

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY, 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 Description

The minor in Environmental Health and Safety is for students interested in solving problems that affect the safety and health of workers, users, customers, and the public. EHS is the practice of identifying applicable hazards to the health and safety of people, assessing their risk, and then applying system design techniques to mitigate the severity and/or likelihood of those hazards. EHS is a fundamental function of any enterprise that serves the public, produces or uses technology, or employs people.

This minor includes training that can lead to certifications such as the Associate Safety Professional (ASP) and the Certified Safety Professional (CSP) together with relevant job experience.

The prescribed courses for this major have the following prerequisites: CHEM 110, PHYS 211, MATH 141, and MATH 251. Depending on the choice of courses, it is possible to complete the Additional and Supporting courses with no additional prerequisites.