Major/Minor Declaration Form

Step 1: Complete Student Inf	Date:	Date:			
Name:		Student I	D #:		
Name: Last	First	MI Student I			
Student Signature:		Phone:			
Tulane e-mail:		Expected	date of graduat	ion:	
Step 2: Dropping a major/min	or/dual degree: (Ch	eck all that apply. If none app	oly skip to St	rep 3.)	
☐ I am dropping a previously	y declared major.	List major(s) to drop:			
☐ I am dropping a previously	y declared minor.	List minor(s) to drop:			
☐ I am dropping a joint degr	List joint degree to dro	joint degree to drop:			
Step 3: Declare your major/m	inor: (Check all that	apply. If none apply skip	to Step 5.)		
☐ I am declaring a new prim	`		• /	o rd , etc.)	
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Degree pursued: New Primary Major:		New Additiona	al Maior:		
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Department Chair Approval	Date	Department Chair	Approval	Date	
Faculty Advisor's Name (please print)		Faculty Advisor's	Faculty Advisor's Name (please print)		
Faculty Advisor's Signature		Faculty Advisor's	Faculty Advisor's Signature		
New Primary Minor:		New Secondary	New Secondary Minor:		
Department Chair Approval	Date	Department Chair	Approval	Date	
Step 5: Bring completed form	back to the Center	or Academic Advising for 1	processing:		
Newcomb-Tulane College Academic Advisor		 Date			

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Major

A major field of study provides each student the opportunity to explore a single area of inquiry in depth and to gain the self-confidence derived from mastery of a subject. The major must be selected no later than the beginning of a student's fourth semester of college study. It is the student's responsibility to meet with his/her major advisor when declaring a major and in subsequent semesters. The selection of a major program also determines the school with which the student will be affiliated. Students may change their majors at any point in their academic careers; students choosing to change their majors should be aware that:

- this action may necessitate a change in school,
- not all previously completed coursework may apply to the newly selected school or major, and
- additional coursework may be necessary to meet the new major requirements

Coordinate Major Programs

Coordinate majors are interdepartmental second majors that are linked to one of the primary majors listed previously. Students must complete all courses for each of the majors.

Double Majors

Newcomb-Tulane College students must have a primary major in the Schools of Architecture, Business, Liberal Arts, Public Health and Tropical Medicine, or Science and Engineering. Any student may also pursue a second major. If the second major is not housed in the primary school, the student does not have to complete the school-specific core of the secondary school. Subject to approval by their advisers, students may also pursue a second major in a professional degree program; however, this option requires completing all degree requirements for the second major and obtaining the professional degree, *i.e.*, B.S.E., B.S.M., B.S.P.H, M.Arch.

Minor Component

Undergraduate students may complete one or more minors. The minor is optional and is designed to provide structure to the study of a secondary field of interest chosen by the student. Students who elect to complete the requirements for a minor must earn a grade-point average of at least 2.000 in courses counting toward that minor. No courses counting toward the student's first minor will count toward the student's second minor. Individual schools or departments may specify the number of credits allowed on major-minor overlap. Students should consult departmental listings for additional information.

Dual Degrees

Tulane University offers the option of obtaining two undergraduate degrees. Newcomb-Tulane College students should refer to the school-specific sections for more information on pursuing dual degrees within the same school and consult with their advisers early in their academic careers. Newcomb-Tulane College students pursuing dual degrees within two schools must complete the Newcomb-Tulane College core curriculum, each school's specific core curriculum, and the major requirements for each degree and at least 150 credits.

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