The Sustainability Minor at Cal Poly Humboldt transcends disciplines to complement any major. Exploring real-world problems from a variety of perspectives, the minor incorporates curricula from across the natural and social sciences, as well as the humanities and the arts. Its interdisciplinary nature catalyzes intellectual inquiry, systems thinking, and students’ agency to tackle the most pressing socio-ecological challenges of our time.

Requirements for the Minor (19 units)

Take one of the following:
- ENST 195 – Topics in Nature and Culture
- BA 106 – Advocating for Sustainability

Take at least one course from each area:

**Earth, Science, Tech & Built Environment**
- ESM 302 – Biodiversity on Earth
- ESM 308 – Ecotopia
- GEOG 357 – Climate, Ecosystems & People
- GEOG 303 – Earth Resources & Global Env Change
- OCN 301 – Marine Ecosystems-Human Impact
- RRS 306 – Wildland Resources Principles

**Socio-economic Institutions, Policy & Equity**
- ECON 309 – Economics of a Sustainable Society
- GEOG/ESM 301 – Intl. Environ. Issues & Globalization
- GEOG/PSCI 365 – Political Ecology
- NAS 332 – Environmental Justice
- NAS 366 - Tribal Water Rights
- PSCI 373 – Politics of Sustainability
- SOC 320 – Environmental Sociology
- SOC 370 - Env. Inequality & Globalization

**Communications, Culture & Ethics**
- CRGS/EDUC 313 – Community Activism
- CRGS 331 - Radical Futures: Race, Env. and Social Just.
- ESM 305 – Environmental Conflict Resolution
- ESM 309b – Environmental Communication
- GEOG 300 – Global Awareness
- PHIL 302 – Environmental Ethics
- WS 340 – Ecofeminism
- SOC 302 – Forests & Culture
- CRGS 480 – Race, Environment & Social Justice

Required culminating course:
- ENST 470 – Climate Justice and Sust. Leadership

Why enroll in the Sustainability Minor?
- Complements any major
- Provides a pathway to fulfill GE and DCG requirements
- Builds skills and knowledge relevant to any career pathway

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