INTEGRATED CONSERVATION ANALYSIS OPTION

This option is offered within the following major(s):

- Natural Resources - College of Forestry (http://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/forestry/forest-ecosystems-society/natural-resources-bs-hbs/)

Students pursuing this option will learn to recognize, understand, analyze and evaluate complex natural resource problems through a cross disciplinary approach. They will contribute to finding solutions to these critical issues by developing depth of knowledge in a disciplinary focus and by preparing to work on cross disciplinary teams. Students will learn to communicate their findings effectively to diverse groups and apply conflict resolution, leadership, and collaboration skills effectively.

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Resource Economics (3-4 credits)

Select one course from the following that is most applicable to the disciplinary focus:

- AEC 351 *NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS AND POLICY
- AEC 352/ECON 352 *ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS AND POLICY
- AEC 454 RURAL DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS AND POLICY
- FOR 329 FOREST RESOURCE ECONOMICS I
- FOR 431 ECONOMICS AND POLICY OF FOREST WILDLAND FIRE
- TRAL 432 ECONOMICS OF RECREATION AND TOURISM

Disciplinary Focus

Select a minimum of 25 credits

Total Credits

* Baccalaureate Core Course (BCC)

Disciplinary Focus

- Students will select an area of study for disciplinary depth from Policy, Social Science/Human Dimensions or an Ecological discipline.
- Students will be required to submit an academic plan for completion of the option which will be approved by the Natural Resources Program Director. The academic plan must include a minimum of 20 upper-division courses.

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