MINOR IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Computer science and programming skills are in high demand in every field. Most jobs now require them.

A minor in Computer Science will give students a foundation in software development, programming, and computer and information theory. Students will begin with a gradual introduction to programming and data structures. Then students can take courses in an area of emphasis that complements their current degree.

This customized minor can significantly boost a student's career opportunities and success.

Computer Science has competitive entrance requirements. Please contact a department advisor for more information.

Requirements Effective Fall 2023

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

Additional coursework may be required due to prerequisites.

A minimum grade of C (2.000) is required in all courses required for the minor.

Code	Title	Credits
Lower Division		
Select one course from the following:		2-4
CS 162	CS1-Introduction to Java Programming	
CS 163	CS1No Prior Programming Experience	
CS 164	CS1-Computational Thinking with Java	
CS 165	CS2-Data Structures	4
Select one course from the following:		3-4
CS 214	Software Development	
CS 220	Discrete Structures and their Applications	
CS 250	Computer Systems Foundations	
CS 253	Software Development with C++	
CS 270	Computer Organization	
Upper Division		
CS***	Courses numbered 300- or above ¹	12
Program Total Credits:		21-24

¹ Excluding CS 480-499.