



Student Name: _____

Mentor: _____

University Requirements

Objectives:

A list of courses for each Objective may be found at <http://www.arc.wvu.edu/courses/GEC.html>.

List course number and semester completed in the blanks.

1. **Communication** (9 credits)

(English 101) _____

(English 102) _____

Writing (W) Course _____

2. **Basic Math and Science** (13-15 credits)

(Group A: 3 credit) _____

(Group B: 3 credit) _____

(Group B Lab Course: 4 credit) _____

(Group A, B, or C: 3-4 credit) _____

3. **The Past and Its Traditions** (3 credits)

4. **Contemporary Society** (3 - 4 credits)

5. **Artistic Expression** (3 credits)

6. **The Individual in Society** (4 credits)

(UNIV 101: 1 credit.) _____

(3 credits) _____

7. **American Culture** (3 credits)

8. **Western Culture** (3 credits)

9. **Non-western Culture** (3 credits)

General Education Curriculum (GEC) Policies

1. Minimum number of GEC credits - 41; maximum number - 43.

2. Total number of credits satisfying Objectives 2 - 9 that may be taken in the major field - 9.

3. Maximum number of courses taken in one discipline outside the major to fulfill GEC - 2.

4. Maximum number of Objectives to be satisfied by one course - 1 (Note: while most courses will satisfy two Objectives, the student will choose which of those Objectives that course will satisfy. In the interest of promoting a breadth of study, no course may satisfy more than one Objective.)

5. Courses satisfying Objectives 2 - 9 may also satisfy a course requirement for the major.

Eberly College of Arts and Sciences Requirement

1. **12 Hours Foreign Language** (all must be same language)

Geography Program Requirements

Thirty-three (33) geography hours are needed for graduation.

Forty-two hours (42) of geography, or any other university subject, is the maximum applicable toward the one-hundred twenty-eight (128) total hours needed for graduation. Geog 199 and Geog 491 courses are not counted against the maximum hours in Geography.

1. **Foundation Courses** (14-15 hours)

GEOG 199 Orientation (1hr) _____

GEOG 102 World Regions (3hrs) _____

GEOG 106 & 107 Physical (4hrs) _____

GEOG 108 Human (3hrs) _____

*GEOG 150 Digital Earth (3-4 hrs) _____

*Majors declared before Fall 2009 may take GEOG 240

2. **Elective Courses** (Select ONE)

GEOG 205 Nat. Resources (3hrs) _____

GEOG 209 Economic (3hrs) _____

GEOG 210 Urban (3hrs) _____

**GEOG 240 US & Canada (3hrs) _____

**Majors declared before Fall 2009 may take GEOG 150

3. **Methods** (3-4 hrs) (Select ONE)

GEOG 350 Intro GISci (4hrs) _____

GEOG 407 Env. Field Geog (3hrs) _____

GEOG 455 Remote Sensing (4hrs) _____

GEOG 462 Dig. Cartography (3hrs) _____

4. **General Geography Electives** (9-10 hrs)

GEOG _____ (3-4hrs) _____

GEOG _____ (3-4hrs) _____

GEOG _____ (3-4hrs) _____

5. **Capstone**

GEOG 496 Senior Thesis (3hrs) _____

Note: GEOG 496 is offered in FALL only.

Note: Senior Thesis should be taken AFTER completion of other requirements or the last **fall semester** at WVU. Geography majors with a 3.5 or greater GPA may substitute GEOG 491, GEOG 495 or GEOG 499 for Capstone credit with approval of the student's advisor and the Geography Undergraduate Committee.