RELIGIOUS STUDIES UNDERGRADUATE MINOR

The Religious Studies Minor complements majors in a variety of fields in the humanities and social sciences; for others it provides a way to focus various disciplines in the humanities on a profoundly significant part of cultures around the world.

Program Requirements

• Minimum of 18 credit hours in Religious Studies at or above the 100 level as listed below.

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**Western Traditions**

*Select one of the following:*

- REL 209 | Elements of Christian Thought  |
- REL 210 | Christianity to the Reformation  |
- REL 212 | Christianity from the Reformation to the Present  |
- REL 215 | Judaism  |
- REL 217 | The Synagogue  |
- REL 229 | Introduction to African American Religions  |
- REL 231 | Religion in America  |
- REL 240 | Modern Judaism  |
- REL 301 | Early Christianity  |
- REL 303 | Christianity in Byzantium  |
- REL 310 | Christianity and the Construction of Gender  |
- REL 311 | Topics in Biblical Studies  |
- REL 312 | Judaism and the Construction of Gender  |
- REL 313 | Topics in Ancient Judaism  |
- REL 332 | Contemporary African American Religious Thought  |
- REL 340 | Modern Jewish Thinkers  |
- REL 341 | Topics in Jewish Thought  |
- REL 382 | Topics in Christian Thought  |

**Non-Western Traditions**

*Select one of the following:*

- REL 221 | Buddhism  |
- REL 223 | Hinduism  |
- REL 225 | Islam  |
- REL 254 | Religion in Traditional Societies  |
- REL 368 | Religion in South Asia: Selected Topics  |

**Cultural and Theoretical Studies**

*Select one of the following:*

- REL 207 | Critical Thinking about Religion, Faith and Spirituality: Selected Topics  |
- REL 248 | Comparative Religious Ethics  |
- REL 251 | Topics in Religious Social Ethics  |
- REL 323 | Religious Movements and Communities: Selected Topics  |
- REL 324 | Philosophical Issues in Religion  |
- REL 333 | Religion and Psychology  |

Additional REL Electives

*Select two additional electives in Religious Studies at the 100 level or above*