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COURSES

College Connections

GEOG 199 1 credit

4 credits

Population and Environment

GEOG 341 Core Education Social Science (>2) Global Perspective (>GP)

*This is a FIG Runway

CALENDAR

First FIG Meeting

You will get to meet your FIG classmates, FIG Assistant (FA), and Faculty before classes start!

Check your FIG page in September to find out more details.

ACADEMIC TEAM

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ABOUT THIS FIG

College Connections

Carnegie Global Community (CGO) is an ethics-based FIG that fosters learning, service, community and leadership at the University of Oregon. CGO students engage and collaborate with peers, mentors and guests during small group conversations, weekly shared meals, and through volunteer, internship, and employment opportunities. To foster this engagement and collaboration, CGO brings leaders from many walks of life-- from the local community and around the world-- to explore pressing ethical issues with the CGO student community during weekly group meetings. CGO is unique in that participants remain involved in the community throughout their college careers (and even beyond), allowing them to mentor younger University of Oregon students, develop and execute independent and collaborative projects, and become active leaders in the CGO community.

Population and Environment

This course will focus on the challenges that population growth presents to the world community, particularly in social and environmental terms. It will broach the issue of sustainability: Can the planet support our species given our current behaviors and structures? If so, at what cost to the quality of human and other life? If not, what might be done to rectify our current course? We will look for common patterns, and the lessons taught by situations which depart from the norm. We will look at evidence of environmental degradation, and try to understand what impacts are caused by population and "over population."

FIG RUNWAY

CGO is a FIG Runway, in which students take a year-long seminar with the same professor and peers. Students will enroll in 1-credit seminars in winter and spring to continue exploring the CGO theme. The majority of CGO students remain active in this vibrant learning community throughout their years at the university, which provides a supportive mix for sophomores, juniors, and seniors who meet weekly for class and a meal to explore areas of ethical concern.

NEXT STEPS

After you're registered for your FIG, you will want to check out the Meet Your FIG page (https://fyp.uoregon.edu/fall-2020-figs). This page will have everything you need to know before the beginning of fall term, including how to email your FIG Assistant, if you have a summer assignment, and when you will be meeting your FIG for the first time in September. In order to prepare for your coursework and be notified about important academic deadlines you will want to download the "Canvas" and "Navigate" apps to your phone or any device you will be using. If you have questions about anything, make sure you email your FIG Assistant – they are here to help!



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KEY	Your FIG College Connections Class. Meet once a week with 20 peers, Faculty, and FIG Assistant (FA).		The lecture courses associated with your FIG.		Your discussion or lab section for lecture courses.