ABOUT THE MINOR

The UCF minor in Florida Studies brings together faculty from history, English, political science, and other disciplines to create an integrated, in-depth exploration of our state’s changing identity as a part of the United States as well as a bridge to the Caribbean Basin, Latin America, and the rest of the world.

Students can benefit from Florida Studies courses as they prepare for careers ranging from law to social work, from historic preservation to international business, from K-12 education to environmental policy, from sports to politics, from growth management to urban planning, from arts and literature to entertainment, from tourism to trade, and from medical science to care for the elderly.

If you plan to live, work, or study in Florida, this program is for you. Join us as we explore Florida’s past and prepare for Florida’s future!
REQUIREMENTS

Courses used in the minor must be taken in at least three departments. A total of 18 semester hours are required and a grade of “C” (2.0) or better is required in each course used to satisfy the minor.

At least 12 hours used in the minor must be earned at UCF. No credit by exam (TSD, Military credit) may be used. Internship, Co-op, or Independent Study credit cannot be used toward the minor. No more than 3 credit hours may overlap with any other major or minor.

COURSES

The Florida Studies minor offers courses in various disciplines. Courses such as U.S. Space History, Literature of the South, Florida Politics and Frontier Florida are a few examples that demonstrate the program’s diverse focus.

Other courses offered include:
• AMH 3425 Sunbelt Florida
• AML 4265 Florida Writers
• ANT 3158 Florida Archaeology
• POS 3182 Florida Politics

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