

Bachelor of Social and Environmental Sustainability/Bachelor of Global Studies Course Map

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Students commencing 2026 Semester 1 intake Course Map

YEAR 1				
SEM 1	ENHU170 Environmental Humanities 10cp Specified unit	ENHU171 Environmental Economics 10cp Specified unit	POLS104 Introduction to International Relations 10cp No longer on offer – replaced by POLS106 from 2027	HIST115 Global History: Six Degrees of Separation 10cp No longer on offer – replaced by HIST120 from 2027
SEM 2	GEOG110 Exploring Natural Environments 10cp (Inc: GEOG100) Specified unit Not on offer in Semester 2 – replaced by GEOG111 from 2027	SOCS101 Global Society and Change 10cp (Inc: SOCS108) Specified unit	GEOG214 Sustainability: The Global Challenge 10cp (Inc: GEOG204) Global Studies Specified unit	Core Curriculum, Unit 1 See the ACU Core Curriculum page for details 10cp Core Curriculum and Community Engagement units
YEAR 2				
SEM 1	SOCS100 Introduction to Sociology 10cp Specified unit	GEOG111 Exploring Human Environments 10cp (Inc: GEOG101) Specified unit Not on offer in Semester 1 – replaced by GEOG110 from 2027	ENHU271 Literature and the Environment 10cp (Inc: ENGL337) Specified unit	Global Studies Elective unit 1 10cp OR Global Studies Minor unit 1 10cp
SEM 2	SOCS207 Meaning of Life: Researching Qualitatively 10cp (Pre: SOCS100 or, SOCS101 or, SOCS108 or, DVST100) Specified unit	ENHU270 Unsustainable: A Global History of Consumption 10cp Specified unit	Global Studies Elective unit 2 10cp OR Global Studies Minor unit 2 10cp	Global Studies Elective unit 3 10cp OR Global Studies Minor unit 3 10cp

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YEAR 3				
SEM 1	GEOG216 Climate Change: Past, Present and Future 10cp (Inc: GEOG206) Specified unit	SOCS270 Environmental Sociology 10cp Specified unit	GLST305 Global Studies Research Project 10cp (Pre: DVST100 or, DVST101 or, HIST115 or, HIST120 or, POLS104 or, POLS106)	HUMA333 Social Impact in Action 10cp (Pre: PHCC102 or, PHCC104 or, PHCC106 or, PHIL102 or, PHIL104 or, THCC100 or, THCC101 or, TPCC101 or, UNCC100) (Inc: HUMA330) Core Curriculum and Community Engagement units HUMA330 was positioned in this space prior to 2027
	SEM 2 GLST301, GLST302, GLST303, GLST304 Global Study Abroad A, B, C, D 40cp (Pre: HIST115 or, HIST120 and POLS104 or, POLS106 and SOCS101) Alternative option: students can either do the four units listed above OR Rome Semester Program units 40cp OR GLST300 Global Studies International Internship 40cp (Pre: HIST115 or, HIST120 and POLS104 or, POLS106 and SOCS101)			
YEAR 4				
SEM 1	GEOG310 Sustainable Cities and Communities 10cp Specified unit	GEOG312 Mapping for a Complex World 10cp Specified unit	Global Studies Elective unit 4 10cp OR Global Studies Minor unit 4 10cp	SOCS300 Power Wealth and Welfare: Social Issues and Policy 10cp (Pre: HIST251 or, SOCS200 or, SOCS202 or, SOCS206 or, SOCS207 or, SOCS208 or, SOCS209 or, SOCS226 or, SOCS234 or, SOCS235 or, SOCS239 or, SOCS243 or, SOCS244) Specified unit
	SEM 2 ENHU370 The Oceanic Humanities 10cp (Pre: PHCC102 or, PHCC104 or, PHCC106 or, THCC100 or, THCC101 or, TPCC101 or, UNCC100) Specified unit	Elective units Students must meet the prerequisites 10cp	SOCS302 People Count: Researching Globally with Quantitative Methods 10cp (Pre: DVST200 or, GEOG204 or, GEOG207 or, HIST251 or, HIST267 or, PHIL202 or, POLS213 or, POLS219 or, SOCS207 or, SOCS243) (Inc: SOCS237) Specified unit	Core Curriculum, Unit 2 See the ACU Core Curriculum page for details 10cp (Pre: Core Curriculum Unit 1) Core Curriculum and Community Engagement units

Prerequisites (Pre:) are other units that you must have passed before enrolling in this unit.

Incompatibles (Inc:) are units similar to this unit. If you have previously passed an Incompatible unit, you are not able to enrol in this unit.