Museum Studies Minor

*Enrollments in the Museum Studies Minor have been suspended indefinitely.*

Museum studies is available as an undergraduate interdisciplinary minor. The purpose of the minor is to introduce students to various aspects of museum work, to acquaint them with the opportunities and problems faced by museums and museum personnel, and to create career opportunities for students who might seek employment in a museum. Emphasis will be placed on actual work situations in such diverse museum functions as exhibition, curation, cataloging, acquisition, education and administration.

**Museum**

The museum studies minor consists of 18 hours, with 12 hours of required core courses and 6 hours of electives.

- **Core Courses:** 12 hours selected from Anthropology 450A,B; Art and Design 207 and 447; History 497; Political Science 446. 
- **Electives:** 6 hours selected from Anthropology 304, 442 or 460; Art and Design 499; Political Science 441; Geology 440; History 490, or 493; or courses listed above which are not used for the core.

**Museum Studies Minor Requirements**

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**Catalog Year Statement:**
Students starting their collegiate training during the period of time covered by this catalog (see bottom of this page) are subject to the curricular requirements as specified herein. The requirements herein will extend for a seven calendar-year period from the date of entry for baccalaureate programs and three years for associate programs. Should the University change the course requirements contained herein subsequently, students are assured that necessary adjustments will be made so that no additional time is required of them.