

CLARION UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

B.S. Liberal Studies
Concentration: Geography &
Sustainable Planning

College of Arts and Sciences

Name _____
SS# _____
Entrance Date _____
Program Entry Date _____
Advisor _____

Transfer: * _____
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CUP _____

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS - 48 CREDITS
Please refer to the approved list of Gen. Ed. courses that appears in the newspaper schedule.

I. LIBERAL EDUCATION SKILLS - 12 CREDITS

	<u>Cr.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
A. English Composition (3 credits)		
English 111: Writing II	3	_____
B. Mathematics Requirement (3 credits)		
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C. Credits to total 12 in Category I, selected from at least two of the following: Academic Enrichment, Communication, Computer Information Science, Elem. Foreign Lang, English Composition, CSD 465, Logic, Mathematics, & Speech Communication.

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II. LIBERAL KNOWLEDGE - 27 CREDITS

A. Physical and Biological Sciences (9 credits) - to be selected from at least two of the following: Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, ENVR 275, GS 411, HON 230, Mathematics, Physical Science & Physics.

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B. Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 credits) to be selected from at least two of the following: Anthropology, Economics, Geography, GS 140, History, HON 240, NURS 320, Political Science, Psychology & Sociology.

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C. Arts and Humanities (9 credits) to be selected from at least two of the following: Art, English, Language and Literature, HON 130, Humanities, Intermediate Foreign Language and Cultures, Music, Philosophy, Speech & Theater.

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III. Health and Personal Performance - 3 credits

A. Health and Wellness (2 credits)	2	_____
B. Personal Performance (1/course/1credit)		
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IV. Gen. Ed. Electives - Credits to total 48 from Gen. Ed.

Credits to total 48 from General Education. Up to 1 credit from III. B. allowed.

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V. REQUIREMENTS IN CONCENTRATION: 33 CREDITS MINIMUM*

	<u>Cr.</u>	<u>Gr.</u>
1. Required in Geography & Sustainable Planning (23 credits)		
GEOG 100: Intro. To World Geography	3	_____
ES 150: Physical Geol. w/ Lab	4	_____
GEOG 257: US & Canada	3	_____
GEOG 310: Geography, Sustainable Dev.	3	_____
GEOG/ES 385: Climatology	3	_____
GEOG/ES 400: Intro. to Remote Sensing w/lab	3	_____
GEOG/ES 470: Intro. to G.I.S.	4	_____

2. Required Supplemental Courses (9-10 credits) - ONE from each category

TECHNICAL		
ES/GEOG 345: Computer Cart. w/Lab	4	_____
ES/GEOG 425: Adv. Remote Sens. w/Lab	3	_____
ES/GEOG 490: Adv. G. I. S. w/Lab	3	_____

REGIONAL		
GEOG 250: Geography of Europe	3	_____
GEOG 252: Geography of Latin America	3	_____
GEOG 256: Geography of the Caribbean	3	_____

TOPICAL		
GEOG 260: Economic Geography	3	_____
GEOG 265: Trade & Transportation	3	_____
GEOG 315: Human Geography: Race, Class, and Gender	3	_____

VI. Free Electives – Must take additional 300-level courses or above to total 39 credits*

	<u>Cr.</u>	<u>Gr.</u>
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*Sections V. and VI. above must total 72 credits.

Flags - Record Below:

_____ First Year Values (V)
_____ Quantitative Reasoning (Q)
_____ Second Values (S)
_____ Information Literacy (I)

Flags - Record Below

_____ Writing Intensive (W)
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University Policies Relating to Academic Requirements

- ❑ A student is obligated by those requirements which are in effect at the time of his/her matriculation, but if he/she changes majors he/she is obligated by the requirements in effect at the time of the change. If a student has been out of school for more than two years and is readmitted, he/she is treated as a new student for requirement purposes.
- ❑ A minimum of 120 credits must be presented for graduation, of which at least 45 of the last 64 credits must have been earned in residence.
- ❑ No more than 2 credits of Physical Education activity may be counted for graduation.
- ❑ Upon presentation of form DD214, the university grants a maximum of 4 credits in Health and Physical Education for active military service of 4 months or more. Credit is normally given for HPE 111 (2 credits) and 2 HPE activity courses of 1 credit each.
- ❑ Maximum loads: students with a QPA of 3.0, 21 hours; students in good standing*, 18 hours; students on probation, 15 hours.

*To be in good academic standing, undergraduate students must maintain a minimum quality point average of 2.00 for both semester and cumulative averages.

- ❑ After a student has earned a minimum of 30 semester hours of credit and if he/she is in good academic standing, he/she may schedule a maximum of six courses or 18 credit hours for Credit-No Record. One such course may be taken each semester. Courses in the student's major may not be taken on a Credit-No Record basis.
- ❑ Course credits not to exceed 18 semester hours may be earned by departmental examination at Clarion. Application should be made in the Office of Academic Affairs.
- ❑ All candidates for an undergraduate degree must be in good academic standing (i.e., have a cumulative QPA of 2.00).
- ❑ Students may take a double major by satisfying the major requirements of two programs within a single degree. For example, one may take a B.A. with majors in English and Speech Communication. Ordinarily a double major (two majors within one degree) can be affected in 120 hours. Students who have earned their first baccalaureate degree from Clarion University may earn a second baccalaureate degree from a different college of the university or different degree (B.S., B.A., or B.F.A.) within the same college. This can be accomplished by completing all of the requirements of both degrees. In this case, the student will receive two diplomas. Students may also pursue two baccalaureate degrees concurrently by completing all of the requirements of both degrees. Students who have earned their first baccalaureate degree from another institution are responsible for satisfying Clarion University's residence requirements.