The information published in this Undergraduate Calendar outlines the rules, regulations, curricula, programs and fees for the 2018-2019 academic year, including the Summer Semester 2018, the Fall Semester 2018 and the Winter Semester 2019.

For your convenience the Undergraduate Calendar is available in PDF format.

If you wish to link to the Undergraduate Calendar please refer to the Linking Guidelines.

The University is a full member of:

- Universities Canada

Contact Information:
University of Guelph
Guelph, Ontario, Canada
N1G 2W1
519-824-4120
http://www.uoguelph.ca

Revision Information:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>February 1, 2018</td>
<td>Initial Publication</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>July 18, 2018</td>
<td>Second Publication</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>September 20, 2018</td>
<td>Third Publication</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>October 29, 2018</td>
<td>Fourth Publication</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Disclaimer

University of Guelph 2018

The information published in this Undergraduate Calendar outlines the rules, regulations, curricula, programs and fees for the 2018-2019 academic year, including the Summer Semester 2018, the Fall Semester 2018 and the Winter Semester 2019.

The University reserves the right to change without notice any information contained in this calendar, including fees, any rule or regulation pertaining to the standards for admission to, the requirements for the continuation of study in, and the requirements for the granting of degrees or diplomas in any or all of its programs. The publication of information in this calendar does not bind the University to the provision of courses, programs, schedules of studies, or facilities as listed herein.

The University will not be liable for any interruption in, or cancellation of, any academic activities as set forth in this calendar and related information where such interruption is caused by fire, strike, lock-out, inability to procure materials or trades, restrictive laws or governmental regulations, actions taken by faculty, staff or students of the University or by others, civil unrest or disobedience, public health emergencies, or any other cause of any kind beyond the reasonable control of the University.

In the event of a discrepancy between a print version (downloaded) and the Web version, the Web version will apply.

Published by: Enrolment Services
Introduction

Collection, Use and Disclosure of Personal Information

Personal information is collected under the authority of the University of Guelph Act (1964), and in accordance with Ontario's Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/index.html. This information is used by University officials in order to carry out their authorized academic and administrative responsibilities and also to establish a relationship for alumni and development purposes. Certain personal information is disclosed to external agencies, including the Ontario Universities Application Centre, the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development, and Statistics Canada, for statistical and planning purposes, and is disclosed to other individuals or organizations in accordance with the Office of Registrarial Services Departmental Policy on the Release of Student Information. For details on the use and disclosure of this information call the Office of Registrarial Services at the University at (519) 824-4120 or see http://www.uoguelph.ca/Registrar/index.cfm?index.

Disclosure of Personal Information to the Ontario Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development

The University of Guelph is required to disclose personal information such as characteristics and educational outcomes to the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development under s. 15 of the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter M.19, as amended. The Ministry collects this data for purposes including but not limited to planning, allocating and administering public funding to colleges, universities and other post-secondary educational and training institutions.

Amendments made to the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development Act, authorizing the collection and use of personal information from colleges and universities by the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development, which were set out in Schedule 5 of the Childcare Modernization Act, 2014, came into force on March 31, 2015. The amendments strengthen the ability of the Ministry to directly or indirectly collect and use personal information about students as required to conduct research and analysis, including longitudinal studies, and statistical activities conducted by or on behalf of the Ministry for purposes that relate to post-secondary education and training, including,

i. understanding the transition of students from secondary school to post-secondary education and training,
ii. understanding student participation and progress, mobility and learning and employment outcomes,
iii. understanding linkages among universities, colleges, secondary schools and other educational and training institutions prescribed by regulation,
iv. understanding trends in post-secondary education or training program choices made by students,
v. understanding sources and patterns of student financial resources, including financial assistance and supports provided by government and post-secondary educational and training institutions,
vi. planning to enhance the affordability and accessibility of post-secondary education and training and the quality and effectiveness of the post-secondary sector,

iii. identifying conditions or barriers that inhibit student participation, progress, completion and transition to employment or future post-secondary educational or training opportunities, and

viii. developing key performance indicators.

Information that the University is required to provide includes but is not limited to: first, middle and last name, Ontario Educational Number, citizenship, date of birth, gender, first three digits of a student’s postal code, mother tongue, degree program and major(s) in which the student is enrolled, year of study and whether the student has transferred from another institution.

Further information on the collection and use of student-level enrolment-related data can be obtained from the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development website: https://www.ontario.ca/page/ministry-advanced-education-and-skills-development (English) or https://www.ontario.ca/fr/page/ministere-de-lenseignement-supieur-et-de-la-formation-professionelle (French) by writing to the Director, Postsecondary Finance and Information Management Branch, Postsecondary Education Division, 7th Floor, Mowat Block, 900 Bay Street, Toronto, ON M7A 1L2.


Frequently Asked Questions related to the Ministry’s enrolment and OEN data activities are also posted at: http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/peps/publications/NoticeOfCollection.pdf

Authority to Disclose Personal Information to Statistics Canada

The Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development discloses student-level enrolment-related data it collects from the colleges and universities as required by Statistics Canada in accordance with Section 13 of the Federal Statistics Act. This gives Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development Act authority to disclose personal information in accordance with s. 42(1) (e) of FIPPA

Notification of Disclosure of Personal Information to Statistics Canada

For further information, please see the Statistics Canada's web site at http://www.statcan.ca and Section XIV Statistics Canada.

Address for University Communication

Depending on the nature and timing of the communication, the University may use one of these addresses to communicate with students. Students are, therefore, responsible for checking all of the following on a regular basis:

Email Address

The University issued email address is considered an official means of communication with the student and will be used for correspondence from the University. Students are responsible for monitoring their University-issued email account regularly. See Section I--Statement of Students' Academic Responsibilities for more information.

Home Address

Students are responsible for maintaining a current mailing address with the University. Address changes can be made, in writing, through Enrolment Services.

Name Changes

The University of Guelph is committed to the integrity of its student records, therefore, each student is required to provide either on application for admission or on personal data forms required for registration, his/her complete, legal name. Any requests to change a name, by means of alteration, deletion, substitution or addition, must be accompanied by appropriate supporting documentation.

Student Confidentiality and Release of Student Information Policy Excerpt

The University undertakes to protect the privacy of each student and the confidentiality of his or her record. To this end the University shall refuse to disclose personal information to any person other than the individual to whom the information relates where disclosure would constitute an unjustified invasion of the personal privacy of that person or of any other individual. All members of the University community must respect the confidential nature of the student information which they acquire in the course of their work.

**Learning Outcomes**

On December 5, 2012, the University of Guelph Senate approved five University-wide Learning Outcomes as the basis from which to guide the development of undergraduate degree programs, specializations and courses:

1. **Critical and Creative Thinking**
2. **Literacy**
3. **Global Understanding**
4. **Communicating**
5. **Professional and Ethical Behaviour**

These learning outcomes are also intended to serve as a framework through which our educational expectations are clear to students and the broader public; and to inform the process of outcomes assessment through the quality assurance process (regular reviews) of programs and departments.

