

Minor in Global Sustainability approved elective courses: J-TERM + SPRING 2024

The elective list is updated each semester with new courses. The last semester a course was taught is in parenthesis. **Bolded courses are offered in J-term 2024 or Spring 2024.** Students may petition for approval to use a non-listed course to fulfill an elective requirement. (10/15/23).

Environment:

AAS 3500 (12800): Race, Class, Politics & the Environment (Fall 22) Fields (AAS 2559 (19388) in S21)
AAS 3500-004 (18944): Africulture: The African Roots of US Agriculture (Spring 24) Shutt
ANTH 2160: Culture and the Environment (Spring 24) Weston
ANTH 2285: Anthropology of Development & Humanitarianism (Spring 24) Fontanilla
ANTH 2559 (18724): Water Worlds: The Anthropology of Water (Fall 23) Farmer
ANTH 2589: Archaeology and the Politics of Sustainability (Fall 22) Alconini
ARCH 5500-003 (20384): Rapid Shelter Displaced People (Spring 24) Mark
ARCH 5500 (10110): Biomaterial Building (J-term 23) MacDonald, Schumann (ARCH 3500 (10069) in J-term 22)
ARH 3608: Historic Preservation Theory and Practice (Fall 23) Johnston
ARTH 3863: East Asian Art, Landscape & Ecology (Spring 24) Wong
BIOL 3020: Evolution and Ecology (Spring 24) Brodie, Cox
BIOL 3180: Introduction to Plants and Society (Spring 24) Timko
BIOL 3450: Biodiversity and Conservation (Fall 23) Manson
BIOL 4130: Population Ecology & Conservation Biology (Fall 23) Manson
CE 2100: Introduction to Environmental Engineering (Spring 24) Culver
CE 2500-001 (19464): Sustainability Science (Spring 24) Peterson
CE 3050: Introduction to Green Engineering (Fall 23) Clarens
CE 3100: Water for the World (Spring 24) Smith
CE 3120: Solid Waste Management (Spring 24) Burden
CE 3220: Water Resources Engineering (Spring 24) Band
CE 4040: Sustainability & Systems in the Built Environment (Spring 24) Klotz
CE 4210: Stormwater Management (Fall 23) Culver
ENGL 2508 (19253): American Environmental Fictions (Fall 23) Kuhn
ENGL 3540-002 (19838): Plants and Empire (Spring 24) Kuhn
ENGL 3570 (18136): American Wild (Fall 22) Cushman
EVSC 2220: Conservation Ecology: Biodiversity and Beyond (Fall 23) Lerdau
EVSC 2559-001 (20447): Narratives of Environmental Justice (Spring 24) Pusede
EVSC 2559 (19889): AgroEcology (Spring 23) Lerdau
EVSC 3200: Fundamentals of Ecology (Spring 24) Lerdau
EVSC 4050: Topics in Oceanography (J-term 24 + Spring 24) Macko
EVSC 4250: Ecosystem Ecology (Fall 22) Pace
EVSC 4380: Air Pollution Environmental Justice (Fall 23) tbd (EVSC 4559-002 (19125) in S21)
EVSC 4490: Air Pollution (Spring 24) Pusede
EVSC 4640: Water Resources in a Changing World (Spring 24) Band
EVSC 4991: The Theory & Practice of Biodiversity Conservation (Spring 24) Castorani, Doney, Epstein
GDS 3114: Science, Technology and Development (Spring 24) Edmunds
GSGS 3530/ARCH 3550: UVA in India: Urban Transformations: Exploring Sustainability (J-term 24) Crisman
GSGS 3559 (18781): Space, Place and Global Development (Fall 23) Edmunds
GSGS 3559-002 (19711): Savage South: Culture, Migration and Disruption (Spring 24) Vonk
GSGS 3559-003 (19711): Indigenous Technologies and Climate Change (Spring 24) Garcia
GSVS 2050: Sustainable Energy Systems (Spring 24) Groves
GSVS 3150: Sustainability Leadership from the Grounds Up (Spring 24) Hogan
GSVS 3210: The Global Context of Clean Energy Materials (Spring 23) Groves (GSVS 2559 (20169) in S21)
GSVS 3310: Sustainability Policy at Home & Abroad (Fall 23) Phillips (GSVS 3559 (18867) in Fall 21)
GSVS 4100: Evidence for (Sustainability) Policy (Fall 23) Phillips (GSVS 4559 (18871) in F21)
GSVS 4559 (18454): GIS for Global Sustainability (Fall 22) Phillips
GSVS 4559/ARCH 5500: Greek Odyssey in the Anthropocene (Summer 24) Crisman, Petrus
HIAF 3112: African Environmental History (Fall 23) La Fleur
HIME 3559 (18148) Environmental Histories of the Mediterranean (Fall 22) Gratien

