The following "Studies" courses offer opportunities for inquiry in depth of a variety of themes, topics or problems in several areas. They are planned for advanced students who have some familiarity with the general area in question. The precise content of each course will vary each time it is taught; thus making available a century of experiential training in religious thought. They will vary from term to term.

Each time it is taught, thus making available a century of Religious Studies, the student, in arranging his program, should consult with the Department of Religious Studies Office for information on the particular courses which will be taught each term.

Studies in Sacred Literatures
Fall, Winter, Spring. 3(3-0) May reenroll for a maximum of 9 credits. Approval of department.

Studies in Christianity
3(3-0) May reenroll for a maximum of 9 credits. Approval of department.

Studies in Buddhism
3(3-0) May reenroll for a maximum of 9 credits. Approval of department.

Individual Readings
Fall, Winter, Spring. 1 to 5 credits. May reenroll for a maximum of 10 credits if different topics are taken. Approval of department. Enrollment limited to upper class students with preference given to majors and to students with at least nine credits in religion or other appropriate preparation.

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

RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

College of Agriculture and Natural Resources

IDC. Introduction to Resource Ecology
For course description, see Interdisciplinary Courses.
Descriptions - Resource Development of Courses

809. Natural Resources Economics
Winter. 3(3-0) Approval of department. Interdepartmental with and administered by the Department of Forestry. Applications of economic analysis to natural resource problems.

810. Economics of Public Choice
Winter. 3(3-0) Approval of department. Interdepartmental with the departments of Agricultural Economics and Economics. Administered by the Department of Agricultural Economics. Economics of alternative institutions for collective action. Emphasis on property rights and market failure. Topics dealing with laws and legal issues in toxic substances, technology assessment, transportation, systems, fisheries, air quality, land use.

811. Public Program Analysis
Spring, Summer of odd-numbered years. 3(3-0) EC 324 or approval of department. Interdepartmental with the departments of Agricultural Economics and Economics. Administration by the Department of Agricultural Economics. Application of benefit-cost analysis to public programs of resource development. Issues and case studies in budgeting, investment criteria, pricing, externalities, and coordination.

812. Public Direction of Land Use
Spring. 3(3-0)
Use of public spending, property ownership, police, condemnation, and taxation powers to influence land use decisions.

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
Spring. 3(3-0)
Theoretical basis of legal controls of natural resources. Focus on common law and constitutional basis for and limitations on government 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
Fall. 3(3-0) Approval of department. Privy 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
Winter. 3(3-0) R D 836.
Analysis of federal environmental laws (NEPA, WQA, Clean Air Act). Forms and content of Environmental Impact Statements and problem of agency discretion and judicial review.

838. Selected Topics in Environmental Law
Winter. Spring. 3(3-0) May reenroll for a maximum of 9 credits if different topic is taken. Approval of department; R D 836 or R D 832 recommended. Topics dealing with laws and legal issues in toxic substances, technology assessment, transportation, systems, fisheries, air quality, land use.

840. Recreation Economics
Spring. 4(4-0) FOR 809 or approval of instructor. Interdepartmental with the department of Park and Recreation Resources and Forestry. 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 and Forestry. 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. The Research Process in Natural Resources
Fall. 3(3-0) Approval of department. Interdepartmental with the Department of Forestry.
Research and decision processes as applied in natural resource investigations. Research organization and application of results. Oriented to management, social science, and policy studies. Preparation of project proposals.

856. Concepts and Principles of Community Development
Fall. 3(3-0) Approval of department.
Concepts, principles, models, frameworks of community development. Analysis of the interface between community development theory, practice and research.

858. Community Systems for Community Development
Fall, Spring. 4(3-2) R D 864 or approval of department. Interdepartmental with the Department of Family and Child Ecology.
Basic systems of the community, their functions and interaction; the family, economic government, education, and supportive service systems. Field trips required.

866. Community Development Field Study
Fall, Spring. 4(2-4) R D 865 or approval of department. Interdepartmental and jointly administered with the Department of Family and Child Ecology.
On-site study of major community systems. Individual or group investigation of community efforts, problems, and opportunities. Field project required.

850. Individual Study
Fall, Winter, Spring. Summer. 1 to 6 credits. May reenroll for a maximum of 10 credits. Approval of department. Supervised readings. Independent study of selected topics.

851. Selected Topics
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. May reenroll for a maximum of 10 credits. Approval of department.

859. Master's Research
Fall, Winter, Spring. Summer. 1 to 5 credits. May reenroll for a maximum of 5 credits. Approval of department. Master's degree Plan B research paper.

899. Doctoral Dissertation Research
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. Variable credit. Approval of department.

860. Simulation Models in Natural Resource Management
Winter of odd-numbered years. 3(3-0) R D 855 and knowledge of FORTRAN or有权 to approve of department. Interdepartmental with the Department of Forestry, and Agricultural Economics. Administered by 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 resources management.

891. Advanced Topics
Fall, Winter, Spring. 3(3-0) May reenroll for a maximum of 12 credits. Doctoral students. Topics in different resources (land, water, air, minerals, energy) and as applied to regional research.

900. Doctoral Dissertation Research
Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer. Variable credit. Approval of department.

ROMANCE AND CLASSICAL 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

241. Masterpieces of the Romance and Classical Literatures in English Translation (A)
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.