An on-line guide to the learning outcomes, links to the associated skills, and detailed rubrics designed to support the development and assessment of additional program and discipline-specific outcomes, are available for reference on the Learning Outcomes website.

### 1. Critical and Creative Thinking

Critical and creative thinking is a concept in which one applies logical principles, after much inquiry and analysis, to solve problems with a high degree of innovation, divergent thinking and risk taking. Those mastering this outcome show evidence of integrating knowledge and applying this knowledge across disciplinary boundaries. Depth and breadth of understanding of disciplines is essential to this outcome.

In addition, **Critical and Creative Thinking** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Inquiry and Analysis; Problem Solving; Creativity; and Depth and Breadth of Understanding**.

### 2. Literacy

Literacy is the ability to extract information from a variety of resources, assess the quality and validity of the material, and use it to discover new knowledge. The comfort in using quantitative literacy also exists in this definition, as does using technology effectively and developing visual literacy.

In addition, **Literacy** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Information Literacy, Quantitative Literacy, Technological Literacy, and Visual Literacy**.

### 3. Global Understanding:

Global understanding encompasses the knowledge of cultural similarities and differences, the context (historical, geographical, political and environmental) from which these arise, and how they are manifest in modern society. Global understanding is exercised as civic engagement, intercultural competence and the ability to understand an academic discipline outside of the domestic context.

In addition, **Global Understanding** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Global Understanding, Sense of Historical Development, Civic Knowledge and Engagement, and Intercultural Competence**.

### 4. Communicating

Communicating is the ability to interact effectively with a variety of individuals and groups, and convey information successfully in a variety of formats including oral and written communication. Communicating also comprises attentiveness and listening, as well as reading comprehension. It includes the ability to communicate and synthesize information, arguments, and analyses accurately and reliably.

In addition, **Communicating** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Oral Communication, Written Communication, Reading Comprehension, and Integrative Communication**.

### 5. Professional and Ethical Behaviour

Professional and ethical behaviour requires the ability to accomplish the tasks at hand with proficient skills in teamwork and leadership, while remembering ethical reasoning behind all decisions. The ability for organizational and time management skills is essential in bringing together all aspects of managing self and others. Academic integrity is central to mastery in this outcome.

In addition, **Professional and Ethical Behaviour** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Teamwork, Ethical Reasoning, Leadership, and Personal Organization and Time Management**.
# Table of Contents

- Bachelor of Science in Environmental Sciences [B.Sc.(Env.)] ........................................ 512
  - Program Information ........................................................................................................ 512
  - Ecology (ECOL) .............................................................................................................. 512
  - Ecology (ECOL:C) ........................................................................................................... 513
  - Environmental Sciences (ENVS) .................................................................................... 514
  - Environmental Sciences (ENVS:C) .................................................................................. 515
  - Environmental Economics and Policy (EEP) ................................................................. 516
  - Environmental Economics and Policy (EEP:C) ............................................................. 517
  - Environment and Resource Management (ERM) ........................................................ 518
  - Environment and Resource Management (ERM:C) ...................................................... 519
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Sciences
[B.Sc.(Env.)]

Program Information

Objectives of the Program
The Environmental Sciences program is designed to provide a strong interdisciplinary grounding in specific environmental sciences including the socioeconomic context in which environmental issues are resolved.

There is an emphasis on management and decision-making skills for the application of scientific knowledge to environmental problems, and the evaluation of appropriate environmental policies. A practical perspective based on defining and resolving problems is central to the program, and this is often done in the context of group work.

Substantial emphasis is placed on communication skills, including the development of competence in both written and oral presentations. These skills will be progressively developed in core courses from the first to the fourth year. Students in the final year of their program will be expected to take part in more intensive communication skill development. Graduates will seek employment in a range of fields, from government agencies to private industry and research.

Academic Counselling
General information on the degree program is available from the Program Counsellor. Advising for each major is available through the assigned faculty advisor responsible for the major. Students are encouraged to seek the advice of the faculty advisors when choosing restricted electives and planning course selections.

Degree
The degree granted for the successful completion of this honors program will be the Bachelor of Science in Environmental Sciences--B.Sc.(Env.).

Continuation of Study
Students are advised to consult the regulations for Continuation of Study in Section VIII--Undergraduate Degree Regulations and Procedures of this Calendar.

Conditions for Graduation
In order to graduate from the B.Sc.(Env.) program, students must successfully complete a minimum of 20.00 credits including all the stated course requirements for the program.

As well, students must achieve a cumulative average of 60% or higher over all course attempts.

Environmental Sciences (Co-op)
A 5-year Honours Program in Environmental Sciences is offered as a Co-operative Education Program. This option is offered within the B.Sc. (Env.) degree and is available to all majors. The course requirements are the same as those listed for the regular B.Sc. (Env.) program, by the Co-operative Education Program and as outlined in the Continuation of Study policy (Section VIII--Undergraduate Degree Regulations & Procedures).

3 co-op work terms (COOP*1000, COOP*2000, COOP*3000) are required. An optional 4th co-op work term (COOP*4000) is available. COOP*1100 must be completed during semester 2.

Environmental Sciences Co-op Work Term Schedule

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Year</th>
<th>Fall</th>
<th>Winter</th>
<th>Summer</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Academic Term 1</td>
<td>Academic Term 2</td>
<td>Off</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Academic Term 3</td>
<td>COOP*1000</td>
<td>Academic Term 4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>COOP*2000</td>
<td>Academic Term 5</td>
<td>COOP*3000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Academic Term 6</td>
<td>Academic Term 7</td>
<td>COOP*4000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Academic Term 8</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Since some of the course requirements in the degree program (core or major) are not offered each semester, careful planning and program consultation with the Faculty Co-op Advisor is essential. In particular, students are encouraged to seek advice when choosing for their Summer academic semester.

The Environmental Sciences Program
The degree in Environmental Sciences consists of a minimum of 20.00 credits, as follows:

1. 7.00 Environmental Sciences Core

2. 8.50 - 11.00 Environmental Sciences prescribed and restricted electives according to major.

3. free electives*

Within these courses, students must include at least 6.00 credits at the 3000 or 4000 level, and no program may include more than 7.00 credits at the 1000 level.

* There are no specific subject requirements for the elective courses, however, you may NOT select the following: BIOL*1500, BOT*1200, CHEM*1100, CIS*1000, ENV*1060, GEOE*1100, , MIRC*1020, MBG*1000, PHYS*1600.

Please note that not all courses in the "One of:" options are available each semester (F, W, S). Students are encouraged to seek advice from the appropriate advisor when selecting and scheduling courses.

First Year Curriculum
The first year courses have been selected to provide students with sufficient background and knowledge to enter any one of the Environmental Sciences majors.

