Requirements
The minor in Sustainability Studies requires the successful completion of 21 credit hours: 12 hours of required core courses, SUST 134, 334, 434, and 499, and 9 remaining hours taken from three groups of electives. In the capstone independent study project, students apply lessons from the sustainability minor in the context of the major discipline or other arena. Students are advised in the selection of a faculty mentor who oversees the project.

Electives
Select one (1) elective from each of three Areas of Focus:
- Environmental Protection
- Social Equity, and
- Economic Vitality, Politics and Policy.

Courses from (UNIV), the Research Service Learning Program (RSLP), and the University Honors Program (UHON) may be substituted as electives with approval of the SUST Director. Specific listings are available each semester.

Core Requirements for the Minor
Please note that it typically takes 4 to 5 semesters in order to complete the minor in Sustainability.

- 134. Creating a Sustainable Future: Introduction to Environmental, Social, and Economic Health
  Fall and Spring (3)
- 334. Sustainability Practicum to Benefit the Campus or the Community / Skills Course
  Fall & Spring (3)
  Prerequisite: SUST134 with a passing grade of C or better.
  ***Students may take SUST 334 or SUST 364 towards the minor***
- 364. Growers’ Market Practicum
  Spring (3)
  Prerequisite: SUST134 with a passing grade of C or better.
- 434. Synthesis of Sustainability Perspectives and Innovations
  Fall & Spring (3)
  Prerequisite: 134 with a passing grade of C or better.
  (ECON prerequisite has been eliminated beginning Spring 2011)
- 499. Sustainability Independent Capstone Project as Research or Creative Expression
  Fall & Spring (First semester = 1 credit; second semester = 2 credits; for a TOTAL of 3 credits)
  Apply lessons from the sustainability minor in the context of the major discipline or other arena, supported by a mentor. Students select thesis research (section 1) or multimedia expression (section 2) option.
  Prerequisite: SUST434
## AREAS OF FOCUS (Electives)

### Environmental Protection (choose one)

- ANTH 160 Human Life Course
- ANTH 364 Topics: Human Evolution
- BIOL 300 Evolution
- BIOL 310L Principles of Ecology + Lab
- BIOL 379 Conservation Biology
- BIOL 490 Biology Infectious Organisms
- CRP 181 Introduction to Environmental Problems
- CRP 427 Watershed Management
- ECON 203 Society & the Environment
- EPS 101 How the Earth Works
- EPS 352 Global Climate Change
- GEOG 195 Human Role in Changing Face of the Earth
- GEOG 463 Public Land Management
- GEOG 464 Food and Natural Resources
- HIST 300 Topics: Environmental History
- SUST 402* Climate Change and Sustainability (Fall 2013)

### Social Equity (choose one)

- AMST 182 Introduction to Environment, Science & Technology
- AMST 285 American Life & Thought: Food in the Southwest
- AMST 309 Social Justice & Community Engagement
- ANTH 339 Human Rights in Anthropology
- ANTH 365 Anthropology of Health
- ARCH 342 Human Factors in Design
- ARTS 429 Undergraduate Topics in Studio Art (Art & Ecology)
- ARTS 441 Computational Sustainability
- CCS 393 Chicano, Hispano, Mexican Studies
- CJ 221 Interpersonal Communication
- CJ 314 Intercultural Communication
- CJ 318 Language, Thought, & Behavior
- CJ 320 Conflict Management & Mediation
- CRP 165 Introduction to Community and Regional Planning
- CRP 265 Community Planning: Concepts and Methods

### Economic Vitality, Politics, and Policy (choose one)

- AMST 285 American Life & Thought: Food in the Southwest
- ARCH 241 Sustainability I
- BIOL 379 Conservation Biology
- CJ 339 Rhetoric and the Environment
- CRP 181 Introduction to Environmental Problems
- CRP 427 Watershed Management
- ECON 105 Introductory Macroeconomics
- ECON 106 Introductory Microeconomics
- ECON 342 Environmental Economics
- ECON 343 Natural Resource Economics
- GEOG 352 Global Climate Change
- GEOG 363 Economic Geography
- GEOG 364 Food and Natural Resources
- GEOG 463 Public Land Management
- POLS 200 American Politics
- POLS 220 Comparative Politics
- POLS 240 International Politics
- POLS 376 Health Policy & Politics
- POLS 377 Population Policy and Politics
- POLS 443 International Politics of Climate Change
- POLS 475 Environmental Politics
- SUST 402* Climate Change and Sustainability

### Courses offered in the University Honors program as appropriate by topic and recommended by the UHP Curriculum Committee.

- RSLP as appropriate and specified in the schedule of classes.
- FLC as appropriate and specified in the annual FLC Guide.

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