

BA/BS MAJOR IN GEOGRAPHY

Requirements for a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science Degree with a Major in Geography

Additional Graduation Requirements (<https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/academic-procedures-requirements/graduation-requirements/>)

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Component (https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/academic-procedures-requirements/general-education-component/)		
Area I (Written Composition)		6
Area II (Humanities and Fine Arts) ¹		12
Area III (Natural Sciences and Mathematics)		11
Area IV (History, Social and Behavioral Sciences)		12
Area V (https://www.una.edu/areav/)		
Major Core Requirements:		
GE 102	Global Environments and Societies ²	3
GE 111	Physical Geography: Weather and Climate ²	4
or GE 111H	Honors Physical Geography: Weather and Climate	
GE 112	Physical Geography-Landforms ²	4
or GE 112H	Honors Physical Geography: Landforms	
GE 184	Digital Earth	3
GE 260	People, Place, and Culture ²	3
GE 300W	Geographic Exploration	3
GE 325	Cartography and Visualization	3
GE 384	Geographic Information Systems	4
Select one course from the following Regional Geography courses:		3
GE 301	Geography of Europe	
GE 302	Geography of Russia and Associated States	
GE 303	Geography of the South	
GE 304	Geography of the United States and Canada	
GE 305	Geography of Latin America	
GE 312	Geography of the Middle East	
GE 313	Geography of Asia	
GE 350	Geography of Africa	
GE 472	Historical Geography of the United States	
GE 497	Special Topics (if approved by chair as a regional course)	
Complete three credit hours from any of the following Experiential Learning options:		3
Field Courses ⁴		
Education Abroad Courses ⁴		
Internships		
GE 494	Geography Internship	
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GE 496	Geography Internship	
GE 487	Geography Capstone Project	
Prescribed Supporting Courses		
Select one Microcomputer Course ³		3

Select one Statistics Course 3

Additional Geography Electives 24

The Geography degree requires 24 additional credit hours of upper-division Geography courses. Up to 6 credit hours from the courses listed below may be chosen pending Advisor and Department Chair approval:

BI 411	Coastal Wetlands Ecology
BI 421	Ecology
BI 425	Introduction to Oceanography
ES 348	Earth Resources
ES 375	Technology and the Environment
HI 320	Introduction to Public History
MG 330	Principles of Management
MK 360	Principles of Marketing
SRM 335	Interpretation of Cultural and Natural Resources
SRM 345	Natural Resource Management
SS 490	Special Topics in Southern Studies
WS 354	Global Women's Issues

Minor

A minor or second major is not required for the Geography major.

General Elective hours, if required, to bring total to 120

Total Hours 120

¹ For the BA degree, 6 hours of a required foreign language at the introductory level.

² These courses are required in the major if not completed as part of the General Education component

³ Fulfills computer literacy requirement.

⁴ Courses that count as field courses or study away courses will be determined by the Department Chair.