HIST 2152: Climate History (Fall 23) Gratien
ITTR 4010: Narrating (Un)-sustainability: Ecocritical Explorations in Italy & the Med (Fall 22) Cesaretti
LAR 5452/PLAN 5452: Healthy Cities (Spring 24) Roe
MDST 3559 (18316): Advertising & Consumer Culture (Spring 23) Williams
MESA 3110: Sustainable Environments Middle East & South Asia (Fall 22) Farmer
MUSI 3400: Eco-Acoustics (Spring 24) Burtner
PHS 3620: Built Environment & Health Impact (Fall 23) Somers
PLAC 5240: Collaborative Planning for Sustainability (Fall 23) Dukes
PLAC 5500-002 (19646): Plant Cultures and Ecologies (Spring 24) Jafari
PLAC 5800/LAR 5290: Green Infrastructure: Cities (Fall 23) Firehock
PLAC 5860/LAR 5280: Green Infrastructure: Sites (Spring 24) Firehock
PLAC 5863: Climate Adaptation Planning (Fall 22) Wilson
PLAN 3011: Race and the American City (Fall 23) Sewell
PLAN 3040: Metropolis (Spring 24) Sewell
PLAN 3860: Cities and Nature (Spring 24) Beatley
PLAN 5500 (10256): Biophilic Cities Research Seminar (Fall 22) Beatley
PLAN 5500-001 (14386): Planning for Coastal Resilience (Spring 24) Beatley
PLAN 5580-004 (19319): Sustainable & Equitable Transportation 1 (Spring 24) de Campos Lopes
PLAN 5580-005 (19320): Sustainable & Equitable Transportation 2 (Spring 24) de Campos Lopes
PLAN 5580-006 (20215): Bicycle & Pedestrian Planning (Spring 24) Poncy
PLAN 5600: Land Use and Growth Management (Spring 23) Juday
PLAN 5621: Informal Urbanism (Fall 23) Guerra (PLAN 5500 (10277) in Fall 22)

Equity:

