Environmental Studies
Short-Term Study Abroad Program

The Environmental Studies short-term study abroad program consists of a series of four courses taken from the breadth of Departments that make up this interdisciplinary field of study and that are involved in studying the environment. Students choose courses from among four areas: i. the Physical Environment, ii. the Natural Environment, iii. Tools & Techniques, and iv. Environmental Law & Policy.

1) The Physical Environment (Choose one from the following)

- GEOG301: Elements of Climatology (3 hrs)
- GEOG302: Climate and Landforms (3 hrs)
- GEOG303: Environmental Geography (3 hrs)
- GEOG311: Resource Conservation (3 hrs)
- GEOG569: Landscape Ecology (3 hrs)
- GEOG570: Soils (3 hrs)
- GEOG571: Approaches to Past Landscapes (3 hrs)
- GEOL361: Environmental Volcanology (3 hrs)
- GEOL362: Stratigraphy and Sedimentation (3 hrs)
- GEOL364: Geomorphic Processes (4 hrs)

2) The Natural Environment (Choose one from the following)

- ANTH341: The Anthropology of Food (3 hrs)
- ANTH370: Historical Archaeology (3 hrs)
- ANTH489: Human Adaptation (3 hrs)
- ANTH510: Biocultural Anthropology (4 hrs)
- ANTH515: Water Management (3-4 hrs)
- BIOL550: Animal Behavior (3 hrs)
- BIOL460: Botany (4 hrs)
- BIOL565: Medical Botany (3 hrs)
- BIOL580: Urban Ecology (3 hrs)
- BIOL691/692: Limnology & Lab (3 & 2 hrs)
- GEOG261: People and Environment: Part I: Ecosystems and Population
- GEOG262: People and Environment: Part II: Food and Water Resources
- GEOG573: The Urban Habitat (3 hrs)
- GEOG587: Natural Hazards: Causes, Patterns, and Mitigation (4 hrs)

3) Tools & Techniques (Choose one from the following)

- BIOL691/692: Limnology & Lab (3 & 2 hrs)
- GEOG574: Principles of Computer Cartography (4 hrs)
- GEOG576: Principles of Remote Sensing (4 hrs)
GEOG580: Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (4 hrs)
GEOG581: GIS Modeling and Environmental Applications
GEOG585: Geographic Methods: Quantitative Techniques (4 hrs)
GEOG592: Digital Terrain and Watershed Analysis (4 hrs)

4) Environmental Law & Policy

EVST/POL602: Global Biodiversity Law & Policy (3 hrs)