



DEPARTMENT OF
GEOGRAPHY
College of Arts and Sciences

Effect positive change with a degree in Geography

EXPLORE CULTURES and Regions around the world!
Learn about the Human and Physical **ENVIRONMENT**
Understand **PEOPLE, PLACES,** and **PERSPECTIVES**



	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR+
Your Courses	Build a strong foundation in GEOG 1113 (Cultural), 1713 (Regional), and 1114 (Physical).	Develop technical skills in GEOG 2344 (Digital Tools) and take additional language courses focusing on your region of interest.	Explore advanced topics in Cultural or Regional Geography. Required courses include GEOG 4323 (Mapping in Modern Society).	Find your focus in classes like Music, Sports, Meteorology, or Hazards. GEOG 4313 serves as the Capstone.
Your Experience	Enhance your academic and professional journey through volunteering, work-study, and online short courses.	Undertake fieldwork and research that align with your interests. Attend seminars to network, build knowledge, and raise cultural awareness.	Conduct research in the Geography Undergraduate Mentors Program or apprentice in teaching through the Geography Teaching and Learning Experience.	Finalize a GIS or Environmental Studies Certificate or attend a regional Geography Conference like SWAAG.
Your Community	Join The Geography Club or other groups related to personal interests and academic goals. Utilize social media to find active groups!	Forge stronger campus connections by taking on leadership roles within clubs and actively participating in campus discussions and forums.	Engage in local community geography-related events and projects to foster valuable connections.	Collaborate with planning initiatives, environmental organizations, or workshops for career development.
Your Career Readiness	Build a professional online presence. Work with LASSO or The Writing Center to improve study skills.	Work with OSU career services to improve career readiness. Begin exploring internships and study abroad opportunities.	Strategize for post-graduation success by applying for Geography Scholarships. Join Gamma Theta Upsilon.	Finalize career plans with a career counselor and cultivate your professional network.
Your Personalized Path	Consider pursuing a Business Essentials, Pre-Law, or Pre-Ministry option. Add a certificate in Environmental Studies.			

YOU WILL LEARN

How cultural attitudes and practices vary around the world;
How to do fieldwork;
Why place matters;
How to design and use maps;
How to think in an interdisciplinary way.

WHAT IS NEXT

Make a difference through work for a nonprofit, in business, or with city, state, or the federal government.

Work in fields such as:
Community Development
Urban and Regional Planning
Historic Preservation
Travel and Tourism

Learn more about building your custom path, visit:
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