AAS 3500 (12917): Race, Ethnicity, and Health in the US (Fall 23) Richardson
AAS 3500 (19320): Environmental Justice across the Globe (Spring 23) Fields
AAS 3810: Race, Culture & Inequality (Spring 24) Pendergrass
AMST 3559-002 (19874): Latinx and Indigenous Environmentalism (Spring 24) Azua
ANTH 3100: Indigenous Landscapes (Spring 24) Igoe
ANTH 3280: Intro to Native American Studies: (Mis)Representations (Fall 22) Jernigan
EVSC 2559 (19158): Environmental and Climate Justice (Fall 23) Nyelele
GDS 3113: A Buddhist Approach to Development (Fall 23) Maxwell
GSGS 2400: Mass Migration and Global Development (Spring 24) Vonk (GSGS 2559 in Fall 23)
GSGS 2559 (10136): Border Hackers: breaking through national, political & personal borders (J-term 24) Vonk
GSGS 3559-004 (20177): Eco-Cinema in the Global South (Spring 24) Vargas Rodriguez
GSGS 4100: Global Activism for Social Justice (Fall 23) Edmunds (GSGS 4995 in F20)
GSGS 4559: Journalism and Social Inequality (Fall 23) Vonk
GSSJ 3559 (19580): Law, Justice & Sustainable Development (Spring 23) Ngo
GSSJ 3559: Migration and Social Movements in the Americas (Fall 23) Vonk
GSVS 3110: Sustainable Communities (Summer 23) Farmer (ARCH 3500 in Summer 22 Crisman)
MUSI 3570: Curating Sound: Art, Ethnography and Practice (Fall 22) Lobley
PHIL 2652: Animal Minds & Animal Ethics (Fall 23) Ott
PLAD 2500 (18854): Politics, Poverty and Health (Spring 24) Gershon
PLAN 3810: Climate Justice in Cities (Spring 24) Wilson
PLAN 3811: Gender & Built Environment (Fall 23) Sewell
PLAN 3813: Community-Engaged Methods (Fall 22) Wilson
PLAN 3840: Ethics of Cities & Environment (Fall 23) Beatley
PLAN 5500 (20091): Cities and Democracy (Spring 23) Lawrence
PLAN 5500 (19604): Inclusive Cities (Fall 22) Guerra
PLCP 4500-001 (11698): Inequalities: Causes and Consequences (Spring 24) Fatton
PLCP 4500-002 (12216): Power, Violence & Inequality in the Global South (Spring 24) Walsh
PLCP 4500 (11945): Democracy and Inequality (Spring 23) Schoppa
RELC 3155: Christianity and Ecology (Spring 23) Rose
RELG 2210: Religion, Ethics & Global Environments (Spring 24) Jenkins
RELG 3416: Sustainability & Asceticism (Spring 23) Allen
RELH 3105: Hinduism and Ecology (Fall 22) Allen

RELH 3559-001 (10165): Indian Philosophy and the Search for Self (J-term 24) Allen

SOC 3460: Future Cities (Fall 23) Makarova (SOC 3559 (19592) in S21)

SOC 3470: Sociology of Development (Spring 23) Jeon

SOC 3820: Social Movements (Fall 22) Slez

SOC 4140: Sociology of Consumption (Spring 24) Makarova

SOC 4559 (18816): The American Dream and Its Limits (Fall 22) Vickerman

Economy and Policy:

AAS 3853: From Redlined to Subprime: Race & Real Estate in the US (Fall 23) Kahrl

ANTH 3290: Biopolitics & the Contemporary Condition (Spring 24) Zigon

COMM 4821: Managing Sustainable Development (Spring 24) White

COMM 4822: Invest in a Sustainable Future (Spring 24) White

ECON 3430: Economics of Sustainability & the Environment (Fall 23) Shobe

ECON 4430: Environmental Economics (Spring 24) Sekhri

ECON 4559 (20218): Economics of Climate Change (Fall 23) Sekhri

GSGS 3330: Ecological Economics (Spring 24) Phillips (GSGS 3559-001 (20342) in Spring 2023)

GSGS 3559 (19001): Dot Orgs: Getting Results in the Real World (Fall 23) Phillips

GSGS 3559-001 (19710): Understanding the "New Silk Roads" (Spring 24) Safdar

GSGS 4150: State, Society & Development (Spring 24) Kruks-Wisner

GSGS 4200: Applied Research in Global Studies (Spring 24) Edmunds, Vonk

GSVS 2050: Sustainable Energy Systems (Spring 24) Groves

GSVS 3310: Sustainability Policy at Home & Abroad (Fall 23) Phillips

GSVS 4020: Ecosystem Services: How Nature Benefits People (Spring 24) Phillips

GSVS 4100: Evidence for (Sustainability) Policy (Fall 23) Phillips (GSVS 4559 (18871) in F21)

GSVS 4559/COMM 4579: UVA in Germany & Switzerland: Investing in a Sustainable Future (J-term 24) White

GSVS 4559: UVA in Vietnam: Hanoi's Hong River: Development, Climate & Rights to the City (Su 24) Phillips/Ngo

