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1. **Contact Person** (Name, Email Address, Phone Number)

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1. **Proposed Change** (for undergraduate curricular changes please provide an 8-semester plan (appendix A), if applicable)

Addition of a domain study option in Geospatial Technology to the B.S. in Data Science and Data Analytics program.

1. **Effective Date**

Fall 2021

1. **Justification –** *Please provide details as to why this change is necessary.*

To provide a domain study option for students interested in working with spatial data through the use of geospatial technologies in the realms of: agriculture, natural resources, planning, the environment, government and/or the private sector, as a part of the new B.S. in Data Science and Data Analytics, in the Data Analytics emphasis.

**Bulletin Changes**

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**After Page 185, following the “Data Science and Data Analytics Program” section and before the heading on “Engineering Programs”**

**DOMAIN STUDIES**

**DOMAIN STUDY: Geospatial Technology (for Data Analytics Track)**

**EMPHASIS: Data Analytics**

**SPONSORING COLLEGE: College of Agriculture**

***\*Note: Requires General Education, Social Science: GEOG 2613 Introduction to Geography***

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| **Required Courses:** | **Sem. Hours** |
| AGST 3543 | Fundamentals of GIS/GPS | 3 |
| AGST 4511 | Unmanned Aircraft Systems | 1 |
| AGST 4543 | Understanding Geographic Information Systems | 3 |
| AGST 4773 | Remote Sensing | 3 |
| GEOG 3723 ORGEOG 4633 | Introduction to Physical Geography, Weather and Climate ORClimatology | 3 |
| **Select six from the following:** |  |
| AGEC 4253 | Agricultural and Environmental Data Science | 18 |
| AGRI 4223 | Agriculture and the Environment |
| AGST 4503 | Agricultural Decision Tools and Analysis |
| AGST 489V | Special Problems in Agricultural Systems Technology |
| GEOG 3723 ORGEOG 4633 | Introduction to Physical Geography, Weather and Climate ORClimatology |
| GEOG 4113 | Water Resources Planning |
| GEOG 4613 | Conservation of Natural Resources |
| GEOG 4643 | Geography of Arkansas |
| GEOG 4813 | Special Topics in Geography |
| **Domain Studies Total** | **31** |

