

# PAIR Newsletter



## Why should I get a minor?

Most majors only require around 40-60 credits. When added together with 45 credits in the Liberal Arts Core you have 85-105 credits. In order to graduate you will need at least 120 credits. Therefore, most students will need to take elective hours. Getting a minor is a great way to use up the elective hours in a more focused study. Also, a minor can help show employers that you have specific knowledge in a content area that they may be interested in. You can select minors that compliment your major or you can select one purely based on interest. Either way, a minor is a great way to use up elective hours!

### Check Out these Interesting Minors!

- Writing Minor
- Youth Services Administration
- Dance
- International Affairs
- Family Studies
- American Ethnic Studies
- Coaching
- Many, Many MORE!

## Helpful Website:

UNI Plan of Study:  
Contains list of majors and minors at UNI!  
<http://www.uni.edu/pos/>

## ✓ Mark the Date

- ✓ **Feb. 23** UNI Career Fair, 10am-2pm, Maucker Union
- ✓ **Feb. 24** Career Fair Interview Day, 8am-5pm, Union Ballroom
- ✓ **Feb. 24** Green Building Upgrades: Lessons from the University of Oregon, 7pm Lang Auditorium
- ✓ **Feb. 27** End of First Half of Semester
- ✓ **March 4** Kaji-Daiko & West African Drum Ensemble, 8pm Davis Hall in GBPAC
- ✓ **March 6** D/F Warnings Sent Out
- ✓ **March 9** Majors in Minutes, 7-8pm in Commons Ballroom

## PAIR Corner

Q. How do you choose your minor?

A. I chose my minors based on interests. I've been dancing all my life (Dance), and speaking Spanish for 6 years (Spanish). These are two areas of study I really enjoy, and though they aren't similar, opportunities may arise where they would be useful. I also think that when you choose a minor, you should find something that will compliment your major.

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