

**Queens College of the City University of New York  
Department of Anthropology**

CONCENTRATION FORM:

**MINOR IN HUMAN ECOLOGY**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Intended date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ CUNY I.D. Number: \_\_\_\_\_

The Minor in Human Ecology includes courses focusing on understanding the relationship between humans and their environment, including long-term human adaptation and evolution, human impacts on the environment, responses to climate change, the emergence of social complexity, agriculture, food security, and resource extraction and environmental degradation, such as mining and pollution. The Human Ecology targeted minor prepares students to address pressing issues involving the human-environmental relationship and obtain employment in public archaeology, ecology, natural history, education, public health, social ecology, and related fields. This specialized Minor consists of six courses totaling 18 credits and can be easily combined with Majors in other departments. If combined with a Major in Anthropology, only 9 credits are required, and these must be different courses than those counting towards the Major.

Students must declare their intention to minor in Human Ecology by submitting a Major/Minor declaration form, meeting with a faculty advisor, and completing a concentration form in consultation with their advisor. The courses (and semesters they will be taken) that the student intends to take to comprise the Minor should be entered below. This form should be prepared and signed by the advisor in duplicate – one copy retained by the student, the other filed with the department. Changes in the courses selected may be made at any time as long as the basic requirements are completed. Unauthorized changes, however, may result in a departmental decision not to award the Minor.

Grades below C- in anthropology courses are not acceptable for the Major or Minor. Students who have received such grades in any course needed to fulfill the Minor requirements must retake those courses and achieve a grade of C- or better to be considered for graduation as Human Ecology Minors.

**REQUIREMENTS**

**REQUIRED COURSES**

<i>course</i>	<i>semester</i>
ANTH 102	_____
ANTH 103	_____

**ADDITIONAL ELECTIVE COURSES**

*Three* courses from the following  
 (only one of these may be 201, 240, or 260):  
 201, 240, 241, 243, 246, 246W, 256, 260, 262, 264,  
 302, 340, 342, 361, 361W, 362, 363, 368, 369, 375

*This may also include one* of the following topics courses:  
 259, 279, 290, 290W, 330, 350, 370

**ESSENTIALS ELECTIVE COURSE**

One essentials course: 201, 240, or 260

<i>course</i>	<i>semester</i>
ANTH _____	_____

<i>course</i>	<i>semester</i>
ANTH _____	_____
ANTH _____	_____
ANTH _____	_____

**Minimum of 18 Credits:** \_\_\_\_\_

*For Anthropology Majors only:*  
 minimum of 9 credits: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved Date: \_\_\_\_\_