

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for undergraduate programmes](#), and the [marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes](#).

BSc Geography (F800)

BSc Geography with Year Abroad (F803)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time mode of study.

Level 1 (Certificate)

2. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Human Geography: Space and Place in a Changing World #	GEOG1071	20
Introduction to Geographical Research (BSc) #	GEOG1232	40
Physical Geography #	GEOG1081	20

3. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List A:

List A:		Credit value
Environment and Society	GEOG1061	20
Geographies of Crisis	GEOG1241	20
Understanding Earth's Principles	GEOG1251	20
Level 1 Module(s) up to the value of 40 credits offered by any other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study), subject to timetable compatibility		20 or 40

Level 2 (Diploma)

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Scientific Research in Geography #	GEOG2462	40
Handling Spatial Data #	GEOG2591	20

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List B:

List B:		Credit value
Climate Change: Geographical Perspectives	GEOG2661	20
Environmental Processes and Governance	GEOG2551	20
Fluvial Systems	GEOG2521	20
Geochemistry of the Environment	GEOG2651	20
Glaciers and Glaciation	GEOG2531	20
Global Environmental Change	GEOG2571	20
Mountain Landscapes	GEOG2611	20

6. Candidates may also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List C, subject to timetable compatibility:

List C:		Credit value
Economic Geography	GEOG2641	20
Geographies of Development	GEOG2541	20
Political Geography	GEOG2581	20
Social and Cultural Geography	GEOG2561	20
Theory and Concepts in Contemporary Human Geography	GEOG2621	20
Urban Geography	GEOG2511	20

Level 2 Module up to the value of 20 credits offered by any other Board of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study) 20

Level 3 (Degree)

7. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Dissertation	<u>GEOG3432</u>	40

8. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 80 credits taken from List D or List E.

List D: (select up to 80 credits):		Credit value
Alpine Landscapes and Processes ¥	<u>GEOG3491</u>	20
Remote Sensing: Science & Environmental Management	<u>GEOG3261</u>	20
Field Research in Glacial Environments: Iceland Case Study ¥	<u>GEOG3691</u>	20
Oceans Past and Present	<u>GEOG3641</u>	20
River Dynamics	<u>GEOG3461</u>	20
Sea Level Change and Coastal Evolution	<u>GEOG3191</u>	20
The Arctic ¥	<u>GEOG3521</u>	20
The Quaternary of Glaciated Regions	<u>GEOG3511</u>	20

List E: (select up to 40 credits; an equal number of 10 credit modules must be selected from Terms 1 and 2):		Credit value
Antarctic Environments	<u>GEOG3817</u>	10
Geochemical Applications: Across Continents and Oceans	<u>GEOG3827</u>	10
Landslides	<u>GEOG3807</u>	10
Martian Landscapes	<u>GEOG3897</u>	10
Peatland Geomorphology	<u>GEOG3947</u>	10
WaterWorlds and Well-Being	<u>GEOG3177</u>	10

Level 3 (Degree) Students Returning From Level 2 Replacement Year Abroad

9. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Dissertation (Euro-Abroad)	<u>GEOG3602</u>	40

10. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 80 credits from List D or List E.

Assessment, progression and award

11. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the ordinary degree at the next Level.
12. Modules marked with a ¥ cannot be taken in conjunction with each other.

Additional Year Abroad

13. Students admitted to the BSc Geography (F800) are able to apply to transfer to the BSc Geography (with Year Abroad) programme (F803). Students undertaking the BSc Geography (with Year Abroad) programme (F803) will undertake an approved study placement in an overseas university taking a course of study chosen in consultation with the programme director and the host institution. During the year abroad students will be assessed at module level by the host University. Assessment does not contribute to the marks used to determine the award of

the degree but successful completion is required to qualify for the BSc Geography with Year Abroad.

14. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BSc Geography (with Year Abroad) (F803) must:
 - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BSc Geography (F800) and progressed to Level 2 of the honours or Ordinary programme, and;
 - b. during the first term of Level 2 study, apply to the Board of Studies in the Department of Geography to be admitted to the BSc Geography (with Year Abroad) (F803) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies in the Department of Geography, and;
 - c. successfully complete Level 2 of the BSc Geography (F800) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BSc Geography (F800) Honours programme.
15. Students who the Board of Examiners for the Department of Geography deem to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will continue to Level 3 of the BSc Geography (with Year Abroad) (F803). Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will not be permitted to continue on the BSc Geography (with Year Abroad) (F803) programme, but must instead proceed to Level 3 of the BSc Geography (F800) programme.