



# Human and Community Engagement Minor

The Human and Community Engagement minor combines classroom instruction on human and community development theories and models with opportunities for application through engagement in the local community. This 21-credit minor will provide you with opportunities to analyze community and societal-based issues and create collaborative social change initiatives for the community and individuals across the lifespan. This minor will prepare you to serve your community as a leader and change agent.

## After completing this minor, you will be able to:

- Apply human and community engagement theories, models, and concepts to a range of real-world issues.
- Promote and engage in volunteer, advocacy, and social change opportunities.
- Collaborate with others of diverse backgrounds and understand the importance of differing perspectives within a group and/or community.
- Develop communication and leadership-based skills.
- Develop strategies for addressing personal, organizational, and community issues.
- Identify opportunities for increased success of a community-based organization.
- Create a development plan for lifelong citizenship.

## Required Courses:

- FCS/CLDR 220- Introduction to Human and Community Engagement
- FCS 105- Individual and Family Development
- CLDR 360- Leadership and Community Dynamics
- FCS/CLDR 420- Advanced Human and Community Engagement Experience

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## Human Engagement (choose 6 credits from these course options, 3 of which must be from FCS):

- FCS 240- Intimate Relationships
- FCS 254- Middle Childhood Develop.
- FCS 334- Adolescence and Emerging Adulthood
- FCS 340- Parent-Child Relationships in Family and Community
- FCS 360- Sexuality Across the Lifespan
- FCS 434- Adulthood and Aging within the Context of Family
- FCS 440- Contemporary Family Relationships
- FCS 436- Theories of Child and Family Development
- FCS 445- Issues in Work and Family
- COMM 223- Interpersonal Comm.
- COMM 335- Intercultural Comm.
- COMM 340- Family Communication
- COMM 410- Conflict Management

## Community Engagement (choose 6 credits from these course options, 3 of which must be from CLDR):

- CLDR 480- Change and Power in a Global Society
- CLDR 450- Leading People and Teams
- SOC 201- Introduction to Inequalities and Inclusion
- AGED 359- Developing 4-H Youth Programs
- ORGS 305- Nonprofit Organizations