

OPTIONAL MINORS (AS)

Minors are optional on the part of faculty and students; no department or group of faculty members is required to offer a minor and no student can be required to elect a minor.

Pursuit of a minor, whether departmental or interdisciplinary, may provide a student with more coherence and focus in choosing electives. This may well enhance the educational experience, particularly when the minor is chosen from a division other than that of the major or when the minor is interdisciplinary.

Optional minors are available to regular undergraduate students in each of the areas listed below. Details of the requirements for each minor are listed on the indicated pages.

- African Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/africanstudiesminor/>)
- Anthropology (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/anthropologyanth/#minortext>)
- Arabic Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/languagesculturesandlinguistics/arabic/#minortext>)
- Art (Visual Art) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/artandarthistory/artanddesign/#minortext>)
- Art (Visual Design) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/artandarthistory/artanddesign/#minortext>)
- Art (Art History) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/artandarthistory/arthistory/#minortext>)
- Arts Leadership (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/artsleadershipminor/>)
- Biology (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/biologybiol/#minortext>)
- Chemistry (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/chemistrychem/#minorstext>)
- Chemistry (Biochemistry) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/chemistrychem/#minorstext>)
- Children's Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/childrensstudiesminor/>)
- Chinese (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/eastasianstudieseast/#minorstext>)
- Classics & Ancient Mediterranean Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/classicsclas/#minorstext>)
- Community Engaged Leadership (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/communityengagedleadership/>)
- Comparative Humanities (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/humanitieshumn/#minortext>)
- Computer Science (Arts & Sciences) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/computersciencesci/#minortext>)
- Critical Black Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/criticalblackstudies/#minortext>)
- Dance (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/theatreanddance/#minorstext>)
- Digital Humanities (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/humanitieshumn/#minortext>)
- East Asian Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/eastasianstudieseast/#minorstext>)
- Economics (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/economicsecon/#minortext>)
- Education (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/educationeduc/#minortext>)
- English (Literary Studies) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/englishengl/litstudies/#minortext>)
- English (Creative Writing) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/englishengl/creativewriting/#minortext>)
- Environmental Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/environmentalstudiesenst/#minortext>)
- Film/Media Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencesscurricula/areasofstudy/englishengl/filmstudies/#minortext>)

- Food Systems (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/foodsystems/#text>)
- French (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/languagesculturesandlinguistics/frenchandfrancophonestudiesfren/#minorstext>)
- Geography (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/geographygeog/#minorstext>)
- Geology (Engineering Geology) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/geologygeol/#minorstext>)
- Geology (Environmental Geosciences) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/geologygeol/#minorstext>)
- Geology (Geosciences) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/geologygeol/#minorstext>)
- German Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/languagesculturesandlinguistics/germanstudiesgrmn/#minorstext>)
- Greek (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/classicsclas/#minorstext>)
- Health Humanities (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/healthhumanities/#text>)
- History (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/historyhist/#minorstext>)
- International Relations (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/internationalrelationsirel/#minorstext>)
- Italian Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/languagesculturesandlinguistics/italianstudiesital/#minorstext>)
- Japanese (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/eastasianstudieseast/#minorstext>)
- Jewish Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/jewishstudies/>)
- Latin (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/classicsclas/#minorstext>)
- Latin American Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/latinamericanlatinxcaribbeanstudieslxcs/#minorstext>)
- Legal Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/legalstudiesminor/>)
- Linguistics (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/languagesculturesandlinguistics/linguisticsling/#minorstext>)
- Mathematics (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/mathematicsmath/#minorstext>)
- Mathematics (Applied/Modeling) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/mathematicsmath/#minorstext>)
- Mathematics (Statistics) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/mathematicsmath/#minorstext>)
- Music (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/musicmusc/#minorstext>)
- Peace & Conflict Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/peaceconflictstudiesminor/>)
- Philosophy (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/philosophyphil/#minorstext>)
- Physics (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/physicsandastronomy/#minorstext>)
- Political Science (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/politicalsciencepols/#minorstext>)
- Psychology (Cognitive & Perceptual Sciences) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/psychologypsyc/#minorstext>)
- Psychology (Neuropsychology) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/psychologypsyc/#minorstext>)
- Public Policy (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/publicpolicyminor/>)
- Race & Ethnicity Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/raceandethnicitystudiesminor/>)
- Religious Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/religionreli/#minorstext>)
- Russian Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/languagesculturesandlinguistics/russianstudiesruss/#minorstext>)
- Social Justice (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/socialjusticeminor/>)
- Sociology (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/sociologysoci/#minorstext>)

- Spanish (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/spanishspan/#minortext>)
- Theatre (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/theatreanddance/#minortext>)
- Theatre (Acting & Directing) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/theatreanddance/#minortext>)
- Theatre (Design & Technology) (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/theatreanddance/#minortext>)
- Translation Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/translationstudiesminor/#minortext>)
- Women's & Gender Studies (<https://coursecatalog.bucknell.edu/archive/2025-2026/collegeofartsandsciencescurricula/areasofstudy/womensandgenderstudieswmst/#minortext>)

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