Semester 1

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>course</th>
<th>credits</th>
<th>title</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*1070</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Discovering Biodiversity</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHEM*1040</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>General Chemistry I</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*1030</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Introduction to Environmental Sciences</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MATH*1080</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Elements of Calculus I</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Semester 2

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>course</th>
<th>credits</th>
<th>title</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*1090</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHEM*1050</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>General Chemistry II</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*1040</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Intro to Environmental Economics, Law &amp; Policy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*1300</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to the Biophysical Environment</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: Co-op students must select COOP*1100 Introduction to Co-operative Education

Environmental Sciences Core
In addition to the common first year curriculum, students are required to take the following core Environmental Sciences courses in the semesters recommended in the schedule of studies:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>course</th>
<th>credits</th>
<th>title</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ENV*4001</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Project in Environmental Sciences</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*4002</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Project in Environmental Sciences</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*2100</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Economic Growth and Environmental Quality</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*2700</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Survey of Natural Resource Economics</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*2210</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Environment and Resources</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

A required statistics course is prescribed by the student's choice of major.

Environmental Sciences Majors

Ecology
Environment and Resource Management
Environmental Economics and Policy
Environmental Sciences

Requirements for each of these majors are described in the detailed schedules of studies below.

Ecology (ECOL)

Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science
This program provides a solid foundation in the principles of ecology, training in both pure and applied aspects of ecology and an introduction to economic, legal and policy issues related to the management of the environment. From the 2nd year on, students increasingly augment the core in ecology and policy with extensive restricted electives choices that allow the student to tailor the program to their interests. The major provides a sound science background for careers in conservation, resource management, ecological consulting, or nature interpretation used in teaching, government, non-government or the private sector; or for further post-graduate training in fundamental ecology, environmental biology and environmental management or policy.

Major

Semester 1

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>course</th>
<th>credits</th>
<th>title</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*1070</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Discovering Biodiversity</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHEM*1040</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>General Chemistry I</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*1030</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Introduction to Environmental Sciences</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MATH*1080</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Elements of Calculus I</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Semester 2

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>course</th>
<th>credits</th>
<th>title</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*1090</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHEM*1050</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>General Chemistry II</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*1040</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Intro to Environmental Economics, Law &amp; Policy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*1300</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to the Biophysical Environment</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Semester 3

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>course</th>
<th>credits</th>
<th>title</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*2060</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Ecology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PHYS*1080</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Physics for Life Sciences</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PHYS*1300</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Fundamentals of Physics</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

One of:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>course</th>
<th>credits</th>
<th>title</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ECON*2100</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Economic Growth and Environmental Quality</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*2700</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Survey of Natural Resource Economics</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Semester 4

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOC*2580</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to Biochemistry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOC*2400</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Evolution</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MBG*2040</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>STAT*2230</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Biostatistics for Integrative Biology</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

0.50 electives or restricted electives

Semester 5

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*3010</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Laboratory and Field Work in Ecology</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

One of:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BOT*2100</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Life Strategies of Plants</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZOO*3600</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Comparative Animal Physiology I</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

One of:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BOT*3410</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Plant Anatomy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZOO*2090</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Vertebrate Structure and Function</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1.00 electives or restricted electives

Note: ZOO*2700 may be substituted for BOT*3410 or ZOO*2090 and would be taken in semester 6.

Semester 6

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*3060</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Populations, Communities &amp; Ecosystems</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*3130</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Conservation Biology</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1.50 electives or restricted electives

Semester 7

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*4001</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Project in Environmental Sciences</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

2.00 electives or restricted electives

Semester 8

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*4002</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Project in Environmental Sciences</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

2.00 electives or restricted electives

Note: See note in semester 7.

Restricted Electives

Students are required to take 5.50 restricted credits in Ecology as noted below. Of these, at least 1.00 credits must be at the 4000 level.

1. A minimum of 0.50 credits from:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*4150</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Wildlife Conservation and Management</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CIS*1500</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to Programming</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*2420</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>The Earth From Space</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*2480</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Mapping and GIS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3420</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Remote Sensing of the Environment *</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3480</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>GIS and Spatial Analysis *</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*4480</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Applied Geomatics *</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

* Additional prerequisites are required.

2. Students in the Ecology Major are required to take an additional 5.00 restricted elective credits from the following lists. Some courses may require other courses from the list as prerequisites.

Ecology

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ANSC*3180</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Wildlife Nutrition</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*3450</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to Aquatic Environments</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BOT*3050</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Plant Functional Ecology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*2030</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Meteorology and Climatology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*3010</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Climate Change Biology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*3270</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Forest Biodiversity</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*3290</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Waterborne Disease Ecology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*4350</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Forest Ecology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*2000</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Geomorphology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*2110</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Climate and the Biophysical Environment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3000</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Fluvial Processes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3610</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Environmental Hydrology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NUTR*3210</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Fundamentals of Nutrition</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZOO*4570</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Marine Ecological Processes</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Conservation

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*4120</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Evolutionary Ecology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*4150</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Wildlife Conservation and Management</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*4350</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*2040</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Plant Health and the Environment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*2330</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*3000</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Nature Interpretation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*3010</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Climate Change Biology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*2480</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Mapping and GIS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3020</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Global Environmental Change</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3110</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Biotic and Natural Resources</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3210</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Management of the Biophysical Environment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*3480</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>GIS and Spatial Analysis</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*4110</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Environmental Systems Analysis</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*4230</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Environmental Impact Assessment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*4480</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Applied Geomatics</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

7.00 credits - Environmental Sciences core
5.00 credits - Ecology Required courses
5.50 credits - Ecology Restricted electives
2.50 credits - Free electives

Students are reminded that 6.00 credits of their B.Sc. (Env.) degree must be at the 3000-4000 level.

Students are encouraged to seek advice on their choices from their faculty advisor. With prior approval, students may be able to use courses not on these lists towards their Ecology elective requirements.

Ecofogy (ECOL:C)

Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science

This program provides a solid foundation in the principles of ecology, training in both pure and applied aspects of ecology and an introduction to economic, legal and policy issues related to the management of the environment. From the 2nd year on, students increasingly augment the core in policy with extensive restricted electives choices that allow the student to tailor the program to their interests. The major provides a sound science background for careers in conservation, resource management, ecological consulting, or nature interpretation used in teaching, government, non-government or the private sector; or for further post-graduate training in fundamental ecology, environmental biology and environmental management or policy.

Major

Semester 1 - Fall

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*1070</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Discovering Biodiversity</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHEM*1040</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>General Chemistry I</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENVS*1030</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Introduction to Environmental Sciences</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MATH*1080</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Elements of Calculus I</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Semester 2 - Winter

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*1090</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHEM*1050</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>General Chemistry II</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COOP*1100</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>Introduction to Co-operative Education</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*1040</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>Intro to Environmental Economics, Law &amp; Policy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GEOG*1300</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Introduction to the Biophysical Environment</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Semester 3 - Fall

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*2060</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Ecology</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

One of:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>PHYS*1080</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Physics for Life Sciences</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PHYS*1300</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Fundamentals of Physics</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

One of:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ECON*2100</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Economic Growth and Environmental Quality</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*2700</td>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>Survey of Natural Resource Economics</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1.00 electives or restricted electives

Note: Students lacking 4U physics or equivalent must take PHYS*1300. Students with 4U physics or equivalent must take PHYS*1080. PHYS*1130 may be substituted for PHYS*1080 and would be taken in a Winter semester.

