372. American Civil Religion
Spring. 3(3-0)
Theological, historical and sociological factors in the development and diversification of American civil religion; sense of identity, mission and destiny; investigation of the theories of Bellah, Marty, Mead, Herberg, Novak.

400H. Honors Seminar
Fall, Winter, Spring. 3(3-0) Approval of department.

430. Religious Dimensions in Literature
Spring. 3(3-0) Juniors.
Theological criticism in literature and literary works as reflections of Christian thought from ancient to modern times. Specific works studied will vary from term to term.

440. Sociology of Religion
Spring of odd-numbered years. 4(4-0)
SOC 241 or approval of department. Interdepartmental with and administered by the Department of Sociology.
Relationship to society, with particular emphasis on modern society. Religion as a social institution; its relation to stratification and to political organization. Forms of religious organizations. Religious believing and the rational, empirical orientation in modern culture.

452. The Protestant Reformation
Fall. 4(3-0) Juniors.
The theological background of the Continental Reformation. Various patterns of twentieth century theological currents and their offshoots: Lutheranism, Calvinism, Anabaptists and other radical schools of thought.

495. Individual Readings
Fall, Winter, Spring. 3 credits.
May re-enroll for a maximum of 6 credits if different topic is taken. Written approval of instructor and department.
Enrollment limited to upper upper class students with preferences given to majors and to students with at least nine credits in religion or other appropriate preparation.

501. Graduate Studies in Religion
Fall, Winter, Spring. 3(3-0) May re-enroll for a maximum of 12 credits. Approval of department.
Research on pre-announced topics, individual and group conferences as scheduled, preparation and presentation of research papers.

RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
R D
College of Agriculture and Natural Resources
IDC. Resource Ecology and Man
For course description, see Interdisciplinary Courses.

202. Soils and Man's Environment
Winter. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Fisheries and Wildlife Department and Natural Resources and Soil Science and administered by Soil Science.
Use of soil-water resources in a technological society as it relates to environmental quality. Nature of pollution problems and their possible solutions. Food production and world population.

301. Conservation of Natural Resources
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0)
Development of conservation movement with broad treatment of basic natural resources (minerals, land, water, forests, wildlife). Conservation practices and facilities, organizations, and agencies involved in their application. General introduction to field.

385. Junior-Senior Seminar
Fall, Winter, 1(1-0) Juniors.
Current issues, problems and opportunities in resource development. Student involvement in discussions, analyses, and presentations on resource problems and possible solutions.

401. Production Economics and Management
(ABC 401.) Fall. 4(4-0) Not open to graduate students in Agricultural Economics, Economics or Resource Development. Interdepartmental with Food Systems Economics and Management and Public Affairs Management and administered by Food Systems Economics and Management.

417. Land Economics
Fall, Spring. 4(4-0) Interdepartmental with the Economics Department, Public Affairs Management and Food Systems Economics and Management.
Factors affecting man's economic use of land and space: restorations; development, investment, and enterprise location decisions. Land markets; property rights; area planning; zoning and land use controls.

420. Water Resource Development
Fall, Winter, Spring. 4(3-0)
Significance of water resources in modern society. Introduction to the needs of industry, agriculture and recreation. Concepts of development, use and conservation are critically evaluated in terms of future needs.

431. Law and Resources
Spring. 3(3-0) 617 or 844. Interdepartmental with the Department of Forestry.
Legal theories, cases, statutes and constitutional considerations are applied to natural resource utilization. Private and public property interests in natural resources are illustrated through case studies of use conflicts.

450. Natural Resource Administration
Fall, Spring. 4(4-0) Seniors. Interdepartmental with the departments of Fisheries and Wildlife, Forestry, and Parks and Recreation Resources and Natural Resources. Administered by the Department of Forestry.

460. Regional Economics
Winter. 4(4-0) 417 or EC 324 or R D 403. Interdepartmental with the Economics Department, Public Affairs Management and Food Systems Economics and Management.
Focus affecting location decisions of firms, households and governments. Applications to agricultural, industrial, and regional developments.
812. Public Direction of Land Use
Spring. 3(3-0)
Use of public savings, property ownership, police, condemnation, and taxation powers to influence land use decisions.

815. Community Resource Development
Winter. 4(4-0) Approval of department.
Explanations of community growth and change. Review of published and private agency programs. Case studies of successful and unsuccessful approaches.

816. Field Techniques in Community Resource Development
Spring. 6(3-6) S15 or F 835 or approval of instructor. Interdepartmental and jointly taken with the Department of Family Ecology.
Application of community and family resource inventory, analysis, and program planning techniques in Michigan rural-urban situations.

821. Water Management Institutions
Winter. 3(3-0)
Major institutional structures and issues in water resource management. Emphasis on linkages between federal, state and local management levels.

824. Watershed Management
Spring. 5(3-5)
Investigation of watersheds, emphasizing physical relationships of water to other resources. Survey of water problems, planning for water use and management practices including conservation and multiple use aspects. Field trips optional.

832. Natural Resource Law
Fall. 3(3-0)
Legal principles of natural resources administration. Focus on natural resource jurisdiction. Discussion of state and Federal cases, statutes, and treaties. Constitutional and common law. Limitations on governmental power.

