

Economics Environmental Science Track

This track of courses is designed for students who want to couple their training in economics with additional studies in environmental science. Ideally, students in this track would complement their economics or agricultural business major with a minor concentration in the physical sciences. A dual major is also a good option.

Complementary Minors	Complementary Majors
Natural Resources and Rangeland Ecology Soil Science Water Resources	Biological Sciences Earth Sciences Environmental Sciences Land Resource Sciences

Economics Electives

In addition to the economics core undergraduate courses (ECNS 101*, 202*, 204*, 301, 303, and 432), students interested in the environmental economics track should also take the following electives:

ECNS 332: Economics of Natural Resources
ECNS 317: Economic Development
ECNS 320: Public Finance
AGEC 451: Economics of Agricultural Policy
ECNS 403: Introduction to Econometrics

* ECNS 251 can be substituted for ECNS 101, 202, and 204.

Social Science Electives

The economics major requires that 6 social science credits be taken outside the AGECE/ECNS course offerings. Social science electives suited to the environmental economics track include:

PSCI 210: Introduction to American Government
PSCI 408: Environmental Politics (PREQ: PSCI 210)
PSCI 362: Natural Resource Policy (PREQ: PSCI 200, PSCI 210, PSCI 260)

CORE COURSES

Students on environmental economics track are encouraged to select their University CORE courses to fit with the track.

Natural Science Electives

Natural science electives well suited to the environmental economics track include:

LRES210 IN: Soil Resource
GEO 101 IN: Introduction to Physical Geology

Contemporary Issues in Science

Contemporary issues science electives well suited to the environmental economics track include:

BIOL 103 CS: Environmental Science and Society
CHBE 250 CS: Energy and Sustainability
GEO 103 CS: Introduction to Environmental Geology
LRES 244 CS: Introduction to Water Resources
PSPP 102 CS: Plant Sciences, Resources, and the Environment

Humanities

Humanities electives well suited to the environmental economics track include:

RELS 223 IH: Nature and Culture
HSTR 208 RH: Science, Environment, Technology, Society: Common Experience

Diversity

Diversity electives well suited to the environmental economics track include:

GPHY 121 D: Human Geography
PSCI 230 D: Introduction to International Relations

Arts

Arts electives suited to the environmental economics track include:

MTA 103 RA: Understanding Photography
MTA 112 IA: Exploring digital Photography