



**PROGRAM OF STUDY
 DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT STUDIES (PhD SDS)
 (WITH BRIDGING COURSES)
 MAJOR IN RURAL AND URBAN PLANNING(RUP)**

First Year, First Semester

Course No.	Course Title	Units	Hrs./Wk			Co requi site(s)	Pre requi site(s)	Grade
			Lec	Lab/ Fieldwork	Total			
SDS201	Fundamentals of Sustainable Development	3	36	54	90	None	None	
SDS301	Advanced Research Methods for Sustainable Development	3	54	0	54	None	None	
SDS302	Sustainable Project Management	3	54	0	54	None	None	
	TOTAL	9	144	54	198			

First Year, Second Semester

Course No.	Course Title	Units	Hrs./Wk			Co requi site(s)	Pre requi site(s)	Grade
			Lec	Lab/ Fieldwork	Total			
SDS206	Environmental Impact Assessment for Sustainable Development	4	36	108	144	None	None	
SDS303	Sustainable Development Policy and Governance	3	54	0	54	None	None	
SDS304	Fundamentals of Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change Adaptation	3	36	54	90	None	None	
	TOTAL	10	126	162	288			

Second Year, First Semester

Course No.	Course Title	Units	Hrs./Term			Coreq ui site(s)	Prer equi site(s)	Grade
			Lec	Lab/ Fieldwork	Total			
	Major 1	3	36	54	90	None	SDS301	
	Major 2	3	36	54	90	None	SDS301	
	Major 3	3	36	54	90	None	SDS301	
	TOTAL	9	108	162	270			



Second Year, Second Semester

Course No.	Course Title	Units	Hrs./Term			Co requi site(s)	Pre requi site(s)	Grade
			Lec	Lab/ Fieldwork	Total			
SDS395	Special Problem	3	54	0	54	None	SDS301	
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	TOTAL	9	108	0	108			

Third Year, First Semester

Course No.	Course Title	Units	Hrs./Wk			Corequi site(s)	Prerequi site(s)	Grade
			Lec	Lab/ Field work	Total			
SDS400	Dissertation	12	216	0	216	None		
	TOTAL	12	216	0	216			

Third Year, Second Semester

Course No.	Course Title	Units	Hrs./Term			Co requi site(s)	Pre requi site(s)	Grade
			Lec	Lab/ Fieldwork	Total			
SDS400	Dissertation	12	216	0	216	None		
	TOTAL	12	216	0	216			

Major Subjects

- Comprehensive Planning Process
- Planning Regulations and Practice
- Land Use Planning Strategies and Technique
- Planning Systems and Environmental Management

*Cognate courses to be taken from the major courses of other specialization tracks.

Approved By:

 Chairperson/Program Coordinator