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**Course:** UNIV 100 – Section 021    **Theme:** Science & Health

**Course Topic:** *LA Coast Environmental Issues*

**Description:** We will investigate the forces, “the perfect storm”, that formed the beautiful rich landscape we call coastal Louisiana. We will study the rivers (named and unnamed), glaciers, droughts, hurricanes, and dust storms that formed the earth under our feet. Our conversations will drift from wetlands loss, to habitat fragmentation and disappearance, to species diversity changes, to fresh water sources, reserves and quality, to the condition of our air, to our food supply, food safety and production issues. This will be a fast moving, exciting course of study. Sign up now, space is limited.