

The following was passed at the May 3, 2010, Faculty Senate Meeting #167:

MOTION:

The Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee moves to revise the following for the Bachelor of Arts degree (pages 126-127 of the 2009-10 UAF catalog) for all students. This revision addresses that students who bring in a Bachelor's degree from another institution can already have met the minor complex requirement.

EFFECTIVE: Fall 2010

RATIONALE: Currently, some departments are already practicing this (through a petition process) although it is not an official policy. Students who have a bachelor's degree from regionally accredited institution should not be held to meeting the minor requirement for the UAF Bachelor of Arts. Students often bring in courses from a previous bachelor's degree to the BA and often need to petition to meet the minor requirements. Currently, an associate of applied science (A.A.S.) degree or certificate of at least 30 credits earned at another institution may be used to meet requirements for a minor for the Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) degree. This would eliminate the need to petition, and student run around, and streamline graduating processing.

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Bachelor of Arts (page 126)

Requirements

Complete the baccalaureate core (38 – 39 credits)

Complete the following B.A. requirements in addition to the core:

- Humanities and social sciences (18 credits)
 - Any combination of courses at the F100-level or above, with a minimum of 6 credits from the humanities and a minimum of 6 credits in the social sciences OR up to 12 credits in a single non-English language taken at the university level and a minimum of 6 credits in social science.

- Mathematics (3 credits)
 - One course at the F100-level or above in mathematical sciences (math, computer science, statistics)
- Complete one of the following:
 - Minor complex* at least 15

* Departmental requirements for majors and minors may exceed the minimums indicated. Specific requirements are listed in the following section. **STUDENTS WHO HOLD A BACHELOR'S DEGREE FROM A REGIONALLY ACCREDITED INSTITUTION ARE NOT REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE MINOR COMPLEX.**

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An associate of applied science (A.A.S.) degree or certificate of at least 30 credits earned at any regionally accredited college or university may be used to meet requirements for a minor for the bachelor of arts (B.A.) degree. **STUDENTS WHO HOLD A BACHELOR'S DEGREE FROM A REGIONALLY ACCREDITED INSTITUTION ARE NOT REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE MINOR COMPLEX.** See a list of certificate programs and A.A.S. degrees offered at UAF.

 5 May 2010
President, UAF Faculty Senate Date

APPROVAL: 
Chancellor's Office

DATE: 5/24/10

DISAPPROVED: _____
Chancellor's Office

DATE: _____