HONOURS BA IN GEOGRAPHY

Geography addresses highly relevant issues like climate change and human adaptation; water resources and their management; community organization and evolution; social interaction in urban space; and northern development in permafrost environments.

Our programs provide you with the knowledge, tools and technical skills that make you highly employable as soon as you graduate. What's more, emerging technologies such as computer cartography, remote sensing and geographic information systems (GIS) are an integral part of the curriculum, as are unforgettable field experiences in Canada's north land, in the Great Lakes basin and in the Appalachians.

This program is offered in English and in French.

Program Requirements

Co-operative education is available with this program.

The French immersion stream is available with this program.

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2015-2016 calendars for the previous requirements.

ENG 1100 Workshop in Essay Writing 3 Units
3 course units from:

PHI 1101 Reasoning and Critical Thinking
PHI 1301 Philosophy: Ideas and Arguments

3 course units from:

AHL 1100 Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts 1
AHL 1900 Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts 1

ENG 1120 Literature and Composition I: Prose Fiction
ENG 1121 Literature and Composition II: Drama and Poetry

3 course units from:

AHL 1100 Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts 1
AHL 1900 Introduction to Interdisciplinary Study in the Arts 1

PHI 1102 Moral Reasoning
PHI 1103 Fundamental Philosophical Questions
PHI 1104 Great Philosophers
PHI 1302 Philosophy: Themes and Texts

GEG 1301 Advanced Geomorphology
GEG 1302 Hydrology
GEG 1303 Social Geography
GEG 1305 Remote Sensing
GEG 1306 Cities and Social Change
GEG 1314 Biogeography
GEG 3305 Geographies of Globalization
GEG 3306 Quaternary Paleogeography
GEG 3309 Social Landscapes of Mètis Communities
GEG 3312 Advanced GIS
GEG 3320 Geography of Tourism
GEG 4112 Quaternary Paleoenvironments

15 course units from:

GEG 4104 Methodological and Theoretical Approaches in Geography and Environmental Studies 3 Units

Total: 120 Units

The electives may be replaced by a combination of a Minor, Option(s) (http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/programs/#filter=filter_19&filter_170&filter_27), and/or elective units. Consult the Faculty of Arts website for more information.

Note(s)

1 This course has variable topics. Students may take this course twice.
2 Excluding GEG 4000, GEG 4001, GEG 4019, GEG 4100, GEG 4128, GEG 4920 and GEG 4921.