

3430 Military Science and Leadership

Program Offered:

- **Minor in Advanced Leadership and Management**

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Students do not have to be enrolled in the Advanced Military Science (AMS) program to pursue the minor. If a student has interest in joining the Reserve Officer Training Corp (ROTC), they must see the chair of the Department of Military Science and Leadership and the Reserve Officer Recruiter (ROO) for program admission information. Additional coursework beyond the minor is required as part of the AMS program.

General Requirements for Program Progression

1. A cumulative Georgia State University grade-point average of 2.0.
2. A grade-point average of 2.0 or higher in all military science courses.
3. All courses for the minor must be taken at the 3000 level or above.
4. No more than six hours may be taken in any department/school/institute.
5. A grade of C or higher is required in all minor courses.
6. Minor courses cannot count in more than one area.

Minor Course Requirements (16 hours)

1. Students must select two Military Science courses from the following (6):
 - [MSL 3010](#) Leadership and Problem Solving (3)
 - [MSL 3020](#) Leadership and Ethics (3)
 - [MSL 4010](#) Leadership and Management (3)
 - [MSL 4020](#) Officership (3)
2. Select one course from the following Military History group (4)
 - Military History Group:
 - [HIST 3220](#) United States in the Twentieth Century (4)

- [HIST 3790](#) The Middle East since 1800 (4)
 - [HIST 4230](#) Foreign Relations of the United States (4)
 - [HIST 4600](#) Russia and the Soviet Union since 1861 (4)
 - [HIST 4610](#) Modern Eastern Europe (4)
 - [HIST 3625](#) War in Europe and America Since 1500 (4)
3. Select two courses, with no more than one course from a group. (6)
- English Group:
 - [ENGL 3110](#) Technical Writing (3)
 - [ENGL 3130](#) Business Writing (3)
 - [ENGL 3210](#) Advanced Grammar (3)
 - [SCOM 3010](#) Advanced Public Speaking (3)
 - Human Behavior Group:
 - [PSYC 3110](#) Psychology of Interpersonal Behavior (3)
 - [PSYC 3560](#) Leadership and Group Dynamics (3)
 - [PSYC 4160](#) Theories of Personality (3)
 - Management Group:
 - [BCOM 3950](#) Fundamentals of Business Communication (3)
 - [MGS 3400](#) Managing People in Organizations (3)
 - [MGS 4470](#) Organizational Communication (3)
 - National Security Studies Group:
 - [POLS 3400](#) International Politics (3)
 - [POLS 3450](#) United States Foreign Policy (3)
 - [POLS 4130](#) American Constitutional Law (3)
 - [POLS 4290](#) Studies in Comparative Politics (3)

In addition to the minor, a student can pursue a commission in the United States Army. Please contact the Officer Recruiter, Mr. Anthony Savage asavage@gsu.edu.

Reserve Officer's Training Corps (ROTC)

Army ROTC offers opportunities for scholarships for the full amount of tuition and fees or use the scholarship for room and board up to \$10,000. Students may apply for two, three and four year scholarships. Each scholarship covers full tuition, provides an annual allotment of \$1,200 for books and fees, and gives students a tax-free allowance each month classes are in session. Army ROTC scholarships are awarded on the basis of merit. Family income has no bearing on eligibility for an award. For more details, contact the scholarship advisor at the ROTC department at 404-413-6486.

Nursing

GSU Army ROTC also offers a unique scholarship opportunity for School of Nursing students. These scholarships cover full tuition, books and fees, and provide a monthly allowance. Two, three, and four-year scholarships are available for all qualified nursing majors. Contact the scholarship advisor at the ROTC department at 404-413-6486.

Veterans

Students with prior military experience can fulfill credit requirements for the ROTC basic course sequence. If credit is granted, and provided the student is not on a three year Army ROTC scholarship, veterans may bypass the freshman and sophomore years of ROTC and enroll directly in the advance course sequence. Students with prior service may be eligible for special veteran scholarships. In addition to any financial assistance from ROTC veterans are still qualified to receive any and all GI Bill, Army College Fund, or VEAP benefits to which they are entitled.

Simultaneous Membership Program

Students may take advantage of the Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP), which allows participation in ROTC and enlistment in the Army National Guard or Reserve at the same time. SMP students serve as officer trainees in a Guard or Reserve unit and perform duties commensurate with the grade of Second Lieutenant. SMPs are paid at the rate of at least a Sergeant E-5 for Guard or Reserve service.