

Religious Studies (BA)

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The Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Religious Studies offered by the Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies provides a reliable understanding of the nature and impact of religion which prepares students for graduate study, professional training and work in many fields.

The NC State major in Religious Studies provides excellent preparation for top graduate programs in Religious Studies as well as for professional training in fields as diverse as education, library science, ministry and social work. The major also provides knowledge and skills that are useful for work in many fields, including diplomacy, educating the public, fund-raising, journalism, museum projects and public service.

The majors in Philosophy and Religious Studies are both designed to combine easily with a major in a further discipline that is relevant to a student's career aspirations. Students who take advantage of this opportunity will enhance their chance of future success.

For more information about this program, including contact information and career opportunities, visit our website (https://philrel.chass.ncsu.edu/religious_studies/religious_studies_major.php).

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Plan Requirements

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
Departmental Requirements			
REL 200	Introduction to the Study of Religion ¹	3	
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Any PHI course on the approved GEP Humanities (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-humanities/>) list.

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General Education Program (GEP) Courses

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GEP Natural Sciences (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-natural-sciences/>) 7

GEP Health and Exercise Studies (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-health-exercise-studies/>) 2

GEP US Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-usdei/>) 3

GEP Interdisciplinary Perspectives (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-interdisciplinary-perspectives/>) 5

GEP Global Knowledge (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-global-knowledge/>) (verify requirement)

Foreign Language Proficiency (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/foreign-language-proficiency/>) (verify requirement)

Free Electives

Free Electives (12 Hr S/U Lmt)² 30

Total Hours 120

¹ A grade of C- or higher is required.

² Students should consult their academic advisors to determine which courses fill this requirement.

* The Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies does not accept "D" grades (D-, D, D+) in courses taken to satisfy any departmental requirements or in ENG 101 taken to satisfy the Introduction to Writing GEP requirement. A *major GPA of at least 2.0* is required for graduation.

Non-Western Traditions

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
AFS 343	African American Religions	3	
HI 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	
HI 408	Islam in the Modern World	3	
REL 230	Asian Religions	3	
REL 331	The Hindu Tradition	3	
REL 332	The Buddhist Traditions	3	
REL 333	Chinese Religions	3	
REL 334	Japanese Religions	3	
REL 340	Islam	3	
REL 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	
REL 408	Islam in the Modern World	3	

Western Traditions

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
HI 307	Jewish History	3	
HI 320	Religion in American History	3	
HI 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	
REL 311	Introduction to the Old Testament	3	
REL 312	Introduction to the New Testament	3	
REL 314	Introduction to Intertestamental Literature	3	
REL 317	Christianity	3	
REL 320	Religion in American History	3	
REL 323	Religious Cults, Sects, and Minority Faiths in America	3	
REL 350	Judaism	3	
REL 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	
REL 412	Advanced Readings in the Christian Gospels	3	

REL 413	The Life and Letters of the Apostle Paul	3	
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REL 423	Religion and Politics in America	3	
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Textual Methods

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
REL 220	Religion in the Contemporary World	3	
REL 230	Asian Religions	3	
REL 311	Introduction to the Old Testament	3	
REL 312	Introduction to the New Testament	3	
REL 314	Introduction to Intertestamental Literature	3	
REL 317	Christianity	3	
REL 320	Religion in American History	3	
REL 323	Religious Cults, Sects, and Minority Faiths in America	3	
REL 327	Issues in Contemporary Religion	3	
REL 332	The Buddhist Traditions	3	
REL 334	Japanese Religions	3	
REL 343	African American Religions	3	
REL 412	Advanced Readings in the Christian Gospels	3	
REL 413	The Life and Letters of the Apostle Paul	3	
REL 472	Women and Religion	3	

Historical Methods

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
HI 307	Jewish History	3	
HI 320	Religion in American History	3	
HI 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	
HI 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	

HI 408	Islam in the Modern World	3
REL 230	Asian Religions	3
REL 317	Christianity	3
REL 320	Religion in American History	3
REL 331	The Hindu Tradition	3
REL 332	The Buddhist Traditions	3
REL 333	Chinese Religions	3
REL 334	Japanese Religions	3
REL 340	Islam	3
REL 350	Judaism	3
REL 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3
REL 407	Islamic History to 1798	3
REL 408	Islam in the Modern World	3

