

EARTH HISTORY MINOR

Geologic, Environmental, and Planetary Sciences (GEPS)

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The undergraduate minor in Earth History recognizes concentrated study in this designated field in the College of Computer, Mathematical, and Natural Sciences. The award of a minor will be noted on the student's transcript at the time of graduation.

This minor may be earned by students not majoring in Geology and is administered by the Geology Undergraduate Studies Director. A grade of "C-" or better must be earned in all courses required for the minor.

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REQUIREMENTS

Course	Title	Credits
Select one of the following:		4
GEOL100 & GEOL110	Physical Geology and Physical Geology Laboratory	
GEOL120 & GEOL110	Environmental Geology and Physical Geology Laboratory	
GEOL102	Historical Geology	4
Select three of the following:		9-12
GEOL331	Principles of Paleontology	
GEOL341	Structural Geology	
GEOL342	Sedimentation and Stratigraphy	
GEOL436	Principles of Biogeochemistry	
GEOL437	Global Climate Change: Past and Present	
GEOL499	Special Problems in Geology	
Total Credits		17-20

ADVISING

Advising is not mandatory for the Earth History Minor, however interested students are urged to consult with the Geological, Environmental, and Planetary Sciences Director of Undergraduate Studies prior to declaring the minor to discuss academic planning and logistics. Contact information is available at the Geology web page <http://geol.umd.edu>.