GEOPHYSICAL SCIENCE

122 REGIONAL FIELD STUDIES IN PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY 1 UNIT
Recommended Preparation: “C” grade or higher or “Pass” in GEOG 120 or equivalent or concurrent enrollment
1 hour lecture, 1 hour laboratory
Provides focused experience in geographical field studies of a selected region in western North America. Emphasizes observation and interpretation of physical geography phenomena through direct experience in a field setting. Requires a multi-day field trip as well as on-campus meetings prior to and immediately following the field trip. Students must supply their own camping gear including food, cooking gear, stove, eating utensils, sleeping bag and tent. May be taken with different content for a maximum of 4 units.
CSU

130 HUMAN GEOGRAPHY: THE CULTURAL LANDSCAPE 3 UNITS
3 hours lecture
Introduction to the study of the dynamics and complex relationships between the Earth’s people and the ever-changing world in which they live. Special attention given to the historical role of the human-environment relationship, as well as the influences of language, religion, and other cultural factors in shaping the world’s many cultures. Topics investigated on a global, regional and local scale include: origin and diffusion of the world’s major languages and religions; population and settlement patterns; political and economic systems; methods of livelihood; the role of technology in our rapidly changing world. Emphasis is on human-environment relations and understanding and appreciation of our diverse multicultural world. Local field trips link course materials to real-world phenomena.
AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC