

Careers



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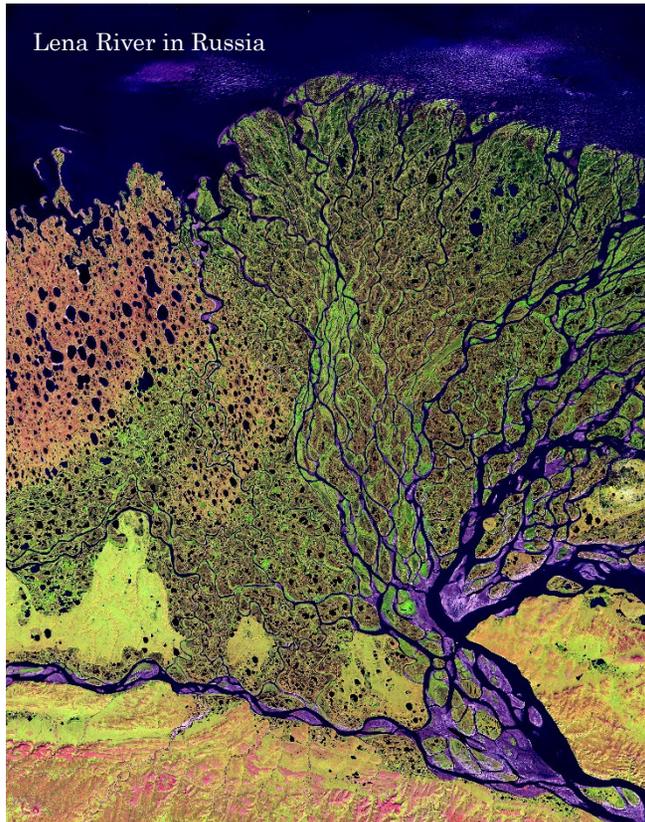
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Why Geography Matters?

Geography is the science of place and space. Geographers ask where things are located on the surface of the earth, why they are located where they are, how places differ from one another, and how people interact with the environment. There are two main branches of geography: human geography and physical geography.

Human geography is concerned with the spatial aspects of human existence – how people and their activity are distributed in space, how they use and perceive space, and how they create and sustain the places that make up the earth’s surface.

Physical geographers study patterns of weather and climate, landforms, vegetation, soils and water. They forecast the weather, manage land and water resources, and analyze and plan for forests, rangelands, and wetlands.

Geography AA-T

Recognizes a student’s completion of lower division courses required for most 4-year Geography Bachelor’s degrees

- Geography 1 & 1Lab
- Geography 2 or Geography 5
- Choose 2:
(Any classes above not already used)
Geography 8
Geography 12
Geography 15
- Choose 2:
(Any classes above not already used)
Geology 1
Anthropology 3
Math 40
- GE Requirements
- 60 Units

Geography Courses

All courses are transferable to CSU, UC

GEOG 1 - Introduction to Physical Geography
A/AS GE: II, IV; CSU GE: B1; IGETC: 5A

GEOG 1L - Introduction to Physical Geography Laboratory
A/AS GE: II; CSU GE: B3

GEOG 2 - Cultural Geography
A/AS GE: IV; CSU GE: D5; IGETC: 4E

GEOG 5 - World Regional Geography
A/AS GE: IV; CSU GE: D5; IGETC: 4E

GEOG 8 - Introduction to Atmospheric Science
A/AS GE: II; CSU GE: B1; IGETC: 5A

GEOG 12 - Geography of California
A/AS GE: II, IV; CSU GE: B1,D5; IGETC: 4E, 5A

GEOG 15 - Introduction to GIS
A/AS GE: II, IV; CSU GE: D5