

# GLOBAL POVERTY MINOR

## Agricultural and Resource Economics (AREC)

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The Global Poverty minor develops an awareness and understanding of the dimensions of global poverty, its causes and consequences, and the scope of policies aimed at poverty alleviation. Students will discover how incentives, resources, and social and political institutions influence the incidence of poverty across and within countries. Students in the minor will explore the relationships between poverty and determinants of human welfare such as hunger, health, education and environmental quality.

## REQUIREMENTS

Students must complete at least 15 credits in the minor from the following categories.

Course	Title	Credits
<b>One (1) Global Poverty Signature Course from the following list:</b>		<b>3</b>
AREC345	Global Poverty and Economic Development	
AREC365	World Hunger, Population, and Food Supplies	
<b>One (1) Global Perspectives Signature course from the following list</b>		<b>3</b>
ANTH265	Anthropology of Global Health	
GEOG330	As the World Turns: Society and Sustainability in a Time of Great Change	
GVPT200	International Political Relations	
GVPT280	The Study of Comparative Politics	
GVPT282	The Politics of Global Development	
GVPT289A		
GVPT289J		
GVPT289	Special Topics in Government and Politics (GVPT289L: Religions, Beliefs, and World Affairs)	
GVPT306	Global Environmental Politics	
GVPT309	Topics in International Relations	
GVPT354	International Development and Conflict Management	
GVPT359	Topics in Comparative Politics	
ENES269	Topics in Grand Challenges for Engineering in a Global Context	
ENES316		
ENES464		
ENES472	Leading Global Teams and Engaging Across Cultures in Business, Engineering, and Technology	
ENES474		
BSST330		
BSST331	Innovations in Counterterrorism	
BSST334	States of Emergency	
BSST335	Innovations in Countering Violent Extremism	
BSST340	Oral Communication for National Security Careers	

BSST370 Financing Terror and Hate

BSST372 Terrorist Hostage Taking

### Three (3) Electives

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GEOG130 Development Geography: Environmental & Social Justice

GEOG330 As the World Turns: Society and Sustainability in a Time of Great Change

GEOG423

AREC345 Global Poverty and Economic Development

AREC365 World Hunger, Population, and Food Supplies

AREC360 Global Agriculture: Developing Extension Education & Agriculture Technologies in Africa

ANTH265 Anthropology of Global Health

GVPT282 The Politics of Global Development

ECON314 Economic History, Development and Policy

ECON315 Economic Development of Underdeveloped Areas

ECON317 Global Economic Policies

ECON375 Economics of Poverty and Discrimination

ECON416 Analysis of Economic Development

ECON418 Economic Development of Selected Areas

ENST100 International Crop Production-Issues and Challenges in the 21st Century

FMSC110 Families and Global Health

FMSC310 Maternal, Child and Family Health

FMSC381 Family Inequality

GVPT200 International Political Relations

GVPT282 The Politics of Global Development

GVPT289A

GVPT289J

GVPT306 Global Environmental Politics

GVPT354 International Development and Conflict Management

HONR228 Honors Seminar (HONR228N: Evaluating Global Development Assistance)

HONR228 Honors Seminar (HONR228R: Parenting and Poverty: The Effects of Growing Up Poor on Children's Development)

NFSC425

AREC260 The Science of Gender in Economics and Development

ANTH210 Introduction to Medical Anthropology and Global Health

ANTH310 Method & Theory in Medical Anthropology and Global Health

CCJS325 Slavery in the Twenty First Century: Combating Human Trafficking

CCJS370 Race, Crime and Criminal Justice

ECON175 Inequality: Determinants and Policy Remedies

HLTH325 Poor in America: Health and Wellbeing

FGSM380 Responses to Global Challenges

MIEH400

Up to 3 elective credits can be from the following (optional, and pending advisor approval):

Study abroad

Internship

Experiential learning related to poverty

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**Total Credits** **15**

No course may be used to satisfy the requirements of more than one minor.

A course cannot be used to satisfy two requirements, i.e. a course taken to satisfy either of the signature requirements cannot be used as an elective. However, some of the courses above can be used as electives after signature course requirements are satisfied.

At least 9 credits must be at the 300-400 level.

All courses presented for the minor must be passed with a grade of "C-" or better. Beginning with students matriculating in Fall 2012, to be awarded a baccalaureate degree, students must have a minimum C (2.00) cumulative grade point average across all courses used to satisfy minor requirements.