

MINOR in Global Sustainability approved elective courses: **SUMMER 2024 + FALL 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 Summer 2024 or Fall 2024.** Students may petition for approval to use a non-listed course to fulfill an elective requirement. (updated 3/26/24)

Environment

AAS 3500-004 (18944): Africulture: The African Roots of US Agriculture (Spring 24) Shutt

ANTH 2160: Culture and the Environment (Fall 24) Weston

ANTH 2285: Anthropology of Development & Humanitarianism (Fall 24) Tidey

ANTH 2559 (18724): Water Worlds: The Anthropology of Water (Fall 23) Farmer

ARCH 5500-002 (14520): Processing the Anthropocene (Fall 24) Bachman

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 24) 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 24) Manson

BIOL 4130: Population Ecology & Conservation Biology (Fall 24) 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 (Fall 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 24) Culver

ENGL 2508 (19253): American Environmental Fictions (Fall 23) Kuhn

ENGL 2559-005 (19835): Literatures of the Nonhuman (Fall 24) Ghaly

ENGL 2559-006 (19847): Reading Ecology across Genres (Fall 24) Teare

ENGL 3540-002 (19838): Plants and Empire (Spring 24) Kuhn

ENGL 3570 (19777): American Wild (Fall 24) Cushman

EVSC 2220: Conservation Ecology: Biodiversity and Beyond (Fall 23) Lerda

EVSC 2559-001 (20447): Narratives of Environmental Justice (Spring 24) Pusede

EVSC 2559 (19889): AgroEcology (Spring 23) Lerda

EVSC 3200: Fundamentals of Ecology (Fall 24) Pace

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

EVSC 4100: Management of Forest Ecosystems (Fall 24) Nyelele

EVSC 4380: Air Pollution Environmental Justice (Fall 23) tbd (EVSC 4559-002 (19125) in S21)

EVSC 4490: Air Pollution (Spring 24) Pusede

EVSC 4559 (19926): Climate Collaboration (Fall 24) McGlathery

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 3118: Space, Place and Global Development (Fall 24) Edmunds (GSGS 3559 (18781) in Fall 23)

GSGS 3530/ARCH 3550: UVA in India: Urban Transformations: Exploring Sustainability (J-term 24) Crisman

GSVS 3530/ARCH 5500: Greek Odyssey in the Anthropocene (Summer 24) Crisman, Petrus

GSGS 3530: UVA in Mexico City: Contemporary Culture, Development & Migration (Summer 24) Vonk

GSGS 3550 (19688)/ARTH 3559 (18969): Ecocinema in the Global South (Fall 24) Vargas (GSGS 3559-004 in Spring 24)

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 (Fall 24) Groves

GSVS 3110: Sustainable Communities (Summer 24) Farmer (ARCH 3500 in Summer 22 Crisman)

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)

HIAF 3112: African Environmental History (Fall 24) La Fleur

HIST 2152: Climate History (Fall 23) Gratien

ITTR 4010: Narrating (Un-)sustainability: Ecocritical Explorations in Italy & the Mediterranean (Fall 24) Cesaretti

LAR 5452/PLAN 5452: Healthy Cities (Spring 24) Roe

MDST 3559 (18316): Advertising & Consumer Culture (Spring 23) Williams

MUSI 3400: Eco-Acoustics (Spring 24) Burtner

PHS 3620: Built Environment & Health Impact (Fall 24) Somers

PLAC 5240: Collaborative Planning for Sustainability (Fall 24) Dukes

PLAC 5500-002 (19646): Plant Cultures and Ecologies (Spring 24) Jafari

PLAC 5800/LAR 5290: Green Infrastructure: Cities (Fall 24) Firehock

PLAC 5860/LAR 5280: Green Infrastructure: Sites (Spring 24) Firehock

PLAN 3011: Race and the American City (Fall 24) Sewell

PLAN 3040: Metropolis (Spring 24) Sewell

PLAN 3122: Urban Analytics (Fall 24) Wilson

PLAN 3860: Cities and Nature (Spring 24) Beatley

PLAN 5500-001 (14386): Planning for Coastal Resilience (Spring 24) Beatley

PLAN 5580 (20171): Forest Urbanism (Fall 24) Beatley (1 credit, 9/2 - 9/23/24)

PLAN 5580 (20167): Water Sustainability (Fall 24) Richter (1 credit, 10/29 - 11/19/24)

PLAN 5580 (19449): Healthy Places: Inside + Out (Fall 24) Trowbridge (1 credit, 8/27 - 9/17/24)

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 (19320): Environmental Justice across the Globe (Spring 23) Fields

AAS 3500-005 (19587): Race, Ethnicity, and Health in the US (Fall 23) Richardson

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 (Fall 24) Vonk (GSGS 2559 in Fall 23)

GSGS 2559 (10136): Border Hackers: breaking through national, political & personal borders (J-term 24) Vonk

GSGS 3250: UVA in Morocco: Participatory Development in Practice (Summer 24) Ben-Meir