GSVS 4810: UVA J-term in Vietnam: An Ecological-Economic Exploration (J-term 24) Phillips/Ngo

LPPP 3500-001 (10163): Impact Investing in Action: Appalachia (J-term 24) Randolph

LPPP 4210: Integrating Ethics in Public Policy (Spring 23) Campanelli

LPPS 3295: Global Humanitarian Crises Response (Spring 24) Gelsdorf

PHS 3825: Global Public Health: Challenges and Innovations (Spring 24) Colvin

PLAN 3050: Planning Methods (Spring 24) Cockrell

PLAN 3060: Law, Land and the Environment (Spring 24) O'Neill

PLAN 5230: Design Dimensions of Real Estate (Spring 24) Petrus

PLAN 5300: Preservation Planning (Spring 23) Keller

PLAN 5500 (19604): Inclusive Cities (Fall 22) Guerra

PLAN 5740: Transportation Planning and Policy (Fall 23) Mondschein

PLAP 3160: Politics of Food (J-term 24) Freedman

PLCP 3012: The Politics of Developing Areas (Spring 24) Fatton

PLCP 3130: Political Economy of Development (Spring 24) Schwartz

PLCP 4500 (17780): Environmental Politics (Fall 22) Shen

PLCP 4500 (17781): The Politics of Climate Change (Fall 22) Shen

PLCP 4652: Markets, Inequality & the Politics of Development (Spring 24) Echeverri-Gent

SYS 2054/3054: UVA in Sweden: Global Sustainability Consulting, (May-term 23) Bailey

Capstone Elective:

ARCH 4010/4020: Design Studio (studio/thesis project must be approved by GS director for content)

ARCH 5500-003 (20384): Rapid Shelter Displaced People (Spring 24) Mark

ARCH 5500 (10110): Biomaterial Building (J-term 23) MacDonald, Schumann (ARCH 3500 (10069) in J-term 22)

COMM 4821: Managing Sustainable Development (Spring 24) White

COMM 4822: Invest in a Sustainable Future (Spring 24) White

ENGR 4010/4020: Multidisc Design & Develop (project must be approved by GS director for content)

