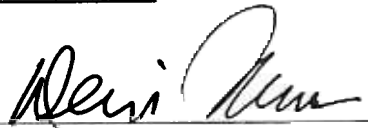


SENATE RESOLUTION 2-01

**Motion: to approve the Minimum Characteristics of Majors and Minors
submitted by the Curriculum Committee**

**Passed at the October 9, 2001 and amended at the October 16, 2001
meeting of the Academic Senate**

APPROVALS:


Date: 10/17/01
Dennis Muraoka
Chair, Academic Senate


Date: 10/26/01
Richard Rush
President, CSU Channel Islands

MINIMUM CHARACTERISTICS OF MAJORS AND MINORS

MINIMUM UNIT REQUIREMENTS	Minor	Major	
		BA	BS
Total Units	-	120	120
Upper-Division	-	40	40
General Education ¹	-	48	48
Total Units in the Program ²	15 ³	24 ⁴	36 ⁴
Upper-Division Units in the Program ²	9 ³	12 ⁴	18 ⁴

Notes:

All nine units of the upper-division resident General Education requirement must be interdisciplinary courses with three of the nine units taken outside the major discipline. Up to six of the nine units of upper-division General Education courses can be used to count toward the major degree.

- ² A program is defined as a course of studies that provides an in depth understanding in a named disciplinary area.
- ³ The Chancellor's Office specifies at least 12 units for the minor with 6 units of upper-division courses.
- ⁴ These are the minimum requirements set by the Chancellor's Office.