Minor Only

Statistics is a collection of methods and theories for making decisions or estimating unknown quantities from incomplete information. Statistical techniques are useful, for example, in estimating plant, animal and mineral abundances; forecasting social, political and economic trends; planning field plot experiments in agriculture; performing clinical trials in medical research; and maintaining quality control in industry. Employment opportunities are excellent for statisticians in many of these areas of application.

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1. Complete the following:
   - STAT F200X—Elementary Probability and Statistics (3)
   - or STAT F300—Statistics (3) ..............................................................3
   - STAT F401—Regression and Analysis of Variance .........................4
   - MATH F371—Probability* .................................................................3
   - MATH F408—Mathematical Statistics .............................................3
   - MATH, STAT or STAT related course work** ..................................3

2. Minimum credits required .................................................................16

* MATH F371 requires MATH F200X, F201X and F202X as prerequisites.
** e.g., BA F360, GEOS F430, ANTH F424, MATH F460, etc.

Note: Courses completed to satisfy this minor can be used to simultaneously satisfy other major or general distribution requirements.

Note: Fisheries majors selecting the research option need only complete MATH F371 and MATH F408 in addition to their fisheries requirements to obtain a minor in statistics.