### ADVISING WORKSHEET
**Department of Geography & Regional Planning (GARP)**
**Westfield State University**

*Please note: This is for reference only. Please meet with an advisor to review your program of study.*

#### COMMON CORE of Studies

**Humanities Section (18 credits, 6 from each area):**

- **English Composition (6 credits):**
  1) ____ ENGL 0101
  2) ____ ENGL 0102
- **Literary & Phil. Analysis (6 credits):**
  1) ____________
  2) ____________
- **Appreciation of the Arts (6 credits):**
  1) ____________
  2) ____________

**Social Science Section (12 credits):**

- **U.S. Hist. & Gov. (at least 3 credits must be from this area):**
  1) ____________
- **Social Understanding (maximum 9 credits):**
  1) ____ GARP 0101 World Regional Geography
  2) ____ GARP 0105 Introduction to Community Planning
  3) ____

**Mathematics/Applied Analytical Reasoning Section (6 credits):**

- 1) ____________
- 2) ____ GARP 0346 Quantitative Methods in Planning

**Science Section (7 credits):**

- 1) ____ GARP 0102 Physical Geography and Lab
- 2) ____________

**Diversity Section (6 credits, 3 from each area):**

- 1) ________ Global Diversity (Suggested: GARP 0210)

#### MAJOR COURSES

**Regional Planning Foundation Courses**

- ____ GARP 0101 World Regional Geography (CORE)
- ____ GARP 0102 Physical Geography & Lab (CORE)
- ____ GARP 0105 Intro to Community Planning
- ____ GARP 0106 Intro to Environmental Analysis
- ____ GARP 0391 Seminar: Regional/Environmental Planning

**Methodology - 9 credits** (Choices must include one graphic course and one quantitative course)

- **Graphics Methods**
  - ____ GARP 0243 Intro to Remote Sensing
  - ____ GARP 0244 Intro to Geographic Info. Sys.
  - ____ GARP 0344 Advanced Geographic Info. Sys.
- **Quantitative Methods**
  - ____ GARP 0340 Data Collection and Analysis
  - ____ GARP 0346 Quant Methods in Planning (CORE)

**Social, Urban and Environmental Applications - 12 Credits**

(Courses to be selected, with advisement, from the following)

- ____ GARP 0204 Housing in America (CORE)
- ____ GARP 0206 Climate Change
- ____ GARP 0215 Economic Geography
- ____ GARP 0216 Urban Geography
- ____ GARP 0217 Global Issues of the Future
- ____ GARP 0218 Recreation Geography
- ____ GARP 0219 Land Use/Resource Planning
- ____ GARP 0220 Landform Evaluation for Planners
- ____ GARP 0225 Legal Issues in Zoning & Planning
- ____ GARP 0230 Meteorology
- ____ GARP 0236 Environmental Analysis II
- ____ GARP 0238 Environmental Impact Analysis
- ____ GARP 0314 Transportation Geography
- ____ GARP 0315 Site Location Analysis
- ____ GARP 0316 American Suburbanization
- ____ GARP 0317 Special Topics
- ____ GARP 0330 Climatology
- ____ GARP 0331 Severe and Unusual Weather
- ____ GARP 0351 Cities of the Third World
2) U. S. Diversity (Suggested: GARP 0204)

### Requirements for Graduation

Students must meet the following requirements to graduate with a baccalaureate degree:

1. A cumulative (institutional) GPA of 2.0 or better.
2. A major GPA of 2.0 or better.
3. 120 earned credits of which 30 credits must be completed at WSU. Earned credits require a grade of “D” or better.
4. Successful completion of the CORE.
5. Successful completion of the MAJOR.

### Regional Planning Electives – 6 Credits

(Choose any two courses listed below or additional methodology or applications course)

- GARP 0200 Geography of Europe
- GARP 0201 Geography of Africa
- GARP 0202 Geography of North America
- GARP 0210 Cultural Geography (CORE)
- GARP 0212 Political Geography
- GARP 0213 Travel and Tourism
- GARP 0214 Behavioral Geography
- GARP 0320 Intermediate Meteorology
- GARP 0350 Internship in Regional & Environmental Planning (3-12 credits)
- GARP 0399 Independent Study in Geography and Regional Planning (3-6 credits)
- HIST 0365 History of City & Reg. Planning
- POLS 0204 Intro to Public Administration
- POLS 0205 Urban Politics

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*(Signature confirms agreement with academic plan outlined above)*