

Declaration of Minor Field of Study

1. Undergraduate students may declare a “minor” field of study. A minor is a secondary concentration of courses. Requirements may be satisfied by: 1) completion of 18 or more credits of any of the interdepartmental minors that have been proposed by one or more departments and approved by the Curriculum and Standards Committee, Faculty Senate, and the President; or 2) completion of 18 or more credits of related studies offered by one or more departments or programs and sponsored by a faculty member competent in the minor field of study. To declare a minor, a student must have approval of the department chairperson of the minor field of study (or faculty sponsor in option 2 of this paragraph), and the student’s academic dean.
2. At least twelve of the eighteen credits required for a minor shall be at the 200- level or above. A minimum average of 2.00 must be earned in the eighteen or more credits required for the minor.
3. At least eight of the credits required for a minor must be earned at The University of Rhode Island.
4. A maximum of two courses required in a major program may be used to apply to both the major and minor fields of study. Courses from other curricula that are recommended or required for the major may apply to the minor. Courses in General Education may be used for the minor. Courses in the minor may not be taken under the pass-fail grading option.
5. Application of a minor should be filed with the student’s dean prior to applying for graduation but after receiving the signature of the appropriate department chair.
6. Approval of a minor does not guarantee space in any course required for the minor.

Name: _____

Student ID Number: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Major(s): _____

Graduation Date: _____

Name of Minor: _____

Course Number	Course Title	#Credits	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Departmental Chairperson Signature

Date

Dean’s Signature