

Geography/Environmental Studies Minor

*To declare this Minor, students must complete ONE (1) Geography course at UCLA (grade C or better)

*All courses must be taken for a letter grade, with a minimum GPA of 2.0 required in the Minor

*GEOG 191 (Variable Topics) may count towards the major. For which category, contact the Academic Counselor

*One Independent Research class (GEOG 199) may apply towards the Minor and must be taken as a 4-unit, letter-graded course

*At least 20 units applied toward this Minor must only count towards this Minor and may **not** overlap with any other major or minor

*No more than 2 upper division courses may overlap between the student's Major and this Minor

Lower Division Requirements: 2 courses (10 units)

- 1) GEOG 5: People and the Earth's Ecosystems
- 2) One of the following:
 - GEOG 1: Earth's Physical Environment
 - GEOG 2: Biodiversity in a Changing World
 - GEOG 3: Cultural Geography
 - GEOG 4: Globalization: Regional Development and World Economy
 - GEOG 6: World Regions: Concepts and Contemporary Issues

Upper Division Requirements: 5 courses (20 units min.)

1) Three Geography courses from the Environmental Studies Cluster

*A selection for general reference follows. All courses are listed under Geography (GEOG)

M102	Soils and Environment	M131	Human Impact on Biophysical Environment: What Science Has Learned
M103	Soil and Water Conservation	133	Humid Tropics
109	Biogeography of Plant and Animal Invasions	134	African Ecology and Development
111	Geography of Extinction	136	Health and the Global Environment
M118	Applied Climatology: Principles of Climate Impact on Natural Environment	137	Seminar: Environmental Studies
M126	Environmental Change	139A	Problems in Geography: Physical Geography
M127	Global Environment and Development: Problems and Issues	139B	Problems in Geography: Biogeography
128	Bioresource Management	139C	Problems in Geography: Culture and Environment in the Modern World
129	Population and Natural Resources	M168	Historical Geography of American Environment
130	Food, Environment, and Agriculture		

2) Two additional Upper Division GEOG courses outside of the Environmental Studies Cluster

A comprehensive list of all Geography Upper Division Courses (100 – up) can be found on the UCLA Schedule of Classes website: <https://sa.ucla.edu/ro/public/soc/>