

GEOLOGY (GEOL)

GEOL 126 Geology (4 Credit Hours)

Type of credit: Baccalaureate/Transfer

Lecture hours: 3

Lab hours: 2

Investigates the processes that shape the surface of the earth: earthquakes, volcanoes, glaciers, streams, etc. Includes study of the rocks and minerals of the earth's crust. Lab work covers rock and mineral identification, geologic map interpretation, and two all-day field trips. IAI Code: P1 907L. Typical offering schedule: fall

GEOL 132 Natural Hazards and Disasters (3 Credit Hours)

Type of credit: Baccalaureate/Transfer

Lecture hours: 3

Course examines the dynamic geological and meteorological processes that create hazards to human life, structures, and activities. Hazards investigated include earthquakes, volcanoes, tsunamis, hurricanes, tornadoes, floods, and landslides. Hazard recognition, avoidance, and mitigation are also examined. IAI Code P1 905. Typical offering schedule: fall, spring

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