

# **MINORS POLICY**

**For Students Entering Maritime College During the 2015-16 Academic Year**

**As of October 4, 2015**

## College-wide Requirements for Approved Minors\*

Students may declare one of the approved minors provided they receive permission from their major Department Chair.

1. A minor consists of at least fifteen credits, of which at least nine credits must be upper division. A student completing a minor is also responsible for completing all prerequisite courses for the minor courses. Completing a minor may require a student to complete additional credits beyond those required by their degree program.
2. Students may not use a course required for their degree curricula to satisfy a requirement of a minor.
3. Unless otherwise stated, a course taken to satisfy an elective for a degree program may also be used to satisfy the requirement of a minor (i.e., an elective in degree program may be “double counted” as a minor requirement).
4. Students may declare two or more minors, but the same course may not be applied to more than one of the minors (i.e., “double counting” among minors is never allowed).

\*Marine Environmental Science students must do a minor in either Marine Biology or Meteorology & Oceanography, neither of which are available to other students. The requirements set forth here do not apply to the MES minors.

## List of Approved Minors and Requirements

### **Environmental Science**

Available to all degrees except MES.

**CHEM 220 Environmental Chemistry**

**ES 420 Environmental Pollution**

and three courses (not required by student's degree program), at least one upper division, chosen from:

**GBLW 435 Environmental Law and Policy**

**BIO, METE, or OCEA** courses.

### **Humanities**

Available to all degrees except Maritime Studies.

Five elective courses offered by the Humanities Department

### **Intermodal and Maritime Security**

Available to all degrees.

**GBTT 460 Principles of Global Supply Chain Security**

**GBTT 462 Science and Technology Issues of Security**

**GBTT 465 Lectures in Contemporary Security Issues**

**MT 430 Principles of Emergency Management Systems**

**MT 435 Maritime Security**

Marine Transportation and Maritime Studies with Deck License majors must also take one course chosen from:

**GBTT 457 Port and Terminal Operations**

**MT 408 International Safety Management**

Marine Operations majors must also take one course chosen from:

**GBLW 437 International Law**

**MT 350 Hazardous Materials and Oil Spill Response**

## **Law**

Available to all degrees except International Transportation and Trade.

Five courses (not required by student's degree program) chosen from:

**GBLW 431 Business Law**  
**GBLW 433 Admiralty Law**  
**GBLW 435 Environmental Law and Policy**  
**GBLW 437 International Law**  
**GBTT 451 Marine Insurance**  
**HUMN 430 Case Studies in Constitutional Law**

Note that GBLW 431 is a prerequisite for GBLW 433 and GBTT 451.

## **Management**

Available to all degrees except MT and ITT.

**GBAC 311 Financial Accounting**  
**GBLW 431 Business Law**  
**GBMG 341 Organizational Management**  
**GBMG 345 Fundamentals of Marketing**  
**GBMG 440 Seminar in Strategy and Policy**

## **Naval Science**

Available to all degrees.

**NVSC 101 Introduction to Naval Science**

**NVSC 402 Leadership and Ethics**

and nine additional credits of NVSC courses, not required by the student's degree program, including two 3-credit courses at 200 level or above.

## **Ship Management**

Available to all degrees except Marine Operations.

Five courses (not required by student's degree program) chosen from:

**GBMG 443 Cross-Cultural Management**  
**GBTT 457 Port and Terminal Operations**  
**MT 212 Ship Management**  
**MT 350 Hazardous Materials and Oil Spill Response**  
**MT 404 Environmental Management**  
**MT 408 International Safety Management**  
**MT 435 Maritime Security**