

Earth, Environmental, and Planetary Sciences

Minors

Requirements for All Minors

Students pursuing any Earth, environmental, and planetary sciences minor must complete the following course:

Code	Title	Units
EEPS 202	Introduction to Earth, Environmental, and Planetary Science	3

The Minor in Earth Science

Students must complete all of the requirements listed above for all minors as well as the following:

Disciplinary Requirements

Students must complete the following two courses:

Code	Title	Units
EEPS 340	Minerals, Rocks, Resources and the Environment	4
EEPS 353	Earth Forces	4

Disciplinary Electives

Students select two of the following courses:

Code	Title	Units
EEPS 317	Soil Science	3
EEPS 323	Biogeochemistry	3
EEPS 385	Earth History	3
EEPS 386	The Earth's Climate System	3
EEPS 401	Earth Systems Science	3
EEPS 407	Remote Sensing	3
EEPS 409	Surface Processes	3
EEPS 422	Sedimentary Geology	3
EEPS 428	Hydrology	3
EEPS 437	Igneous & Metamorphic Petrology	4
EEPS 441	Introduction to Geochemistry	3
EEPS 452	Introduction to Seismology	3
EEPS 453	Interior of the Earth	3
EEPS 459	Geodynamics	3
EEPS 460	Introduction to Structural Geology	4
EEPS 486	Paleoclimatology	3

The Minor in Environmental Science

Students must complete all of the requirements listed above for all minors as well as the following:

Disciplinary Requirements

Students must complete the following two courses:

Code	Title	Units
EEPS 340	Minerals, Rocks, Resources and the Environment	4
or EEPS 353	Earth Forces	
EEPS 342	Environmental Systems	3

Disciplinary Electives

Students select two of the following courses:

Code	Title	Units
Biol 381	Introduction to Ecology	3
Econ 451	Environmental Policy	3
or Pol Sci 2010	Introduction to Environmental Policy	
EECE 101	Introduction to Energy, Environmental and Chemical Engineering	3
EEPS 308	Topics in Environmental Sustainability	3
EEPS 317	Soil Science	3
EEPS 323	Biogeochemistry	3
EEPS 386	The Earth's Climate System	3
EEPS 407	Remote Sensing	3
EEPS 409	Surface Processes	3
EEPS 428	Hydrology	3
EEPS 442	Aqueous Geochemistry	3
EEPS 454	Exploration and Environmental Geophysics	4
EEPS 486	Paleoclimatology	3

The Minor in Planetary Science

Students must complete all of the requirements listed above for all minors as well as the following:

Disciplinary Requirements

Students must complete the following two courses:

Code	Title	Units
EEPS 340	Minerals, Rocks, Resources and the Environment	4
EEPS 353	Earth Forces	4

Disciplinary Electives

Students select two of the following courses:

Code	Title	Units
EEPS 401	Earth Systems Science	3
EEPS 407	Remote Sensing	3
EEPS 437	Igneous & Metamorphic Petrology	4
EEPS 441	Introduction to Geochemistry	3
EEPS 459	Geodynamics	3
EEPS 460	Introduction to Structural Geology	4
EEPS 467	Planetary Mission Design	3
EEPS 473	Planetary Geology	3
EEPS 474	Planetary Geochemistry	3
EEPS 567	Planetary Materials	3
EEPS 568	Scientific Exploration of the Moon	3
EEPS 570	Planetary Geophysics & Dynamics	3
EEPS 576	Advanced Planetary Geology: Ice Worlds	3

* Previous or concurrent enrollment in CSE 131 Introduction to Computer Science is recommended.

The Minor in Geospatial Science

Students must complete all of the requirements listed above for all minors as well as the following:

Disciplinary Requirements

Students must complete the following two courses:

Code	Title	Units
EEPS 387	Geospatial Science	4
or EEPS 587	Geospatial Science	
EnSt 380	Applications in GIS	3

Disciplinary Electives

Students select three of the following courses:

Code	Title	Units
Anthro 4803	Advanced GIS Modeling and Landscape Analysis	3
CSE 217A	Introduction to Data Science	3
CSE 314A	Data Manipulation and Management	3
CSE 417T	Introduction to Machine Learning	3
EEPS 407	Remote Sensing	3
EEPS 468	Geospatial Field Methods	3
EnSt 481	Advanced GIS	3
EnSt 482	Applications in Geospatial Intelligence	3
EnSt 483	Introduction to Spatial Epidemiology	3
ESE 417	Introduction to Machine Learning and Pattern Classification	3