

Geography (or Geography Teaching) Major Degree Plan

Students should meet regularly with their faculty advisor and carefully plan their academic program, keeping in mind that many upper-division courses have prerequisites and must be taken in sequence.

Students following the recommended schedule listed below should be able to complete degree requirements in four years (eight semesters).

Note: Students in the Geography Teaching Major should contact their advisor for information about their recommended four-year plan of study.

Freshman Year (30 credits)

Fall Semester (14 credits)

ENGL 1010 (CL1) Introduction to Writing: Academic Prose	3
GEOG 1000 (BPS) Physical Geography.....	3
GEOG 1005 Physical Geography Lab.....	1
GEOG 1300 (BSS) World Regional Geography.....	3
GEOG 1990 Professional Orientation for Geography	1
USU 1320 (BHU) Civilization: Humanities (3 cr) or Other approved Breadth Humanities (BHU) course (3 cr).....	3

Spring Semester (16 credits)

MATH 1050 (QL) College Algebra.....	4
USU 1300 (BAI) U.S. Institutions (3 cr) or Other approved Breadth American Institutions (BAI) course (3 cr)	3
USU 1330 (BCA) Civilization: Creative Arts (3 cr) or Other approved Breadth Creative Arts (BCA) course (3 cr)	3
USU 1350 (BLS) Integrated Life Science (3 cr) or Other approved Breadth Life Sciences (BLS) course (3 cr)	3
Elective course(s).....	3

Sophomore Year (30-31 credits)

Fall Semester (16 credits)

WATS 2930 Introduction to Geographic Information Sciences	4
Geography area of emphasis or elective courses	12

Spring Semester (14-15 credits)

ENGL 2010 (CL2) Intermediate Writing: Research Writing in a Persuasive Mode	3
ENVS 3330 Environment and Society.....	3
Depth Humanities and Creative Arts (DHA) course	2-3
Geography area of emphasis or elective courses	6

Junior Year (30-31 credits)

Fall Semester (15-16 credits)

Depth Life and Physical Sciences (DSC) course	3-4
Geography area of emphasis or elective courses	12

Spring Semester (15 credits)

Geography area of emphasis or elective courses (including CI course).....	15
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Senior Year (28-30 credits)

Fall Semester (14-16 credits)

Geography area of emphasis or elective courses	14-16
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Spring Semester (14 credits)

Geography area of emphasis or elective courses	14
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