

# B.A. Honours Program: Major in Geography

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student # \_\_\_\_\_

## About the Program

This program is designed for students wishing to concentrate on Geography. It introduces all the basic concepts in human, physical and environmental geography and requires everyone to master the important computer, cartographic, writing, and statistical skills required of a professional geographer. Within this program it is possible to include a balanced mix of Geography courses, or to specialize in techniques, human, physical or environmental topics. Careful selection of electives from complementary programs can enhance specializations within this program.

## Check-list [based on 2013-14 calendar]

*Bring this list with you when you come for counselling and leave it with your counsellor in your semester of graduation. A list of counsellors is posted in the first floor corridor of the Hutt Building during registration period. At other times check with the secretary in Hutt 119.*

### 1. B.A. core requirements: 4 credits

(a) 1.5 from College of Arts from at least two departments; (b) 1.5 from College of Social and Applied Human Sciences from at least 2 departments; (c) 1 in natural and/or mathematical sciences. *A maximum of 2 may be Geography courses, 1 for condition (b) and 1, GEOG\*1300 and one of GEOG\*2000 or GEOG\*2110 for condition (c).*

(a) \_\_\_\_\_ (b) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) \_\_\_\_\_

#### (a) Major Honours Geography: **A minimum of 9 Geography credits to include:**

GEOG*1200	[.05]	Society and Space	
GEOG*1220	[.05]	Human Impact on the Environment	
GEOG*1300	[.05]	Introduction to the Biophysical Environment	
GEOG*2000	[.05]	Geomorphology	
GEOG*2110	[.05]	Climate and the Biophysical Environment	
GEOG*2210	[.05]	Environment and Resources	
GEOG*2230	[.05]	Commodity Chains and Cultures of Consumption	
GEOG*2260	[.05]	Applied Human Geography	
GEOG*2460	[.05]	Analysis in Geography	} Must be completed by the end of Semester 4
GEOG*2480	[.05]	Mapping and GIS	

No more than 14 Geography credits may be counted towards an Honours Degree.

(c) Four credits at the 3000 level or above, to include: GEOG\*4880;  
GEOG\*3480; 1.5 credits at the 4000 level; and 1.5 at the 3000 or 4000 level.

GEOG\*3480 [.50] GIS and Spatial Analysis  
GEOG\*4880 [.50] Contemporary Geographic Thought

1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_ 3) \_\_\_\_\_ 4) \_\_\_\_\_ 5) \_\_\_\_\_ 6) \_\_\_\_\_

1. Additional electives and Geography courses to bring the total to 20 credits with at least 7 at the 3000 level or above.

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13) \_\_\_\_\_ 14) \_\_\_\_\_ 15) \_\_\_\_\_ 16) \_\_\_\_\_ 17) \_\_\_\_\_ 18) \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Honours Program Requirements:

(a) Pass 20 credits fulfilling Distribution Requirements and those of at least one Major. No more than 6 courses may be at the 1000 level.

(b) Complete at least 60% of all course attempts with 60% or better.

(c) Obtain a cumulative average of at least 70% on all course attempts at Guelph for at least one Major.

**This check-list guides you through the degree requirements. In addition, you may use the “audit” feature in WebAdvisor to help you understand the courses you still need to complete.**