

Environmental Studies Major

Year and Campus:	2010																																
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Overview:	This major can be taken by students enrolled in the pre-2008 Bachelor of Arts - please refer to the course overview for details.																																
Objectives:	See course objectives																																
Structure & Available Subjects:	<p>The environmental studies program commences in first year. There are no prerequisites for first-year environmental studies subjects.</p> <p>Students who have completed 50 points of first-year arts subjects other than those recommended below may apply to the environmental studies coordinator for second-year entry.</p> <p>A major in environmental studies usually consists of eight 12.5-point subjects, totalling 100 points. It comprises:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # two first-year subjects from the list below (25 points); and # second/third-year subjects in environmental studies totalling 75 points. These must include three compulsory subjects: Society and Environments, Environmental Politics and Management, Sustainable Development; and up to three priority subjects listed below; and no more than two elective subjects listed below. The listed subjects are grouped according to the stream to which they contribute. <p>Students who plan to complete two majors in the BA, in environmental studies and geography, should note that whilst they may complete Society and Environments for the purpose of satisfying the compulsory subject requirements in both majors, 100 separate points must still be completed in each major. This means that 100 points for each major must be achieved by counting 12.5 points for Society and Environments once only. An additional 12.5 points of study may be included from either environmental studies or geography.</p> <p>Students who commenced their degree before 2007 will need to refer to the handbook produced in the year for the exact requirements of the major you commenced your degree, available online at https://psc.unimelb.edu.au/ (https://psc.unimelb.edu.au/) .</p> <p>If you have any questions about the major structure or subjects, please contact the Arts & Music Student Centre (http://www.arts.unimelb.edu.au/about/contact.html) .</p>																																
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121-023 China in Transition	Not offered 2010	
121-068 Redefining Nature	Not offered 2010	
GEOG30007 China Field Class	June	25

Second/third-year priority subjects: physical sciences

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
121-033 Rivers: Hydrology and Ecology	Not offered 2010	
121-306 Applied Ecology	Not offered 2010	
GEOG20002 Geomorphology	Semester 1	12.50

Second/third-year priority subjects: political and policy analysis

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
DEVT20001 Development and the Third World	Semester 2	12.50
121-022 Development and Urban Environments	Not offered 2010	

Second/third-year elective subjects: cultural interpretation

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
121-063 Culture Change and Protest Movements	Not offered 2010	12.50
AHIS20002 Australian Art	Semester 2	12.50
HPSC20002 A History of Nature	January	12.50
136-213 Environmental History of Australia	Not offered 2010	

Second/third-year elective subjects: physical sciences

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
GEOG30001 Coastal Geomorphology	March	12.50
654-204 Ecology: Individuals and Populations	Not offered 2010	12.50
606-204 Ecology: Communities and Ecosystems	Not offered 2010	12.50

Second/third-year elective subjects: political and policy analysis

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
DEVT30001 Africa: Environment, Development, People	Semester 2	12.50
166-212 Global Environmental Politics	Not offered 2010	12.50
POLS20008 Public Policy Making	Semester 1	12.50
166-038 Indigenous Rights: Land and Heritage	Not offered 2010	12.50
ECON30011 Environmental Economics	Semester 2	12.50

Related Course(s):

Bachelor of Arts
 Bachelor of Arts & Bachelor of Commerce
 Bachelor of Arts & Bachelor of Music
 Bachelor of Arts (Combined Theology)
 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science
 Bachelor of Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Engineering (Chemical) and Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Engineering (Civil) and Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Engineering (Computer) and Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Engineering (Electrical) and Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Engineering (Environmental) and Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical & Manufacturing) and Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Geomatic Engineering and Bachelor of Arts