# 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.

### Code     Title                          Credit Hours

**Required**

- REL 298 Thinking About Religion

**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 232
- REL 240 Modern Judaism
- REL 301
- REL 303 Christianity in Byzantium
- REL 305 Religions of the Greco-Roman World
- REL 309
- 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 314
- REL 325
- REL 326
- REL 327
- REL 328
- REL 330
- REL 332 Contemporary African American Religious Thought
- REL 340 Modern Jewish Thinkers
- REL 341 Topics in Jewish Thought
- REL 382 Topics in Christian Thought
- REL 383

**Non-Western Traditions**

*Select one of the following:*

- REL 218
- REL 220
- REL 221 Buddhism
- REL 223 Hinduism
- REL 254 Religion in Traditional Societies
- REL 317 Islam and the Construction of Gender
- REL 366
- REL 367
- REL 368 Religion in South Asia: Selected Topics

**Cultural and Theoretical Studies**

*Select one of the following:*

- REL 207 Modern Problems of Belief
- REL 248 Comparative Religious Ethics
- REL 251 Topics in Religious Social Ethics
- REL 252
- REL 253
- REL 258 Darwin, Evolution, and Human Nature
- REL 259
- REL 315
- REL 318
- REL 323 Religious Movements and Communities: Selected Topics
- REL 324 Philosophical Issues in Religion
- REL 333 Religion and Psychology
- REL 355
- REL 356
- REL 365
- REL 503 Topics in Religious Studies

**Additional REL Electives**

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