

Petition to Approve Course for Sustainability and Energy Undergraduate Certificate
at the Paula M. Trienens Institute for Sustainability and Energy at Northwestern

Name _____ Student ID# _____
 School _____ Major(s)/Minor(s) _____
 Email _____ Degree Date _____

If you intend to complete the Sustainability and Energy Undergraduate Certificate and would like to count a course that is not listed on the list of pre-approved courses as one of your four required electives, you must submit this form for consideration. Please be aware of the certificate requirements shown below when submitting a petition. Please allow at least two weeks for the Trienens Institute curriculum committee to review your petition. Questions concerning this petition or the Undergraduate Certificate can be sent to trienens-ed@northwestern.edu.

Petition Guidelines

- Must be relevant to Sustainability and Energy Undergraduate Certificate coursework
- For study abroad credit: Courses taken abroad may be considered for credit but will be categorized as 200 or 300-level electives at the curriculum committee’s discretion

Certificate Requirements

- 3 ISEN core curriculum courses
- 4 electives from a pre-approved list
- 4 of the 7 required courses may not double count toward a major or minor
- Minimum 3 elective courses at the 300-level
- Maximum 2 electives from any single program or department
- 3.0 minimum GPA in Trienens Institute (ISEN-numbered) core curriculum
- 3.0 minimum GPA across all 7 certificate courses

Course Number	Course Name	Quarter/Year Taken

1. Explain in 3-4 sentences why this course is pertinent to the Trienens Institute curriculum:

2. Attach the syllabus of the course to this form.

Student Signature _____ Date _____