EVSC 4050: Topics in Oceanography (J-term 24 & Spring 24) Macko

EVSC 4250: Ecosystem Ecology (Fall 22) Pace

EVSC 4640: Water Resources in a Changing World (Spring 24) Band

EVSC 4991: The Theory & Practice of Biodiversity Conservation (Spring 24) Castorani, Doney, Epstein
 GSGS 3250: UVA in Morocco: Participatory Development in Practice (Summer 23) Ben-Meir
GSGS 3330: Ecological Economics (Spring 24) Phillips (GSGS 3559-001 (20342) in Spring 2023)
GSGS 3530/ARCH 3550: UVA in India: Urban Transformations: Exploring Sustainability (J-term 24) Crisman
 GSGS 3559 (18781): Space, Place and Global Development (Fall 23) Edmunds
GSGS 3559-002 (19711): Savage South: Culture, Migration and Disruption (Spring 24) Vonk
GSGS 3559-003 (19711): Indigenous Technologies and Climate Change (Spring 24) Garcia
GSGS 4200: Applied Research in Global Studies (Spring 24) Edmunds, Vonk (GSGS 4559-001 (19537)/4559-002 (20558) in Spring 23
 GSVS 2559/ STS 2500: UVA In Lithuania: Sustainable Urban Design Challenges (Summer 23) Groves/Drake
 GSVS 3110: Sustainable Communities (Summer 23) Farmer (ARCH 3500 in Summer 22, Crisman)
GSVS 3150: Sustainability Leadership from the Grounds Up (Spring 24) Hogan
 GSVS 3559 (18682): Systems Thinking/Systems Modeling (Spring 22) Phillips
 GSGS 3559-002 (19001): Dot Orgs: Getting Results in the Real World (Fall 23) Phillips
 GSGS 4559: Journalism and Social Inequality (Fall 23) Vonk
 GSVS 4100: Evidence for (Sustainability) Policy (Fall 23) Phillips (GSVS 4559 (18871) Fall 21)
 GSVS 4559/ARCH 5500: Greek Odyssey in the Anthropocene (Summer 24) Crisman/Petrus
GSVS 4559/COMM 4579: UVA in Germany & Switzerland: Investing in a Sustainable Future (J-term 24) White
 GSVS 4559 (18692): Ecosystem Services: How Nature Benefits People (Spring 22) Phillips
 GSVS 4559: UVA in Vietnam: Hanoi's Hong River: Development, Climate & Rights to the City (Su 23) Phillips/Ngo
GSVS 4810: UVA J-term in Vietnam: An Ecological-Economic Exploration (J-term 24) Phillips/Ngo
 PLAC 5240: Collaborative Planning for Sustainability (Fall 23) Dukes
 PLAC 5800/LAR 5290: Green Infrastructure: Cities (Fall 23) Firehock
PLAC 5860/LAR 5280: Green Infrastructure: Sites (Spring 24) Firehock
 PLAC 5863: Climate Adaptation Planning (Fall 22) Wilson
PLAN 5230: Design Dimensions in Real Estate (Spring 24) Petrus
 PLAN 5500 (10256): Biophilic Cities Research Seminar (Fall 22) Beatley
PLAN 5500-001 (14386): Planning for Coastal Resilience (Spring 24) Beatley
 SYS 2054/3054: UVA in Sweden: Global Sustainability Consulting (May-term 23) Bailey
 STS 4500: STS & Engineering Practice (project content must be approved)

Courses not offered since Spring 2022 - still fulfill the requirement if taken then

AAS 3500 (16472, 18189): Black Environmental Thought (Fall 20) Perry
 AAS 3500 (19102): Environmental Justice in the Mid-Atlantic (Fall 20) Pendergrass
 AAS 3500 (20094): Development & the Environment in Modern Africa (Spring 22) Parker
 ANTH 2590: The Culture of Rivers (J-term 21) Quasem
 ANTH 3140: The Anthropology of Food (J-term 22) Kavadias
 ANTH 3340: Ecology & Society: Introduction to the New Ecological Anthropology (Spring 22) Damon
 ARCH 3500 (10196): Climate Justice in Cities (J-term 21) Wilson, Ripple
 ARCH 5500 (14460): Rapid Shelter: Refugees & Communities in Disaster (Spring 22) Mark
 ARCH 5500 (14556): The Art of Looking (Spring 22) Iliescu
 ARH 3613: UNESCO, World Heritage and Tourism (Fall 21) Johnston
 ARTH 3591: Art Activism (Summer 21) Robbins
 CE 4500 (10123) / SYS 4501 (10124): Engineering Social Justice (J-term 21)
 CHEM 3559: Anthrochemistry Seminar (Fall 20) Fraser
 ECON 4620: Seminar on Development Economics (Spring 21) Sukhtankar
 EVSC 4066: Changing Global Carbon Cycle (Fall 21) Doney
 EVSC 4100/BIO 4100: Management of Forest Ecosystems (Fall 20) Shugart
 EVSC 4140: Global Coastal Change (Spring 22) McGlathery
 EVSC 4650/PLAN 5816: Water Sustainability (Spring 22) Richter
 GSGS 2211: Environment, Health, and Development in Africa (J-term 22) LaFleur
 GSGS 3559 (20413): Migrant Women's Political Activism (Spring 21) Zeweri
 GSGS 4559 (18870): Multiculturalism & Settler Colonialism (Fall 21) Zeweri
 GSGS 4559: Arts Activism, Liberated Spaces & Creative Economies at the Black Power Station (J-term 21) Lobley

