An academic Minor in Spatial Studies is now available for students at UCSB. The goals of this minor are to:

- provide opportunities for undergraduates to complement disciplinary majors with a supportive set of courses that strengthen spatial reasoning skills for problem solving; and
- facilitate acquisition of knowledge and perspective on creativity that transcends disciplinary boundaries, unites quantitative and qualitative thinking, and allies with multi-media graphic display and communication of information.

For the Minor, students select a focus area that aligns most clearly with their disciplinary and/or career interests. These include (1) Spatial Thinking, (2) Space and Place, and (3) Spatial Sciences.

The minor draws on the academic strengths of UCSB in the arts, humanities, sciences, social sciences, and engineering fields that invoke spatial reasoning and innovation. Students have the opportunity to select courses and to integrate knowledge around spatial themes from elective and required courses from a broad range of UCSB departments and programs.

The focus of discussion at this session will be the questions and comments from students and advisors. For information about the Minor in Spatial Studies, see

- [http://geog.ucsb.edu/undergraduates/minor-spatial-studies](http://geog.ucsb.edu/undergraduates/minor-spatial-studies)