Winter Semester

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Credits</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>COOP*1000</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>Co-op Work Term I</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Semester 4 - Summer
- **BIOL*2580 [0.50]** Introduction to Biochemistry
- 2.00 electives or restricted electives

### Fall Semester
- **COOP*2000 [0.00]** Co-op Work Term II

### Semester 5 - Winter
- **BIOL*2400 [0.50]** Evolution
- **MBG*2040 [0.50]** Fundamentals of Molecular Biology and Genetics
- **STAT*2230 [0.50]** Biostatistics for Integrative Biology
- 1.00 electives or restricted electives

### Summer Semester
- **COOP*3000 [0.00]** Co-op Work Term III

### Semester 6 - Fall
- **BIOL*3010 [0.50]** Laboratory and Field Work in Ecology
- **ENVS*4001 [0.50]** Project in Environmental Sciences
- One of:
  - **BOT*2100 [0.50]** Life Strategies of Plants
  - **ZOO*3600 [0.50]** Comparative Animal Physiology I
- One of:
  - **BOT*3410 [0.50]** Plant Anatomy
  - **ZOO*2090 [0.50]** Vertebrate Structure and Function
- 0.50 electives or restricted electives

**Note:** ZOO*2700 may be substituted for BOT*3410 or ZOO*2090 and would be taken in semester 7.

### Semester 7 - Winter
- **BIOL*3060 [0.50]** Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
- **BIOL*3130 [0.50]** Conservation Biology
- **ENVS*4002 [0.50]** Project in Environmental Sciences
- 1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Note:** See note in semester 6.

### Summer Semester (Optional)
- **COOP*4000 [0.00]** Co-op Work Term IV

### Semester 8 - Fall
- 2.50 electives or restricted electives

#### Restricted Electives

Students are required to take 5.50 restricted credits in Ecology as noted below. Of these, at least 1.00 credits must be at the 4000 level.

1. A minimum of 0.50 credits from:
   - **BIOL*4150 [0.50]** Wildlife Conservation and Management
   - **CIS*1500 [0.50]** Introduction to Programming
   - **GEOG*2420 [0.50]** The Earth From Space
   - **GEOG*2480 [0.50]** Mapping and GIS
   - **GEOG*3420 [0.50]** Remote Sensing of the Environment *
   - **GEOG*3480 [0.50]** GIS and Spatial Analysis *
   - **GEOG*4480 [1.00]** Applied Geomatics

   * Additional prerequisites are required.

2. Students in the Ecology Major are required to take an additional 5.00 restricted elective credits from the following lists. Some courses may require other courses from the list as prerequisites.
   - **Ecology**
     - ANSC*3180 [0.50] Wildlife Nutrition
     - BIOL*3450 [0.50] Introduction to Aquatic Environments
     - BOT*3050 [0.50] Plant Functional Ecology
     - ENVS*2030 [0.50] Meteorology and Climatology
     - ENVS*3010 [0.50] Climate Change Biology
     - ENVS*3270 [0.50] Forest Biodiversity
     - ENVS*3290 [0.50] Waterborne Disease Ecology
     - ENVS*4350 [0.50] Forest Ecology
     - GEOG*2000 [0.50] Geomorphology
     - GEOG*2110 [0.50] Climate and the Biophysical Environment
     - GEOG*3000 [0.50] Fluvial Processes
     - GEOG*3610 [0.50] Environmental Hydrology
     - NUTR*3210 [0.50] Fundamentals of Nutrition
     - ZOO*4570 [0.50] Marine Ecological Processes
   - **Conservation**
     - BIOL*4120 [0.50] Evolutionary Ecology
     - BIOL*4140 [0.50] Wildlife Conservation and Management
     - BIOL*4150 [0.50] Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters
     - ENVS*2040 [0.50] Plant Health and the Environment
     - ENVS*2330 [0.50] Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity
     - ENVS*3000 [0.50] Nature Interpretation
     - ENVS*3010 [0.50] Climate Change Biology
     - GEOG*2480 [0.50] Mapping and GIS
     - GEOG*3020 [0.50] Global Environmental Change
     - GEOG*3110 [0.50] Biotic and Natural Resources
     - GEOG*3210 [0.50] Management of the Biophysical Environment
     - GEOG*3480 [0.50] GIS and Spatial Analysis
     - GEOG*4110 [1.00] Environmental Systems Analysis
     - GEOG*4230 [0.50] Environmental Impact Assessment
     - GEOG*4480 [1.00] Applied Geomatics
     - Policy, Law and Management
   - **Economics**
     - ECON*2100 [0.50] Economic Growth and Environmental Quality
     - FARE*2700 [0.50] Survey of Natural Resource Economics
     - GEOG*2210 [0.50] Environment and Resources
     - GEOG*4210 [0.50] Environmental Governance
     - GEOG*4220 [0.50] Local Environmental Management
     - PHIL*2070 [0.50] Philosophy of the Environment
     - POLS*3370 [0.50] Environmental Politics and Governance

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

- 7.00 credits - Environmental Sciences core
- 5.00 credits - Ecology Required courses
- 5.50 credits - Ecology Restricted electives
- 2.50 credits - Free electives

Students are reminded that 6.00 credits of their B.Sc. (Env.) degree must be at the 3000-4000 level.

Students are encouraged to seek advice on their choices from their faculty advisor. With prior approval, students may be able to use courses not on these lists towards their Ecology elective requirements.

### Environmental Sciences (ENVS)

**School of Environmental Sciences, Ontario Agricultural College**

This major combines a foundation in the breadth of environmental science while giving students practical experience in integrating the basic science in environmental problem solving. The integration of biophysical sciences with real-world applications provides students with a unique skill set for engaging with current and future environmental issues. The many opportunities in the major for experiential learning and independent research give students an ability to collect, analyze and interpret environmental data, and propose solutions that account for both the biophysical science and the socio-economic context. The second year core curriculum develops a cross-disciplinary understanding of the biophysical environment, while the third and fourth years allow students to engage more deeply with issues of interest to them. Students will graduate from this major ready to address diverse problems such as pollutant conservation, soil and water conservation, greenhouse gas mitigation, plant disease management and chemical movement in the environment. It provides a solid background for careers in environmental protection, resource management and research, in both the public and private sectors.

