

# LEADERSHIP STUDIES, MINOR

<https://engineering.jhu.edu/cle/academics/undergraduate-studies/leadership-studies-minor/>

The Leadership Studies minor offers Johns Hopkins Arts & Sciences, Engineering, and Peabody students a broad array of courses that help them to position themselves as leaders among their peers in entrepreneurial ventures in private industry, government, and academia. The minor offers a multidisciplinary approach that focuses on organizational and contextual aspects of leadership and personal development.

The minor in leadership studies, part of the Center for Leadership Education (<https://e-catalogue.jhu.edu/engineering/leadership-education/>), offers students a diversified learning experience that emphasizes the concepts, practices, and skills necessary for effective leadership as managers and entrepreneurs in the public and private sectors.

Some students simply take a course or two. Many choose to fulfill the seven-course Leadership Studies minor, pairing it with their engineering, liberal arts, or public health major. The minor's four core courses provide a strong foundation in the fundamentals of entrepreneurial enterprises.

Students can then select any upper-level courses to complete the minor or elect to focus further in the areas of Social Enterprise, Science Policy, or Leadership for Health Professionals.

## The Capstone Experience

In the Leadership Studies capstone experience, students gain hands-on experience through the development of a project in which they practice leadership. Options for the Capstone Experience include (but are not limited to):

- Experiential Social Entrepreneurship
- Developing an Environmental Venture
- Leading Educational Initiatives
- Leadership in a JHU-approved student organization

All Capstone Experience projects must be approved by the director of the Leadership Studies minor before enrollment in the Leadership Studies Capstone course. Projects must be team-based, require strong communication, exhibit measurable results, and exist within external-facing organizations.

## Facilities

The CLE Full-time Faculty and staff offices are located on the first and third floors of Wyman Park Building.

**The information below describes the academic requirements for students entering JHU as degree-seeking students in Fall 2024. Students who entered JHU as degree-seeking students prior to Fall 2024 should view the appropriate archived catalogue (<https://e-catalogue.jhu.edu/archive/>).**

The minor in Leadership Studies requires 21 credits. A grade of C- or higher is required. A maximum of one Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) grade may be applied to the Core Courses, Upper-Level Electives, or Capstone Course requirements. Details of these requirements are as follows:

## CORE COURSES

Code	Title	Credits
EN.660.105	Foundations of American Enterprise	3
or EN.660.250	Identifying and Capturing Markets	
EN.660.203	Financial Accounting	3
EN.660.332	Leadership Theory	3
EN.661.110	Professional Writing and Communication	3
or EN.661.250	Oral Presentations	
<i>Total Credits</i>		12

## UPPER-LEVEL ELECTIVES

Code	Title	Credits
Complete two courses from one of the options:		6
<i>Non-Focus Area Electives</i>		
EN.660.329	Social Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice. Community Based Learning	
EN.660.331	Leading Teams	
EN.660.333	Leading Change	
EN.660.450	Advertising & Integrated Marketing Communication	
EN.660.455	Reimagining The City to Resist Climate Change	
<i>Social Enterprise Focus Area</i>		
EN.660.329	Social Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice. Community Based Learning	
EN.660.407	Negotiation and Conflict Resolution	
<i>Total Credits</i>		6

## CAPSTONE COURSE

Code	Title	Credits
EN.660.470	Leadership Studies Capstone	3
<i>Total Credits</i>		3