CINEMA STUDIES GRADUATE MINOR

for the Graduate Minor in Cinema Studies

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Programs in Cinema Studies

Undergraduate Programs:  
- major: Media & Cinema Studies, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/media/media-cinema-studies-bs/)  
- minors: Cinema Studies (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/media/minors/cinema-studies-minor/) | Critical Film Production (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/media/minors/critical-film-production/) | Media (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/media/minors/media/)

Graduate Programs:  
- minor: Cinema Studies (p. 1)

The Graduate Minor in Cinema Studies promotes the graduate-level study of cinema and related screen media and their cultural and institutional contexts and offers formal recognition of such work, undertaken alongside and in conjunction with Illinois graduate students' primary fields of study.

Admission

Applicants to the Graduate Minor program must be in residence and in good standing in a qualifying master's or doctoral program at Illinois and must designate Cinema Studies as a field/area of concentration for the master's or the doctoral degree and have that designation formally accepted by the student's home department.

Applications to the department head are accepted on a rolling basis. The Department Head will monitor students' advancement toward completion of the minor.

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For additional details and requirements refer to the Graduate College Handbook (http://www.grad.illinois.edu/gradhandbook/).

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<td>Historiography of Cinema</td>
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Two graduate courses in cinema or related media, chosen with the prior approval of the Minor Advisor. (One of the two electives may be satisfied by an independent study course or by an approved graduate-level course taken at another institution.)

Total Hours: 14-16

Other Requirements

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