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Semester One: [16 Credit Hours]

GHY 1010	3		X	May count in Integrative Learning Experience “Sustainability & Global Resources” theme depending on choices
UCO 1200	3			May take in fall or spring of first year
Gen Ed Quantitative Literacy	4			
Liberal Studies Experience Course 1	3			HS or LS or FA Designation
Integrative Learning Experience (ILE) Course 1	3			HS or LS or FA Designation

Semester Two: [16 Credit Hours]

GHY 1020 OR GHY 1040	3		X	Counts as Liberal Studies Experience Course 2 and SS Designation
PLN 2410	3		X	
RC 1000	3			May take in fall or spring of first year
Liberal Studies Experience Course 3	3			
ILE Course 2	3			HS or LS or FA Designation
Gen Ed Wellness Literacy	1			

Semester Three : [16 Credit Hours]

GHY 2310	3		X	
Gen Ed Science Inquiry	4			
RC 2001	3			May take in fall or spring of sophomore year
Major Elective Course 1 (ILE Course 3)	3		X	See Integrative Learning Experience area under the “Elective Courses” section on major program of study (POS) for choices; This course will count as Integrative Learning Experience Course 3 for General Education
Geography Focused Elective Course 1	3		X	Must be GHY at 2000 level or above

Semester Four: [13 Credit Hours]

PLN 2812 or GHY 2812	3		X	
Gen Ed Science Inquiry	4			
Liberal Studies Experience Course 4	3			
Geography Focused Elective Course 2	3		X	Must be GHY at 2000 level or above

Semester Five: [15 Credit Hours]

GHY 3812	3		X	
PLN 3730	3		X	Offered Fall semester only
Major Elective Course 2 (Quantitative Analysis)	3		X	See Quantitative Analysis area under the “Elective Courses” section on POS for choices



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Major Elective Course 3 (Climate Course)	3		X	See Climate Course area under the "Elective Courses" section on POS for choices;
Free Elective	3			

Semester Six: [16 Credit Hours]

PLN 3432	4		X	[WID] offered Spring semester only
PLN 4700	3		X	
Planning Related Elective 1	3		X	See Planning Related Electives area on POS for choices
Planning Related Elective 2	3		X	See Planning Related Electives area on POS for choices
Geography Focused Elective 3	3		X	Must be GHY at 2000 level or above

Semester Seven: [15 Credit Hours]

Planning Related Elective 3	3		X	See Planning Related Electives area on POS for choices
Major Elective Course 4 (Sustainability Course)	3		X	See Sustainability Course area under the "Elective Courses" section on POS for choices
Planning Related Elective 4	3		X	See Planning Related Electives area on POS for choices
Planning Related Elective 5	3		X	See Planning Related Electives area on POS for choices
Free Elective	3			

Semester Eight: [13 Credit Hours]

PLN 4830 or GHY 4830	3		X	CAPSTONE
Planning Related Elective 6	3		X	See Planning Related Electives area on POS for choices
Planning Related Elective 7	3		X	See Planning Related Electives area on POS for choices
Gen Ed Wellness Literacy	1			
Free Elective	3			Take enough electives to reach the minimum 120 required for the degree

General Requirements Summary				
Minimum Total Hours	Gen Ed. Hours	Writing	Minimum	
			Major GPA	Overall GPA
120	44	RC 1000 and RC 2001	2.0	2.0

All PLN courses and all courses in Major Requirements area on the Program of Study count in the major GPA.



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General Education Program Model - 44 Semester Hours Total

Program Categories	Hours	Important Notes – <i>Be sure to check for Gen Ed courses required in your major</i>
First Year Seminar	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Wellness Literacy	2	
Quantitative Literacy	4	
First Year Writing	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Sophomore Writing	3	
Integrative Learning Experience	9	Must choose a minimum of two disciplines
Liberal Studies Experience	12	Must choose a minimum of three disciplines
Science Inquiry	8	

You must also meet the Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and the Social Science Designations. Those may be met within the Integrative Learning Experience and the Liberal Studies Experience.

Additional Information:

- A contract with a list of the approved Planning & Related Elective Courses **MUST** be filed with the College of Arts & Sciences Dean’s Office no later than the end of the first semester of junior year.
- Please consult with your advisor to ensure you will complete the appropriate number of free electives as needed to reach the 120 total hours required for your degree.
- Residency Requirements:
 - 30 hours must be from ASU
 - 18 hours in the major must be from ASU
 - 9 hours in the minor must be from ASU