Agricultural and Extension Education Minor (AGREDC-MN)

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The minor in agricultural and extension education is for students who are interested in preparing for educating audiences in non-formal settings. This minor would be especially helpful for students who wish to become extension educators in the areas of agriculture and natural resources, family and consumer science, youth development or community development. Students interested in working in educational endeavors with business/industry or other governmental agencies or organizations would also benefit. The minor is designed to teach the student program development and teaching methods and interpersonal skills which will enable them to effectively transfer their technical subject matter to others. This minor is appropriate for students in all agricultural departments and the Colleges of the Arts and Sciences.

The minor in agricultural and extension education consists of 22 credit hours of course work. If you follow the guidelines on this sheet in completing the minor, you should file the Minor Program Form with your college or school counselor. Any variation from the program described on this sheet needs the approval of the coordinating advisor.

Required courses (22 credit hours)
AEE 230 (3), 342 (5), 420 (3), 530.01 (5), 532 (3), 622 (3)

Agricultural and Extension Education minor program guidelines

The following guidelines govern the Agricultural Education minor.

Required for graduation  No

Credit hours required  A minimum of 22

Transfer credit hours allowed  A maximum of 10

Overlap with the GEC  Permitted, maximum of 5 credit hours

Overlap with the major  Not allowed and
- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The minor is not available to students majoring in agricultural communication or agricultural and extension education.
- The same courses cannot count on the minor and on the major.

Overlap between minors  Each minor completed must contain 20 unique hours.

Grades required
- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.0 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.

Approval required  The minor program description sheet indicates if the minor course work must be approved by:
- A college/school counselor

Filing the minor program form  The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor.

Changing the minor  Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by:
- A college/ school counselor