Critical Methods

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
REL 220	Religion in the Contemporary World	3	
REL 309	Religion and Society	3	
REL 323	Religious Cults, Sects, and Minority Faiths in America	3	
REL 327	Issues in Contemporary Religion	3	
REL 380	Emotion and Religion	3	
REL 383	Religion, Globalism, and Justice	3	
REL 423	Religion and Politics in America	3	
REL 424	Religion and Politics in Global Perspective	3	
REL 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3	
REL 472	Women and Religion	3	
REL 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3	

REL 482	Religion and Conflict	3
REL 489	Interpretations of Religion	3
REL 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
SOC 309	Religion and Society	3
STS 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3
WGS 472	Women and Religion	3
WGS 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
WGS 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3

Advanced Religion Electives

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
HI 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	
HI 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	
HI 408	Islam in the Modern World	3	
REL 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	
REL 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	
REL 408	Islam in the Modern World	3	
REL 412	Advanced Readings in the Christian Gospels	3	
REL 413	The Life and Letters of the Apostle Paul	3	
REL 423	Religion and Politics in America	3	
REL 424	Religion and Politics in Global Perspective	3	
REL 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3	
REL 472	Women and Religion	3	
REL 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3	
REL 482	Religion and Conflict	3	

REL 489	Interpretations of Religion	3
REL 496	Seminar in Religious Studies	3
REL 498	Special Topics in Religious Studies	1-6
REL 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
STS 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3
WGS 472	Women and Religion	3
WGS 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
WGS 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3

Religion Electives

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
AFS 343	African American Religions	3	
HI 307	Jewish History	3	
HI 320	Religion in American History	3	
HI 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	
HI 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	
HI 408	Islam in the Modern World	3	
HI 502	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	
HI 507	Islamic History to 1798	3	
HI 508	Islam in the Modern World	3	
REL 200	Introduction to the Study of Religion	3	
REL 210	Religious Traditions of the World	3	
REL 220	Religion in the Contemporary World	3	
REL 230	Asian Religions	3	
REL 298	Special Topics in Religious Studies	3	
REL 309	Religion and Society	3	

REL 311	Introduction to the Old Testament	3
REL 312	Introduction to the New Testament	3
REL 314	Introduction to Intertestamental Literature	3
REL 317	Christianity	3
REL 320	Religion in American History	3
REL 323	Religious Cults, Sects, and Minority Faiths in America	3
REL 327	Issues in Contemporary Religion	3
REL 331	The Hindu Tradition	3
REL 332	The Buddhist Traditions	3
REL 333	Chinese Religions	3
REL 334	Japanese Religions	3
REL 340	Islam	3
REL 350	Judaism	3
REL 380	Emotion and Religion	3
REL 383	Religion, Globalism, and Justice	3
REL 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3
REL 407	Islamic History to 1798	3
REL 408	Islam in the Modern World	3
REL 412	Advanced Readings in the Christian Gospels	3
REL 413	The Life and Letters of the Apostle Paul	3
REL 423	Religion and Politics in America	3
REL 424	Religion and Politics in Global Perspective	3
REL 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3
REL 472	Women and Religion	3

REL 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
REL 482	Religion and Conflict	3
REL 489	Interpretations of Religion	3
REL 496	Seminar in Religious Studies	3
REL 498	Special Topics in Religious Studies	1-6
REL 502	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3
REL 507	Islamic History to 1798	3
REL 508	Islam in the Modern World	3
REL 512	Advanced Readings in the Christian Gospels	3
REL 513	The Life and Letters of the Apostle Paul	3
REL 523	Religion and Politics in America	3
REL 571	Darwinism and Christianity	3
REL 572	Women and Religion	3
REL 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
REL 582	Religion and Conflict	3
REL 589	Interpretations of Religion	3
REL 598	Special Topics in Religious Studies	1-6
SOC 309	Religion and Society	3
STS 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3
STS 571	Darwinism and Christianity	3
WGS 472	Women and Religion	3
WGS 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
WGS 572	Women and Religion	3
WGS 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3

