

# ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE, MASTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

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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): 32

Program Code: M405

## Thesis Option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
Choose a minimum of 24 elective hours <sup>1</sup>		24
<b>Thesis</b>		
CEES 5980	Research for Master's Thesis	5-6
Total Credit Hours		30

<sup>1</sup> Courses must be selected based on the guidelines outlined in the CEES Guide for Graduate Students, and the discipline-specific criteria maintained by the School. Accelerated students may dual count six hours of graduate-level electives as approved by their advisor.

## Non-Thesis Option

The Non-Thesis degree is a coursework-only degree; a Non-Thesis examination is not required.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Choose a minimum of 32 elective hours <sup>1</sup>		32
Total Credit Hours		32

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