

SPRING SEMESTER 2025

COURSE TITLE: Intro to Geographic Information System

COURSE NUMBER: EVST 1010 / URBN 1010

INSTRUCTORS:

01- Harlan, Tyler TR 11:50 – 1:30 pm

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An introduction to geospatial and environmental research methods with an emphasis on the use of GIS as an essential methodology for the investigation and visualization of spatial data and multivariate environmental and urban issues.

University Core fulfilled: Explorations: Nature of Sci, Tech, Math.

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COURSE TITLE: The Urban World

COURSE NUMBER: EVST 1100 / URBN 1000

INSTRUCTORS:

01-	Garcia, Brian	TR	1:45 – 3:25 pm
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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An introduction to historic and contemporary cities, processes of urbanization, and urban society. Course topics include urban origins, urban economics, the internal structure of cities, urban infrastructure, urban social and cultural processes, urban physical and social environments, and city systems in the regional and global context.

University Core fulfilled: Explorations: Understanding Human Behavior.

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COURSE TITLE: Sustainable Cities

COURSE NUMBER: EVST 3020 / URBN 3046

INSTRUCTORS:

01- Beer, Clare TR 8:00 – 9:40 am

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An examination of the challenges of and potential solutions to the sustainability of socioeconomic, environmental, and ecological systems associated with historic, contemporary, and future urbanization. Course topics include an analysis of the sustainability of historic and contemporary cities, the consideration of sustainable alternatives associated with such trends as New Urbanism, and the potential for alternative urban policies and practices designed to foster sustainability.

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COURSE TITLE: Urban Planning

COURSE NUMBER: EVST 3100 / URBN 3045

INSTRUCTORS:

01-	Garcia, Brian	TR	11:50 – 1:30 pm
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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An introduction to the problems, principles, and practices of contemporary urban planning, especially in California and the United States.

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COURSE TITLE: Community Development

COURSE NUMBER: URBN 3047

INSTRUCTORS:

01-	Sessoms, Nathan	TR	3:40 – 5:20 pm
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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An exploration of the meanings and methodologies of community development, especially in contemporary urban America.

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COURSE TITLE: Special Studies

COURSE NUMBER: URBN 3998

INSTRUCTORS:

01- Gilbert, Brianne SS: GIS: Mapping Los Angeles MW 6:00 – 7:40 pm

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COURSE TITLE: Senior Project

COURSE NUMBER: URBN 4000

INSTRUCTORS:

01- Garcia, Brian TR 3:40 – 5:20 pm

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

A supervised internship and directed research on a specific urban topic incorporating appropriate primary and secondary research methodologies and/or participant observation.

Senior standing or permission of the Program Director required.

University Core fulfilled: Flags: Engaged Learning.

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COURSE TITLE: Independent Studies

COURSE NUMBER: URBN 4999

INSTRUCTORS:

01-	Harlan, Tyler	Environmental Studies Research	TBA	TBA
02-	Harlan, Tyler	Environmental Studies Research	TBA	TBA