Application for a Minor in Computer Science

**Description:** The College of Computing offers 9 minors in Computer Science for students majoring in other disciplines who want to be competitive in the global marketplace or leaders in the technological age. This program provides a solid foundation for integrating computing principles and advancements within a vast array of career options. Each minor is 5-6 classes or 15-19 hours and 9 of these hours must be at the 3000-4000 level. All courses must be completed with a minimum grade of C. Special Problems or internship coursework may not be used toward the minor.

**Requirements:** To apply for the minor program you must meet the following:

- Be in good academic standing
- Received a grade of A or B in CS 1301/1315/1371
- Received a grade of A or B in CS 1331
- For a Minor in CS Media, CS Intelligence, CS Systems and Architecture, CS Theory, CS Devices, CS Information Internetworks, and CS People students must be registered for CS 1332 or CS 2110 after drop date.
- Have a minimum of four semesters (48 hours) of coursework remaining in your undergraduate degree program after completing CS 1331.
- Students cannot complete two CS minors.
- Students in CMPE and EE cannot minor in Devices or Information Internetworks.
- Students in IE cannot minor in Computational Data Analysis.

**Advising:** It is recommended you meet with the CS Minor Advisor prior to phase 1 registration every semester to ensure academic progress toward the minor and to review any class conflicts prior to registration.

**Personal Assessment:** As part of your application, you must complete a personal assessment. Through this personal assessment you should address the following questions:

1. Why are you interested in the CS minor program?
2. What courses are you most interested in taking?
3. How will the minor program support your career plans?

**Deadlines:** Applications are due in the drop box (located by the desk outside the undergraduate advising area in CCB) by the withdrawal date each semester. Decisions and acceptance should be made within two weeks of the withdrawal date.

**Signatures:** You will need your **major advisor** to sign off on **both this application and Minor Declaration** form. **The CS minor advisor will not sign your minor declaration form until you are accepted.**
APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name: ____________________________________________ Date: ____________
First    Middle    Last

GTID: ____________________________ Gender: ________

CONTACT INFORMATION

GT Email: ____________________________ Cell Phone: ____________________________

Address: __________________________________________
Street Address    Apartment/Unit #

City    State    Zip

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

CS Minor________________________________________________________

Choose from: Computational Data Analysis, Devices, Information Internetworks, Intelligence, Media, People, Scientific & Engineering Computing, Systems & Architecture, or Theory

Current Major(s)_________________________________________ Co-op: Yes_____ No____

Number of hours completed at Georgia Tech (including transfer credit): ____________________________

Final GPA after last term at Georgia Tech: ____________________________________________

Number of semesters remaining at Georgia Tech (must have a minimum of 4 semesters) _____

Estimated Graduation date: ______________________________________________________________________
 spring, summer, or fall , & year

Semester and Grade Completed in CS 1301, 1315, or 1371: ______________________ Grade: ________
 spring, summer, or fall , & year

Semester and Grade Completed in CS 1331: ______________________ Grade: ________
 spring, summer, or fall , & year
Please list the courses you already completed for the minor __________________________

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Please list the courses you plan on taking and the semester you plan on taking them:

1st semester: __________________________ 2nd semester: __________________________

3rd semester: __________________________ 4th semester: __________________________

5th semester: __________________________

PERSONAL ASSESSMENT

Please address the following questions in your personal assessment.

1. Why are you interested in the CS minor program?
2. How will the minor program support your career plans?
3. Additional strengths and/or information that would make you a strong candidate for this program

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I certify that the information provided in the application materials is true to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that any omission or misrepresentation of facts or failure to furnish information will automatically invalidate consideration of this application to the College of Computing.

Applicant’s signature:___________________________________________  Date:___________________

I certify that the student above is in good academic standing and has at least 4 semesters remaining in his or her degree program.

Major Advisor signature:_________________________________________  Date:___________________

OFFICE USE ONLY:

☐ Approved: ___________________________  Date:___________________

☐ Not Approved: ________________________  Date:___________________

Comments:____________________________________________________________________
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