I. CORE CURRICULUM

Geography 1010, 1020, or 1040 (program prerequisites) will count toward social science requirement. Intermediate foreign language will count towards 6 hours of humanities requirement.

II. FOREIGN LANGUAGE

III. PROGRAM PREREQUISITES

GHY 1010 (3) Introduction to Physical Geography
GHY 1020 (3) World Regional Geography (MC) or GHY 1040 (3) Intro to Human Geography (MC)

IV. PROGRAM CORE REQUIREMENTS

2.0 major GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in the major department, plus any other courses under III. BA majors may not count more than a total of 40 hours in geography towards the degree.

A. Required Courses:

1. GEOGRAPHIC METHODS (3 hours)

GHY 3310 (3) Environmental Remote Sensing
GHY 3812 (3) Introduction to GIS (ND, C)
GHY 4810 (3) Digital Image Processing (ND, C)
GHY 4812 (3) Advanced GIS (ND, C)
GHY 4814 (3) Principles of GeoComputation

2. PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY (3 hours)

GHY 3100 (3) Weather & Climate
GHY 3110 (3) Vegetation, Soils, & Landforms
GHY 3130 (3) Geography of Biodiversity
GHY 3320 (3) Environmental Issues in Appalachia (S)
GHY 4620 (3) Synoptic & Regional Climatology
GHY 4820 (3) Geographical Hydrology

3. HUMAN GEOGRAPHY (3 hours)

GHY 3200 (3) Geographic Perspectives on Human Behavior
GHY 3210 (3) Economic Geography (W, MC)
GHY 4200 (3) Urban Geography
GHY 4230 (3) Political Geography
GHY 4240 (3) Introduction to GIS (ND, C)

4. REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY (3 hours)

GHY 3010 (3) Geographical Perspectives on Human Behavior
GHY 3011 (3) Europe & the Russian Realm (W, MC)
GHY 3012 (3) US and Canada (W)
GHY 3013 (3) North Carolina
GHY 3014 (3) Geography of Latin America (MC)
GHY 3015 (3) Geography of Asia (W, MC)

C. Geography Electives (15 hours)

Must include a minimum of 9 s.h. at 3000 or 4000 level; a maximum of 6 s.h. of 3000 or 4000 planning courses may be applied.

Authorized substitutions or waivers:

V. MINOR

VI. Departmental Graduation Check

(Should also have a senior check in the Dean’s Office, 100 I. G. Greer)

Advisor:____________________ Date:____________________
Chair:____________________ Date:____________________

Sent to Dean’s Office Date:____________________

VII. ELECTIVES (taken to total 122 hours for the degree)

2 semester hours of free electives must be outside the major discipline.