

Certificate in Environmental Policy Analysis

The Department of Environmental Science offers a certificate in Environmental Policy Analysis, designed for students and professionals in area industry, consulting, government, and non-governmental organizations. The certificate is designed to develop an individual's skills in identifying environmental policy problems, formulating policy solutions, and evaluating policies. Candidates must apply to the chairperson of the Department of Environmental Science, be assigned an advisor, and have their Program of Study approved by the DES chairperson. The certificate is awarded after the successful completion of 21 credit hours of study.

The requirements for the certificate are successful completion of the following courses:

ESP 203W Environmental Communication
ESP 220J Environmental Policy
ESP 375 Environmental Risk Assessment and Management
ESH 341 Environmental Regulations
ESP 421W Natural Resource Policy

Students also must select two courses from the following:

ECO 399 Environmental Economics
ESP 475 Topics in Environmental Science
PHI 212 Environmental Ethics
POS 365 Environmental Politics and Policy
POS 375 International Environmental Politics and Policy
POS 453 Politics of American Policy Making