

Academic Minor

A minor is defined as a course of study that enables a student to make an inquiry into a single discipline or to investigate a particular topic across the boundaries of two or more disciplines. In either case, the minor is not simply a specified number of credit hours, but a well-defined program.

A minor should complement the student's major and not simply expand it with more courses in the same field. For this reason, students may not ordinarily pursue both a major and minor in the same discipline. However, in the case where a discrete topical minor is administered by the student's major department, an exception may be in order.

A minor consists of an ordered series of courses totaling at least 15 credit hours, at least 12 of which must be other than General Education courses and courses specified for major or other minor requirements and at least 6 of which must be at the 300/400 level. At least 9 hours of the minor must be organized in a logical sequence of required courses which provides general direction for the student's study. At least 9 hours in the minor must be completed at The Citadel or in a Citadel Study Abroad Program.

The student must earn a grade-point average of at least 2.000 on all coursework completed in the minor. Requirements for the minor must be completed concurrently with requirements for the student's major. A student who meets all requirements for an approved minor will have both the major and minor indicated on the transcript. Requirements for each minor are presented in the appropriate academic school or department section of this catalog.

Minors

Aerospace Science	History: Military & Diplomatic
African American Studies	History: Non-Western World
Applied Mathematical Sciences	History: United States
Applied Physics	History: World
Applied Statistics	Intelligence and Homeland Security
Biology	International Criminal Justice
Business	International Relations History
Chemistry	Leadership
Chinese	Management Information Systems
Chinese Studies	Mechanical Engineering: Composites Track
Civil & Environmental Engineering	Mechanical Engineering: Energy Track
Computer Engineering	Mechanical Engineering: Mechatronics Track
Computer Programming	Mechanical Engineering: Manufacturing Track
Criminal Justice	Molecular Biology and Biochemistry
Cyber Interdisciplinary Studies	Philosophy
Cybersecurity	Political Science: American Politics
Data Science	Political Science: International & Military Affairs
East Asian Studies	Political Science: Law & Legal Studies
Economics	Political Science: Non-Western Studies
Education	Psychology
Electrical Engineering	Public Policy
English	Southern Studies
Entrepreneurship	Spanish
Fine Arts	Sport Coaching
French	Sport Management
German	Sustainability & Environmental Studies
Health	War Studies
History: European	

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