

# Minor in Textile and Apparel Management

An undergraduate minor in Textile and Apparel Management is available for students pursuing a major in another department.

## Requirements

A minimum of 18 credit hours is required with at least six hours at the 2000 level or above. At least 15 of the 18 total credit hours must be taken in residence at the University of Missouri. Prerequisites for all courses must be met, or the student must have the permission of the instructor.

A minor consists of at least 15 credits, including at least 6 credits numbered 2000 or above, 9 of the required credits must be taken in MU course work. This requirement can be reduced from 9 to 6 at the discretion of an individual department. Students must meet the minimum GPA requirements for a minor, which in no case can be lower than 2.0. In addition, a student cannot receive a grade lower than a C- in any course applied towards a minor in the College. For more information, please see Requirements for Optional Minor (<https://catalog.missouri.edu/collegeofartsandscience/#requirementsforoptionalminor>).

### Required Courses:

T_A_M 1200	Basic Concepts of Apparel Design and Production	3
or T_A_M 1300	Introduction to Fashion Retail Strategies	
T_A_M 2200	Science of Textiles	3

Select 12 credits from any area listed below in consultation with a TAM Advisor. Credits may be taken in a variety of interest areas.

### Apparel Industry Studies

T_A_M 2100	Introduction to Digital Presentation Techniques	3
T_A_M 2120	Professional Development Seminar	3
T_A_M 2400	Global Consumers	3
T_A_M 2600W	Moral and Ethical Issues in the Global Fashion Supply Chain - Writing Intensive	3
or T_A_M 2600HW	Moral and Ethical Issues in the Global Fashion Supply Chain - Honors/Writing Intensive	
T_A_M 3200	Softgoods Quality Evaluation	3
T_A_M 3600	Fashion Consumer Research	3
T_A_M 3849	Fashion Sustainability and Social Responsibility: Engaging Communities for Change	3
T_A_M 4110	Global Sourcing	3
T_A_M 4400	The Retail Consumer: Advanced Data Analytics	3
T_A_M 4549	International Experiential Learning in Textiles and Apparel	1-3
T_A_M 4949	Field Training in Textiles and Apparel Management	0-3
T_A_M 4998	Experiential Learning in Textiles and Apparel	1-3

### Historical/Behavioral Studies in Dress

T_A_M 2500	Social Psychology of Dress and Fashion	3
T_A_M 2520W	History of Western Dress - Writing Intensive	3
T_A_M 3520W	19th and 20th Century Western Dress - Writing Intensive	3

### Apparel Retailing & Digital Merchandising

T_A_M 2300	Retail Finance and Merchandise Control	3
T_A_M 3300	Retail and Merchandising Analysis	3
T_A_M 3700	Omnichannel Retailing in the Digital World	3
T_A_M 3800	Retail Entrepreneurship	3
T_A_M 4000	Digital Marketing Strategies for Fashion	3
T_A_M 4300	Fashion Brand Management and Promotion	3
T_A_M 4600	Digital Merchandising	3
T_A_M 4990	Retail Marketing and Merchandising	3

### Apparel Product Development

T_A_M 2280	Apparel Production	3
T_A_M 2380	Apparel Patternmaking	3
T_A_M 2580	Apparel Computer Aided Design	3

Students who wish to complete a minor should contact Bryn Chambers, [bchambers@missouri.edu](mailto:bchambers@missouri.edu).