## Geography & Geosciences - Programme Requirements 2015/6 - February 2016

# **School of Geography & Geosciences**

Including: Earth and Environmental Sciences, Geography, Sustainable Development

#### **Entry to Honours**

#### (Earth and Environmental Sciences)

Students who attain an average of grade 11.0 or above at the first sitting of the requisite 2000-level modules and who meet all other programme requirements will be given automatic offers of entry into Honours programmes\*.

\*Apart from students on Integrated Masters degrees.

#### (Geography and Sustainable Development)

Students who attain grades of 11.0 or above at the first sitting of the requisite 2000-level modules and who meet all other programme requirements will be given automatic offers of entry into Honours programmes.

Students permitted automatic entry to Honours will only be permitted to trail one module to a maximum of 30 sub-honours credits into Honours.

This School also allows 'Qualified Entry to Honours' as defined in: Entry to Honours

#### **BSc / MA Honours**

The general requirements are 480 credits over a period of normally four years (and not more than five years) or parttime equivalent, of which the final two years form an approved Honours programme of 240 credits, of which 90 credits are at 4000 level and at least a further 120 credits at 3000 and/or 4000 levels.

#### BSc / MA Honours with Integrated Year Abroad

The general requirements are 540 credits over a period of normally five years (and not more than six years) or part-time equivalent, of which the final three years are an approved Honours programme of 300 credits, of which 60 credits are gained during the integrated year abroad, 90 credits are at 4000 level and at least a further 120 credits at 3000 and/or 4000 levels.

### **MGeol Honours**

The general requirements are 600 credits over a period of normally five years (and not more than six years) or parttime equivalent, of which the final three years form an approved Honours programme of 360 credits, of which 120 credits are at 5000 level and at least 210 credits are at 3000 and 4000 levels.

**Study Abroad:** In the case of students who spend part of the Honours programme on a recognised Study Abroad scheme, the Programme Requirements will be amended to take into account overseas courses which are approved by the relevant St Andrews School in the Learning Agreement.

(see http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/studyabroad/outgoingstudents/AcademicInformation/).

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## Sustainable Development - Single Honours BSc or MA

First Year (2014/5 or earlier): 20 credits: SD1001 or SD1003.

First Year: (2015/6 or later): 40 credits: GG1001 and SD1000;

Sufficient credits from 1000-level modules in a partner subject (see accompanying list 1.).

to permit progression to 2000-level in that subject. (see accompanying list).

Second Year: 60 credits: SD2001 and SD2002 – with passes at grade 11 or better in both at the first

sitting or 13.5 in the re-assessment;

Sufficient 2000-level credits in the partner subject with pass(es) at the required grade to permit entry to Honours in that subject (exceptions to this may only be made with the

permission of the relevant Director of Teaching.)

Third Year: Between 30 and 60 credits: SG3201 - SG3204;

Up to 60 credits: SD3220 - SD3295, SG3220 - SG3295:

Further credits: 3000- or 4000-level modules in the partner subject (or honours modules

in accompanying list 2.), to a total of 120 for the Year.

**Fourth Year:** 20 credits: SG4221 - SG4289; SD4221 - SD4289

60 credits: SD4299;

Further credits: 3000- or 4000-level modules in partner subject (or honours modules in

accompanying list 2.), to a total of 120 for the Year.

**1. Partner Subjects agreed for 2015/16:** Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, English, Film Studies, Geography, History, International Relations, Management, Mathematics & Statistics, Modern Languages, Psychology, Social Anthropology (only for certain modules and only if space available).

Partner subjects are drawn from those Schools and departments across the University which have agreed to partner with Sustainable Development and thus allow SD students to access Honours modules, provided they meet the Honours entry requirement for that subject. SD students will gain access to these modules via the SD Honours Adviser and the Honours Adviser for each subject, who will be able to explain any relevant exceptions to the above.

**2.** Honours Modules - agreed for 2015/6 - for which SD2001 and SD2002, and honours entry to Sustainable Development is sufficient qualification: In addition to the Partner Subject arrangements above, the following modules are available to all students who have achieved Honours entry in Sustainable Development (see above):

**Biology**: BL3000\*; BL3308\*; BL3309\*; BL3316; BL3318; BL3320; BL4249; BL4254; BL4255; BL4258; BL4260; BL4262; BL4266; BL4268; BL4270; BL4274; BL4275; BL4278; BL4280; BL4281; BL4282; BL4284; BL4285; BL4301; (\* *The corequisites for these modules may be waived for Sustainable Development students*);

English: EN3202 (available 2015-2016 but not 2016-2017);

**Film Studies:** FM4110, FM4113 (SD Students who do not have a background in film may access these modules subject to approval by module convenors. If interested, they need to contact Dr Torchin directly (It40);

**Geography & Geoscience**: EG3020; EG3021; EG3031; EG3032; EG4020; EG4031; GG3226; GG3232; GG3234; GG3262;

GG3263; GG3264; SG3229; SG3272; SG3273; SG3274;

Interdisciplinary: ID4001;

Management: MN4227, MN4238, MN4266; Modern History: MO3334, MO3338.

Students still completing degree programmes as defined in previous Course Catalogues should discuss their module selections with their Honours Adviser(s).