GSGS 3550 (19688)/ARTH 3559 (18969): Ecocinema in the Global South (Fall 24) Vargas (GSGS 3559-004 in Spring 24)

GSGS 3559: (12358) Climate Justice Movement: Theory & Practice (Summer 24) Edmunds, Chatterjee

GSGS 3559-001 (19210): The Individual in the World (Fall 24) Furia

GSGS 3559-003 (20225): eGlobal: Sustainable Engagement in Rwanda (Fall 24) Crisman/Durieux

GSGS 4100: Global Activism for Social Justice (Fall 24) Edmunds

GSGS 4559: Journalism and Social Inequality (Fall 23) Vonk

GSGS 4559-001 (19218): The Body Migrant (Fall 24) Vonk

GSSJ 3420: Migration and Social Movements in the Americas (Fall 24) Vonk (GSSJ 3559 in Fall 23)

GSSJ 3559 (19580): Law, Justice & Sustainable Development (Spring 23) Ngo

GSVS 3110: Sustainable Communities (Summer 24) Farmer (ARCH 3500 in Summer 22 Crisman)

PHIL 2652: Animal Minds & Animal Ethics (Fall 23) Ott

PLAC 5623: Inclusive Cities (Fall 24) Guerra (Plan 5500 in Fall 22)

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 24) Sewell

PLAN 3813: Community-Engaged Methods (Fall 22) Wilson
PLAN 3840: Ethics of Cities & Environment (Fall 24) Beatley
PLAN 5500 (20091): Cities and Democracy (Spring 23) Lawrence
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/GSVS 2210: Religion, Ethics & Global Environments (Spring 24)
RELG 3416: Sustainability & Asceticism (Spring 23) 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 4140: Sociology of Consumption (Spring 24) Makarova

Economy + Policy

AAS 3853: From Redlined to Subprime: Race & Real Estate in the US (Fall 24) Kahrl
ANTH 3290: Biopolitics & the Contemporary Condition (Fall 24) Zigon
COMM 3570: Foundations of Sustainable Commerce (Fall 24) White
COMM 4821: Managing Sustainable Development (Spring 24) White
COMM 4822: Invest in a Sustainable Future (Spring 24) White
ECON 4430: Environmental Economics (Spring 24) Sekhri
ECON 4559 (20218): Economics of Climate Change (Fall 23) Sekhri
GSGS 2400: Mass Migration and Global Development (Fall 24) Vonk (GSGS 2559 in Fall 23)
GSGS 3330: Ecological Economics (Spring 24) Phillips (GSGS 3559-001 (20342) in Spring 2023)
GSGS 3350: Dot Orgs: Getting Results in the Real World (Fall 24) Phillips (GSGS 3559 (19001) in Fall 23)
GSGS 3559: Defending Democracy: Advanced Strategies and Tactics (Fall 24) Popović, Parks
GSGS 3559 (20226): Understanding the 'New Silk Roads' (Fall 24) Safdar
GSGS 4150: State, Society & Development (Fall 24) Kruks-Wisner
GSGS 4200: Applied Research in Global Studies (Spring 24) Edmunds, Vonk
GSVS 2050: Sustainable Energy Systems (Fall 24) Groves
GSVS 3160/PLAP 3160: Politics of Food (Summer 24) Freedman
GSVS 3310: Sustainability Policy at Home & Abroad (Fall 24) Phillips
GSGS 3330: Ecological Economics (Spring 24) Phillips (GSGS 3559 (20342) in spring 23)
GSVS 3559-001 (20243)/ECON 3430: Economics of Sustainability & the Environment (Shobe)
GSVS 4020: Ecosystem Services: How Nature Benefits People (Spring 24) Phillips
GSVS 4100: Evidence for (Sustainability) Policy (Summer 24 + Fall 24) 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/LPPS 5550: UVA J-term in Vietnam: An Ecological-Economic Exploration (J-term 24) Phillip, 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 (Fall 24) Colvin
PLAC 5623: Inclusive Cities (Fall 24) Guerra (Plan 5500 in Fall 22)
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 5740: Transportation Planning & Policy (Fall 24) Mondschein
PLCP 3012: The Politics of Developing Areas (Spring 24) Fatton
PLCP 3130: Political Economy of Development (Spring 24) Schwartz
PLCP 4652: Markets, Inequality & the Politics of Development (Spring 24) Echeverri-Gent
PLPT 3500 (19915): The Earth: Ethics, Politics & Economics (Fall 24) tba
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 (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 4100: Management of Forest Ecosystems (Fall 24) Nyelele

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 3350: Dot Orgs: Getting Results in the Real World (Fall 24) Phillips (GSGS 3559 (19001) in F23)

GSGS 3530/ARCH 3550: UVA in India: Urban Transformations: Exploring Sustainability (J-term 24) Crisman

GSGS 3559 (19210): The Individual in the World (Fall 24) Furia

GSGS 3559 (12358): Climate Justice Movement: Theory & Practice (Summer 24) Edmunds, Chatterjee

GSGS 4100: Global Activism for Social Justice (Fall 24) Edmunds

GSGS 4200: Applied Research in Global Studies (Spring 24) Edmunds, Vonk (GSGS 4559 (19537) + 4559 (20558) in S23)

