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 Modeling and Simulation, 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.
• Students cannot complete two CS minors.

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 on the wall across from CCB 114 by the drop date each semester. Decisions and acceptance will be given by phase 1 registration.

Signatures: You will need your major advisor to sign off on both this application and Minor Declaration form.
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: ________________________________

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:____________________________________

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:______________________

CS Minor Advisor:______________________________________________ Date:______________________