**Religious Studies Minor**

A total of 21 credits are needed to fulfill the Religious Studies Minor.

**CORE COURSES** *(6 credits needed)*

- REL 100 - Religions of the World
- REL 200 - Introduction to Religious Studies: Concepts, Methods and Traditions

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**GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON TRADITIONS** *(6 credits needed) All minors are required to take two of the following courses. (all classes are 3 cr. each)*

- REL 310 - Jewish Scriptures and Traditions
- REL 305 - Christianity: Scriptures and Tradition
- PHI 210 - Eastern Philosophy
- MES 350 - Islam: Scripture and Ritual

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**DISCIPLINARY APPROACHES COURSES** *(3 credits needed) Required to take one of 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

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**ELECTIVE COURSES** *(3 credits needed) Must take one course from the elective 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 - The 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.

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**PLUS ONE ADDITIONAL COURSE** *(3 credits needed) Select from Global Perspectives on Traditions, Electives, or Disciplinary Approaches categories.*

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**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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