### Major

- **Semester 1**
  - **BIOL*1070 [0.50]** Discovering Biodiversity
  - **CHEM*1040 [0.50]** General Chemistry I
  - **ENVS*1030 [1.00]** Introduction to Environmental Sciences
  - **MATH*1080 [0.50]** Elements of Calculus I

- **Semester 2**
  - **BIOL*1090 [0.50]** Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
  - **CHEM*1050 [0.50]** General Chemistry II
  - **FARE*1040 [1.00]** Intro to Environmental Economics, Law & Policy
  - **GEOG*1300 [0.50]** Introduction to the Biophysical Environment

- **Semester 3**
  - **ENVS*2030 [0.50]** Meteorology and Climatology
  - **ENVS*2060 [0.50]** Soil Science
  - **ENVS*2240 [0.50]** Fundamentals of Environmental Geology
  - **ENVS*2310 [0.50]** Earth Surface Processes
  - 0.50 restricted electives from List A or B
BIOL*2060 [0.50] Ecology
ENVS*2080 [0.50] Introduction to Environmental Microbiology
STAT*2040 [0.50] Statistics I
0.50 restricted electives from List A or B
0.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 5**

One of:
- ECON*2100 [0.50] Economic Growth and Environmental Quality
- FAR*2700 [0.50] Survey of Natural Resource Economics
- GEOG*2210 [0.50] Environment and Resources

2.00 electives or restricted electives

Students wishing to register in BIOL*4350 must substitute BIOL*3450 in Semester 5 for ENVS*3150 in Semester 6.

**Semester 6**

ENVS*3150 [0.50] Aquatic Systems
2.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 7**

ENVS*4001 [0.50] Project in Environmental Sciences
2.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 8**

ENVS*4002 [0.50] Project in Environmental Sciences
2.00 electives or restricted electives

**Restricted Electives**

Students must take a total of 6.50 restricted elective credits as prescribed by the following lists.

Students must take 0.50 credits from each of List A & B

**List A**

One of:
- ENVS*2330 [0.50] Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity
- ENVS*2340 [0.50] Current Issues in Agriculture and Landscape Management

**List B**

One of:
- PHYS*1080 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences
- PHYS*1130 [0.50] Physics with Applications
- PHYS*1300 [0.50] Fundamentals of Physics

Students lacking 4U Physics or equivalent must take PHYS*1300.

Students are required to choose a minimum of 5.50 credits from Lists C, D, E, and F. Students must take a minimum of 1.50 credits from List C, a minimum of 1.00 credits from List D, and students may not count more than 1.00 credits from List F towards their restricted electives. Students should note that many restricted electives, particularly in List D, require other courses as prerequisites. Students should consult the most recent Undergraduate Calendar for specific requirements.

**List C**

Students must take a minimum of 1.50 credits from the following list:
- BIOL*3130 [0.50] Conservation Biology
- CHEM*3360 [0.50] Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology
- ENVS*2040 [0.50] Plant Health and the Environment
- ENVS*2120 [0.50] Introduction to Environmental Stewardship
- ENVS*2210 [0.50] Apiculture and Honey Bee Biology
- ENVS*2230 [0.50] Communications in Environmental Science
- ENVS*3000 [0.50] Nature Interpretation
- ENVS*3010 [0.50] Climate Change Biology
- ENVS*3020 [0.50] Pesticides and the Environment
- ENVS*3030 [0.50] Conservation Field Course
- ENVS*3040 [0.50] Natural Chemicals in the Environment
- ENVS*3050 [0.50] Microclimatology
- ENVS*3060 [0.50] Groundwater
- ENVS*3080 [0.50] Soil and Water Conservation
- ENVS*3090 [0.50] Insect Diversity and Biology
- ENVS*3180 [0.50] Sedimentary Environments
- ENVS*3210 [0.50] Plant Pathology
- ENVS*3220 [0.50] Terrestrial Chemistry
- ENVS*3230 [0.50] Agroforestry Systems
- ENVS*3250 [0.50] Forest Health and Disease
- ENVS*3270 [0.50] Forest Biodiversity
- ENVS*3290 [0.50] Waterborne Disease Ecology
- ENVS*3310 [0.50] Soil Biodiversity and Ecosystem Function
- ENVS*3340 [0.50] Use and Management of Environmental Data
- ENVS*3370 [0.50] Terrestrial Ecosystem Ecology
- MIRC*3220 [0.50] Plant Microbiology
- TOX*2000 [0.50] Principles of Toxicology

Students must take a minimum of 1.00 credits from the following list:
- BIOL*4350 [0.50] Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters
- ENVS*4070 [0.50] Pollinator Conservation
- ENVS*4090 [0.50] Soil Management
- ENVS*4100 [0.50] Integrated Management of Invasive Insect Pests
- ENVS*4160 [0.50] Soil and Nutrient Management
- ENVS*4180 [0.50] Insecticide Biological Activity and Resistance
- ENVS*4190 [0.50] Biological Activity of Herbicides
- ENVS*4210 [0.50] Meteorological and Environmental Instrumentation
- ENVS*4230 [0.50] Biology of Aquatic Insects
- ENVS*4260 [0.50] Field Entomology
- ENVS*4320 [1.00] Laboratory and Field Methods in Soil Biodiversity
- ENVS*4350 [0.50] Forest Ecology
- ENVS*4360 [0.50] Glacial Environments
- ENVS*4370 [0.50] Environmental Organic Chemistry
- ENVS*4390 [1.00] Soil Variability and Land Evaluation
- PBIOL*4350 [0.50] Plants and Environmental Pollution

**List E**

ENVS*3100 [0.50] Internship/Externship in Environmental Sciences
ENVS*3410 [0.50] Independent Research I
ENVS*3420 [0.50] Independent Research II
ENVS*3430 [1.00] Independent Research
ENVS*3510 [0.50] Independent Study I
ENVS*3520 [0.50] Independent Study II
ENVS*3530 [1.00] Independent Study
ENVS*4410 [1.00] Advanced Independent Research I
ENVS*4420 [1.00] Advanced Independent Research II
ENVS*4430 [2.00] Advanced Independent Research
ENVS*4510 [0.50] Advanced Independent Study I
ENVS*4520 [0.50] Advanced Independent Study II
ENVS*4530 [1.00] Advanced Independent Study

**List F**

Students may count up to 1.00 credits from the following list towards their 6.50 credit restricted electives:
- GEOG*2420 [0.50] The Earth From Space
- GEOG*2480 [0.50] Mapping and GIS
- GEOG*3420 [0.50] Remote Sensing of the Environment
- GEOG*3480 [0.50] GIS and Spatial Analysis

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

7.00 credits - Environmental Sciences core
4.50 credits - Required Courses for the Major
5.50 credits - Restricted Electives
3.00 credits - Free electives

Students are encouraged to seek advice from their faculty advisor and are reminded that 6.00 credits of their B.Sc.(Env.) degree must be at the 3000-4000 level. With prior approval, students may be able to use courses not on Lists C, D, E, or F to count towards their restricted electives.

**Environmental Sciences (ENVS:C)**

**School of Environmental Sciences, Ontario Agricultural College**

This major combines a foundation in the breadth of environmental science while giving students practical experience in integrating the basic science in environmental problem solving. The integration of biophysical sciences with real-world applications provides students with a unique skill set for engaging with current and future environmental issues. The many opportunities in the major for experiential learning and independent research give students the ability to collect, analyze, and interpret environmental data, and propose solutions that account for both the biophysical science and the socio-economic context. The second year core curriculum develops a cross-disciplinary understanding of the biophysical environment, while the third and fourth years allow students to engage more deeply with issues of interest to them. Students will graduate from this major ready to address diverse problems such as pollinator conservation, soil and water conservation, greenhouse gas mitigation, plant disease management and chemical movement in the environment. It provides a solid background for careers in environmental protection, resource management and research, in both the public and private sectors.

