

APPLIED HUMANITIES, MINOR IN

The minor in applied humanities equips students with the critical thinking, communication, ethical reasoning and cultural literacy skills foundational to humanities disciplines and provides them with transferable, career-related skills relevant to job success in any field. Open to any student regardless of major, the minor demonstrates the applicability of humanities methods and approaches and elevates the value of a degree in any field.

The minor is meant to be accessible to all majors at VCU and designed to be flexible and serve the interests of individual students. The minor consists of a total of 18 credit hours, with a minimum of nine credit hours at the 300 level or higher. Students choosing the minor should expect that not all classes are offered each term. Students must achieve an overall GPA of 2.0 in all courses counted toward the minor.

Some courses have restrictions and/or prerequisites. Students should work with their adviser to plan the best courses for them, including possible overrides.

Course	Title	Hours
Select courses from the list below (including a minimum of nine credits at the 300 level or higher):		18
AMST 312	Introduction to Health Humanities	
ANTH 220	Cultural Anthropology	
ANTH 315	Field Methods and Research Design in Cultural Anthropology	
ANTH 370	Museum Anthropology	
ANTH 493	Anthropology Internship	
DMCY 200	U.S. Democracy United/Divided	
ENGL 302	Legal Writing	
ENGL 304	Persuasive Writing	
ENGL 310	Professional Writing	
ENGL 317	Body and Culture: ____	
ENGL 349	Care, Ethics and Literature	
ENGL 350	Digital Rhetoric	
ENGL 367	Writing Process and Practice	
ENGL 369	Illness Narratives	
ENGL 370	Medicine in Literature	
ENGL 388	Professional, Scientific and Technical Writing	
ENGL 394	Topics in Professional Writing	
ENGL 487	Scholarly Editing	
ENGL 489	Literary Editing and Publishing	
ENGL 493	English Internship	
ENGL 494	Blackbird Editorial Internship	
ENGL 495	Social Media Internship	
ENGL 497	British Virginia Internship	
FREN 340	French for the Professions and Social Sciences: ____	
FREN 341	French for Health Care and the Environmental and Natural Sciences: ____	
FREN 440	Commercial French	

FRLG 336	Language, Society, and AI: Sociolinguistic Perspectives
FRLG 392	AI in Intercultural Communication
FRLG 493	World Languages Internship
GRMN 314	Commercial German
HIST 201	Historical Mysteries:
HIST 309	Professional Development for History Majors I
HIST 323	Introduction to Public History
HIST 422	Studies in Public History: ____
HIST 450	Professional Development for History Majors II
HIST 460	Professional Development for History Majors III
HIST 493	Internship
HUMS 203	Career Compass
HUMS 204	AI Literacy
INTL 215	International Studies in the Professional World
INTL 325	Nature, Culture, Justice
INTL 445	Activism and Dissidence
INTL 458	Religion and Ecojustice
INTL 493	International Studies Internship
MASC 101	Mass Communications
MASC 151	Global Communications
MASC 200	Technical Prowess I
MASC 201	Curiousness
MASC 203	Intro to News Writing
MASC 204	Story
MASC 205	Introduction to Public Relations Writing
MASC 210	Public Relations
MASC 255	Media Production Foundation
MASC 291	Topics in Communications
MASC 300	Technical Prowess II
MASC 311	AI in Mass Media
MASC 312	Creativity With AI
MASC 313	Strategic Communication With AI
MASC 314	Storytelling With AI
NEXT 275	AI, Texts and Cultures
NEXT 375	Critical AI Studies
PHIL 201	Introduction to Ethics
PHIL 202	Ethics of Artificial Intelligence
PHIL 213	Ethics and Health Care
PHIL 221	Critical Thinking
PHIL 332	Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence
RELS 414	Incarceration and Spirituality: ____
RELS 458	Religion and Ecojustice
RELS 493	Religious Studies Internship
SETI 410	Introduction to Spanish-English Translation
SETI 420	Introduction to Spanish-English Interpretation

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SPAN 323	Spanish for Health Care and Health Science	
SPAN 414	Commercial Spanish	
SPAN 533	Spanish for the Professions	
WRLD 294	Foundations in Experiential Research	
WRLD 394	Research Assistantship	
WRLD 493	World Cultures Internship	
Total Hours		18