

Transfer Guide

Geography A.A. to Geography B.S.

College of Lake County and Eastern Illinois University

This is a suggested course sequence. Students must work with their advisor to develop a sequence plan that meets their scheduling needs. Summer classes can also reduce the load during the fall and spring semesters.

FIRST YEAR

First Semester

ENG 121 ¹	English Comp. I	3 (ENG 1001G)
GEG 122 ²	Cultural Geography	3 (GEO 1100G SB Gen Ed)
ESC 129 ²	Severe & Haz Weath	3 (GEO 1400G)
IAI Humanities ³		3 (HUM Gen Ed)
Elective ⁸		3 (Elective)
		15

Second Semester

ENG 122 ¹	English Comp. II	3 (ENG 1002G)
GEG 120 ²	Physical Geography	4 (GEO 1120G PS Gen Ed)
IAI Math ⁴		3 (MAT Gen Ed)
IAI Fine Arts ³		3 (FA Gen Ed)
Elective ⁸		3 (Elective)
		16

SECOND YEAR

Third Semester⁵

CMM 121 ¹	Fundamentals Speech	3 (CMN 1310G)
ESC 124 ²	Oceanography	3 (GEO 2450G)
ESC 127 ²	Weather and Climate	3 (GEO Elective/1400G)
IAI Humanities or Fine Arts ³		3 (HUM/FA Gen Ed)
HST 121 ^{2,3}	History of West Civ	3 (HIS 2560 Gen Ed SB/HU)
		15

Fourth Semester

GEG 123 ²	World Regional	3 (GEO 1200G SB Gen Ed)
HST 122 ²	History of West Civ	3 (HIS 3555 Gen Ed SB/HU)
GEG 223 ²	Latin America	3 (GEO Elective)
IAI Life Science ³		4 (BIO Gen Ed)
Elective ⁸		3 (Elective)
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THIRD YEAR

First Semester

GEO Option Elective ^{6,9}		3 (Upper Level)
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Elective ⁸		3
Elective ^{8,10}		3
		15

Second Semester

GEO 3810	Intro GIS	3
GEO Option Elective ^{6,9}		3 (Upper Level)
GEO Techniques Elective ^{7,9}		3 (Upper Level)
GEO Elective ⁹		3
Elective ^{8,10}		3
		15

FOURTH YEAR

Third Semester

GEO 3885	Quant Methods	3
GEO Option Elective ^{6,9}		3 (Upper Level)
GEO Techniques Elective ^{7,9}		3 (Upper Level)
GEO Elective ^{8,9}		3
Elective ⁸		3
		15

Fourth Semester

GEO Option Elective ^{6,9}		3 (Upper Level)
GEO Techniques Elective ^{7,9}		3 (Upper Level)
GEO Elective ^{8,9}		3 (Upper Level)
EIU 4-----	Senior Seminar	3
Elective ⁸		3 (Upper Level)
		15

Notes

¹ A Grade of "C" or better is required for EIU graduation.

² CLC Elective to earn Geography Concentration.

³ One Course must meet International/Multicultural CLC graduation requirement.

⁴ Math course may require placement or prerequisite.

⁵ Apply to Eastern one year prior to enrollment. Have official transcripts sent from college and from high school.

⁶ Eighteen semester hours in a designated Option is required. Options available in Human and Regional Geography or Environmental and Physical Geography. See catalog for course offerings.

⁷ Nine semester hours of Geography Techniques Electives are required. See catalog for course offerings.

⁸ Electives are to be chosen in consultation with academic advisor. Course may require a prerequisite. May choose a minor.

⁹ Students are encouraged to consider an Internship, Independent Studies and/or research as part of their curriculum (GEO 42751/42851/42951, GEO 44001/44101/44201, GEO 44301/44401/44501).

¹⁰ Completion of the second semester of a single foreign language is an EIU graduation requirement. Students are exempt if two full years of a high school foreign language are completed with a "C" average or better.

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