Foreign Language 200-level

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
FLA 201	Intermediate Arabic I	3	
FLC 201	Intermediate Chinese I	3	
FLF 201	Intermediate French I	3	
FLG 201	Intermediate German I	3	
FLI 201	Intermediate Italian I	3	
FLJ 201	Intermediate Japanese I	3	
FLN 201	Intermediate Hindi-Urdu I	3	
FLP 201	Intermediate Portuguese I	3	
FLR 201	Intermediate Russian I	3	
FLS 201	Intermediate Spanish I	3	
FLS 212	Spanish: Language, Technology, Culture	3	
GRK 201	Intermediate Greek I	3	
LAT 201	Intermediate Latin I	3	
PER 201	Intermediate Persian I	3	

History I

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
A 200-level survey course covering a culture significantly different from our own, i.e., ancient or non-Western.			
AFS/HI 275	Introduction to History of South and East Africa	3	
AFS/HI 276	Introduction to History of West Africa	3	
HI 207	Ancient Mediterranean World	3	
HI 214	History and Archaeology of Ancient Latin America	3	
HI 215	Colonial Latin America	3	
HI 216	Modern Latin America	3	

HI 217	Caribbean History	3
HI 232	The World from 1200 to 1750	3
HI 233	The World Since 1750	3
HI 263	Asian Civilizations to 1800	3
HI 264	Modern Asia: 1800 to Present	3
HI 270	Modern Middle East	3

History II

Code Title Hours Counts towards

A 200-level survey course covering our own or a similar culture, i.e., United States or other Western Culture.

HI 205	Western Civilization Since 1400	3
HI 208	The Middle Ages	3
HI 209	From Renaissance to Revolution: The Origins of Modern Europe	3
HI 210	Modern Europe 1815-Present	3
HI 221	British History to 1688	3
HI 222	History of British Cultures and Societies From 1688	3
HI 251	American History I	3
HI 252	American History II	3
HI 253	Early American History	3
HI 254	Modern American History	3

Literature I

Code Title Hours Counts towards

A survey course covering literature outside the U.S. and prior to the 20th century.

CLA 210	Classical Mythology	3
CLA 320	Masterpieces of Classical Lit	3

ENG 219	Studies in Great Works of Non-Western Literature	3
ENG 220	Studies in Great Works of Western Literature	3
ENG 221	Literature of the Western World I	3
ENG 222	Literature of the Western World II	3
ENG 251	Major British Writers	3
ENG 255	Beyond Britain: Literature from Colonies of the British Empire	3
ENG 261	English Literature I	3
ENG 262	English Literature II	3
ENG 361	Studies in British Poetry	3
FL 219	Studies in Great Works of Non-Western Literature	3
FL 220	Studies in Great Works of Western Literature	3
FL 221	Literature of the Western World I	3
FL 222	Literature of the Western World II	3
FLF 301	Survey of French Literature from the Middle Ages through the Enlightenment	3
FLG 320	Introduction to German Literature	3
FLG 325	German Lyric Poetry	3
FLJ 342	Classical Japanese Literature in Translation	3
FLJ 344	Early Modern Japanese Literature in Translation	3

FLR 303	Russian Literature in Translation: The Nineteenth Century	3
FLS 340	Introduction to Hispanic Literatures and Cultures	3
FLS 341	Literature and Culture of Spain I	3
FLS 342	Literature and Culture of Spain II	3
FLS 351	Literature and Culture of Latin America I	3
HON 202	Inquiry, Discovery, and Literature	3

Literature II

Code Title Hours Counts towards

Any course that meets the Literature I requirement, or a course in American or Twentieth Century Literature, or an upper division survey course or literature course in a period, genre, or major figure in English, a foreign language in English translation, or the original foreign language.

Literature II List A

AFS 248	Survey of African-American Literature	3
AFS 349	African Literature in English	3
AFS 448/548/ ENG 448/558	African-American Literature	3
CLA 210	Classical Mythology	
CLA 320	Masterpieces of Classical Lit	
ENG 207	Studies in Poetry	3
ENG 208	Studies In Fiction	3
ENG 209	Introduction to Shakespeare	3
ENG 219	Studies in Great Works of Non-Western Literature	3
ENG 220	Studies in Great Works of Western Literature	3
ENG 221	Literature of the Western World I	3

