Requirements
The minor in Sustainability Studies requires the successful completion of 21 credit hours: 12 hours of required core courses, SUST 1134, or 334, or 364, or and 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
- Economic Vitality, Politics and Policy

Courses from (UNIV) 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.

1134. Introduction to Sustainability Studies
Fall and Spring (3)

***Students may take SUST 334 or SUST 364 or 384 towards the minor***

334. Environmental Justice Practicum
Fall & Spring (3)
Prerequisite: SUST1134* with a passing grade of C or better.

364. Local Food Systems Practicum
Spring (3)
Prerequisite: SUST1134 with a passing grade of C or better

384* Heritage Farming Practicum
Offered Summer 2021 (3)
Prerequisite: SUST1134 with a passing grade of C or better

434. Synthesis of Sustainability Perspectives and Innovations
Fall & Spring (3)
Prerequisite: 1134 with a passing grade of C or better.

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 1170 Human Life Course
- ANTH 364 Topics: Human Evolutionary Ecology
- ARTS 429/529 Species, Space, and the Politics of Survival
- BIOL 300 Evolution
- BIOL 310/310L Principles of Ecology + Lab
- BIOL 379 Conservation Biology
- BIOL 490 Biology Infectious Organisms
- CRP 181 Environmental Issues in a Changing World
- CRP 427 Watershed Management
- ECON 2125 Society & Environment
- ENVs 1130 The Blue Planet
- ENVs 330 Environmental Systems
- EPS 352 Global Climate Change
- EPS 481L Geomorphology and Surficial Geology + Lab
- EPS 485L Soil Stratigraphy and Morphology
- GEOG 1160 Home Planet: Land, Water & Life
- GEOG 352 Global Climate Change
- GEOG 464 Food and Natural Resources
- GEOL 1110 Physical Geology
- LA 335 Site Environment
- LA 458 Plant Materials
- NATV 1150 Introduction to Native American Studies
- PHIL 341 Aldo Leopold and the Land Ethic
- PHIL 363 Environmental Ethics
- SUST 402* Climate Change and Sustainability
- SUST *418 Nuclear NM: Environmental & Social Impacts
- UHON 301 - 302
- Courses offered in the University Honor Program as appropriate by topic and recommended by the UHP Curriculum Committee.

### Social Equity (choose one)

- AMST 1110 Introduction to Environmental and Social Justice
- AMST 2110 American Life & Thought
- AMST 309 Topics: Social Movements
- ANTH 339 Human Rights in Anthropology
- ARTS 429 Undergraduate Topics in Studio Art (Art & Ecology)
- ARTS 441 Art & Ecology Computational Sustainability
- CCS 393 Topics in Chicano Hispanic Mexicano Studies
- CCST 1110 Introduction to Comparative & Ethnic Societies
- CELR 410 Topics: Lobo Gardens Community-Based Research
- CJ 314 Intercultural Communication
- CJ 318 Language, Thought, & Behavior
- CJ 320 Conflict Management & Mediation
- CJ 339 Rhetoric and the Environment
- COMM 2120 Interpersonal Communication
- CRP 165 Social Issues in Urban & Regional Development
- CRP 265 Sustainable Community Planning Methods
- CRP 473 Planning on Native American Lands
- CRP 474/574 Cultural Aspects of Community Development
- HIST 300 Studies in History
- MGMT 308 Ethical, Political and Social Environment
- NATV *436 Environmental Ethics and Justice in Native America
- PHIL 363 Environmental Ethics
- SOC 305 Environmental Sociology
- SOCI 2120 Introduction to Criminal Justice System
- SOCI 2340 Global Issues
- SOCI 308 Sociology of Gender (WMST 308)
- SOCI 331 Social Movements
- SOCI 398 Topic: Community Organizing: Theory and Practice
- SUST *418 Nuclear New Mexico: Environmental and Social Impacts
- UHON 301 - 302
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### Economic Vitality, Politics, and Policy (choose one)

- AMST 320 Topics: Environmental & Social Justice
- BIOL 379 Conservation Biology
- CCST 1110 Introduction to Comparative & Ethnic Societies
- CJ 313 Eco-cultural Communication: Humans, Culture & “The Environment”
- CRP 470 Seminar: Ecotourism & Community Development
- CRP 471 Microeconomic Principles
- ECON 2120 Macroeconomic Principles
- ECON 342 Environmental Economics
- ECON *343 Natural Resource Economics
- GEOG 1150 Introduction to Environmental Studies
- GEOG **360 Land Use Management
- GEOG 461 Environmental Management
- GEOG 462 Water Governance
- GEOG 463 Public Land Management
- GEOG 464 Food and Natural Resources
- GNDR 2110 Intro. to Women, Gender, & Sexuality Studies
- HIST 433 U.S. Environmental History
- MGMT 308 Ethical, Political and Social Environment
- POLS 1120 American National Government
- POLS 2110 Comparative Politics
- POLS 2120 International Relations
- POLS 2130 Political Ideas: Introduction to Political Theory
- POLS 2150 Public Policy and Administration
- POLS 376 Health Policy & Politics
- POLS 377 Population Policy and Politics
- POLS 443 International Politics of Climate Change
- SUST 402* Climate Change and Sustainability
- UHON 301 - 302
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