**Major**

**Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I
ENVS*1030 [1.00] Introduction to Environmental Sciences
MATH*1080 [0.50] Elements of Calculus I

**Semester 2 - Winter**

BIOL*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II
COOP*1100 [0.00] Introduction to Co-operative Education

Last Revision: July 18, 2018

2018-2019 Undergraduate Calendar
Students must take a minimum of 1.50 credits from List A or B.

**Semester 3 - Fall**
- ENVS*2030 [0.50] Meteorology and Climatology
- ENVS*2060 [0.50] Soil Science
- ENVS*2240 [0.50] Fundamentals of Environmental Geology
- ENVS*2310 [0.50] Earth Surface Processes
- 0.50 restricted electives from List A or B

**Winter Semester**
- COOP*1000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term I

**Semester 4 - Summer**
- STAT*2040 [0.50] Statistics I
- 2.00 electives or restricted electives

**Fall Semester**
- COOP*2000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term II
- BIOL*2060 [0.50] Ecology
- ENVS*2080 [0.50] Introduction to Environmental Microbiology
- 0.50 restricted electives from List A or B
- 1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 5 - Winter**
- COOP*3000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term III

**Semester 6 - Fall**
- ENVS*4001 [0.50] Project in Environmental Sciences
  - One of:
    - ECON*2100 [0.50] Economic Growth and Environmental Quality
    - FARE*2700 [0.50] Survey of Natural Resource Economics
    - GEOG*2210 [0.50] Environment and Resources
- 1.50 electives or restricted electives
- Students wishing to register in BIOL*4350 must substitute BIOL*3450 in Semester 6 for ENVS*3150 in Semester 7.

**Semester 7 - Winter**
- ENVS*3150 [0.50] Aquatic Systems
- ENVS*4002 [0.50] Project in Environmental Sciences
- 1.50 electives or restricted electives

**Summer Semester - (Optional)**
- COOP*4000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term IV

**Semester 8 - Fall**
- 2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Restricted Electives**
- Students must take a total of 6.50 restricted elective credits as prescribed by the following lists.
- Students must take 0.50 credits from each of List A & B

**List A**
- One of:
  - ENVS*2330 [0.50] Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity
  - ENVS*2340 [0.50] Current Issues in Agriculture and Landscape Management

**List B**
- One of:
  - PHYS*1080 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences
  - PHYS*1130 [0.50] Physics with Applications
  - PHYS*1300 [0.50] Fundamentals of Physics

**List C**
- Students must take a minimum of 1.50 credits from the following list:
  - BIOL*3130 [0.50] Conservation Biology
  - CHEM*3360 [0.50] Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology
  - ENVS*2040 [0.50] Plant Health and the Environment
  - ENVS*2120 [0.50] Introduction to Environmental Stewardship
  - ENVS*2210 [0.50] Apiculture and Honey Bee Biology
  - ENVS*2230 [0.50] Communications in Environmental Science
  - ENVS*3000 [0.50] Nature Interpretation
  - ENVS*3010 [0.50] Climate Change Biology
  - ENVS*3020 [0.50] Pesticides and the Environment
  - ENVS*3030 [0.50] Conservation Field Course
  - ENVS*3040 [0.50] Natural Chemicals in the Environment
  - ENVS*3050 [0.50] Micrometeorology
  - ENVS*3060 [0.50] Groundwater
  - ENVS*3080 [0.50] Soil and Water Conservation
  - ENVS*3090 [0.50] Insect Diversity and Biology
  - ENVS*3180 [0.50] Sedimentary Environments
  - ENVS*3210 [0.50] Plant Pathology
  - ENVS*3220 [0.50] Terrestrial Chemistry
  - ENVS*3230 [0.50] Agroforestry Systems
  - ENVS*3250 [0.50] Forest Health and Disease
  - ENVS*3270 [0.50] Forest Biodiversity
  - ENVS*3290 [0.50] Waterborne Disease Ecology
  - ENVS*3310 [0.50] Soil Biodiversity and Ecosystem Function
  - ENVS*3340 [0.50] Use and Management of Environmental Data
  - ENVS*3370 [0.50] Terrestrial Ecosystem Ecology
  - MICR*3220 [0.50] Plant Microbiology
  - TOX*2000 [0.50] Principles of Toxicology

**List D**
- Students must take a minimum of 1.00 credits from the following list:
  - BIOL*4350 [0.50] Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters
  - ENVS*4070 [0.50] Pollinator Conservation
  - ENVS*4090 [0.50] Soil Management
  - ENVS*4140 [0.50] Integrated Management of Invasive Insect Pests
  - ENVS*4160 [0.50] Soil and Nutrient Management
  - ENVS*4180 [0.50] Insecticide Biological Activity and Resistance
  - ENVS*4190 [0.50] Biological Activity of Herbicides
  - ENVS*4210 [0.50] Meteorological and Environmental Instrumentation
  - ENVS*4230 [0.50] Biology of Aquatic Insects
  - ENVS*4260 [0.50] Field Entomology
  - ENVS*4320 [1.00] Laboratory and Field Methods in Soil Biodiversity
  - ENVS*4350 [0.50] Forest Ecology
  - ENVS*4360 [0.50] Glacial Environments
  - ENVS*4370 [0.50] Environmental Organic Chemistry
  - ENVS*4390 [1.00] Soil Variability and Land Evaluation
  - PBOI*4530 [0.50] Plants and Environmental Pollution

**List E**
- ENVS*3100 [0.50] Internship/Externship in Environmental Sciences
- ENVS*3410 [0.50] Independent Research I
- ENVS*3420 [0.50] Independent Research II
- ENVS*3430 [1.00] Independent Research
- ENVS*3510 [0.50] Independent Study I
- ENVS*3520 [0.50] Independent Study II
- ENVS*3530 [1.00] Independent Study
- ENVS*4410 [1.00] Advanced Independent Research I
- ENVS*4420 [1.00] Advanced Independent Research II
- ENVS*4430 [2.00] Advanced Independent Research
- ENVS*4510 [0.50] Advanced Independent Study I
- ENVS*4520 [0.50] Advanced Independent Study II
- ENVS*4530 [1.00] Advanced Independent Study

**List F**
- Students may count up to 1.00 credits from the following list towards their 6.50 credit restricted electives.
  - GEOG*2420 [0.50] The Earth From Space
  - GEOG*2480 [0.50] Mapping and GIS
  - GEOG*3420 [0.50] Remote Sensing of the Environment
  - GEOG*3480 [0.50] GIS and Spatial Analysis

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**
- 7.00 credits - Environmental Sciences core
- 4.50 credits - Required Courses for the Major
- 5.50 credits - Restricted Electives
- 3.00 credits - Free electives

Students are encouraged to seek advice from their faculty advisor and are reminded that 6.00 credits of their B.Sc.(Env.) degree must be at the 3000-4000 level. With prior approval, students may be able to use courses not on Lists C, D, E or F towards their restricted electives.

