Brooks College of Interdisciplinary Studies
Religious Studies Major, B.A., B.S.

Name: ________________________________ Date: ______________ Advisor: ________________________________

A total of 33 credits are needed to fulfill the Religious Studies Major.

**CORE COURSES** (12 credits needed)

- REL 100-Religions of the World
- REL 200-Introduction to Religious Studies: Concepts, Methods and Traditions
- REL 300-Contemporary Theories and Issues in Religious Studies
- REL 495-Religious Studies Senior Seminar (capstone)

**GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON TRADITIONS**

(9 credits needed) All majors are required to take three of the following courses. (all classes are 3 cr. each)

- LIB 300-Jewish Scriptures and Traditions
- MES 350-Islam: Scripture and Ritual
- PHI 210-Eastern Philosophy
- REL 305- Christianity: Scriptures and Traditions

**DISCIPLINARY APPROACHES COURSES** (6 credits needed) Two required from the following courses. (all classes are 3 cr. each)

- ANT 315-Comparative Religions
- LIB 335-Sacred Texts-Global Contexts
- PHI 343- Philosophy of Religion
- PLS 330-Religion and Politics in America
- PSY 385- Psychology of Religion
- SOC 357- Sociology of Religion

**ELECTIVES COURSES** (6 credits needed) Must take two from the elective courses list below. (all classes are 3 cr. each)

- ANT 316-Death, Burial and Culture
- CJ 405-Terrorism
- CLA 315-Ancient Religion
- ENG 204-World Mythology
- HST 211-History of Islamic Civilization
- HST 311-History of Religion in the U.S.
- HST 337-Age of Islamic Empire
- HST 342-History of East Asian Religions
- HST 376-History of Witch Hunts
- MGT 340-Business, Social Change, and Ethics
- PHI 306-Eastern Great Philosophers
- PHI 312-Medieval Great Philosophers
- PHI 341- Philosophy of Death and Dying

**COGNATE** (select from B.A. or B.S. option)

- □ B.A.
  - Third-semester proficiency in a foreign language
  - □ 201 Course OR
  - □ Pass proficiency exam

- □ B.S.
  - STA 215 LIB 301
  - And one of the following:
    - □ ANT 315 PLS 300
    - □ PSY 385 SOC 357

**TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS__________**

This form is a planning tool and does not constitute an agreement regarding program requirements. It is imperative that you meet with an academic advisor early in your career.

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