ENG 222	Literature of the Western World II	3
ENG 223	Contemporary World Literature I	3
ENG 224	Contemporary World Literature II	3
ENG 232	Literature and Medicine	3
ENG 246	Literature of the Holocaust	3
ENG 248	Survey of African-American Literature	3
ENG 249	Native American Literature	3
ENG 251	Major British Writers	3
ENG 252	Major American Writers	3
ENG 261	English Literature I	3
ENG 262	English Literature II	3
ENG 265	American Literature I	3
ENG 266	American Literature II	3
ENG 267	LGBTQI Literature in the U.S.	3
ENG 275	Literature and War	3
ENG 305	Women and Literature	3
ENG 339	Literature and Technology	3
ENG 340	Literature, Art, and Society	3
ENG 341	Literature and Science	3
ENG 342	Literature of Space and Place	3
ENG 349	African Literature in English	3
ENG 361	Studies in British Poetry	3
ENG 362	Studies in the British Novel	3
ENG 369	The American Novel of the 19th Century	3
ENG 370	American Fiction, Twentieth Century and Beyond	3

ENG 372	American Poetry, Twentieth Century and Beyond	3	ENG 466	Transatlantic Literatures	3
ENG 376	Science Fiction	3	ENG 468	Studies in Nineteenth-Century American Literature	3
ENG 377	Fantasy	3	ENG 470	American Literature, Twentieth Century and Beyond	3
ENG 380	Modern Drama	3	ENG 476	Southern Literature	3
ENG 382	Film and Literature	3	ENG 486	Shakespeare, The Earlier Plays	3
ENG 385	Biblical Backgrounds of English Literature	3	ENG 487	Shakespeare, The Later Plays	3
ENG 390	Classical Backgrounds of English Literature	3	ENG 551	Chaucer	3
ENG 392	Major World Author	3	FL 219	Studies in Great Works of Non-Western Literature	3
ENG 393	Studies in Literary Genre	3	FL 220	Studies in Great Works of Western Literature	3
ENG 394	Studies in World Literature	3	FL 221	Literature of the Western World I	3
ENG 399	Contemporary Literature	3	FL 222	Literature of the Western World II	3
ENG 406	Modernism	3	FL 223	Contemporary World Literature I	3
ENG 407	Postmodernism	3	FL 224	Contemporary World Literature II	3
ENG 410	Studies in Gender and Genre	3	FL 246	Literature of the Holocaust	3
ENG 420	Major American Author	3	FL 275	Literature and War	3
ENG 439	Studies in English Renaissance Literature	3	FL 392	Major World Author	3
ENG 448	African-American Literature	3	FL 393	Studies in Literary Genre	3
ENG 451	Chaucer	3	FL 394	Studies in World Literature	3
ENG 452	Medieval British Literature	3	FL 406	Modernism	3
ENG 453	Studies in Nineteenth-Century British Literature	3	FL 407	Postmodernism	3
ENG 460	Major British Author	3	FLN 301	Twentieth Century Hindi & Urdu Fiction	3
ENG 462	18th-Century English Literature	3	FLN 302	Modern Hindi & Urdu Poetry	3
ENG 463	The Victorian Period	3	FLN 401	Hindi Literature and South Asian Cultural Contexts	
ENG 464	British Literature and the Founding of Empire	3			
ENG 465	British Literature and the Dissolution of Empire	3			

WGS 305	Women and Literature	3	FLF 301	Survey of French Literature from the Middle Ages through the Enlightenment	3
WGS 410	Studies in Gender and Genre	3	FLF 302	Survey of French Literature from Romanticism to the Contemporary Period	3
Literature II List B			FLF 492	Seminar in French Studies	3
ENG 219	Studies in Great Works of Non-Western Literature	3	FLG 320	Introduction to German Literature	3
ENG 220	Studies in Great Works of Western Literature	3	FLG 323	Twentieth Century German Literature	3
ENG 221	Literature of the Western World I	3	FLG 325	German Lyric Poetry	
ENG 223	Contemporary World Literature I	3	FLG 325	German Lyric Poetry	
ENG 224	Contemporary World Literature II	3	FLJ 342	Classical Japanese Literature in Translation	
ENG 246	Literature of the Holocaust	3	FLJ 344	Early Modern Japanese Literature in Translation	
ENG 392	Major World Author	3	FLJ 345	Modern Japanese Literature in Translation	
ENG 393	Studies in Literary Genre	3	FLN 301	Twentieth Century Hindi & Urdu Fiction	3
ENG 394	Studies in World Literature	3	FLN 302	Modern Hindi & Urdu Poetry	3
ENG 406	Modernism	3	FLN 401	Hindi Literature and South Asian Cultural Contexts	
ENG 407	Postmodernism	3	FLR 303	Russian Literature in Translation: The Nineteenth Century	3
FL 219	Studies in Great Works of Non-Western Literature	3	FLR 304	Russian Literature in Translation: The Twentieth Century	3
FL 220	Studies in Great Works of Western Literature	3	FLS 340	Introduction to Hispanic Literatures and Cultures	3
FL 221	Literature of the Western World I	3	FLS 341	Literature and Culture of Spain I	3
FL 223	Contemporary World Literature I	3			
FL 224	Contemporary World Literature II	3			
FL 246	Literature of the Holocaust	3			
FL 392	Major World Author	3			
FL 393	Studies in Literary Genre	3			
FL 394	Studies in World Literature	3			
FL 406	Modernism	3			
FL 407	Postmodernism	3			