**Environmental Economics and Policy (EEP)**
Department of Food, Agricultural and Resource Economics, Ontario Agricultural College
This major provides the foundation for applying science and economics to environmental issues to produce effective environmental policy. Students gain an understanding of the policy tools and market mechanisms for managing our natural resources effectively. Knowledge and skills learned in this major will enable students to identify, prioritize and solve environmental problems by integrating both scientific and economic theories and data. Equipped with the ability to look at current topics from the perspectives of economics, politics and environmental sciences, students have a number of interesting career opportunities in the public, private and NGO sectors. At the same time, the major fully prepares students to move onto professional and research graduate programs.

**Major**

**Semester 1**
- BIOL*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity
- CHEM*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I
- ENVS*1030 [1.00] Introduction to Environmental Sciences
- MATH*1080 [0.50] Elements of Calculus I

**Semester 2**
- BIOL*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
- CHEM*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II
- FARE*1040 [1.00] Intro to Environmental Economics, Law & Policy
- GEOG*1300 [0.50] Introduction to the Biophysical Environment

**Semester 3**
- ECON*1100 [0.50] Introductory Macroeconomics
- FARE*2700 [0.50] Survey of Natural Resource Economics

**Semester 4**
- ECON*2310 [0.50] Intermediate Microeconomics
- ECON*2410 [0.50] Intermediate Macroeconomics
- ECON*2770 [0.50] Introductory Mathematical Economics

One of:
- ECON*2740 [0.50] Economic Statistics
- STAT*2040 [0.50] Statistics I

0.50 elective or restricted electives

**Semester 6**
- FARE*3170 [0.50] Cost-Benefit Analysis

2.00 elective or restricted electives

**Semester 7**
- ECON*3740 [0.50] Introduction to Econometrics

1.50 elective or restricted electives

**Semester 8**
- ENVS*4001 [0.50] Project in Environmental Sciences
- FARE*4290 [0.50] Land Economics

1.00 elective or restricted electives

**Restricted Electives**

Students in the Environmental Economics and Policy major are required to complete 6.00 credits in restricted electives. 2.50 restricted elective credits must be in FARE or ECON courses at the 3000 or 4000 level.

Courses in the following lists may be taken to satisfy the restricted electives requirement. Courses are grouped to assist students select programs of study aimed at different educational and career paths.

**List A**

Students must select a minimum of 2.50 credits from the following lists:

1. **Quantitative Methods, Research and Graduate Studies**
   - ECON*3100 [0.50] Game Theory
   - ECON*3710 [0.50] Advanced Microeconomics
   - ECON*4640 [0.50] Advanced Econometrics I
   - ECON*4700 [0.50] Advanced Mathematical Economics
   - ECON*4710 [0.50] Advanced Topics in Microeconomics
   - ECON*4750 [0.50] Topics in Public Economics
   - ECON*4840 [0.50] Applied Econometrics II
   - FARE*4500 [0.50] Decision Science
   - FARE*4550 [0.50] Independent Studies I
   - FARE*4560 [0.50] Independent Studies II

2. **Policy Analysis**
   - ECON*2650 [0.50] Introductory Development Economics

**List B**

Students must select a minimum of 1.00 credits from the following lists:

1. **Remote Sensing, Geographical Information Systems and Spatial Analysis**
   - GEOG*2420 [0.50] The Earth From Space
   - GEOG*2480 [0.50] Mapping and GIS
   - GEOG*3420 [0.50] Remote Sensing of the Environment
   - GEOG*3480 [0.50] GIS and Spatial Analysis
   - GEOG*4480 [1.00] Applied Geomatics

2. **Statistics and Environmental Risk Assessment**
   - STAT*2050 [0.50] Statistics II
   - STAT*3510 [0.50] Environmental Risk Assessment

**Note:** Students interested in this sequence should take STAT*2040 rather than ECON*2740 to satisfy the statistics requirement in the ENVS core.

3. **Earth Sciences**
   - ENVS*2030 [0.50] Meteorology and Climatology
   - ENVS*2060 [0.50] Soil Science
   - ENVS*2310 [0.50] Earth Surface Processes
   - ENVS*3060 [0.50] Groundwater

4. **Ecology and Conservation Biology**
   - BIOL*2060 [0.50] Ecology
   - BIOL*3060 [0.50] Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
   - BIOL*3130 [0.50] Conservation Biology
   - BIOL*4150 [0.50] Wildlife Conservation and Management
   - BIOL*4500 [0.50] Natural Resource Policy Analysis
   - ENVS*2330 [0.50] Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity

5. **Toxicology and Environmental Chemistry**
   - ENVS*3020 [0.50] Pesticides and the Environment
   - ENVS*3040 [0.50] Natural Chemicals in the Environment
   - ENVS*3220 [0.50] Terrestrial Chemistry
   - TOX*2000 [0.50] Principles of Toxicology
   - TOX*3360 [0.50] Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

7.00 credits - Environmental Sciences core

5.00 credits - Environmental Economics and Policy required courses

6.00 credits - Environmental Economics and Policy restricted electives

2.00 credits - Free electives

Students are encouraged to seek advice on their choices from their faculty advisor. Students are reminded that 6.00 credits of their B.Sc. (Env.) degree must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Environmental Economics and Policy (EEP:C)**

Department of Food, Agricultural and Resource Economics, Ontario Agricultural College

This major provides the foundation for applying science and economics to environmental issues to produce effective environmental policy. Students gain an understanding of the policy tools and market mechanisms for managing our natural resources effectively. Knowledge and skills learned in this major will enable students to identify, prioritize and solve environmental problems by integrating both scientific and economic theories and data. Equipped with the ability to look at current topics from the perspectives of economics, politics and environmental sciences, students have a number of interesting career opportunities in the public, private and NGO sectors. At the same time, the major fully prepares students to move onto professional and research graduate programs.