# Eight-Semester Degree Plan Bachelor of Science in Data Science and Data Analytics

**2021-2022**

# Data Analytics Track – Geospatial Technology Domain

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| **Year 1** |
| **Fall Semester** |  | **Spring Semester** |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |  | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| ENG 1003 | Composition I | 3 | x |  | ENG 1013 | Comp II | 3 | x |
| MATH 1023 | College Algebra | 3 | x |  | COMS 1203 | Oral Communication | 3 | x |
| CS 1093 or any other FYE course | Making Connections Computer Science, or any other Making Connections (FYE) course | 2-3 |  |  | MATH 2143 MATH 2194 | Choose one: Business Calculus Survey of Calculus | 3-4 |  |
| CS 1013 | Intro to Computers | 3 |  |  | CS 1114 | Concepts of Programming | 4 |  |
| HIST 2763HIST 2773POSC 2103 | Choose one:US History to 1876 US History since 1876Intro to US Government | 3 | x |  | Gen Ed Social Science\* GEO 2613HIST 1013/1023 SOC 2213PSY 2013POSC 1003CMAC 1003 | Choose one:Intro to GeographyWorld Civ. to or since 1660 Intro to SociologyIntro to Psychology Intro to PoliticsIntro to Mass Communication | 3 | x |
| **Total Hours:** | 14-15 |  | **Total Hours**: | 16-17 |
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| **Year 2** |
| **Fall Semester** |  | **Spring Semester** |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |  | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| Life Science Gen. Ed.BIOL 1003/ 1001BIOL 1033/ 1001BIOL 1063/ 1001BIO 1503/ 1501BIO 2013/ 2011BIO 2103/ 2101BIO 2203/ 2201 | Choose one:Biological Science/ Lab Biology of Sex/ LabPeople & Environment/ Lab Biology of Plants/ Lab Biology of the Cell/ LabMicrobio… Nursing & Allied Health/ Lab Human Anatomy & Physiology I/ Lab | 4 | x |  | Gen Ed Social Science\* GEO 2613HIST 1013HIST 1023SOC 2213PSY 2013POSC 1003CMAC 1003 | Choose one:Intro to Geography World Civ. to 1660 World Civ. Since 1660 Intro to Sociology Intro to Psychology Intro to PoliticsIntro to Mass Communication | 3 | x |
| AGST 3503 | Geospatial Data Applications (DSDA 101) | 3 |  |  | Physical Science Gen. Ed.CHEM 1013 / 1011CHEM 1043 / 1041GEOL 1003 / 1001PHSC 1014PHSC 1203 / 1201PHYS 1103 / 1101PHYS 2034PHYS 2054 | Choose one:General Chemistry I / LabFund. Concepts of Chemistry / Lab Environmental Geology / Lab Energy and the Environment Physical Science / LabIntro to Space Science / Lab University Physics IGeneral Physics I | 4 | x |
| Fine Arts: ART 2503MUS 2503TEHA 2503 | Choose one: Fine Arts – Visual Fine Arts – MusicFine Arts - Theater | 3 | x |  | DATA 2004 | Programming for Data Analysis | 4 |  |
| STAT 3233 | Applied Stat 1 | 3 |  |  | AGST 3543 | Fundamentals of GIS/GPS | 3 |  |
| PHIL 1103 | Intro to Philosophy (Humanities Elective) | 3 | x |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Hours:** | 16 |  | **Total Hours**: | 14 |

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| **Year 3** |
| **Fall Semester** | **Spring Semester** |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| DATA 3003 | Applied Database and Data Mining | 3 |  | STAT 3243 | Regression Analysis and ANOVA | 3 |  |
| GEOG 2613 | Intro to Geography | 3 |  | AGST 4773 | Remote Sensing | 3 |  |
| STAT 3133 | Applied Categorical Data Analysis | 3 |  | GEOG 4113  | Water Resources Planning  | 3 |  |
| AGST 4511 | Unmanned Aircraft Systems | 1 |  | AGST 3543 | Fundamentals of GIS/GPS | 3 |  |
| AGST 4503 | Agricultural Decision Tools and Analysis | 3 |  | GEOG 4613 | Conservation of Natural Resources | 3 |  |
| DATA 3011 | Seminar | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Hours:** | 14 | **Total Hours**: | 15 |
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| **Year 4** |
| **Fall Semester** | **Spring Semester** |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| DATA 4003 | Fundamental Concepts in Design of Experiments | 3 |  | DATA 4013 | Data Science and Data Analytics Capstone | 3 |  |
| POSC 3003 STAT 4483 AGEC 4253 | Choose one:Intro to Political Analysis |  | 3 |  | GEOG 4813 | Special Problems in Geography | 3 |  |
| Statistical Methods using R |
| Agricultural & Environmental Data Science |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| DATA 3023 | Data Visualization and Data Communication | 3 |  | PHIL 3723 | Computers, Ethics, and Society | 3 |  |
| AGST 4543 | Understanding GIS |  | 3 |  | AGST 489V | Special Problems in Agricultural Systems Technology |  | 1-3 |  |
| GEOG 3723 ORGEOG 4633 | Introduction to Physical Geography, Weather, & Climate OR Climatology | 3 |  | DATA 303V  | Internship | 1 |  |
|  |  |  |  | GEOG 3723 ORGEOG 4633 | Introduction to Physical Geography, Weather, & Climate OR Climatology | 3 |  |
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| **Total Hours:** | 15 | **Total Hours**: | 14-16 |
| **Total Upper-Level Hours:** | **45-47** | **Total Degree Hours**: | **120** |