The minor is designed to enhance understanding of merchandising of fashion products to meet the needs of consumers and retail industries. There are three learning goals for the minor: (1) Students acquire fundamental knowledge of the fashion and retail industries, (2) Students solve problems creatively in consumer and industry related settings, AND (3) Students develop communication skills in individual and group settings. For further information about the minor program, contact the college.

Minimum of 14 credit hours required.

**PART A – Take both courses (6 credits):**
- CSFRST 2370 Aesthetics of Fashion and Retail (3)
- CSFRST 2373 Business of Fashion and Retailing (3)

**PART B – Choose 1 course (3 credits):**
Courses not taken in Part B, can be used in Part C
- CSFRST 3470 Apparel Product Development I (3)
- CSFRST 3330 Corporate Social Responsibility, Sustainability & Entrepreneurship in Fashion & Hospitality Industries (3)
- CSFRST 4575 Retail Environment (3)

**PART C – Choose 2 courses (5-6 credits):**
At least 3 credits from PART C must be 3000-level or above

Students should note course prerequisites before planning which Part C courses to choose. Courses cannot double count in Part B & C.

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**Fashion and Retail Studies minor program guidelines:**

**Credit hours required**
A minimum of 15 credit hrs. 1000 level courses shall not be counted in the minor. At least 6 credit hrs must be upper-level courses as defined by the College Education and Human Ecology (3000 level or higher).

**Transfer and EM credit hours allowed**
A student is permitted to count up to 6 total hours of transfer credit and/or credit by examination.

**Overlap with the GE** A student is permitted to overlap up to 6 credit hours between the GE and the minor.

**Overlap with the major and additional minor(s)**
- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The minor must contain a minimum of 12 hours distinct from the major and/or additional minor(s).

**Grades required**
- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA for all minor course work
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.
- No more than 3 credit hours of course work graded Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory may count toward the minor

**X193 credits No more than 3 credit hours**

**Minor approval**
Minor program approval is not required as long as there is no variation from the minor program sheet. Any variation from the minor as indicated must be approved by an EHE advisor located in A100 PAES Building (614-292-9261). A student’s primary advisor can add the minor by using the program code at the top of this program sheet.

**Filing the minor program form**
The minor program form must be filed with the student’s college/school at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school advisor.

**Changing the minor**
Once the minor program form is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by the academic unit offering the minor.