

Advising Juniors

Experiential Learning:

Don't forget that each student must complete two experiential learning activities regardless of major.

- Credit-bearing internships: Juniors and higher must register for at least 2 credits (80). Students are only allowed to complete 1 internship in any given semester during the academic year.
- Off-campus study abroad
- Off-campus study in the US-must include fieldwork or an internship
- Student teaching (seniors only)
- Experiential learning seminars and service-based independent studies-separate from regular courses

Declaring a minor:

- A minor can be a good way to study additional interests or to better prepare for graduate study or work after Wells.
- A student wishing to declare a minor must do so no later than the last day of classes of the first semester of senior year.
- The paperwork can be found on the Globe or at the Center for Academic and Career Advising
- Bring the Minor Declaration form to the Center for Academic and Career Advising
- An overall GPA of 2.0 or better must be earned in courses used toward the minor

No more than 50% of the semester hours applied to the minor by also be applied to the major

Reminders on Add/Drop Policy:

- Students with sophomore standing or higher who wish to take 18.5 to 21 semester hours in one semester, must file a petition with the Registrar's office. Students may not enroll in more than 21 semester hours in one semester.
- A course can be added within the first 10 class days of each semester, however, after five days the student requires permission of instructor.
- A course may be dropped (with no record on the transcript) through the 10th days of classes (the 5th day for 7-week classes).
- After the add/drop period ends, a student may withdraw from a class through the 9th week of classes by using the withdrawal form- a 'W' will appear on the transcript for that course
- After the 9th week of classes, and before the end of classes a student may petition to withdraw from a class, and will be granted either a 'W' for withdraw or a 'WF' for withdraw failing depending on grade.

Students must meet with their major advisor/s during advising week in order to be cleared on the globe for course registration.

Extra Reminders:

- Athletes must register for their sport in the semester that it's played.
- Now is a good time to discuss graduate school or other post-graduation plans if you haven't already!

Remember: The most accurate source of academic information is the course catalogue for the student's year.