# **Environmental Studies (ENST)**

# Department of Geography and Environmental Studies

#### Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

#### ENST 1001 [1.0 credit]

#### Geography and the Environment

Human activity and the physical environment and links between them. Social, economic, cultural, and political forces shaping human activity at scales ranging from local to global. Methods of collecting and interpreting geographic information. (Also listed as GEOG 1001.)

Lectures two hours a week and workshops/discussions one hour a week.

#### ENST 2000 [0.5 credit] (formerly 57.200\*) Nature and Environment

Conceptual and practical approaches to understanding nature and the environment, involving descriptive, analytic, investigative and experiential methods. Through reading, participation, research and writing, students should demonstrate an ability to integrate various approaches to environmental awareness and analysis.

Precludes additional credit for 04.200\*.

Prerequisite: second-year standing in the Environmental Studies program or permission of the Environmental Studies Co-ordinator.

Lectures, seminars and field work three hours a week.

ENST 2900 [0.5 credit] (formerly 57.290\*)

#### Intensive Field Course

Training in specific fields of research or practice related to careers in Environmental Studies. Such training could include environmental education, environmental auditing, environmental assessment, or living resource inventories, for example. Specific topics may change from year to year.

Prerequisite: second-year standing or higher in Environmental Studies, and permission of the Environmental Studies Coordinator.

Field work over one or two weeks (36 contact hours).

ENST 3000 [0.5 credit] (formerly 57.300\*)

#### Environmental Studies Colloquium

Interactions among complex natural systems, social values and attitudes and economic, political and legal concerns are explored through invited speakers from various disciplines and agencies addressing specific environmental issues. Precludes additional credit for 04.300\*.

Prerequisite: third-year standing in Environmental Studies or permission of the Environmental Studies Co-ordinator.

# ENST 4000 [0.5 credit] (formerly 57.400\*)

## **Environmental Studies Seminar**

How societal institutions respond to environmental concerns, how various stakeholders understand the environment and how environmental priorities may be implemented in social, political and economic decision-making. Interdisciplinary case studies are used.

Precludes additional credit for 04.400\*.

Prerequisite: registration is restricted to students eligible for fourth-year standing in the B.A. (Environmental Studies) Honours program.

# ENST 4001 [0.5 credit] (formerly 57.401\*)

# Environmental Studies Practicum I

External agency setting provides the basis for translating academic training into practical involvement with environmental issues. Final report which integrates the placement experience with the student's background knowledge is required. Graded Sat/Uns.

Precludes additional credit for 04.401\*

Prerequisite: registration is restricted to students eligible for fourth-year standing in the B.A. (Environmental Studies) Honours program, and permission of the Environmental Studies Co-ordinator.

#### ENST 4002 [0.5 credit] (formerly 57.402\*) Environmental Studies Practicum II

External agency setting provides the basis for translating academic training into practical involvement with environmental issues. A final report integrating the placement experience with the student's background knowledge is required. Graded Sat/Uns.

Precludes additional credit for 04.402\*.

Prerequisite: Restricted to students in the Fourth-year of the Environmental Studies Honours program, and permission of the Environmental Studies Co-ordinator.

ENST 4907 [1.0 credit] (formerly 57.497)

# Honours Essay in Environmental Studies

Interdisciplinary research essay on an environmental issue, carried out in consultation with a faculty supervisor. The student must consult with the Environmental Studies Coordinator in selecting a project and a supervisor. Precludes additional credit for 04.497\*.

Prerequisite: registration is restricted to students eligible for fourth-year standing in the B.A. (Environmental Studies) Honours program.