GSVS 3110: Sustainable Communities (Summer 24) Farmer (ARCH 3500 in Su22 Crisman)

GSVS 3150: Sustainability Leadership from the Grounds Up (Spring 24) Hogan

GSVS 3530/ARCH 5500: Greek Odyssey in the Anthropocene (Summer 24) Crisman, Petrus (GSVS 4559 in Su23)

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

GSVS 4100: Evidence for (Sustainability) Policy (Summer 24 + Fall 24) 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 (Summer 24) Phillips, Ngo

GSVS 4810/LPPS 5550: UVA J-term in Vietnam: An Ecological-Economic Exploration (J-term 24) Phillip, Ngo

PLAC 5240: Collaborative Planning for Sustainability (Fall 24) Dukes

PLAC 5623: Inclusive Cities (Fall 24) Guerra (Plan 5500 in Fall 22)

PLAC 5800/LAR 5290: Green Infrastructure: Cities (Fall 24) Firehock

PLAC 5860/LAR 5280: Green Infrastructure: Sites (Spring 24) Firehock

PLAC 5863: Climate Adaptation Planning (Fall 22) Wilson

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

PLAN 3122: Urban Analytics (Fall 24) Wilson

PLAN 3840: Ethics of Cities & Environment (Fall 24) Beatley

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

PLAN 5300: Preservation Planning (Spring 23) Keller

PLAN 5500 (10256): Biophilic Cities Research Seminar (Fall 22) Beatley

PLAN 5500-001 (14386): Planning for Coastal Resilience (Spring 24) Beatley

PLAN 5580 (20171): Forest Urbanism (Fall 24) Beatley (1 credit, 9/2 - 9/23/24)

PLAN 5580 (20167): Water Sustainability (Fall 24) Richter (1 credit, 10/29 - 11/19/24)

PLAN 5580 (19449): Healthy Places: Inside + Out (Fall 24) Trowbridge (1 credit, 8/27 - 9/17/24)

PLPT 3500 (19915): The Earth: Ethics, Politics & Economics (Fall 24) tba

STS 4500: STS & Engineering Practice (project content must be approved)

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

AAS 3500 (12800): Race, Class, Politics & the Environment (Fall 22) Fields (AAS 2559 (19388) in S21)

AAS 3500 (20094): Development & the Environment in Modern Africa (Spring 22) Parker

ANTH 2589: Archaeology and the Politics of Sustainability (Fall 22) Alconini

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

CE 4500 (10123) / SYS 4501 (10124): Engineering Social Justice (J-term 21)

ECON 4620: Seminar on Development Economics (Spring 21) Sukhtankar

EVSC 4066: Changing Global Carbon Cycle (Fall 21) Doney
EVSC 4140: Global Coastal Change (Spring 22) McGlathery
EVSC 4250: Ecosystem Ecology (Fall 22) Pace
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 (18692): Ecosystem Services: How Nature Benefits People (Spring 22) Phillips
GSVS 4559 (18454): GIS for Global Sustainability (Fall 22) Phillips
GSVS 4559 (19645): Multispecies Migration: Eastern Shore Stories (Spring 21) Glassie
HIME 3559 (18148) Environmental Histories of the Mediterranean (Fall 22) Gratien
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
MESA 3110: Sustainable Environments Middle East & South Asia (Fall 22) Farmer
MUSI 3570: Curating Sound: Art, Ethnography and Practice (Fall 22) Lobley
PHIL 2500 (16331): Environmental Ethics (Fall 20) Brewer
PHS 4050: Public Health Policy (Fall 21) Quissell
PLAC 5720: Transportation and Land Use (Fall 21) Mondschein
PLAC 5863: Climate Adaptation Planning (Fall 22) Wilson
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 (10256): Biophilic Cities Research Seminar (Fall 22) Beatley
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 (17780): Environmental Politics (Fall 22) Shen
PLCP 4500 (17781): The Politics of Climate Change (Fall 22) 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
RELG 2559 (19203): Sacred Landscapes: Religion, Ecology, Politics (Spring 21) Kreider
RELG 3820: Global Ethics & Climate Change (Fall 21) Jenkins
RELH 3105: Hinduism and Ecology (Fall 22) Allen
SOC 3660: Environment, Globalization & Development (Fall 21) Blumberg (SOC 3559 (19232) in F20)
SOC 3820: Social Movements (Fall 22) Slez
SOC 4559 (18816): The American Dream and Its Limits (Fall 22) Vickerman
STS 2500 (10077): Science, Technology & Environment (J-term 22) Seabrook

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

LPPS 3050: Introduction to Social Entrepreneurship
LPPP 3250: Global Development Policy
LPPS 4730: Impact Investing
LPPS 4735: Experiential Social Entrepreneurship
PLAN 2030: Neighborhoods, Community and Regions (PLAN 3030 before 21)
PLAN 5614: Urban Strategies
SOC 3480: Sociology of Globalization
SOC 3700: Health and Society