



Political Science

Degree: Certificate in Sustainability Politics and Policy

Offered in Durham.

This new interdisciplinary certificate program, launched in 2011, offers training and analysis on the politics, policies, and issues around environmental and social sustainability. Based in the Department of Political Science, the certificate is tailored to individual student interests, and provides graduate students, alumni, community organizers, public servants, and working professionals with the theoretical and practical tools needed to understand issues of sustainability at the local, national, and international levels. Such training is increasingly valuable for careers in the public sector, non-profit organizations, and in the private sector with both small and large companies.

Areas of Advanced Degrees within COLA

Education
English
History
Justice Studies
Liberal Studies
Music
Painting
Political Science
Psychology
Public Administration
Sociology
Spanish



Political Science

Topics you will study

- Students will take courses in comparative and international environmental politics (required) and complete an independent study in theory and practice of sustainability.
- Additionally, students will choose from electives drawn from across UNH on topics such as sustainable food systems, community and occupational health, environmental history, environmental conflict resolution and law, program evaluation, and public administration. Sample electives include:
 - Environmental Sustainability and Development
 - Balancing Resource Management, Land Use, and Development
 - Sustainable Agriculture and Food Systems
 - Environmental Health
 - Environmental Education Summer Institute: Field Ecology, Human Communities, and Curriculum
 - International Organizations
 - Human Resource Management in Public and Non-Profit Sectors
 - Financial Management and Budgeting in Public and Non-Profit Sectors
 - Non-Profit Management
 - Environmental Economics: Theory and Policy
 - Ecological Sustainability and Values
 - Law of Natural Resources and Environment
 - American Environmental History
 - Public Health Policy
 - Climate Change and Health
 - Evaluation of Social Programs

Highlights

- Interdisciplinary study of sustainability drawing on expertise across the UNH campus.
- Flexible, individualized plan of study.
- Graduates of the certificate program work in the public and private sector, in sustainability programs at UNH and other institutions, and have gone on to PhD programs and other advanced professional degrees.

Admissions

Applications and information are available on the UNH Graduate School website at <http://www.gradschool.unh.edu>.

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UNH Graduate School

Programs of Study

Accounting
Animal and Nutritional Science
Animal Science
Biochemistry
Business Administration
Chemical Engineering
Chemistry
Civil Engineering
College Teaching
Communication Sciences and Disorders
Computer Science
Development Policy and Practice
Earth Sciences
Earth, Oceans, and Space
Economics
Education
Electrical Engineering
English
Environmental Education
Family Studies
Genetics
Geospatial Science
History
Information Technology
Integrated Applied Mathematics
Justice Studies
Kinesiology
Liberal Studies
Management of Technology
Materials Science
Mathematics and Statistics
Mechanical Engineering
Microbiology
Music
Natural Resources
Natural Resources and Earth Systems Science
Nursing
Nutritional Sciences
Occupational Therapy
Ocean Engineering
Oceanography
Painting
Physics
Plant Biology
Political Science
Psychology
Public Administration
Public Health
Recreation Management and Policy
Resource Administration and Management
Social Work
Sociology
Spanish
Systems Design
Zoology

Leadership

Innovation

Impact

Brighter future