

WAGNER COLLEGE

Civic Engagement Minor (starting with class of 2025)

The minor consists of six (6) classes.

Four (4) core courses and two (2) from the selected concentration

Core Classes

1. CE206 Civic Engagement Leadership
2. GOV103 American Government and Politics OR SO103 American Society and Its Social Problems
3. CE300 Civic Engagement Internship OFF campus (*e.g., Safe Horizon, local hospital Bronx Food Pantry, Catholic Charities Resettlement Office, EMT*)
4. CE400 Civic Engagement Internship ON campus (*e.g., Health & Wellness Center, WagnerVotes, Food Recovery Network, Composting, Holocaust Center*)

Concentrations

All students need to choose one (1) of the following concentrations and take two (2) courses from the selected concentration.

I. Health

- SW105 Intro to Social Work
- AN252 Culture, Health, and the Body: Introduction to Medical Anthropology
- HS201 Understanding Healthcare Systems
- PH202 Medical Ethics
- NR472 Community Health Nursing
- NR224 Health and Nutrition
- PA462 Clinical Practice in Primary Care & Community Health
- PA463 Clinical Practice in Primary Care & Adolescent Medicine
- PS252 Health Psychology
- PS315 Principles of Counseling Psychology

II. Identities and Inequalities

- AN201 Comparative Cultures
- AN251 Sex, Gender, and Culture
- EN216 African American Literature
- EN314 Decolonizing the Mind
- EN342 The Contested South
- HI236 History of Civil Rights
- HI334 Nazi Germany and the Holocaust
- PS241 Psychology of Gender
- SO215 Race, Ethnicity, and Society
- SO306 Crossing Borders: Immigration & American Identities
- SO320 Sociology of Gender

III. Arts, Media, Film

- AR221 Museum and Gallery Studies
- AR235 Public Art
- FM221 Video Editing
- FM222 Introduction to Documentary Filmmaking
- JR261 Reporting in the New Age of Journalism
- JR321 Dying to Tell the Story
- TH229 Devised Theatre
- TH290 Play Writing

IV. Public Policy

- SO103 American Society & Its Problems
- GOV211 Public Administration
- GOV316 Constitutional Law
- SW292 Intro to Social Policy
- PH109 Political Philosophy
- PH203 Ethics and Society

V. Refugees and Immigration

- AN201 Comparative Cultures
- AN325 Culture, Power, and Place
- AN234 Land of the Inca: Peru Past & Present
- AN236 Cultures of the Caribbean
- _____ Modern Language class (NOT taught in English translation)
- SO306 Crossing Borders: Immigration & American Identities

VI. Environment & Sustainability

- BI110 Environmental Biology
- AN325 Culture, Power, and Place
- AN206 People and the Environment
- EC306 Economics of the Environment
- HI273 Environmental History of New York
- SO302 The Urbanized Society
- PS305 Experimental Psychology: Environment

Students may petition the Director of the Civic Engagement Minor to have other classes count toward a concentration by clearly stating the rationale.

Students who completed or are minoring in Civic Engagement have had the following to say:

"I was able to further my knowledge of civic engagement and how to be an effective leader."

"I learned leadership skills."

"It allowed me to merge my career goals and opinions with my community views and goals."

"It has provided me with a platform to learn and blend my interest (major field) with that of giving back to the community"

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