

## **Double Major Policy**

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**Policy Administrator:**

**Procedure:****A. Definitions**

A double major is defined as two major courses of study, both leading to a baccalaureate degree, that are completed simultaneously by a matriculated undergraduate student.

**B. Declaring Double Major Procedures**

Students interested in completing double majors must follow the procedures detailed on the “Application for Double Major” form and meet the minimum standards provided therein. Application for a double major will take into consideration numerous factors including, but not limited to, student academic progress, space restrictions, competitive standards, and time to degree completion.

Requirements of double majors include:

1. Each of the two majors must consist of a minimum of 36 non-overlapping major units.
2. A student who began at Cal Maritime as a freshman must complete coursework for both degrees within five academic years.
3. A student who began at Cal Maritime as a transfer or second baccalaureate student must complete coursework for both degrees in no more than four years.
4. The second major of a double major may not be an impacted major.
5. Approval of double majors is not guaranteed.
6. Double majors, if granted, are considered conditional