



**California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Degree Curriculum Sheet**

Plan (Major) **GEOGRAPHY**

Catalog Year **2015 - 2016**

Name _____

Subplan/Option **Geography**

Minimum Units Required **180**

Student ID _____

Required Core Courses		
Course		Units
Required of all students. A 2.0 cumulative GPA is required in core courses, including subplan courses, in order to receive a degree in the major.		
Physical Geography	GEO 101	4
Human Geography	GEO 102	4
Intro to Cartography	GEO 222/222A	3/1
Intro to Geographic Information Systems	GEO 240/240A	3/1
Climatology*	GEO 303	4
Field Geography	GEO 309	4
Urban Geography	GEO 315	4
U.S. and Canada Geography	GEO 350	4
or Geography of California*	GEO 351	(4)
or Geography of Latin America	GEO 352	(4)
or Geography of Asia	GEO 357	(4)
or Geography of Africa	GEO 358	(4)
or Europe: Land and People	GEO 359	(4)
Senior Colloquium	GEO 461	2
*Note: If course(s) is taken to satisfy GE requirements, then student will need to complete additional approved units for Required Core.		
Total Units		34

Required Subplan/Option Courses		
Course		Units
Advanced Field Techniques	GEO 409	4
or Ethnic Geography of the United States	GEO 444	(4)
Plus any five upper-division Geography courses not required in the core courses. A minimum of 8 of these units must be at the 400 level. No more than 4 units may be in GEO 35X courses.		20
Total Units		24

Elective Support Courses	
Course	Units
Any five upper division Geography courses not otherwise used to satisfy degree requirements.	20
No more than 8 units in GEO 35X courses.	

Unrestricted Electives	
Course	Units
Select a sufficient number of courses so that the total from “GE” and “Unrestricted Electives” is at least 102 units.	34
*Note: If GEO 351 is used as an Elective Support Course and to satisfy “GE”, then the number of Unrestricted Electives may change.	
Total Units	34

General Education Requirements	
Area	Units
Area A Communication & Critical Thinking	12
1. Oral Communication	
2. Written Communication	
3. Critical Thinking	
Area B Mathematics & Natural Sciences	16
<i>Select at least one lab course from subarea 1 or 2.</i>	
1. Physical Science	
2. Biological Science	
3. Laboratory Activity	
4. Math/Quantitative Reasoning	
5. Science & Technology Synthesis	
Area C Humanities	16
1. Visual and Performing Arts	
2. Philosophy and Civilization	
3. Literature and Foreign Language	
4. Humanities Synthesis	
Area D Social Sciences	20
1. U.S. History, Constitution, American Ideals	
a. United States History	
b. Introduction to American Government	
2. History, Economics and Political Science	
3. Sociology, Anthropology, Ethnic & Gender Studies	
4. Social Science Synthesis	
Area E Lifelong Understanding & Self Development	4
Total Units	68

American Institutions	
Courses that satisfy this requirement may also satisfy GE Area D1	8

American Cultural Perspectives Requirement	
Refer to catalog for list of courses that satisfy this requirement. Course may also satisfy major, minor, GE, or unrestricted elective requirements.	4

All persons who receive undergraduate degrees from Cal Poly Pomona must pass the Graduation Writing Test (GWT). The test must be taken by the quarter following completion of 120 units for undergraduates.