Advising Course Plan -Environmental Studies Major 2-Year Plan

This advising plan shows an example of working through the requirements for the major in two years. It is appropriate for students who have already completed sixteen units of coursework with many of the General Education requirements satisfied by that earlier coursework. The student's individual academic plan will be developed in consultation with an adviser and reviewed each semester prior to registering for the next semester. This plan assumes that the student has earned the equivalent of Introduction to Environmental Science and Studies (ENSS 140V) prior to the first semester shown in the plan. Students who have completed less than 16 units, have a substantial number of General Education requirements yet to satisfy, or who have not completed the courses just listed may not be able to complete the degree in two years.

Courses for the major that should be completed prior to the first semester of this plan: Introduction to Environmental Science and Studies (ENSS 140V)

First Year		
Fall		Units
ENSS 141P	Environmental Science: Methods and Practice	1
ENSS 218	Environmental Law Policy	1
or 319	Water Policy	
ENSS 201	Introduction to Maps and Geographic Information Systems	1
Major Elective - Natural Science ¹		1
	Term Units	4
Spring		
ENSS 497	Research Proposal	0.5
MATH 125Q, ENSS 345Q,	Introduction to Mathematical and Statistical Modeling	1
or BIOL 243Q	Statistics for Environmental Professionals	
	Biostatistics	
Major Elective - Natural Science ¹		1
Major Elective - Social Science, Policy, or Planning ²		1
	Term Units	3.5
Second Year		
Fall		
ENSS 498	Senior Research Project	1
Major Elective - Natural Science ¹		1
Major Elective - Social Science, Policy, or Planning ²		1
General Education Requirement or Elective		1
	Term Units	4
Spring		
ENSS 499	Senior Seminar	0.5
ENSS 219	Ethics for Environmental Professionals	1
or PHIL 317V	Environmental Ethics	
Major Elective - Social Science, Policy, or Planning ²		1
General Education REquirement or Elective		1
	Term Units	3.5

Total Unit: 15

¹ One of two Major Elective courses in Natural Science (at least

² One of three Major Elective courses in Social Science and Policy (at least one must be ENSS and at least one must be non-

ENSS 204S, ENSS 310V, ENSS 313, ENSS 314, ENSS 315V, ENSS 316V, EN

one must be ENSS) BIOL 112P, CHEM 111P, PHYS 113P, CHEM 141P, BIOL 142P, PHYS 121P, BIOL 244, ENSS 230, ENSS 302, ENSS 312, ENSS 330, ENSS 331, ENSS 335,