Digital technologies, such as computers, smartphones, social media, and the Internet, play increasingly central roles in 21st century life. Courses in the Digital Life General Education Pathway (and the associated Digital Literacies General Education Minor) explore our understandings and uses of digital technologies and their impacts in various personal, professional, political, economic, and social-cultural contexts. Students consider the opportunities and challenges these technologies present, and they cultivate crucial digital and information literacies -- understandings, judgments, and practical skills necessary for navigating and thriving in an increasingly complex, interconnected, and mediated world.

Students interested in this pathway, have the option of completing a GE minor. See information on GE Minor: Digital Literacies.

Pathway Requirements (12 units)

Students are advised to complete at least four courses (12 units) from the following list of courses, by choosing one course from four of the following six categories:

**GE Category E -- Foundations Seminar**
- ADMN 1003  Leadership for Global Challenges: Exploring the Digital Mindset
- CAL 1130  Digital You/U
- CSE 1290  College Learning for Lives and Careers in the Information Age

**GE Category A3 -- Critical Thinking**
- CSE 1100  Critical Thinking Through Computer Programming

**GE Category B5 -- Upper Division Scientific Inquiry**
- PHYS 3010  The Science of Digital Sound and Music

**GE Category C1 -- Arts**
- CAL 1500  Digital Humanities and Arts (DI)
- MUS 2266  Creating digital Media Using Personal Electronic Technology

**GE Category C4 -- Upper Division Arts & Humanities**
- COMM 3332  Movies in the Digital Age
- PHIL 3016  Real Ethics in a Virtual World (WI)

**GE Category D4 -- Social Science**
- COMM 3305  Digital Media and Society

*Total 12*