

GEOGRAPHY, MASTER OF ARTS

all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.

Minimum Total Hours (Thesis): 30
 Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis): 36

Program Code: M460

Required Courses

Thesis Option

| Code | Title | Credit Hours |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Required Courses | | |
| GEOG 6953 | Geographic Research & Writing | 3 |
| GEOG 6973 | Contemporary Geographic Thought | 3 |
| GEOG 5980 | Research for Master's Thesis | 4-6 |
| Electives | | |
| Choose 18-20 hours ¹ | | 18-20 |
| Total Credit Hours | | 30 |

¹ Must include two seminars or graduate level courses in Geography; slashlisted courses, independent studies and research courses will not satisfy this requirement.

Non-Thesis Option

| Code | Title | Credit Hours |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Required Courses | | |
| GEOG 6953 | Geographic Research & Writing | 3 |
| GEOG 6973 | Contemporary Geographic Thought | 3 |
| Electives | | |
| Choose 30 hours ¹ | | 30 |
| Total Credit Hours | | 36 |

¹ Must include two seminars or graduate level courses in Geography; slashlisted courses, independent studies and research courses will not satisfy this requirement.

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The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 32 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in