

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES MAJOR PLAN OF STUDY

Name _____ Class _____

Box _____ Email Address _____

Date Submitted _____ Advisor Preference _____

Please submit this form to the environmental studies office, but only after having discussed your plans with the director. When submitted, an essay of 500 words, describing your intellectual commitment to environmental studies should accompany the form. The essay should explain thematically, the objectives of your course of study, and the relationship of its various elements. Following acceptance of the plan, change must be brought to the attention of the director, and may require approval of the steering committee.

Date(s) of consultation(s) with the Director of ENST: _____

| DEPT/COURSE | TITLE | UNITS | YEAR (fr, so, jr, sr) |
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1. Four units in ENST at the 200-level and above (not including the Senior Seminar and Project/Thesis—see #5 and #6): ENST 125; ENST 124; ENST 260 or 270; and a 300-level ENST course. ENST 298 and 399 are not options. Note: ENST courses cross-listed with a department cannot serve to fulfill both the program course requirement and the five-course departmental sequence requirement (#2); the same applies to the three-course science/non-science sequence (#3). You must allocate the course to one category or the other.

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| ENST 125 | Environmentalisms In Perspective | 1.0 | _____ |
| ENST 124 | Essentials of Environmental Science | 1.0 | _____ |
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2. A proposed sequence of five courses in one department (or a set of five courses with a common focus), no more than one at the 100-level, and at least one at the 300-level. The department chosen may not be another multidisciplinary program (this applies to section 3 as well).

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3. If you have chosen Biology, Chemistry, or Earth Science in #2, select three courses relevant to the major in a department outside the natural science division of the college. This sequence normally should include no more than one introductory course. Otherwise, propose three courses relevant to the major, at least one at the 200-level, from Biology, Chemistry, or Earth Science (ESCI odd # courses only).

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4. One half unit of fieldwork relevant to the major and ENST 291 Field Experiences in the Hudson Valley:

ENST 290 _____ .5 _____

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Briefly describe the field experience being proposed, indicating whether it will be undertaken during the academic year, in the summer, or JYA, and whether it will be taken as field work, as independent study, or under other auspices.

5. Senior Seminar (required):

ENST 301a Senior Seminar 1.0 Sr.

6. Senior Project or Thesis (required):

ENST 300b Senior Project/Thesis 1.0 Sr.

or

ENST 303a Senior Project/Thesis 0.5 Sr.

ENST 304b Senior Project/Thesis 0.5 Sr.

100-level ENST courses taken (these are recommended but not required for the major):

List courses taken and proposed outside the major (e.g., ENGL 170, HIST 160, BIOL 270):

Fr. _____

So. _____

Jr. _____

Sr. _____

Please mark beside the course numbers, above, your freshman course (FC); courses taken to fulfill the quantitative (Q) and language (L) requirements; and any courses you plan to take during study abroad (JYA). If you have fulfilled your language requirement in a way other than Vassar course work, please indicate how you have done so.



FOR PROGRAM USE:

Date(s) reviewed by program _____

Advisor(s) _____

Notes: