



CHOOSE YOUR PATHWAY TO A CORE MINOR OR HONORS

The Core provides students a chance to earn Hub credit in the small seminar setting of a unique learning community. At the same time, Core students have the opportunity to choose from three distinct pathways to pursue academic achievements and research interests that go beyond the standard syllabus. **What do you want to do in Core?**

I WANT ... A LIBERAL ARTS FOUNDATION

STEP 1

Complete the Core gateway courses:

- CAS CC 101
- CAS CC 102

WHEN PLANNING YOUR SCHEDULE,
REMEMBER THAT EVERY CORE COURSE
CARRIES HUB UNITS!



STEP 2

Complete 4 other Core courses:

- CAS CC 111
- CAS CC 212
- CAS CC 221
- CAS CC 222
- CAS CC 201
- CAS CC 202



STEP 3

Submit a Minor Declaration form online via the CAS website

**Congratulations! You have earned
THE CORE MINOR**

I WANT TO ... DESIGN A PROJECT THROUGH INDEPENDENT COURSEWORK

STEP 1

Complete 1 two-course sequence:

- CAS CC 101 + 102
- CAS CC 111 + 212
- CAS CC 201 + 202
- CAS CC 221 + 222



STEP 2

Consult with the Core Minor advisor; book a meeting via core@bu.edu



STEP 3

Complete 4 other related classes:

- Select four courses which relate to the topic of your project. At least two courses must be 300-level or higher and at least two must be in departments outside of Core
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STEP 4

Finish with CC 350, the two-credit Capstone workshop in which you will complete a **paper or creative project**

**Congratulations! You have earned
THE MINOR IN CORE
INDEPENDENT STUDIES**

I WANT TO ... DESIGN A PAPER/PROJECT THROUGH INDEPENDENT RESEARCH

STEP 1

Earn B+ or higher in the full set of eight main Core courses:

- CAS CC 101 + 102
- CAS CC 111 + 212*
- CAS CC 201 + 202
- CAS CC 221 + 222

* STEM majors may complete Core Honors without taking CC 111 and 212



STEP 2

Consult with the Core Honors advisor; book a meeting via core@bu.edu



STEP 3

Working with your faculty mentor, plan and complete a research-based **paper or project** which connects Core texts and topics with outside fields

CORE RESEARCH IN ANY DISCIPLINE
MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR UROP FUNDING!



STEP 4

Defend your finished project or paper in front of a faculty committee.

**Congratulations! You have earned
HONORS IN CORE**