



Department of  
**Community Sustainability**

**MS-A Planning and Program of Study Form**  
**Sustainable Tourism & Protected Area Management (5376)**

If you need more lines to list courses,  
or are also pursuing a specialization  
or certification, use page 2.

Name of Student (do not include PID)

Student-developed short label for degree focus

*Note: Equivalent ACR courses will meet the CSUS course requirements.*

**Required Common Courses:**

Course #	Course Name	# Credits
CSUS 800	Foundations of Community Sustainability	3
CSUS 802	Survey of Research Methods	3

**Required Research Course:** Minimum of 3 credits of quantitative or qualitative methods (selected in consultation with student's guidance committee)

Course #	Course Name	# Credits

**Focus Area Courses:** Minimum of 15 credits in the STPAM focus area selected in consultation with student's guidance committee and based on student's STPAM-related academic goals; one course must be CSUS 814; at least 6 additional credits must be STPAM-related CSUS courses.

Course #	Course Name	# Credits
CSUS 814	Sustainable Tourism & Protected Area Management: Theories & Applications	3
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**Thesis Research Credits:** Minimum of 6 credits required; maximum of 18 credits allowed

Course #	Course Name	# Credits
CSUS 899	Master's Thesis Research	6

**Successful Completion and Defense of Master's Thesis**

**Confirmation of Agreement between Student and Committee Members**

	Name	Signature	Date
Student:			
Advisor/Chair:			
Member 2:			
Member 3:			
Grad Prog Coord:	Gail A. Vander Stoep		
CSUS Chairperson:	Michael Hamm		
CANR Asso. Dean:	Kelly Millenbah		



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### PAGE 2: Other Program Plan Courses, Specializations, Certifications

Name of Student (do not include PID) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Type (MS-A, MS-B, PhD) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Program (CARRS, CSUS, STPAM) \_\_\_\_\_

*This form is intended as an "add-on" program planning form on which to list courses not fitting on page 1, or to record one or more specializations, certifications, or other special program elements to plan and track their progress. In many cases, a specialization or certification is simply incorporated as all or part of one (or more) focus areas in the official Program of Study. Other students choose to ADD a specialization or certification on top of their official Program of Study. In other cases, some program requirement courses fulfill part of a specialization, yet additional courses beyond the Program of Study courses are needed to complete a specialization or certification. Thus, use this form for planning purposes. Use as many extra pages as needed.*

*It is recommended that any courses NOT needed as part of the official Program of Study (30 credits for MS and 60 credits for PhD degrees) NOT be included on the official Program of Study. Rather, they can be tracked on this form. The reason is that, should students change course choices for specializations/certifications or later decide to NOT complete one, they do not have to complete a Change of Program Plan form or complete a new Program Plan/Planning Form.*

Additional Program Plan Courses – Requirement Category (from pg. 1) -- Identify in right-hand column below: \_\_\_\_\_

Course #	Course Title	# Credits	Requirement Category (from pg 1)

Name of Specialization  
or Certification #1 \_\_\_\_\_

Course #	Course Title	# Credits	Part of Official Program of Study?	
			Yes	No

Name of Specialization  
or Certification #2 \_\_\_\_\_

Course #	Course Title	# Credits	Part of Official Program of Study?	
			Yes	No