

Popular Minors for DTC

You are not required to get a minor, but depending on your focus some are fairly easy to earn. Additionally, in this market, a minor certainly can't hurt. This list is by no means exhaustive, so consider other options.

Business Administration w/ an MIS Concentration

To be eligible to certify in a Business Administration minor, students must be certified in a major and have a cumulative GPA of 2.5. The minor in business administration requires a minimum of 18 hours, 9 of which must be upper-division with an overall gpa of at least a 2.5 in the required courses. The required courses are Acctg 230 and 5 College of Business courses (excluding 498 and 499 courses). Students must ensure that they meet all course prerequisites before enrolling in any College of Business courses.

- Acct 230 Introduction to Financial Accounting
- MIS 250 Managing Information Technology (3 cr)
- PLUS 4 of the following: MIS 271, 322, 325, 372, 374, 420, 426, 441

Fine Arts

Note: Easy to earn if doing Media Authoring

- FA 102 or FA 103 Visual Concepts I OR Visual Concepts II (3 cr)
- FA 110 Drawing (3 cr)
- FA 201 or FA 202 World Art History I or II (3 cr)
- PLUS 3 more 300-400 level FA courses (you CAN double dip from DTC, thus 332, 333, 434, 435 will count for both!)

Professional Writing

- ENGL 301 Writing and Rhetorical Conventions (3 cr)
- ENGL 402 or 403 Technical and Professional Writing (3 cr)
- ENGL 461 Theory and Practice in Technical and Professional Writing (3 cr)
- PLUS 4 more from the following: 255, 256, 300, 354, 355, 401, 402, 403, 405, 478, and 498 (you CAN double dip from DTC)

Professional Writing Certification (not a minor)

To complete a certificate, you must complete the following 5 courses (no substitutions) with a 3.0 GPA or better.

- Anth 350 Speech, Thought, and Culture (3 cr)
- ENGL 301 Writing and Rhetorical Conventions (3 cr)
- ENGL 355 Multimedia Authoring: Exploring New Rhetorics (3 cr)
- ENGL 402 Technical and Professional Writing (3 cr)
- ENGL 498 Internship (3 cr)

Communication

The minor in communication requires a minimum of 18 hours, 9 of which must be at the 300-400 level and selected from the following courses: Adver 380, Bdcst 481, Com 101, 245, 295*, 321, 340, 403, 409, 410, 415, 420, 440, 450, 460, 470, 471, ComSt 102, 185, 235, 302, 324, 334, 351, 401, 421, 488, Jour 405, 481. 9 hours of upper-division work must be taken in residence at WSU or through WSU-approved education abroad or educational exchange courses. Students may apply to certify in the minor after they have certified in their own major and have completed three lower-division communication courses.*Students must apply to enroll in Com 295; entrance into other courses by permission.

Film Studies (offered through Foreign Languages)

- 3 of the following: Engl 150, For L 110, Phil 210, Soc 372, or Theat 150.
- 3 chosen from ONE of the following areas:
 - **People and Cultural Perspectives:** CES 338, 379, Chin 111, For L 410, Fren 110, 111, 310, 311, Ger 110, 310, Rus 410, Span 110, 111, 310, 311, W St 340.
 - **Themes and Issues:** CES 404/Com 471, Crm J/Pol S 381, Engl 339, SHS 489.
 - **Production Skills:** Bdcst 360, F A/Engl 337, F A 380, 434, Theat 163, 261, 363, 462.