Graduate Certificate in Sustainability

Sustainability is a problem-based, solution-oriented framework for creating a resilient civilization. Mitigation and adaptation to climate change is emphasized along with biodiversity conservation, resource conservation, and mitigation of pollution. Students within this graduate certificate should expect to explore, debate, and research possible sustainability solutions from a variety of viewpoints.

Program Features

+ One-on-one academic and professional advising as our world-class faculty and trained staff strive to make your professional and academic goals a reality.

+ Unity College is an accredited institution by New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE).

+ Experiential Online. Experiential programs are delivered 100% online with field work designed with the working professional in mind.

+ Study when and where you want and finish your certificate while still working full-time.

+ Make professional connections with leaders in your field.

Certificate Credit Requirements

12 Credits Earned
3.00 minimum cumulative graduate level grade point average

Program Length

Earn your certificate in as little as 16 weeks.
Graduates will be able to:

+ Understand and articulate the fundamental processes and multi-perspective issues of climate change plus mitigation and adaptation.
+ Integrate social sciences and natural science perspectives for problem solving.
+ Understand and integrate different communication styles for different audiences.
+ Apply management and leadership to a professional science context.
+ Use leadership and management skills to accomplish goals in a professional context.
+ Use appropriate modes of communication when engaging with diverse stakeholders.
+ Recognize and consider ethical implications of decisions and actions in professional settings.
+ Identify, network, and become involved in a professional organization that connects with disciplinary professionals.
+ Apply knowledge from courses taken and research that aligns with professional career goals.

Graduate Certificate in Sustainability

Unity College is known as a leader in sustainability and sustainability science. This certificate is a natural fit for individuals wanting post-baccalaureate experience and understanding of sustainability. Students can easily continue on to earn their master’s.

Complete the following courses:
SUST 505 Thinking in Systems
SUST 510 Climate Dynamics
SUST 515 Leading Sustainable Change
SUST 520 Community Planning for Resiliency