The Academic Minor

Many departments have designed academic minors for the convenience of undergraduate students.

A minor is a structured group of courses that leads to considerable knowledge and understanding of a subject, although with less depth than a major. Some employers consider minors desirable, and the corresponding major requirements at the University may stipulate a minor. Some students choose to complement their major program with a minor in a related field or even in an entirely different field of interest. Students interested in pursuing an academic minor should contact their college dean’s office and the department responsible for the minor program for guidance and advising.

Please note that undergraduate students can only complete a minor in addition to and as a complement to a major. The University does not award stand-alone minors.

Minor in Pest Management

Prerequisite Hours
One course from the following:
- ASC 320, 404G, 406, 408G, 420G
- PLS 352, 386, 402, 408, 512, 515, 520, 525, 556 ................................. 2-4

Minor Requirements
- ENT 300 General Entomology ....................................................... 3
- PLS 404 Integrated Weed Management ......................................... 4
- PPA 400G Principles of Plant Pathology ........................................ 3

Select at least nine hours from the following:
- ENT 310 Insect Pests of Field Crops ............................................. 3
- ENT 320 Horticultural Entomology ............................................... 3
- ENT 340 Livestock Entomology .................................................... 2
- ENT 502 Forest Entomology ........................................................... 3
- ENT 530 Integrated Pest Management ......................................... 3
- ENT 574 Advanced Applied Entomology ...................................... 4
- PPA 595 Epidemiology and Control of Plant Diseases ..................... 4
- VS 351 Principles of Animal Hygiene and Disease Control ............... 3
- PLS 470G Soil Nutrient Management .......................................... 3
- ASC 378 Animal Nutrition and Feeding ...................................... 3