

# CERTIFICATE IN INDIGENOUS RESEARCH AND EDUCATION (CIRE)

13 credit certificate sequence completed over three semesters in a cohort model

## CORE COURSES

### FALL

Anthropology (ANTH)  
580  
Tribal Nation-Building  
and Transforming  
University Cultures

Instructor: Dr. Philip Stevens

Seminar that orients issues of equity, engagement, and collaboration in institution-building and Tribal-University interactions

### FALL

Anthropology (ANTH)  
581  
Land Education  
Seminar: Theory into  
Practice

Instructors: Drs. Philip Stevens, Vanessa Anthony-Stevens, Karla Eitel

Seminar focused on cross-disciplinary examination of Indigenous knowledge transfer and processes of learning in relationship with land/landscapes

### SPRING

Internship  
Land Education Field  
Experience: Theory into  
Practice

Instructor: Dependent on field

Applied internship where the focus is spending time understanding various ways Indigenous STEM is practiced in communities and how these relate to students' own research

### SPRING

Education (ED) 592  
Decolonizing,  
Indigenous and Action-  
Based Research  
Methods

Instructor: Dr. Vanessa Anthony-Stevens

Methods course focused on forms of social justice inquiry and exploring the impacts of Indigenous, minoritized, and community-based epistemologies on research methodologies

### FALL

Natural Resources &  
Society (NRS 504)  
permanent number TBD  
Collaborative Land and  
Water Governance in  
Theory, Practice, and  
Research

Instructors: Shanny Spang-Gion, Dr. Karla Eitel

Theory course focused on sustainability science and Indigenous cultures of leadership/governance in addressing complex relationships between land, water, human and other than human communities

## ELECTIVE

One elective course that is pre-approved



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