FLS 342	Literature and Culture of Spain II	3
FLS 343	Literature and Culture of Spain III	3
FLS 351	Literature and Culture of Latin America I	3
FLS 352	Literature and Culture of Latin America II	3
FLS 353	Literature and Culture of Latin America III	3
FLS 492	Seminar in Hispanic Studies	3
HON 202	Inquiry, Discovery, and Literature	3

Philosophy

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
PHI 205	Introduction to Philosophy	3	
PHI 210	Representation, Reason and Reality	3	
PHI 214	Issues in Business Ethics	3	
PHI 221	Contemporary Moral Issues	3	
PHI 227	Data Ethics	3	
PHI 300	Ancient Philosophy	3	
PHI 301	Early Modern Philosophy	3	
PHI 302	19th Century Philosophy	3	
PHI 303	Continental Philosophy After 1900	3	
PHI 305	Philosophy of Religion	3	
PHI 309	Political Philosophy	3	
PHI 310	Existentialism	3	
PHI 312	Philosophy of Law	3	
PHI 313	Ethical Problems in the Law	3	
PHI 319	Black Political Philosophy	3	
PHI 320	Philosophy of Race	3	
PHI 325	Bio-Medical Ethics	3	

PHI 330	Metaphysics	3
PHI 331	Philosophy of Language	3
PHI 332	Philosophy of Psychology	3
PHI 333	Knowledge and Skepticism	3
PHI 340	Philosophy of Science	3
PHI 347	Neuroscience and Philosophy	3
PHI 375	Ethics	3
PHI 376	History of Ethics	3
PHI 401	Kant's Critique of Pure Reason	3
PHI 403	Continental Philosophy After 1900	3
PHI 420	Global Justice	3
PHI 425	Introduction to Cognitive Science	3
PHI 440	The Scientific Method	3
PHI 447	Philosophy, Evolution and Human Nature	3

Arts and Letters

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
ADN 111	Introduction to Two-Dimensional Design	3	
ADN 112	Introduction to Three-Dimensional Design	3	
ADN 212	Photography I	3	
ADN 281	Drawing I	3	
ADN 414	Color and Light	3	
AFS 230	Introduction to African-American Music	3	
AFS 260	History of Jazz	3	
AFS 343	African American Religions	3	
AFS 346	Black Popular Culture	3	
AFS 375	African American Cinema	3	
ARC 140	Experiencing Architecture	3	
ARC 141	Introduction to Architectural History	3	

