ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE SOCIOLOGY OPTION

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

- Sociology - College of Liberal Arts (http://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/liberal-arts/school-public-policy/sociology-ba-bs-hba-hbs/)

Also available via Ecampus.

The option is designed to provide students with the ability to apply social science concepts and approaches to better understand relationships between societies and their bio-physical environment from a sociological perspective. This option has great relevance for sociology students aspiring to careers in natural resource and environmental policy, planning, management, and education, as well as preparation for advanced/graduate programs related to environmental law and environment/natural resource sociology or policy.

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Elective Courses

Select 13 credits from the following courses:

- FES 485 *CONSENSUS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
- SOC 360 *POPULATION TRENDS AND POLICY
- SOC 454 LEISURE AND CULTURE
- SOC 456 *SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN SOCIAL CONTEXT
- SOC 475 RURAL SOCIOLOGY
- SOC 499 SPECIAL TOPICS (related to community and demography)
- SOC 410 INTERNSHIP

No more than two of the following elective courses can count toward the option:

- ANTH 481 *NATURAL RESOURCES AND COMMUNITY VALUES
- GEOG 430 RESILIENCE-BASED NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
- GEOG 450 LAND USE IN THE AMERICAN WEST
- PHL 440 *ENVIRONMENTAL ETHICS
- PHL 443 *WORLD VIEWS AND ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES
- PS 475 ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICS AND POLICY
- NR 465 NATURAL RESOURCE DECISION MAKING

Total Credits 21

* Baccalaureate Core Course (BCC)

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