

DIGITAL STUDIES MINOR

The minor serves students from all disciplines and explores the role of digital tools in our civic and professional contexts. By integrating theory and practice, the curriculum helps students gain experience using digital tools and develop a complex understanding of digital cultures. The minor in digital studies requires 21 credits .

Core Courses

All students minoring in Digital Studies are required to complete the following two courses:

- DS 201 - Digital Identities and Communities Credits: 3
(Fulfills Foundations - Social and Behavioral Sciences)
- DS 202 - Digital Data and Design Credits: 3

Module Courses

All students minoring in Digital Studies are required to complete two courses from each of the following modules.

Module 1: Digital Tools and Production

Students must take two courses from different disciplines in the "Tools and Production" module.

- ART 209 - Graphic Design Basics Credits: 3
- ART 271 - Digital 3D Modeling and Design Credits: 3
- CIS 231 - Problem Solving with Spreadsheets Credits: 3
- CIS 238 - Internet Media and Programming Credits: 3
- CIS 320 - Visualization of Data and Info Credits: 3
- CMJ 260 - Multimedia Journalism Workshop Credits: 3
- DS 310 - Digital Preservation and Archiving Credits: 3
- DS 490 - Internship in Digital Studies Credits: 3*
- FVP 125 - Media Production Credits: 3
- GPY 307 - Introduction to Computer Mapping/GIS Credits: 3
- MKT 360 - Marketing on the Internet Credits: 3
- PHO 170— Introduction to Photography Credits: 3
- STA 216 - Intermediate Applied Statistics Credits: 3
- WRT 351 - Writing for the Web Credits: 3
- WRT 455 - Multimodal Composing Credits: 3

Module 2: Digital Culture

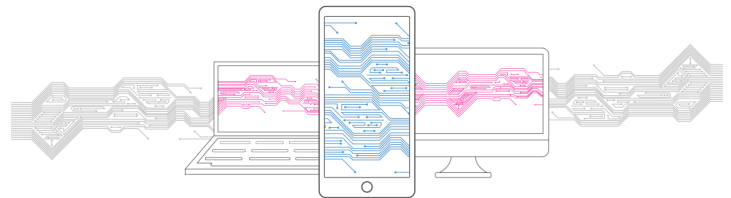
Students must take at least one Digital Studies designated course in the "Digital Culture" module.

- CIS 358 - Information Assurance Credits: 3
- CJ 335/DS 335 — Digital Crime, Media and Culture Credits: 3
(Gen. Ed. Issue Course (Globalization Issue))
- DS 330 - Game Culture Credits: 3
- DS 340 - Identity and Representation in Digital Culture Credits: 3
(Gen. Ed. Issue Course. Prerequisite: Junior Standing)
- DS 350 - Social Media in Culture Credits: 3
(Gen. Ed. Issue Course. Prerequisite: Junior Standing)
- DS 360 - Ethics of Digital Culture Credits: 3
(Gen. Ed. Issue Course. Prerequisite: Junior Standing)
- DS 490 - Internship in Digital Studies Credits: 3*
- ENG 314/DS 314 - Digital Literacies Credits: 3
(Gen. Ed. Issue Course. Prerequisite: Junior Standing)
- PLS 340 - Mass Media and American Politics Credits: 3
- SOC/LIB 366 - American Society and Media Credits: 3
- STA 340 - Statistics in the Media Credits: 3

Capstone Requirements

All students minoring in Digital Studies are required to complete the capstone course:

- DS 495 - Digital Studies Capstone Credits: 3



*With approval from the Director of Digital Studies, students may complete DS 490 Digital Studies Internship in place of one of the two required module courses.