



Class Standing: ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior

UCM ID Number:

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

UC Merced Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Multiple Major Program Eligibility and Application Requirements (Catalog Years since Fall 2018):**

*This application is intended for use by students who were admitted as freshmen since Fall 2018 or as transfers since Fall 2020. Please use checklist below to ensure a complete application. Return completed application to your primary major advisor. Incomplete packets will be returned.*

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

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

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

**CHECKLIST:**

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

If you have a declared Minor(s), please list:

Current Minor: \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Minor: \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

No more than 12-upper division units (excluding units required for School and university-level general education) may be used to satisfy requirements for all majors simultaneously, whether these units are explicitly required by the majors or count as electives toward the majors.

**List below which upper division courses you plan to take that will satisfy all majors simultaneously (total of twelve (12) units):**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Course #1

\_\_\_\_\_  
Units

\_\_\_\_\_  
Course #2

\_\_\_\_\_  
Units

\_\_\_\_\_  
Course #3

\_\_\_\_\_  
Units



## Memo of Understanding

### UC Merced Multiple Major Policy

A student in good academic standing who wishes to declare more than one major must petition the undergraduate School(s) responsible for the majors and receive School Dean's (Deans') approval. A School Dean may deny the petition for the additional major(s) if it is determined by the School(s) that there is too much overlap in the proposed coursework to justify allowing the student to receive the additional major(s).

No more than 12 upper-division units (excluding units required for university-level general education) may be used to satisfy requirements for all majors simultaneously, whether the majors or count explicitly requires these units as electives toward the majors.

Students must satisfy all requirements for each major, including general education requirements across Schools, within the timeframe outlined by the UC Merced Normal Progress to Degree policy.

Majors earned will be noted on the student's transcript and diploma. If the 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 multiple majors may choose to graduate with fewer majors. Students may not continue at the University to complete any remaining major(s).

***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.
2. I must complete both lower division major and general education coursework but may cross-count an unrestricted number of courses to satisfy these lower division requirements.
3. No more than 12 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. Students must satisfy all requirements for each major, including general education requirements, within the timeframe outlined by the UC Merced Normal Progress to Degree policy.
5. Specific major combinations may not be eligible for multiple major programs.
6. I have verified with my primary advisor that my proposed multiple major program is acceptable.
7. I understand that coursework availability, including for summer session, for both majors cannot be guaranteed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name *(Please Print)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## Multiple Major Proposed Schedule of Classes

Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Total Units: \_\_\_\_\_

*Instructions:* Beginning with the CURRENT semester, list ALL courses you plan to take, including those needed to complete major(s), School, campus and University requirements. A minimum of 15 units must be listed for each semester unless you are approved for Part-Time Status. This document is for planning purposes only and course availability is not guaranteed.

Current Semester:	Units
Total Units:	

Semester:	Units
Total Units:	

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Total Units:	

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Total Units:	

Semester:	Units
Total Units:	

Primary Major Advisor

Date

Secondary Major Advisor

Date



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, MERCED  
Office of the Registrar

**Multiple Major Approval Form**

5200 N. Lake Rd., Merced, CA 95343 / Phone: (209) 228-7178 / registrar.ucmerced.edu

Complete all the information and sign your request. If approved, the School will forward your form to the Office of the Registrar for final processing.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

UCM ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ UC Merced Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Select Primary Major** | Select one major from one School:

School of Engineering:

School of Natural Sciences:

School of Social Sciences, Humanities & Arts:

**Select Secondary Major** | Select one major from one School:

School of Engineering:

School of Natural Sciences:

School of Social Sciences, Humanities & Arts:

*I certify that I am the above-named person, the information I have provided is accurate, and I have read, understand, and accept the instruction regarding major, minor and concentration changes.*

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School Use Only:

Notes:

Primary Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Dean/Designee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Dean/Designee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_