Multiple Major Program Eligibility and Application Requirements:
Please use checklist below to ensure a complete application

Proposed Majors: (1) ______________________ (2) ______________________
Proposed Minor(s): (1) ______________________ (2) ______________________
Cumulative GPA: ______________________ Cumulative Units Earned: ______________________

CHECKLIST:

☐ Sophomore or Junior class standing. Students with Senior standing (more than 90 units earned) are not eligible to apply for a double major.
☐ At least one semester in residence at UC Merced
☐ Completion of WRI 10: College Reading and Composition or equivalent.
☐ Minimum 2.7 UC GPA
☐ Completion of at least two (2) courses in each major.
☐ Complete Change of Major Form

☐ If you have a declared Minor(s), please list:
  Current Minor: ______________________ Advisor: ____________
  Additional Minor: ______________________ Advisor: ____________

☐ No more than 12-upper division units (excluding units required for School and university-level general education) may be used to satisfy requirements for all majors simultaneously, whether these units are explicitly required by the majors or count as electives toward the majors

List below which courses you plan to take that will satisfy all majors simultaneously (total of twelve (12) units):

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☐ Include copies of your MyAudit for your primary majors and a “what if” for your intended/proposed major
☐ Return completed application to your primary major advisor. Incomplete packets will be returned.
Memo of Understanding

UC Merced Multiple Major Policy

A student in good academic standing who wishes to declare more than one major must petition the undergraduate School(s) responsible for the majors and receive School Dean’s (Deans’) approval. A School Dean may deny the petition for the additional major(s) if it is determined by the School(s) that there is too much overlap in the proposed coursework to justify allowing the student to receive the additional major(s).

No more than 12 upper-division units (excluding units required for School and university-level general education) may be used to satisfy requirements for all majors simultaneously, whether these units are explicitly required by the majors or count as electives toward the majors.

Students must satisfy all requirements for each major, including general education requirements across Schools, if applicable. Coursework for the majors must be completed in 165 semester units or 11 semesters, whichever is greater, from the onset of college work, including AP and transfer credit.

Majors earned will be noted on the student’s transcript and diploma. If the majors lead to different degrees (B.A. and B.S.), that fact will be noted on the transcript and the two-degree designations will appear on the diploma. A student who has declared multiple majors may choose to graduate with fewer majors. Students may not continue at the University to complete any remaining major(s).

By signing this document, I acknowledge my understanding of the following:

1. I must complete all School requirements including residency and minimum units and am subject to the enrollment standards, including minimum grade point average, of both Schools in which I wish to obtain degrees. Note: Students with majors within the School of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (SSHA) are required to complete 60 units of upper division work as part of their School requirements.

2. I must complete both lower division major and general education coursework for both Schools but may cross-count an unrestricted number of courses to satisfy these lower division requirements.

3. No more than 12 units of upper division coursework may be counted to complete major requirements for both majors, including electives for each major but excluding upper-division general education requirements.

4. Coursework for both Schools’ requirements and majors must be completed in 165 semester units or 11 semesters from the on-set of college-level work (whichever is greater).

5. Specific major combinations may not be eligible for double major programs.

6. I have verified with my primary advisor that my proposed double major program is acceptable.

7. I understand that coursework availability for both majors cannot be guaranteed.

Student Name (Please Print)

Student Signature

Primary Advisor Signature

Secondary Advisor Signature

[2]
**Double Major Proposed Schedule of Classes**

Expected Graduation Date: ________________  Expected Total Units: ______

*Instructions*: Beginning with the CURRENT semester, list ALL courses you plan to take, including those needed to complete major(s), college / school, campus and University requirements. A minimum of 12 units must be listed for each semester unless you are approved for Part-Time Status. This document is for planning purposes only and course availability is not guaranteed.

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**Total Units:**

Primary Major Advisor __________________________ Date ____________
Secondary Major Advisor __________________________ Date ____________
**Multiple Major Approval Form**

Please check all intended majors:

**Engineering**
- [ ] Bioengineering (BS)
- [ ] Computer Science & Engineering (BS)
- [ ] Environmental Engineering (BS)
- [ ] Mechanical Engineering (BS)
- [ ] Materials Science & Engineering (BS)

**Natural Sciences**
- [ ] Applied Mathematical Sciences (BS): Computational Biology
- [ ] Applied Mathematical Sciences (BS): Computer Science
- [ ] Applied Mathematical Sciences (BS): Economics
- [ ] Applied Mathematical Sciences (BS): Engineering
- [ ] Applied Mathematical Sciences (BS): Physics
- [ ] Applied Mathematical Sciences (BS): Custom Emphasis

**Social Sciences, Humanities & Arts**
- [ ] Anthropology (BA)
- [ ] Cognitive Science (BA)
- [ ] Cognitive Science (BS)
- [ ] Economics (BA)
- [ ] History (BA): United States History
- [ ] History (BA): World History
- [ ] Literature & Cultures (BA): English-Speaking World
- [ ] Literature & Cultures (BA): Spanish-Speaking World
- [ ] Management (BS)
- [ ] Political Science (BA)
- [ ] Psychology (BA)
- [ ] Sociology (BA)
- [ ] Biological Sciences (BS): Developmental Biology
- [ ] Biological Sciences (BS): Ecology & Evolutionary Biology
- [ ] Biological Sciences (BS): Human Biology
- [ ] Biological Sciences (BS): Microbiology & Immunology
- [ ] Biological Sciences (BS): Molecular & Cell Biology
- [ ] Chemical Sciences (BS): Biological Chemistry
- [ ] Chemical Sciences (BS): Chemistry
- [ ] Chemical Sciences (BS): Environmental Chemistry
- [ ] Chemical Sciences (BS): Material Chemistry
- [ ] Earth Systems Science (BS)
- [ ] Physics (BS)
- [ ] Physics (BS): Atomic / Molecular / Optic
- [ ] Physics (BS): Biophysics
- [ ] Physics (BS): Condensed Matter & Materials Physics
- [ ] Physics (BS): Mathematical Physics
- [ ] Physics (BS): Custom Emphasis

Student Signature ___________________________________________ Date: _________

Primary Major Advisor ________________________________________ Date: _________

Primary Major Dean/Designee _________________________________ Date: _________

Secondary Major Advisor _____________________________________ Date: _________

Secondary Major Dean/Designee _______________________________ Date: _________

**SCHOOL NOTES**

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