

Undergraduate Minor in Design

Students pursuing a minor in Design must satisfy the minor “core” and elective courses that meet the general criteria. This course selection will vary depending on course availability and interest of the student.

Overall requirements:

- Students must complete a minimum of 25 credit hours in approved courses.
- A maximum of 5 credit hours of 100-level courses are allowed.
- At least 13 credit hours must be at the 300-level or above.
- At least 17 credit hours must be taken in the Department of Design.
- A maximum of 8 hours of elective courses from outside the Design Department can be counted.
- Students must maintain a minimum 2.0 grade point average in the minor courses, with no grade below C-
- Courses used to satisfy major requirements cannot be used to satisfy minor requirements

Core requirements: Each student electing to take the minor in Design must complete the following course requirements

- Design 230 — 3 credit hours
- a drawing course (either Design 201, 202 or 203) — 3 credit hours
- a design history component (either Design 200 or 253) — 3-5 credit hours
- 8 credit hours must be taken in any combination of Design 570, 571, or 573 (671, 603, or 673 can replace these courses, respectively)

Elective courses:

The remaining credit hours are selected from other Design courses and/or approved design related courses from other departments.

Exclusion:

The minor is not open to students majoring in Design.

All students wishing to pursue this minor must meet with a representative of the Department and get approval of a proposed course plan. Any variations to the plan must be approved in writing.

Industrial, Interior and Visual Communication Design

Proposed

Completed

Minor course checklist

Total credit hours (min 25)

Core courses

Design Methods (required)

Design 230 (Basic Design Concepts for Non Majors - 3 cr.)

Drawing (select one course from the following list)

Design 201 (Descriptive and Analytical Drawing for Designers - 3 cr.)

Design 202 (Drawing Systems for Designers - 3 cr.)

Design 203 (Graphic Thinking for Designers - 3 cr.)

History (select one course from the following list)

Design 200 (Introduction to Design - 5 cr.)

Design 253 (Design History - 3 cr.)

Design Fundamentals (select 2 courses from the following list)

Design 570 (Introduction to Image Graphics Techniques - 4 cr.)

Design 571 (Fundamentals of 3D Design Visualization - 4 cr.)

Design 573 (Fundamentals of Multimedia Design - 4 cr.)

Elective courses

Design Electives (at least 8 credit hours of Design related courses)

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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Name _____

Last 4 digits of SSN # _____

Qtr. Of Graduation _____

email _____

Major _____

Student signature _____ Date _____

Design approval _____ Date _____

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Total Cr. _____

100 level _____

300+ level _____

Design cr. _____

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Design Minor (Design, 234)

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The Design Minor builds a solid understanding of the principles, processes, and applications of Design in one or more of the four areas: Interior Design, Industrial Design, Visual Communication Design, and Information Visualization. The minor consists of 25 credit hours from the department's offerings, including the core courses. At least 13 credit hours must be in courses at the 300-level or above.

The department coordinating adviser or a faculty advisor designated by the coordinating adviser will assist you in designing a suitable minor program from the suggested lists of courses. Once the Minor Program Form has been approved and signed by the Design faculty adviser, you will file the form with your college or school counselor.

Core requirements:

Design methods course (3 credit hours)

Design 230 – Basic Design Concepts for Non-Majors

Drawing course (3 credit hours)

Select one course from the following list:

Design 201, 202, 203

Design history course (3-5 credit hours)

Select one course from the following list:

Design 200 (5 credit hours), 253 (3)

Studio courses (8 credit hours)

Select two courses from the following list:

Design 570 (4), 571 (4), 573 (4)

Design electives:

Select courses from the following list for a minimum of 8 credit hours. Students should select courses in consultation with an adviser to complete courses in their area of interest.

General electives

Design 250 (3), 254 (3), 310 (3), 320 (4), 340 (3), 552 (3), 554 (3), 555 (3), 656 (3)

Visual Communication electives

Design 258 (3), 514 (4), 671 (3), 673 (4 or 8)

Interior Design Electives

Design 521 (3), 524 (3), 603 (3)

Industrial Design Electives

Design 551 (3), 603 (3)

Electives from outside departments

Architecture 202 (5)

Arts College 730 (3), 732 (3), 740 (5), 741 (5), 742 (5), 750 (5), 752 (5), 753 (5), 755 (5), 756 (3)

Engineering Graphics 204 (3), 304 (3)

Industrial and Systems Engineering 573 (3), 673 (3)

Mechanical Engineering 552 (1 – 4), 682 (4)

Textiles and Clothing 370 (5)

Theatre 220 (3), 341 (3), 621 (3), 641 (3), 643 (3)

Arts and Sciences minor program guidelines

The following guidelines govern minors.

Required for graduation No

Credit hours required A minimum of 20 (some minors require more)

Transfer credit hours allowed A maximum of 10

Overlap with the GEC Permitted, unless specifically disallowed by an individual minor program.

Overlap with the major Not allowed and

- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The same courses cannot count on the minor and on the major.

Overlap between minors Each minor completed must contain 20 unique hours.

Grades required

- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.

Approval required The minor program description sheet indicates if the minor course work must be approved by:

- The academic unit offering the minor, or
- A college/school counselor.

Filing the minor program form The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor.

Changing the minor Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by:

- The academic unit offering the minor, or
- A college/school counselor (depending on the minor).