ARC 241	History of World Architecture	3	ENG 364	History of Film to 1940	3
ARS 251	The Arts of a World Capital: London	3	ENG 374	History of Film From 1940	3
ARS 252	The Arts of Vienna 1900	3	ENG 375	African American Cinema	3
ARS 257	Technology in the Arts	3	ENG 378	Women & Film	3
ARS 258	Mathematics and Models in Music	3	ENG 382	Film and Literature	3
ARS 259	The Arts and Politics	3	ENG 384	Introduction to Film Theory	3
ARS 306	Music Composition with Computers	3	ENG 385	Biblical Backgrounds of English Literature	3
ARS 346	Black Popular Culture	3	ENG 411	Rhetorical Criticism	3
ARS 351	Arts, Ideas and Values	3	ENG 426	Analyzing Style	3
ARS 353	Arts and Cross-Cultural Contacts	3	ENG 492	Special Topics in Film Styles and Genres	3
ARS 354	The Arts and the Sacred	3	FL 216	Art and Society in France	3
CLA 210	Classical Mythology	3	FLA 351	Modern Arab Popular Culture	3
COM 321	Survey of Rhetorical Theory	3	FLC 351	Modern Chinese Popular Culture	3
COM 364	History of Film to 1940	3	FLF 318	The Heritage of French Cinema	3
COM 374	History of Film From 1940	3	FLG 318	New German Cinema and Beyond	3
COM 395	Studies in Rhetoric and Digital Media	3	FLI 318	Italian Society Through Cinema	3
COM 411	Rhetorical Criticism	3	FLR 318	Russian Cinema and Society	3
D 231	Design History for Engineers and Scientists	3	FLS 360	Hispanic Cinema	3
DAN 272	Dance Composition - Solo Forms	1	GD 203	History of Graphic Design	3
DAN 295	Modern Dance Performance and Practice	2	GD 303	Graphic Design Theory and Practice	3
ENG 282	Introduction to Film	3	HA 201	History of Art from Caves to the Renaissance	3
ENG 289	Poetry Writing	3	HA 202	History of Art From the Renaissance Through the 20th Century	3
ENG 321	Survey of Rhetorical Theory	3	HA 203	History of American Art	3
ENG 323	Writing in Rhetorical Traditions	3	HA 240	Introduction to Visual Culture	3
ENG 359	Topics in Film Studies	3	HA 298	Special Topics in Art History	3
			HA 395	History of Art: Study Abroad	3

HA 401	19th Century European Art from Revolution to Post-Impressionism	3	MUS 201	Introduction to Music Literature I	3
HA 404	Italian Renaissance Art and Material Culture	3	MUS 202	Introduction to Music Literature II	3
HA 410	History of the Art of Photography	3	MUS 260	History of Jazz	3
HA 498	Independent Study in History of Art	1-6	MUS 306	Music Composition with Computers	3
HESM 322	Dance and Society	3	MUS 310	Music of the 17th and 18th Centuries	3
HESM 324	U.S. Concert Dance History	3	MUS 315	Music of the 19th Century	3
HESM 326	Current Trends in Dance	3	MUS 320	Music of the 20th-21st Centuries	3
HI 240	Introduction to Visual Culture	3	MUS 330	Survey of Musical Theater	3
HI 320	Religion in American History	3	MUS 350	Music of Asia	3
HI 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	MUS 360	Women In Music	3
HI 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	REL 200	Introduction to the Study of Religion	3
HI 408	Islam in the Modern World	3	REL 210	Religious Traditions of the World	3
HI 502	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	REL 298	Special Topics in Religious Studies	3
HI 507	Islamic History to 1798	3	REL 309	Religion and Society	3
HI 508	Islam in the Modern World	3	REL 311	Introduction to the Old Testament	3
HON 390	Music and the Celtic World	3	REL 312	Introduction to the New Testament	3
IDS 496	Topics in Film and Interdisciplinary Studies	3	REL 314	Introduction to Intertestamental Literature	3
LAR 444	History of Landscape Architecture	3	REL 317	Christianity	3
MUS 105	Introduction to Music in Western Society	3	REL 320	Religion in American History	3
MUS 180	Introduction to Musical Experiences	3	REL 323	Religious Cults, Sects, and Minority Faiths in America	3
MUS 181	Exploring Music Theory	3	REL 327	Issues in Contemporary Religion	3
MUS 200	Understanding Music: Global Perspectives	3	REL 331	The Hindu Tradition	3
			REL 332	The Buddhist Traditions	3
			REL 333	Chinese Religions	3

