WHY THE ED MINOR?

- To introduce students to the complex interactions among the various political, cultural, social, and historical dynamics that shape educational policy and practice.
- To develop a deep understanding of learning in both formal and informal settings.
- To enable the development of a repertoire of practices to teach in a variety of educational settings – e.g., Peace Corps, after-school programs, and youth-art centers.
- To engage students with a passion for social justice in stimulating coursework and field endeavors.
- To offer students quality intellectual experiences with faculty known for their teaching excellence.

The Minor
19 Credit Hours

Core Courses
7 Hours
(If a student decides to pursue licensure, these core courses can be transferred to appropriate licensure program.)

1. School & Society (EDUC 3013)
2. Choose one:
   a. Educational Psychology In Elementary Education (EDUC 4411)*
   b. Educational Psychology & Adolescent Development (EDUC 4112)*
   c. Knowledge & Learning In Math & Science (EDUC 4050)*
3. Choose one (1 credit):
   a. Step 1 (EDUC 2020)*
   b. Step-Humanities (EDUC 2050)*

Elective Options
12 hours
(Choose 4 courses from the options below)

1. Energy and Interaction (EDUC 1580)
2. Evolution of American Public Schools (EDUC 2125)
3. Education in Film (EDUC 2150)
4. Teaching English as a Second Language (EDUC 2625)
5. Renewing Democracy in Communities and Schools (EDUC 2919)
6. Learning with Technology In and Out of School (EDUC 3570)
7. International/Comparative Education (EDUC 4015)
8. Story & Memoir (EDUC 4135)
9. Language Study for Educators (EDUC 4222)
10. Children’s Literature and Literacy Engagement in Elementary Schools (EDUC 4311)
11. Introduction to Bilingual/Multicultural Education (EDUC 4425)

You may also work with an advisor to identify additional EDUC courses to fulfill the minor requirements.

Application Process and Minor Requirements

After completing one core Ed Minor course, students need to contact the School of Education (303-492-6555/Room 153) and submit a completed application form.

A “B” average must be maintained in The Education Minor coursework (with C- as lowest acceptable course grade) in order to fulfill the requirements.

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