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Proposed Majors: (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Minor(s): (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative Units Earned: \_\_\_\_\_

UC Merced Double Major Policy

A student in good academic standing wishing to declare a double major must petition the school(s) responsible for the major(s). No more than 16 upper-division units may be used to satisfy requirements for both majors simultaneously, whether these units are explicitly required by the majors or count as electives toward the majors (excluding units required for university-level general education for both majors, e.g. CORE 100).

Double major students must satisfy all requirements for both majors, including general education requirements across schools if applicable. Coursework for both majors must be completed in 160 semester units or 11 semesters, whichever is greater, from the onset of college-level work. Both majors will be noted on the student's transcript and diploma. If the two 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 a double major may choose to graduate with a single major, but if so may not continue in the University for completion of the second major.

Double Major Program Eligibility Requirements:

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

Application Directions:

1. Complete the double major application packet. Include copies of all non-UC Merced transcripts.
2. Return the completed application to your primary major advisor and schedule an appointment for an application review. Incomplete applications will be returned.
3. Upon approval by primary major advisor, make an appointment with your proposed secondary major advisor for an application review appointment.
4. Once all signatures are obtained, return to your primary major advisor. You will be notified if your application is approved.

**Memo of Understanding**

*(To be completed with primary major advisor at application review appointment.)*

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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 16 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 160 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.

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Student Name *(Please Print)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Primary Advisor Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

General Education Completion Form

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Table with 3 columns: University Requirements, Course, Grade. Rows include American History & Institutions, Entry Level Writing Requirement, WRI 10: College Reading and Composition, CORE 1: The World at Home I, CORE 100: The World at Home II.

Table with 3 columns: School of Engineering, Course, Grade. Rows include ICP 1A & ICP IB: Integrated Calculus & Physics OR MATH 21: Calculus I & PHYS 8: Introductory Physics I, BIS 1: Contemporary Biology, CSE 20 & 21: Introduction to Computing I & II, MATH 32: Probability & Statistics, Humanities or Arts course, Social Sciences course, 3 units Service Learning OR 3 units upper division Humanities or Arts course, 3 units Service Learning OR 3 units upper division Social Science course, 3 units Service Learning OR 3 units Humanities or Arts or Social Science course \*.

\* Can be upper or lower division.

**Double Major Application Packet**

School of Natural Sciences Course Grade

**Math/Science Preparatory Curricula:**

MATH 21: Calculus I **	_____	_____
Probability and Statistics Course	_____	_____
Introductory Physics (PHYS 8 or PHYS 18) **	_____	_____
Computer Science Course (2-4 units)	_____	_____

\*\* ICP 1: Integrated Calculus/Physics may be taken in place of MATH 21 & PHYS 8

**General Education Courses Outside Natural Sciences and Engineering:**

General education elective in the Humanities or Arts	_____	_____
General education elective in the Social Sciences	_____	_____
Two other general education electives outside Natural Sciences/Engineering ***	_____	_____

\*\*\* One must emphasize written or oral communication and at least one must be an upper division course.

School of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts Course Grade

Natural Sciences/Engineering course with lab	_____	_____
Natural Sciences/Engineering course with or without lab	_____	_____
Quantitative Methods course	_____	_____
Humanities or Arts course #	_____	_____
Social or Cognitive Sciences course #	_____	_____
Four upper division GE courses: #		

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| 1. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 4. _____ |

# Must be outside the majors.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Primary Major Advisor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secondary Major Advisor Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date







