PROPOSED MINOR FIELD OF STUDY

STUDENT IS DEGREE CANDIDATE FOR CURRENT SEMESTER

YES ________   NO ________

Please provide ALL requested information:

Name_________________________________________  UIN#__________________________

MAJOR_________________________ OPTION_________ CAT. #_________ DEGREE (Check one) BA_____ BS_____

EXPECTED GRADUATION (Check one) FALL_____ SPRING_____ SUMMER_____ YEAR________

I request that the following courses in Earth Sciences be allowed to satisfy the ☐ optional ☑ required minor field of study for my major. The purpose of the Earth Sciences minor is to study the different physical earth processes and systems.

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Total Hours 15

_________________________  Date
Student Signature

_________________________  Date
Reviewed & Approved, Minor Dept. Academic Advisor

_________________________  Date
Reviewed & Approved, Major Dept. Academic Advisor

Return one copy to the Environmental Programs and one copy to your major department.

*Please check the back of this form for Minor requirements.
**Proposed Minor Field Requirements**  
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The purpose of the Earth Sciences minor is to study the different physical earth processes and systems.

Students choosing to complete a minor in Earth Sciences must meet the following requirements:

A minimum of 6 hours must be taken in residence at either Texas A&M University/College Station or Galveston.

A minimum cumulative GPR of 2.0 must be achieved for all courses in the minor.

Take a minimum of 15 hours of coursework in the College of Geosciences.

The 15 hours must include at least 3 hours of 400-level coursework and another 3 hours of upper-level (300- or 400-level) coursework from the list below.

Students with majors in the College of Geosciences must select only courses outside of their home department.

Courses must be selected from at least 3 of the 5 groups:

**GROUP 1:** ATMO 201  ATMO 202  ATMO 324  ATMO 441  
**GROUP 2:** GEOG 203  GEOG 309  GEOG 324  GEOG 331  GEOG 360  GEOG 361  
GEOG 370  GEOG 390  GEOG 400  GEOG 434  GEOG 462  GEOG 467  
**GROUP 3:** GEOL 101/4  GEOL 203  GEOL 301  GEOL 302  GEOL 306  GEOL 308  
GEOL 312  GEOL 410  GEOP 341  GEOP 413  
**GROUP 4:** GEOS 401  GEOS 442  GEOS 470  
**GROUP 5:** OCNG 251 or OCNG 401  OCNG 252  OCNG 410  OCNG 430  OCNG 440  

*Always check for course prerequisites.*

The selection of courses must be made in agreement with the Environmental Programs Advisor. All substitutions must be processed through the Environmental Programs.

To apply & complete paperwork for an Earth Sciences Minor, contact the Academic Advisor in Environmental Programs, 979-845-2559 or schedule an appointment online at [https://tamu.campus.eab.com/home](https://tamu.campus.eab.com/home).