



*University of Pennsylvania
Institute for Environmental Studies*

Certificate of Study in Environmental Science

This certificate will be granted by the Institute for Environmental Studies at the University of Pennsylvania to Penn Law students who successfully complete its requirements.

To qualify for the certificate, a student must successfully complete five courses in the general areas of Environmental Law and Science.

Two of these courses are taken at the Law School, and three from a selection of courses in Environmental Studies.

I. Law School Courses

Students must complete two courses in Environmental Law or Policy, from a list approved annually by the Associate Dean.

II. Environmental Science Courses

Students must complete three courses in Environmental Science from a list approved annually by the Director of Professional Programs of the IES Program.

III. Course Availability

- a.** It is expected that most of the Environmental Science courses will have openings for Law students in most years. In any given year, however, Law students cannot be assured of available spots in all of these classes. As is true in the Law School, when a course is oversubscribed, instructors in Environmental Science may give preference to students from their department.
- b.** Students may substitute other courses as appropriate. The Associate Dean for Academic Affairs of the Law School, in consultation with the Director of Professional Education Programs of the IES, must approve courses other than those from the approved lists.

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