

# Environmental Studies Designated Emphasis Plan

Complete this checklist and return it to the ENVS Graduate Program Coordinator 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 and 201B :**
    1. 201A Quarter/Year to be taken or completed: \_\_\_\_\_
    2. 201B 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): \_\_\_\_\_
  - **Two advanced courses or seminars** from the following list, 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. Courses may be added to this list in the future.

ENVS 20IN Interdisciplinary Research Design  
ENVS 210 Political Ecological Thought & Environment  
ENVS 220 Conservation Biology  
ENVS 230 Agroecology & Sustainable Agriculture  
ENVS 235 Social Theories of Nature  
ENVS 240 Public Policy & Conservation  
ENVS 247 Regional Approaches to Environmental Policy  
ENVS 260 Economic Institutions & the Environment  
ENVS 263 Plant Disease Ecology  
ENVS 262 Property Rights & the Environment

ENVS 271 Valuing the Environment  
ENVS 280 Qualitative Research Methods  
ENVS 286 Biogeochemistry & the Global Environment  
ENVS 291 Advanced Readings in Environmental Studies  
ENVS 291C Advanced Readings in Risk & Public Policy  
ENVS 291D Advanced Readings in Tropical Ecology, Agriculture, & Development  
ENVS 291M Advanced Readings in Biogeochemistry  
ENVS 291P Advanced Readings in Environmental History & Anthropology

Course 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Qtr/Yr to be taken or completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Course 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Qtr/Yr to be taken or completed: \_\_\_\_\_

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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.

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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.

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ENVS Advisor Signature

Date

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**Upon completion of the Designated Emphasis requirements, bring the Completion Form to the ENVS Graduate Program Coordinator (401 ISB).**