s.h. from these:		
SEES:3128/ HIST:3128	Global Environmental History: Nature and Power in the Modern World	3
SEES:3250/ CPH:3400	Health, Work, and the Environment	3
SEES:3315	Ecosystem Ecology	4
SEES:3350	Urban Ecology	3
SEES:3400	Iowa Environmental Policy in Practice	3
SEES:3520/ IGPI:3520	GIS for Environmental Applications	3
SEES:3540/ IGPI:3540	Geographic Visualization	3
SEES:3760/ GHS:3760	Hazards and Society	3
SEES:3780/ GHS:3780/ HIST:3240/ POLI:3431	U.S. Energy Policy in Global Context	3
SEES:3800	Environmental Policy	3

SEES:3920/ URP:3001	Planning Livable Cities	3
SEES:3940/ ECON:3750/ URP:3350	Transportation Economics	3
SEES:4750/ URP:4750	Environmental Impact Analysis	3
SEES:4770/ AFAM:4770/ GHS:4770	Environmental Justice	3
ECON:3625/ URP:3135	Environmental and Natural Resource Economics	3
HIST:3230	American Environmental History	3
PBAF:3117/ POLI:3117	Bureaucratic Politics and Public Administration	3
POLI:2417	Comparative Environmental Policy	3
POLI:3100	American State Politics	3
POLI:3102	The U.S. Congress	3
POLI:3110	Local Politics	3
POLI:3118	Interest Groups	3
POLI:3424	Global Development	3
POLI:3430/ NAIS:3430	Environmental Politics and Indigeneity	3
POLI:3432/ NAIS:3432	Agriculture Politics and Policy	3
URP:3134/ ECON:3640	Regional and Urban Economics	3

Academic Plans

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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Course	Title	Hours
Academic Career		
Any Semester		
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		Hours
		0
First Year		
Spring		
SEES:1070	Contemporary Environmental Issues	3
		Hours
		3

Second Year

Fall

ANTH:3103 or AMST:1290	Environment and Culture or Native American Foods and Foodways	3
Hours		3

Spring

POLI:3111	American Public Policy	3
Hours		3

Third Year

Fall

Minor: environmental policy and planning elective course ^a		3
Hours		3

Spring

Minor: environmental policy and planning elective course ^a		3
Hours		3

Fourth Year

Fall

Minor: environmental policy and planning elective course ^a		3
Hours		3
Total Hours		18

^a See the General Catalog for list of approved courses.