

## Geography BA

60-65 Quarter Credits

### Why Study Geography at EWU?

Geography is the core environmental discipline: it is the study of the physical and human environments of our planet and the ways that they interact. Geography combines social and natural science methods and knowledge to help us understand the complex problems facing businesses, government agencies, and community organizations. Geographers are uniquely qualified to investigate issues involving competing land use, complex land management problems, and integrated natural resource development. While geographers gain exposure to all aspects of the discipline, typically students will concentrate on either human geography or physical geography for their degree, and specialize in sub-fields such as GIS and wetlands science.

### Other Degree Options

The Department of Geography offers courses of study leading to the Bachelor of Arts in Geography. Minors in Geography are also offered, as well as a certificate in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and Wetlands Science and Management. The Department of Geography and Anthropology has a number of physical facilities available for student use in conjunction with coursework. Included are a cartography lab, a map library and a GIS and computer-mapping laboratory.

### Career Opportunities

The geography program is designed for students seeking professional careers in environmental fields, geographic information systems (GIS), education and for those going on to graduate study. Typical career fields include Computer Cartography and GIS, Urban and Regional Planning, Natural Resources and Environmental Science.



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This is an example of a four year class schedule. Academic Advisors are there to help create individualized plans.

First Year	Q1	Q2	Q3
	BACR (5 cr.)	BACR (5 cr.)	BACR (5 cr.)
	ENGL 101 (5 cr.)	GEOG 101 (5 cr.)	General Elective (5 cr.)
	GEOG 100 (5 cr.)	MATH 107 (5 cr.)	ENGL 201 (5 cr.)
Second Year	Q5	Q6	Q7
	BACR (5 cr.)	CSBS 320* or GEOG 426* (5	Diversity (5 cr.)
	GEOG 201 (5 cr.)	General Elective (5 cr.)	Elective concentration (5 cr.)
	GEOG 204 (5 cr.)	GEOG 230 (5 cr.)	CSBS 310 (5 cr.)
Third Year	Q9	Q10	Q11
	Elective concentration (5 cr.)	Elective concentration* (5 cr.)	Elective concentration (5 cr.)
	Elective concentration (5 cr.)	General Elective (UL) (5 cr.)	General Elective (UL) (5 cr.)
	GEOG 227 (3 cr.)	General Elective (UL) (5 cr.)	General Elective (UL) (5 cr.)
		GEOG 392 (2 cr.)	
Fourth Year	Q13	Q14	Q15
	General Elective (UL) (5 cr.)	General Elective (UL) (5 cr.)	General Elective (5 cr.)
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	General Elective (UL) (5 cr.)	GEOG 490 (5 cr.)	General Elective (5 cr.)

Listed is a Sample Four Year Plan. Individual plans will vary based on placement test scores and course availability.



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