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)

- REL 310-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
- REL 335-Sacred Texts-Global Contexts
- PHI 343-Philosophy of Religion
- PLS 330-Religion and Politics in America
- PSY 385-Psychology of Religion
- SOC 287-Sociology of Religion

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

- 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
- LIB 400-Jung and Shamanism
- PHI 306-Eastern Great Philosophers
- PHI 312-Medieval Great Philosophers
- PHI 341-Philosophy of Death and Dying
- REL 340-Religion & Popular Culture in the U.S.

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (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 287

**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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