**Major**

**Semester 1 - Fall**
- BIOL*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity
- CHEM*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I
- ENVS*1030 [1.00] Introduction to Environmental Sciences
- ECON*3500 [0.50] Urban Economics
- ECON*3580 [0.50] Economics of Regulation
- ECON*3610 [0.50] Public Economics
- ECON*3620 [0.50] International Trade
- ECON*4830 [0.50] Economic Development
- ECON*4880 [0.50] Topics in International Economics
- EDRD*2650 [0.50] Introduction to Planning and Environmental Law
- FARE*2410 [0.50] AgriFood Markets and Policy
- FARE*3250 [0.50] Food and International Development
- FARE*4000 [0.50] Agricultural and Food Policy
- FARE*4210 [0.50] World Agriculture, Food Security and Economic Development
- FARE*4550 [0.50] Independent Studies I
- FARE*4560 [0.50] Independent Studies II
- POLS*3370 [0.50] Environmental Politics and Governance

Last Revision: July 18, 2018
Students must select a minimum of 2.50 credits from the following lists:

### 1. Quantitative Methods, Research and Graduate Studies

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Credits</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ECON*3100</td>
<td>Game Theory</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*3710</td>
<td>Advanced Microeconomics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*4640</td>
<td>Advanced Econometrics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*4700</td>
<td>Advanced Mathematical Economics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*4710</td>
<td>Advanced Topics in Microeconomics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*4750</td>
<td>Topics in Public Economics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*4840</td>
<td>Applied Econometrics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*4500</td>
<td>Decision Science</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*4550</td>
<td>Independent Studies I</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*4560</td>
<td>Independent Studies II</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### 2. Policy Analysis

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Credits</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ECON*2650</td>
<td>Introductory Development Economics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*3500</td>
<td>Urban Economics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*3580</td>
<td>Economics of Regulation</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*3610</td>
<td>Public Economics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*3620</td>
<td>International Trade</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*4830</td>
<td>Economic Development</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ECON*4880</td>
<td>Topics in International Economics</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>EDRD*2650</td>
<td>Introduction to Planning and Environmental Law</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*2410</td>
<td>Agrifood Markets and Policy</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*3250</td>
<td>Food and International Development</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*4000</td>
<td>Agricultural and Food Policy</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*4210</td>
<td>World Agriculture, Food Security and Economic Development</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*4550</td>
<td>Independent Studies I</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FARE*4560</td>
<td>Independent Studies II</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>POLS*3370</td>
<td>Environmental Politics and Governance</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### 3. Earth Sciences

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Credits</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ENV*2030</td>
<td>Meteorology and Climatology</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*2060</td>
<td>Soil Science</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*2310</td>
<td>Earth Surface Processes</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*3060</td>
<td>Groundwater</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### 4. Ecology and Conservation Biology

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Credits</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*2060</td>
<td>Ecology</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*3060</td>
<td>Populations, Communities &amp; Ecosystems</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*3130</td>
<td>Conservation Biology</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*4150</td>
<td>Wildlife Conservation and Management</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*4500</td>
<td>Natural Resource Policy Analysis</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*2330</td>
<td>Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### 5. Toxicology and Environmental Chemistry

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Credits</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ENV*3020</td>
<td>Pesticides and the Environment</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*3040</td>
<td>Natural Chemicals in the Environment</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*3220</td>
<td>Terrestrial Chemistry</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TOX*2300</td>
<td>Principles of Toxicology</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TOX*3360</td>
<td>Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

7.00 credits - Environmental Sciences core
5.00 credits - Environmental Economics and Policy required courses
6.00 credits - Environmental Economics and Policy restricted electives
2.00 credits - Free electives

Students are reminded that 6.00 credits of their B.Sc. (Env.) degree must be at the 3000-4000 level.

### Environment and Resource Management (ERM)

#### Department of Geography, Environment and Geomatics, College of Social and Applied Human Sciences

The major focuses on environmental interactions and problem solving by developing an integrated biophysical environment - human environment perspective. In ERM, students will gain knowledge across the natural sciences, an understanding of how they interact, the skills (tools and techniques) needed to support decision making, as well as the methods of management and governance that are critical for environmental decision making. Beginning in first year students learn in the classroom and through hands-on work in labs and in the field. Students are expected to design and conduct experiments and problem solve using state-of-the-art computing and analytical tools. This major provides the knowledge, skills and an environmental scientist requires as environmental consultant, environmental manager, environmental and/or resource planner, geographic information systems analyst or to facilitate future graduate work.

#### Major

**Semester 1**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Course Code</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Credits</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BIOL*1070</td>
<td>Discovering Biodiversity</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHEM*1040</td>
<td>General Chemistry I</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ENV*1030</td>
<td>Introduction to Environmental Sciences</td>
<td>1.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MATH*1080</td>
<td>Elements of Calculus I</td>
<td>0.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Semester 2

Biol*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecula and Cellular Biology
Chem*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II
Fare*1040 [1.00] Intro to Environmental Economics, Law & Policy
GeoG*1300 [0.50] Introduction to the Biophysical Environment

Semester 3

GeoG*2000 [0.50] Geomorphology
GeoG*2460 [0.50] Analysis in Geography
One of:
Econ*2100 [0.50] Economic Growth and Environmental Quality
Fare*2700 [0.50] Survey of Natural Resource Economics
1.00 electives or restricted electives

Semester 4

Env*2340 [0.50] Current Issues in Agriculture and Landscape Management
GeoG*2110 [0.50] Climate and the Biophysical Environment
GeoG*2210 [0.50] Environment and Resources
GeoG*2480 [0.50] Mapping and GIS
0.50 electives or restricted electives

Note: Env*2120 may be substituted for Env*2340 and could be taken in Semester 5.

Semester 5

GeoG*3000 [0.50] Fluvial Processes
GeoG*3110 [0.50] Biotic and Natural Resources
GeoG*3210 [0.50] Management of the Biophysical Environment
1.00 electives or restricted electives

Note: GeoG*3610 may be substituted for GeoG*3000 and would be taken in Semester 6.

Semester 6

GeoG*3480 [0.50] GIS and Spatial Analysis
2.00 electives or restricted electives

Semester 7

Env*4001 [0.50] Project in Environmental Sciences
GeoG*4110 [1.00] Environmental Systems Analysis
GeoG*4210 [0.50] Environmental Governance
0.50 electives or restricted electives

Semester 8

Env*4002 [0.50] Project in Environmental Sciences
2.00 electives or restricted electives

Restricted Electives

1. A minimum of 2 of the following courses:
Env*4390 [1.00] Soil Variability and Land Evaluation
GeoG*4220 [0.50] Local Environmental Management
GeoG*4230 [0.50] Environmental Impact Assessment
2. An additional 1.00 credits in Geography (GeoG) at the 3000 level or higher.

Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

7.00 credits - Environmental Sciences core
6.00 credits - Environment and Resource Management Required courses
2.00 - 2.50 credits - Environment and Resource Management Restricted electives, depending on course selection
4.00 - 4.50 credits - Free electives, depending on course selection

Students are reminded that 6.00 credits of their B.Sc. (Env.) degree must be at the 3000-4000 level.

Students are encouraged to seek advice on their choices from their faculty advisor.

Environment and Resource Management (ERM:C)

Department of Geography, Environment and Geomatics, College of Social and Applied Sciences

The major focuses on environmental interactions and problem solving by developing an integrated biophysical environment - human environment perspective. In ERM, students will gain knowledge across the natural sciences, an understanding of how they interact, the skills (tools and techniques) needed to support decision making, as well as the methods of management and governance that are critical for environmental decision making. Beginning in first year students learn in the classroom and through hands-on work in labs and in the field. Students are expected to design and conduct experiments and problem solve using state-of-the-art computing and analytical tools. This major provides the knowledge, skills and methods an environmental scientist requires as environmental consultant, environmental manager, environmental and/or resource planner, geographic information systems analyst or to facilitate future graduate work.

Major

Semester 1 - Fall

BioL*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity
Chem*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I