835. Water Resources Law
Winter. 3(3-0)
Legal principles affecting private rights in state and federal regulation of surface and ground waters. Emphasis on water quality controls.

836. Environmental Law I
Winter. 3(3-0) Approval of department.
Public and private legal controls and restrictions on resource use, including common law, nuisance and trespass, citizen suits, class actions, appeals from agencies, Administrative Procedure Act, National Environmental Policy Act.

837. Environmental Law II
Spring. 3(3-0) 836.
Analysis of federal environmental laws (NEPA, WQIA, Clean Air Act). Form and content of Environmental Impact Statements and problem of agency discretion and judicial review.

840. Recreation Economics
Spring. 4(4-0) For 806 or approval of instructor. Interdepartmental with the departments of Park and Recreation Resources and Forestry and administered by the Department of Park and Recreation Resources.
Applications of economic analysis to recreation resource problems including measurement of demand and supply, valuation of recreation resources, determination of economic impact, economic decision making and policy considerations.

842. Park and Recreation Policy
Winter. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with and administered by the Department of Park and Recreation Resources.
Recreation, leisure and work concepts. Determination of needs for recreation facilities. Factors affecting public and private allocation of resources for provision of needed facilities.

855. Research Methods
Fall. 3(3-0) Approval of department. Interdepartmental with the Forestry Department.
Research techniques applicable to management, and policy-oriented natural resource investigations. Analysis of project designs, preparation of project proposals. Evaluation of representative published research studies.

860. Regional Science Methods
Spring. 4(4-0) 460 or approval of department.
Demographic analysis, social accounts, economic base, input-output, industrial complex, linear programming, gravity models, and other techniques for regional research.

880. Special Problems
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. 1 to 8 credits. May repeat for a maximum of 19 credits. Approval of department.
Seminars on current problems. Supervised readings. Independent study of selected topics.

889. Research
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. Variable credit. Approval of department.

910. Resource Economics Proseminar
Spring. 3(3-0) May re-enroll for a maximum of 9 credits. Approval of department. Interdepartmental with the departments of Forestry and Agricultural Economics and administered by the Department of Forestry.
A seminar wherein advanced graduate students in the fields of resource economics participate with faculty in the joint conduct of a major research project in resource economics and policy.

917. Issues in Land Economics
Winter, Spring. 3(3-0) May re-enroll for a maximum of 8 credits. Doctoral students. 417 and 460.
Analysis of selected issues related to the utilization of land and water resources.

960. Simulation Models in Natural Resource Management
Winter of odd-numbered years. 3(3-0) 855 and knowledge of FORTRAN programming or approval of department. Interdepartmental with the Department of Forestry.
The role of simulation models in developing management strategies. Applications of computer simulation in natural resources. Modeling of decision systems in natural resource management.

990. Research
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. Variable credit. Approval of department.

ROMANCE LANGUAGES

College of Arts and Letters
Students who have had high school work in the foreign language in which they wish to continue their studies must take a placement examination in that language. Placement in the appropriate course is determined by the results of this examination. University credit is not given for courses waived by performance on the placement examination.

Romance Language Courses

210. Latin America: Its Peoples and Cultures
Fall. 3(3-0)
Geographical, ethnic, social, political, economic, and cultural characteristics of Brazil and La-Plata region.

211. Latin America: Its Peoples and Cultures
Winter. 3(3-0)
Continuation of 210. Western and northern South America.

212. Latin America: Its Peoples and Cultures
Spring. 3(3-0)
Continuation of 211. Mexico and the Caribbean region.

220. The Contemporary Romance Film
Fall, Winter, Spring. 3(3-2) May re-enroll for a maximum of 3 credits. Interdepartmental with Italian, French, Spanish.
Development of the student's aesthetic and cultural appreciation of films by outstanding European directors, most notably, those of France, Italy and Spain.

241. Masterpieces of the Romance and Classical Literatures in English Translation
Fall. 4(4-0)
Great books in Greek and Latin literatures, as well as in French, Italian and Spanish Medieval literatures. Readings from such writers as Sophocles, Homer, Dante, and Villon. Guest lectures by specialists on the various works.

242. Masterpieces of the Romance Languages in English Translation
Spring. 4(4-0)
Themes, genres and movements transcending national boundaries in French, Italian, and Spanish literatures of the 16th through 18th centuries. Topics such as the picaresque tradition, the spirit of the Renaissance, neoclassical theatre, the novel, and the Enlightenment.

243. Masterpieces of the Romance Languages in English Translation
Spring. 4(4-0)
Emphasis on literary works from the nineteenth and twentieth centuries of the old and new worlds. Topics such as the novel, existentialism, and the development of the theatre. Guest lectures by specialists on the various works.

299. Special Projects
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. Variable credit. May re-enroll for a maximum of 18 credits. Approval of department.
Work in areas outside regular course offerings.

310. Latin America Today
Fall. 3(3-0) Junior.
Major problems and conflicts determining the cultural development of contemporary Latin America as a whole.

311. Latin America Today
Winter. 3(3-0) Junior.
Cultural life of Latin America as reflected in its literary production, especially in the novel as the most striking interpretation of its social problems.