Environmental Studies Designated Emphasis Plan

Complete this checklist and return it to the ENVS Graduate Program Coordinator (via email at envsgpc@ucsc.edu) to enroll in the Designated Emphasis.

Name: _______________________________ Email: _______________________________

Major Department: __________________ Major Advisor: __________________

Complete the following checklist to enroll in the ENVS Designated Emphasis.

1. **Major Department:** Discuss with your primary faculty advisor and the graduate program coordinator/advisor your intention to enroll in the ENVS Designated Emphasis (DE). Your home department will be notified of your enrollment in the ENVS DE, and only registered students in good standing will be approved.

2. **Advisor:** An Environmental Studies faculty member is required to act as your DE Faculty Advisor. They will serve on your qualifying examination committee, and on your dissertation reading committee, and will review your coursework plan below.

   ENVS Faculty Advisor Name: ________________________________

3. **Coursework Requirements:** You must complete the following coursework in order to satisfy the requirements for the ENVS DE.
   - ENVS 201A Keywords & Concepts
     - 201A Quarter/Year to be taken or completed: ______________________
   - Two quarters of ENVS 292 Topics in Research in Environmental Studies:
     1. Qtr/Yr to be taken or completed (include instructor name):
        ________________________________
     2. Qtr/Yr to be taken or completed (include instructor name):
        ________________________________
   - Three advanced courses or seminars in ENVS chosen in consultation with your ENVS DE advisor. Environment-related graduate courses taught by ENVS affiliated faculty from other UCSC departments can count towards this requirement, with the approval of the ENVS DE advisor.
     1. Course 1: __________ Qtr/Yr to be taken or completed: __________
     2. Course 2: __________ Qtr/Yr to be taken or completed: __________
     3. Course 3: __________ Qtr/Yr to be taken or completed: __________
4. **Written Component:** You must submit a significant scholarly written component (i.e., a chapter of the dissertation, or a paper submitted for publication) on an appropriate environmental topic.

**Signatures:**
By signing this form, you agree to participate in the Designated Emphasis for Environmental Studies, and ensure your catalog rights by the date signed.

_________________________________________________  _________________  
Student Signature  Date

**ENVS DE Advisor’s Signature:** By signing below, the faculty member has agreed to act as your DE advisor, to participate in your committees, and has reviewed your coursework plan.

_________________________________________________  _________________  
ENVS Advisor Signature  Date

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Upon completion of the Designated Emphasis requirements, submit the Completion Form via email to the ENVS Graduate Coordinator at envsgpc@ucsc.edu.