# University of Lethbridge



Faculty of Arts & Science

# **Program Planning Guide**

Departments: Biological Sciences and Geography

Calendar Year: 2014/2015

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# Major in Environmental Science:

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This is a planning guide and not a graduation check or guarantee of course offerings. You should have a program check done in your final year of studies. Students are responsible for the accuracy of their own programs. The guide should be used in conjunction with the University of Lethbridge Calendar, which is the final authority on all questions regarding program requirements and academic regulations. Contact an Academic Advisor in the Faculty of Arts and Science for advising information.

Post-Diploma Bachelor of Science - Environm	calendar Year - 2014/2015
Name:	ID:
<b>Post-Diploma B.Sc. Environmental Science</b> Completion of at least 20 courses (60.0 credit hours) with a grade poi	int average of at least 2.00.
Major Requirements (14 courses)	General Requirements (6 courses)
Biology 1010 - Cellular Basis of Life     Biology 2000 - Principles of Genetics     Environmental Science 4000 - Selected Studies in Environmental     Science II (Series)	<b>General Liberal Education Requirement</b> Only four courses (12.0 credit hours) in total may be counted from all courses offered by a single department. See the 2014/2015 Calendar, p. 88, for more information.
Geography 2300 - Weather and Climate Geography 2700 - Geographical Data and Analysis Geography 2740 - Geographical Information Systems	Three courses from LIST I: Fine Arts and Humanities Courses     1   3
Geography 3740 - Geographical Information Systems Two 3000- or 4000-level Biology courses, chosen from among the Biological Sciences Department's List 1 (Cellular and Molecular Biology), List 2 (Organismal Biology) and List 3 (Ecology and Evolutionary Biology) courses, see Section 15.h. (p. 116)	1   3     2   3     One course from LIST II: Social Science Courses
1 2	One additional course from LIST I or II
One of: Biology 3300 - Evolution or A 3000- or 4000-level Biology course chosen from the Biological Sciences Department's List 3 (Ecology and Evolutionary Biology), see Section 15.h. (p. 116)	One additional course at the 3000/4000 level
Two 3000- or 4000-level Geography or Geology courses, with a Science designation (see List III: Science Courses, p. 90)	
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Three additional courses as follows:	
Two lab-based courses in Chemistry at or above the 1000 level (preferably Chemistry 1110 - Chemistry for Life Sciences I and Chemistry 2120 - Chemistry for Life Sciences II)	
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One of: Physics 1050 - Introduction to Biophysics Statistics 1770 - Introduction to Probability and Statistics	

# Notes

Not more than two Independent Study courses may be taken for credit toward the degree (see Part 4, Section 3.c, Exceeding Course Limits, p. 73). Some courses are specifically excluded from the Post-Diploma B.Sc. Environmental Science program because close equivalents should have been included in the College Diploma. If any of these courses is required as a course prerequisite, students in the Post-Diploma B.Sc. Environmental Science program are considered to have met that requirement.

If your diploma content differs and there is a problem meeting prerequisites for required courses, consult the Program Coordinator for Environmental Science.

#### **Excluded Courses:**

Biology 1020 - Diversity of Life

Biology 2200 - Principles of Ecology

Geography 1000 - Introduction to Physical Geography

Geography 2735 - Introduction to Geographical Information Science Geography 3080 - Soils Geology 2060 - Physical Geology

Note: Students who have completed another approved college diploma from a college other than Lethbridge College should consult the Program Coordinator for Environmental Science concerning possible adjustments to the above program requirements. See the 2014/2015 Calendar, p. 151.

# Sample Sequencing Plan

Shown below is a sample sequence of courses for your degree. If you follow this plan, you should be able to graduate in two years, provided you complete five courses per semester. This is just one example of how you could complete your major and degree requirements; you may find that a different sequence works as well as this one.

#### Year 1, Fall

Biology 1010 Chemistry 1110<sup>1</sup> Geography 2300 Physics 1050 or Statistics 1770 GLER course

#### Year 2, Fall

Biology 3000/4000 level Biology 3000/4000 level Environmental Science 4000 <sup>2</sup> Geography or Geology 3000/4000 level (Science) GLER course **Year 1, Spring** Biology 2000 Chemistry 2120<sup>1</sup> Geography 2700 GLER course GLER course

#### Year 2, Spring

Biology 3300 or List 3 Biology 3000/4000 level Geography 3740 Geography or Geology 3000/4000 level (Science) GLER course Elective 3000/4000 level

<sup>1</sup> Preferred Chemistry courses.

<sup>2</sup> Semester of offering may vary.

### **Terms Used**

**GLER course:** A course that could count toward the General Liberal Education Requirement. You may use courses in your major towards this 12-course requirement. See the 2014/2015 University of Lethbridge Calendar, Part 4 - Academic Regulations (p. 88) for complete information.

**Elective:** A course that you may choose freely from all those available and applicable to your program. Use courses inside or outside your major, bearing in mind any restrictions that may apply (e.g., a maximum of 24 courses from any one discipline).



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