MINOR IN AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS

The minor in Agricultural Business is open to all students who desire to complete an integrated set of courses where they learn how to apply economic principles and business management tools to a broad range of agricultural and small business management applications. Students will develop skills in agricultural production management, financial management, marketing, and international development and trade. These skills will be valuable to students seeking careers at agricultural companies, or as owner-operators in their own businesses.

The minor is highly complementary to the major fields of study that focus on the agricultural sciences (e.g., most majors within the College of Agricultural Sciences) and those that focus on other technical fields where applied business management skills are relevant. Applicable courses that contribute to the minor include core cores in agricultural economics, financial management, product and commodity marketing, law and policy, and agribusiness management.

Requirements

Effective Fall 2021

Students must satisfactorily complete the total credits required for the minor. Minors and interdisciplinary minors require 12 or more upper-division (300- to 400-level) credits.

Additional coursework may be required due to prerequisites.

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Elective Courses

Select 15 credits from the following:

- AREC 310 Agricultural Marketing
- AREC 311 Agricultural and Resource Product Marketing
- AREC 325 Personnel Management in Agriculture
- AREC 328 Small Agribusiness Management or AREC 428 Agricultural Business Management
- AREC 342 Water Law, Policy, and Institutions
- AREC 375 Agricultural Law
- AREC 405 Agricultural Production Management
- AREC 408 Agricultural Finance
- AREC 412 Agricultural Commodities Marketing
- AREC 415 International Agricultural Trade
- AREC 460 Ag- and Resource-Based Economic Development
- AREC 461A Study Abroad--Italy: Economics of the Renaissance in Modern Italy
- AREC 461B Study Abroad--Italy: Food and Resource Economics

Program Total Credits: 21