

NS 1321: Introduction to Naval Science

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Naval Science Minors only.

This course is an introduction and orientation class designed to give students a broad overview of the roles of the U.S. Navy and Marine Corps. This course also provides an introduction to the structure, terminology, customs, and uniforms of the Navy and Marine Corps.

NS 1323: Naval Maritime History

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Naval Science Minors only

This course surveys U.S. Naval history from its European origin to the present with emphasis on major developments and the geographical forces shaping these developments. The course also covers present day concerns on sea power and maritime affairs, including the economic and political issues of maritime commerce, the law of the sea, and the rise and decline of the Soviet Navy.

NS 2321: Naval Leadership and Management

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Naval Science Minors only.

This course provides the basis for the development of effective leadership and managerial competence. It stresses learner-centered processes, such as collaboration, experiential exercises, reflective writing, and group discussion over lecture and presentations. Case study discussions are sequenced throughout the course to illustrate the relevance of key concepts presented in preceding class sessions and relate these ideas to the Fleet. Student participation is critical to this course.