Course Regulations:
Certificate in Australasian Ecology

Course Code: 1003

Applicability: These Course Regulations apply to all students who are enrolled in this certificate course.
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Responsible Office: Study Abroad,
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CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION AND INTERPRETATION

1.1 Introduction
This Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course Regulations apply to all students enrolled in the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course at the University of Notre Dame Australia.

These Regulations should be read in conjunction with the General University Regulations.

1.2 Interpretation
The terms included in these Regulations have the meanings as defined in the University’s General Regulations.

1.3 Alterations made to Course Regulations
Unless otherwise specified, when amendments are made to the structure, content or academic requirements of the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course, the amendments will automatically apply to all students enrolling for the first time in the degree in the year immediately following the adoption of the amendments.

1.4 Applicability to Campuses of the University
The Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course is available on the Fremantle Campus only.
CHAPTER 2: ENTRY CRITERIA

2.1  The standard entry criteria as detailed in the General Regulations apply to the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course.
2.2  The Certificate in Australasian Ecology is available only to Study Abroad students studying at the University.
CHAPTER 3: COURSE REQUIREMENTS

3.1 Structure
The structure of the Certificate in Australasian Ecology is annexed as Appendix A and B.

3.1.1 Compulsory units

For a student commencing enrolment in Semester 1 of an Academic Year:

Four (4) of the following units:

AL375 Australian History and Society  (25cp)
SE252 Natural Resource Management    (25cp)
SS350 Pollution and Ecotoxicology     (25cp)
SG111 Physical Geography: Climates, Geology and Soils  (25cp)
SE350 Foundations of Environmental Education (25cp)
SE320 Understanding Sustainable Development Practices (25cp)

Plus one elective unit 25cp

For a student commencing enrolment in Semester 2 of an Academic Year:

AL375 Australian History and Society  25cp
SE233 Australian Ecology and Environmental Issues  25cp
SG211 Coastal and Marine Systems    25cp

Plus one approved Science unit 25cp
(Recommended: SS228 Ecophysiology or SS325 Aquatic Science)

Plus one General Elective unit 25cp

3.1.2 Elective units

(a) The elective unit may be chosen from any School of the University provided prerequisites have been met, the unit is available to Study Abroad students and the Dean of the relevant School and the Pro Vice Chancellor (International) have approved the enrolment.

(b) Details of elective units available to Study Abroad students are published on a semester by semester basis by the Study Abroad Office in consultation with each School of the University.

3.1.3 Majors
There are no Majors within the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course.

3.1.4 Minors
There are no Minors within the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course.

3.1.5 Specialisations
Specialisations are not available within the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course.

3.2 Practicum or Internship requirements
There are no practicum or internship requirements associated with the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course.

3.3 Approved unit substitutions
Unit substitutions are only permitted with the approval of the relevant Dean (or delegate) and the Pro Vice Chancellor (International).
3.4 Course duration

3.4.1 Standard Duration
(i) The standard duration of the Certificate in Asia Pacific Studies is six months of equivalent full time study.
(ii) Students are not able to enrol in the degree on a part-time basis.

3.4.2 Accelerated Duration
An accelerated mode is not available for the Certificate in Australasian Ecology Course.

3.5 Graduation
A minimum of one hundred and twenty five (125) credit points drawn from the approved course structure and completed in one semester of study is required in order for a student to graduate with the Certificate in Australasian Ecology.

End of Regulations
## APPENDICES

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