

**★ENGLISH 380 (3)—Advanced Seminar**

*Prerequisite: Six credits in English. Enrollment limited.*  
A seminar course on a topic, genre, figure, or school (e.g. romanticism, comedy, Ben Jonson, the Transcendentalists) with special emphasis on research and discussion. The topic will be limited in scope to permit study in depth. Student suggestions for topics are welcome. May be repeated for degree credit with permission and if the topics are different.  
*Staff.*

*Fall, Winter, Spring*

**ENGLISH 385 (1)—Preparatory Reading for Study Abroad**

Seminar in reading preliminary to study abroad in Great Britain (English 386). *Staff.*

*Not offered in 1999-2000*

**ENGLISH 386 (3)—Supervised Study in Great Britain**

*Prerequisite: Six credits in English and approval of the International Education Committee. Corequisite: English 403. Offered subject to sufficient enrollment.* An advanced seminar in British literature carried on in Great Britain, with emphasis on independent research and intensive exposure to British culture. Changing topics, rotated yearly from instructor to instructor as in home seminars, will be limited in scope to permit study in depth. *Staff.*

*Not offered in 1999-2000*

**ENGLISH 403 (3)—Directed Individual Study**

*Prerequisite: Six credits in English.* A course designed for special students who wish to continue a line of study begun in an earlier advanced course. Their applications approved by the department and accepted by their proposed directors, the students may embark upon directed independent study which must culminate in acceptable papers. May be repeated for degree credit with permission and if the topics are different. *Staff.*

**ENGLISH 453 (3)—Internship in Literary Editing with Shenandoah**

*Prerequisites: Junior standing and approval of the Shenandoah editor.* An apprenticeship in editing for one student each 12-week term with the editor of *Shenandoah*, Washington and Lee's literary magazine. The student is instructed in and assists in these facets of the editor's work: evaluation of manuscripts, proofreading/copy editing, the arrangement of work within an issue, selection of cover art, contributor's notes, responses to queries, and news releases. The student also works toward an understanding of the role of journals in contemporary literature. *R. T. Smith.*

*Fall, Winter*

**ENGLISH 493 (3-3)—Honors Thesis**

A summary of prerequisites and requirements may be obtained from the department head.

*Fall-Winter*

**ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR RUSCIO\*

The **Program in Environmental Studies** is an interdisciplinary program of study requiring an understanding of the sciences, social sciences and the humanities, designed to educate students in a broad class of issues related to the environment and humanity's place in the natural world. Students are educated not as experts but as knowledgeable citizens contributing to the resolution of these challenges. The Program is not a major. Students may not complete both the Program in Environmental Studies and the major in environmental studies in geology. Students identified by the chair of the environmental studies committee as having completed the program will have a notation placed on their transcripts at graduation. The program requires completion of the following 25 credits:

1. Economics 101 or Politics 100
2. Geology 100 or 101
3. Geology 150, Interdepartmental 110, Interdepartmental 397 (Geology 397), Philosophy 108, Philosophy 260 and Politics 233

All of these courses (except for Interdepartmental 397) fulfill certain general education requirements and may be applicable to the majors in each of the departments.

In addition to the courses in the interdisciplinary program, several other courses on campus address environmental subjects.

Biology 245—General Ecology  
Economics 120—Economics, Ecology and Resource Conservation  
Geology 100—General Geology with Field Emphasis  
Geology 101—General Geology  
Geology 135—Meteorology  
Geology 141—Global Climate Change  
Geology 146—Geology of Natural Resources  
Geology 150—Water Resources  
Geology 201—Oceanography  
Geology 397—Seminar (when appropriate)  
Interdepartmental 397—Senior Seminar in Environmental Studies  
Philosophy 108—Ethics and the Environment  
Philosophy 260—Philosophy of Nature  
Physics 110—Energy and the Environment  
Politics 233—Environmental Policy

\*Head of the Environmental Studies Committee