GSGS 4559: Community Organizing, Public Health, South Africa (J-term 21) Edmunds, Colvin
 GSSJ 3559 (18866): Gender, Race & Humanitarianism (Fall 21) Zeweri
 GSSJ 3559 (18868): Refugee Mobilities, Border Zones, and Human Rights (Fall 21) Zeweri
 GSSJ 3579: Refugee Resettlement (Spring 22) Zeweri
 GSVS 3010: Sustainable Design Thinking I (Fall 21) Groves (GSVS 3559 (19718) in S19)
 GSVS 3020: Sustainable Design Thinking II (Spring 22) Groves
 GSVS 3559 (18682): Systems Thinking/Systems Modeling (Spring 22) Phillips
 GSVS 4559 (19645): Multispecies Migration: Eastern Shore Stories (Spring 21) Glassie
 LAR 3500 (10296): Space of Race (Fall 20) Jafari
 LAR 3500 (18629): Confronting Racialized Grounds (Spring 22) Jafari
 LPPP 3500 (20073): Corporate Social Responsibility (Spring 22) Babineau
 LPPS 4720: Open Source for the Common Good (Spring 21) Etienne
 LPPP 4725: NGOs in the Policy Arena (Fall 21) Martin
 MDST 4210: Global Environmental Media (Fall 21) Kokas
 PHIL 2500 (16331): Environmental Ethics (Fall 20) Brewer
 PHS 4050: Public Health Policy (Fall 21) Quissell
 PLAC 5500 (18748): Applied Biophilic Cities (Fall 20) Beatley
 PLAC 5720: Transportation and Land Use (Fall 21) Mondschein
 PLAN 3500 (10130): Race, Redlining & Redevelopment: The Legacy of Radicalized Cities (J-term 21) Sewell
 PLAN 3500 (10138): The Design of Protest (J-term) Wilson, Ripple
 PLAN 3870: Environment and the Economy (Fall 21) Moomaw
 PLAN 5452: Healthy Cities (Spring 22) Roe
 PLAN 5500: Virginia Food System Leadership Institute (Summer 21) Cobb
 PLAN 5500: Morocco: Field Studies in Urbanization & Sustainable Development (Summer 20) Bassett
 PLAN 5580: Bicycle Planning (Spring 21) Poncy
 PLAN 5710: Transportation and Environment (Spring 21) Mondschein
 PLCP 3500 (17820): Grassroots Politics: Local Citizens & States (Fall 20) Kruks-Wisner
 PLCP 4500 (17822): Politics of Air Pollution (Fall 20) Shen
 PLCP 4500 (19766): Environmental Politics in China (Spring 21) Shen (PLCP 3500 (18996) in S20)
 PLIR 3310: Ethics & Human Rights in World Politics (Spring 22) Smith
 PSYC-4500 RM: Practical Longitudinal Sustainability Studies (Fall 20) Tong
 RELG 2559 (19203): Sacred Landscapes: Religion, Ecology, Politics (Spring 21) Kreider
 RELG 3820: Global Ethics & Climate Change (Fall 21) Jenkins
 SOC 2442: Systems of Inequality (Summer 21) Mound
 SOC 3490: Cities and Cultures (Fall 20) Makarova
 SOC 3660: Environment, Globalization & Development (Fall 21) Blumberg (SOC 3559 (19232) in F20)
 STS 2500 (10077): Science, Technology & Environment (J-term 22) Seabrook

Courses that no longer qualify as approved GSVS electives – still fulfill the requirement if taken before Fall 2023

LPPS 3050: Introduction to Social Entrepreneurship (Fall 23) Mulloth
 LPPP 3250: Global Development Policy (Spring 21)
 LPPS 4730: Impact Investing (Spring 23) Nolde
 LPPS 4735: Experiential Social Entrepreneurship (Spring 22) Addison
 PLAN 2030: Neighborhoods, Community and Regions (Spring 21) Moomaw (PLAN 3030 before 21)
 PLAN 5614: Urban Strategies (Spring 21) El Khafif
 SOC 3480: Sociology of Globalization (Spring 21) Wang
 SOC 3700: Health and Society (Fall 20) Skubby