Today’s managers, professionals and entrepreneurs operate in a complex legal environment that affects all facets of an organization. Firms need business graduates with knowledge of the legal and regulatory climate for jobs in human resources, marketing, purchasing and environmental affairs. Business and trade associations depend on staff members who monitor legislative and judicial decisions. A Business Ethics and Legal Studies minor provides a foundation for careers in the public or private sector.

Course #     Course Title                Qtr. Hrs.
Prerequisite for minor courses:
LGST 2000 Foundations of Business Law                               4
Prerequisite: Sophomore Status
(Note: Business students take this course as part of the Business Core. Additional fees apply.)

A minimum of four courses (16 hrs) are required for the Business Ethics and Legal Studies minor. Of the four courses, students must take three (12 hours) LGST courses. Select from the following list of courses:

LGST 2560 The Constitution and Business            4
LGST 2570 Contracts for Business                    4
LGST 2960 Employment Law and Ethics                 4
LGST 3100 Business Ethics and Social Responsibility 4
LGST 3550 Topics in Business Law II (ACTG students only) 4
LGST 3700 International Business Law                4
LGST 3701 Topics in Legal Studies                   4
LGST 3710 E-Commerce Law & Ethics                   4
LGST 3730 Values-Based Leadership in Practice       4
LGST 3790 Entrepreneur & Family Business            4
LGST 3991 Independent Study                         arranged

In addition, students may take up to one non-LGST course (4 hours) towards the BELS minor. Select from the following list of courses:

MFJS 3040 Media Law                                    4
PHIL 2180 Ethics                                       4
PLSC 2820 Civil Rights, Law, Senate, & Society         4
PLSC 2860 Constitutional Law & Politics I              4
PLSC 2880 Taming Tyranny                              4
PPOL 2802 The Supreme Court and Public Policy         4
SOCI 2250 Criminology                                 4
SOCI 2750 Sociology of Law                             4
SOCI 2770 Kids and Courts                             4
SOCI 2785 Family and the Law                          4

Business Ethics and Legal Studies Minor Requirements
Business Majors -                                      16
Non-Business Majors -                                  20