The interdisciplinary honors minor in medicine, literature, and culture was developed in collaboration with Honors Carolina and the Department of Social Medicine in the UNC School of Medicine. It encourages students to explore the cultural and historical dimensions of medical practice by viewing the practice of medicine not simply as an application of chemical and biological analyses of and interventions in the functioning of the human body but also as a cultural practice embedded in changing ideas of disease, health, doctors, patients, medical institutions, and ethics. The minor is available to students accepted into Honors Carolina and to any undergraduate student who has achieved and maintains a grade point average of 3.00 or better.

Requirements

In addition to the program requirements listed below, students must:

- take at least nine hours of their minor "core" requirements at UNC–Chapel Hill
- earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.000 in the minor core requirements. Some programs may require higher standards for minor or specific courses.

For more information, please consult the degree requirements section of the catalog (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/degree-requirements/).

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Four additional courses in at least two additional subject codes:

Total Hours: 15

Options for additional courses include, but are not limited to, the following courses:

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H Honors version available. An honors course fulfills the same requirements as the nonhonors version of that course. Enrollment and GPA restrictions may apply.

Additional courses can be applied to the requirements for this minor with the approval of the advisor for the minor.

At least three courses used to fulfill requirements for the minor must be counted exclusively in the minor and cannot be double-counted with a major or second minor. All courses must be taken for a standard letter grade, with the exception of one course (three to four credit hours) of By-Examination (BE) credit.

See the program page here (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/english-comparative-major-ba/#specialopportunities) for special opportunities.

Department Programs

Majors

- English and Comparative Literature Major, B.A. (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/english-comparative-major-ba/)

Minors

- Comparative Literature Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/comparative-literature-minor/)
- Composition, Rhetoric, and Digital Literacy Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/composition-rhetoric-digital-literacy-minor/)
- Creative Writing Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/creative-writing-minor/)
- English Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/english-minor/)
• Global Cinema Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/global-cinema-minor/)
• Latina/o Studies Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/latina-latino-studies-minor/)
• Medicine, Literature, and Culture Minor

Graduate Programs

• Ph.D. in English and Comparative Literature (http://catalog.unc.edu/graduate/schools-departments/english-comparative-literature/)
• M.A. in English (http://catalog.unc.edu/graduate/schools-departments/english-comparative-literature/) with a Concentration in Literature, Medicine, and Culture

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