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The minor in food studies examines food from multiple perspectives. Core courses focus on an introduction to food studies, basic food principles, and cultural and economic aspects of food. Electives allow students to select courses that complement their academic and career interests, including food production and product development, food-related media and writing, food history and culture, local and global health, advocacy, and policy.

Course Requirements

Required Courses (6 hours)

- NHM 101 Introduction to Food Studies (3 hours)
- NHM 211 Principles of Food (3 hours)

Elective Courses (12 hours)

- NHM 111 SERVSAFE (1 hour)
- NHM 213 Principles of Food Preparation Lab (1 hour)
- NHM 268 Food, Culture, and Global Citizenship (3 hours)
- NHM 311 Nutrition (3 hours)
- NHM 373 Consumer and Food Economics (3 hours)
- NHM 415 Experimental Food Study (3 hours)
- NHM 417 Community Nutrition (3 hours)
- NHM 468 Nutrition/Hospitality Management Study Tour (no more than 3 hours)*
- NHM 493 Individual/Group Study OR NHM 593 Individual Study (1 to 3 hours)*
- NHM 522 Food Policy (3 hours)
- NHM 595 International Study Tour (3 hours)*
- Non-NHM food studies-related course (no more than 3 hours)*
- *NHM 468, 493, 593, and 595, as well as other NHM courses and non-NHM courses, must be food studies-related and require prior approval by the director/department chair.

Other Academic Requirements

GPA of 2.0 or higher. C or better in all minor coursework.

