Management Information Systems Minor (MIS)

The minor provides students with practical knowledge on managing information technology (IT) and on substantive and current IT topics and issues. Students learn the skill sets necessary to apply information and communications technologies and systems to solve real business issues. The result is a student prepared for careers that involve usage and decision-making regarding IT.

Required Courses: 12 credits (Minimum Grade "C")

Course Title	Prefix & Number	Pre-requisites* (Minimum Grade of "C")
Management Information Systems	ISM3011	30 credits; ISM2000
Advanced Systems Analysis and Design	ISM4133	9 credits completed in MIS minor
Choose TWO upper division ISM courses	ISM; 3000 to 4999	Varies

*Some courses may require students to be declared in their major or to receive authorization from an advisor if not a business major.

Pre-requisite
Most students will need to complete **ISM2000** to complete the minor. For non-business majors, a waiver of pre-requisites may be considered on a case-by-case basis via a College of Business Form 1 petition.

Optional Paths of Study
While earning the MIS minor is not limited to specific MIS elective courses, the following suggested MIS minor paths of study could be chosen depending on the student's interest.

Interest Area	Suggested Upper Division ISM Electives
Programming and Databases	ISM3230 and ISM4212
Cybersecurity	ISM4320, ISM4323, or ISM4324
Business Analytics	ISM 3116, ISM4117, or ISM4403
Social Media and Web Technologies	ISM4041, ISM4420, ISM4054, or ISM3007

Additional Requirements
The **minor is open to all degree-seeking students other than MIS majors.**

A maximum of 3 credits used for the minor may count toward other business major requirements. A minimum of 6 credits must be exclusive to the minor. A minimum of 9 credits for the minor must be taken at FAU.

Timely Graduation
Minors and certificates should be considered an optional direction for elective credits. Students may not add a minor or certificate without permission from a COB advisor (and main college advisor if different). Students are generally not permitted to add a minor/cert after earning 90 credit hours or if completing it will result in an Excess Hour Surcharge.

Maximum Course Attempts
FAU counts a "course attempt" as any time a student is enrolled in a course (at any institution) and earns either a grade or a "W". FAU COB students may not attempt any course more than twice; **third attempts are not permitted.**