

# Bachelor of Environments (Honours) Environmental Geographies, Politics and Cultures

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<b>Overview:</b>	The Environmental Geographies, Politics and Cultures Honours specialisation addresses the relationship between human activities and the natural and built environment, and humanity's reliance on the earth's natural resources.																															
<b>Objectives:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To provide students with the methods needed to carry out an effective research program</li> <li>• To ensure students understand what is required to review critically a scholarly body of literature in geography or environmental studies</li> <li>• To ensure students gain the skills needed to communicate their research intentions and results</li> <li>• To ensure students gain some grounding in the history, philosophy or scope of the discipline of geography and in the principles of environmental impact assessment</li> </ul>																															
<b>Structure &amp; Available Subjects:</b>	The program is comprised of a 75 point research subject (a combination of 2 subjects worth 25 + 50 points; or 2 x 37.5 points), a core coursework subject (GEOG40003 - Advancing Geography and Environmental Studies) and a 12.5 point selective coursework subject.																															
<b>Subject Options:</b>	<p><b>Core subjects</b> Students are required to complete a 75-point core research project by enrolling in a combination of the Geography - Environmental Studies Thesis subjects to make up these credit points</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>GEOG40002 Geography - Environmental Studies Thesis</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>GEOG40007 Geography - Environmental Studies Thesis</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>37.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>GEOG40008 Geography - Environmental Studies Thesis</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Core coursework subject</b> Students must complete:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>GEOG40003 Advancing Geography &amp; Environmental Stud</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Selective coursework subjects</b> Students are required to complete one of the following subjects:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>NRMT40005 Social Research Methods</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>MAST40001 Research Philosophies and Statistics</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>BIOL90002 Biometry</td> <td>July</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	GEOG40002 Geography - Environmental Studies Thesis	Semester 1, Semester 2	25	GEOG40007 Geography - Environmental Studies Thesis	Semester 1, Semester 2	37.50	GEOG40008 Geography - Environmental Studies Thesis	Semester 1, Semester 2	50	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	GEOG40003 Advancing Geography & Environmental Stud	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	NRMT40005 Social Research Methods	Semester 1	12.50	MAST40001 Research Philosophies and Statistics	Semester 1	12.50	BIOL90002 Biometry	July	12.50
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