The Crop and Soil Management minor is designed for students who desire a significant background in crop and soil systems to support study and practice of their major field. Selection of additional courses beyond the core will depend on the student’s major and interests. Courses in the minor cannot be taken Credit/No Credit. At least six hours of coursework for the minor should be advanced (300-level or 400-level courses) and must be distinct from credit earned for the student’s major or another minor.

REQUIRED COURSES:

**Core Requirements (14 hrs):**
- CPSC 112: Introduction to Crop Sciences (4 hrs)
- CPSC 418: Crop Growth and Management (3 hrs) (prereq: IB 103 or CPSC 112)
- NRES 201: Introductory Soils (4 hrs) (prereq: MATH 234 and CHEM 102)
- NRES 488: Soil Fertility and Fertilizers (3 hrs) (prereq: NRES 201)

**Select 1 course from the following (3 hrs):**
- NRES 438: Soil Nutrient Cycling (3 hrs) (prereq: IB 203 or NRES 219, and NRES 201)
- NRES 471: Pedology (3 hrs) (prereq: NRES 201)
- NRES 474: Soil and Water Conservation (3 hrs) (prereq: NRES 201)
- NRES 475: Environmental Microbiology (3 hrs) (prereq: NRES 201 and CHEM 104)

**Select 3 hours from any CPSC, HORT, or PLPA course (excluding CPSC/HORT 393 & CPSC/HORT/PLPA 395):**

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**TOTAL HOURS = 20**