Sustainable Design

MINOR CODE - U098

The minor in Sustainable Design develops in students a sound understanding of the principles of sustainability and sustainable design. With guidance from a variety of faculty, students will be challenged to examine their surrounding environments as well as their own lifestyles through the lens of sustainability. The three tiers of minor coursework prepare students to complete the minor with two industry-recognized green credentials that will enhance their competitiveness in the job market. For additional information on the minor in Sustainable Design, please contact Chris Haddox at 304-293-3657 or at chris.haddox@mail.wvu.edu

A minimum GPA of 2.0 is required in all minor courses

Tier 1 - Select three of the following: 9
- DSGN 280 Sustainable Design and Development
- DSGN 140 Sustainable Living
- or RESM 140 Sustainable Living
- or PLSC 140 Sustainable Living
- or WDSC 100 Forest Resources in United States History
- RESM 480 Environmental Regulation
- or ENVP 155 Elements of Environmental Protection

Tier 2 - Select two of the following: 6
- ARE 382 Agricultural and Natural Resources Law
- RESM 493 course subject matter changes.
- FOR 425 Global Forest Resources
- DSGN 340 Design for Energy Efficiency
- WDSC 320 Sustainable Construction
- ENVP 460 Environmental Impact Assessment

Tier 3 3
- DSGN 470 Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Green Building Systems

Total Hours 18