BIOETHICS AND MEDICAL HUMANITIES, MINOR

Requirements for a minor may be completed at any campus location offering the specified courses for the minor. Students may not change from a campus that offers their major to a campus that does not offer their major for the purpose of completing a minor.

Program Requirements

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Requirements for the Minor

A grade of C or better is required for all courses in the minor, as specified by Senate Policy 59-10 (https://senate.psu.edu/policies-and-rules-for-undergraduate-students/59-00-minors-and-certificates/#59-10). In addition, at least six credits of the minor must be unique from the prescribed courses required by a student's major(s).

Code | Title | Credits
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BMH 490 | Bioethics and Medical Humanities Capstone Course | 3
PHIL 132/RLST 131 | Bioethics | 3

Additional Courses: Require a grade of C or better

Select 12 credits (at least 3 credits at the 400 level) of the following:

**Ethics**
- BBH 301W | Values and Ethics in Biobehavioral Health Research and Practice
- BIOL 461 | Contemporary Issues in Science and Medicine
- NURS 464 | Dying and Death
- PHIL 432 | Medical and Health Care Ethics
- or STS 432 | Medical and Health Care Ethics
- PHIL 498 | Critical Feminist Issues in Reproduction

**Humanities**
- CAS 253 | Health Communication
- CAS 453 | Health Communication Theory and Research
- HIST 103 | The History of Madness, Mental Illness, and Psychiatry

**Other**
- ANTH 470
- ANTH 471H
- CSD 269 | Deaf Culture
- FDSC 280
- HPA 301W | Health Services Policy Issues
- KINES 345 | Meaning, Ethics, and Movement
- WMNST 250 | Sexual Identity over the Life Span

1 One course must be selected from the list of Ethics courses.