



## COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

### Degree Requirements (Effective Fall 2017)

University General Education	College of Arts & Sciences			Bachelor of Arts VS. Bachelor of Science		Major
(40-46 credits)	Complete <b>ONE</b> of the following options:			Must complete <b>ONE</b> of the following: <i>(may be dependent on primary major)</i>		(30+ credits)
<b>ENGL 1150/1154 and 1160/1164</b> (6 credits)  <b>Advanced Writing</b> (3 credits)  <b>CMST 1110 or 2120</b> (3 credits)  <b>MATH 1120, 1130, 1220, or 1530</b> (3 credits)  <b>Humanities/Fine Arts</b> (9 credits; 2 disciplines)  <b>Social Sciences</b> (9 credits; 2 disciplines)  <b>Natural &amp; Physical Sciences</b> (7-8 credits; 2 disciplines; 1 lab)  <b>US Diversity</b> (3 credits)  <b>Global Diversity</b> (3 credits)	<b>Option 1</b> (12+ credits)  <b>Complete any UNO Minor</b> (OR certificate program)	<b>Option 2</b> (19 credits)  <b>Additional General Education Courses:</b>  <b>Quantitative Literacy</b> (3 credits)  <b>HIST 1000 and 1010</b> (6 credits)  <b>Humanities/Fine Arts</b> (3 credits; 3rd discipline)  <b>Social Sciences</b> (3 credits; 3rd discipline)  <b>Natural &amp; Physical Sciences</b> (4-5 credits; with lab)	<b>Option 3</b>  <b>Complete either an Interdisciplinary Major</b> (as the primary major)  <b>OR</b>  <b>Any UNO 2<sup>nd</sup> Major</b>  <u>Interdisciplinary Majors include the following:</u>  - Bioinformatics - Environmental Science - Interdisciplinary Studies - Neuroscience	<b>Bachelor of Arts</b>  <b>4 semesters of a Foreign Language</b> (16 credits)  Arabic French German Japanese Latin Russian Sign Language Spanish  <i>(4 years of ONE foreign language in HS can also fulfill this requirement)</i>	<b>Bachelor of Science</b>  <b>Cognate Field</b> (15+ credits)  Cognate courses are dependent on the student's primary major.  The cognate should be chosen in consultation with the major/faculty advisor if not already designated in the major requirements.	<b>Major Coursework</b>  Must have a minimum of 18 credits in upper-division (3000/4000 level)
	<b>Option 1 RULES:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can use toward University General Education</li> <li>• Cannot double-count with BS Cognate</li> <li>• Only double-counts with 1st major as much as both programs allow</li> </ul>	<b>Option 2 RULES:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can double-count with major</li> </ul>	<b>Option 3 RULES:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• See "Major" column for more info on rules</li> <li> </li> <li>• For 2<sup>nd</sup> majors: • See respective major department for double-counting rules, if applicable</li> </ul>	<b>BA Foreign Language RULES:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can use 5 credits toward University General Education or Option 2 Additional General Education</li> </ul>	<b>BS Cognate RULES:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can use 6 credits toward University General Education or Option 2 Additional General Education</li> <li>• In most cases, cannot double count with Option 1 minor or Option 3 second major</li> </ul>	

**Additional Graduation Requirements:**

- Minimum of 120 earned credit hours
- 30 out of the last 36 credits taken in residency at UNO
- Minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA
- **Must have a minimum of 27 credits in upper-division (3000/4000 level) throughout the degree**

**Other Notes:**

- Students are allowed to do both a minor(s) & 2<sup>nd</sup> major
- Students are allowed to do both a minor(s) & interdisciplinary major
- Students are allowed to do both an interdisciplinary major & 2<sup>nd</sup> major

**Questions?**

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