

# VITICULTURE (VITI) MINOR

The number of vineyards across Virginia and the mid-Atlantic has expanded rapidly in the last two decades. Virginia has become the 5th largest wine producing region in the United States. The Department of Horticulture has created this minor to serve students interested in grape production and winemaking. The Viticulture minor, though housed in Horticulture, will provide an interdisciplinary learning experience in wine grape production, winemaking, and wine business and marketing, thanks to the cooperation of several other departments. Students of any major can enroll, the semester a course is offered is subject to change; check with the department/instructor for planning purposes.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Courses</b>		
HORT 2234	Environmental Factors in Horticulture	3
HORT 4654	Viticulture	3
CSES 3114/ GEOS 3614	Soils	3
or ENSC 3134	Soils in the Landscape	
Subtotal		9
<b>Restricted Electives</b>		
Select a minimum of nine credits from the following:		9
CSES 3124	Soils Laboratory	
CSES 4214	Soil Fertility and Management	
GEOG 4054	Geography of Wine	
HORT/FST 3114	Wines and Vines (Students must be 21 years or older.)	
HTM 4444	Winery Tourism (Non-HTM Majors enroll during drop/add. Students must be 21 years or older.)	
PPWS 4104	Plant Pathology (4)	
SPES 3954	(1-3)	
SPES 4964	(1-3)	
SPES 4974	(1-3)	
SPES 4994	Undergraduate Research (1-3)	
Subtotal		9
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>18</b>

## Graduation Requirements

### Notes:

- **Minimum credits to complete minor= 18**
- **Minimum GPA Requirement** of 2.0 for courses taken towards the minor
- At minimum, 6 of the Restrictive Elective Credits must be at the at 3XXX and/or 4XXX level
- Some courses listed on this checksheet may have pre-requisites, please consult the Course Catalog or check with your advisor.