REL 334	Japanese Religions	3	REL 513	The Life and Letters of the Apostle Paul	3
REL 340	Islam	3	REL 523	Religion and Politics in America	3
REL 343	African American Religions	3	REL 524	Religion and Politics in Global Perspective	3
REL 350	Introduction to Judaism	3	REL 571	Darwinism and Christianity	3
REL 380	Emotion and Religion	3	REL 572	Women and Religion	3
REL 383	Religion, Globalism, and Justice	3	REL 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
REL 402	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	REL 582	Religion and Conflict	3
REL 407	Islamic History to 1798	3	REL 589	Interpretations of Religion	3
REL 408	Islam in the Modern World	3	REL 598	Special Topics in Religious Studies	1-6
REL 412	Advanced Readings in the Christian Gospels	3	SOC 309	Religion and Society	3
REL 413	The Life and Letters of the Apostle Paul	3	STS 257	Technology in the Arts	3
REL 423	Religion and Politics in America	3	STS 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3
REL 424	Religion and Politics in Global Perspective	3	STS 571	Darwinism and Christianity	3
REL 471	Darwinism and Christianity	3	THE 103	Introduction to the Theatre	3
REL 472	Women and Religion	3	THE 203	Theory and Practice of Acting	3
REL 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3	THE 303	Stage Directing	3
REL 482	Religion and Conflict	3	THE 334	Advanced Acting	3
REL 489	Interpretations of Religion	3	THE 340	African American Theatre	3
REL 496	Seminar in Religious Studies	3	WGS 360	Women In Music	3
REL 498	Special Topics in Religious Studies	1-6	WGS 472	Women and Religion	3
REL 502	Early Christianity to the Time of Eusebius	3	WGS 473	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
REL 507	Islamic History to 1798	3	WGS 572	Women and Religion	3
REL 508	Islam in the Modern World	3	WGS 573	Religion, Gender, and Reproductive Technologies	3
REL 512	Advanced Readings in the Christian Gospels	3			

Social Sciences

Code Title Hours Counts towards

Twelve (12) credit hours required from three different disciplines, six (6) must be on GEP Social Sciences (<http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-social-sciences/>) list.

Anthropology

ANT 251	Physical Anthropology	3	
ANT 252	Cultural Anthropology	3	
ANT 253	Unearthing the Past: Introduction to World Archaeology	3	
ANT 254	Language and Culture	3	
ANT 261	Technology in Society and Culture	3	
ANT 295	Special Topics in Anthropology	1-3	
ANT 310	Native Peoples and Cultures of North America	3	
ANT 315	The Aztecs, Maya, and Their Predecessors: Archaeology of Mesoamerica	3	
ANT 325	Andean South America	3	
ANT 330	People and Cultures of Africa	3	
ANT 345	Anthropology of the Middle East	3	
ANT 346	Peoples and Cultures of Southeast Asia	3	
ANT 351	Contemporary Culture in Japan	3	
ANT 354	Peoples and Cultures of the Pacific	3	
ANT 370	Introduction to Forensic Anthropology	3	
ANT 371	Human Variation	3	
ANT 374	Disease and Society	3	
ANT 389	Fundamentals of Archaeological Research	3	

ANT 395	Special Topics in Anthropology	1-3
ANT 411	Overview of Anthropological Theory	3
ANT 412	Applied Anthropology	3
ANT 416	Research Methods in Cultural Anthropology	3
ANT 419	Ethnographic Field Methods	3
ANT 421	Human Osteology	3
ANT 424	Bioarchaeology	3
ANT 427	Bioarchaeological Fieldwork	3
ANT 428	Human Paleopathology	3
ANT 431	Tourism, Culture and Anthropology	3
ANT 433	Anthropology of Ecotourism and Heritage Conservation	3
ANT 444	Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Women	3
ANT 450	Culture, Ecology, and Sustainable Living	3
ANT 460	Urban Anthropology	3
ANT 461	Wealth, Poverty and International Aid	3
ANT 464	Anthropology of Religion	3
ANT 471	Understanding Latino Migration	3
ANT 475	Environmental Archaeology	3
ANT 483	Theories of Archaeological Research	3
ANT 495	Special Topics in Anthropology	3
ANT 496	Anthropology Internship	6
ANT 498	Independent Study in Anthropology	1-6
ANT 501	Proseminar: Introduction to Graduate Studies in Anthropology	3

ANT 511	Overview of Anthropological Theory	3
ANT 512	Applied Anthropology	3
ANT 516	Research Methods in Cultural Anthropology	3
ANT 521	Human Osteology	3
ANT 524	Bioarchaeology	3
ANT 528	Human Paleopathology	3
ANT 529	Advanced Methods in Forensic Anthropology	4
ANT 531	Tourism, Culture and Anthropology	3
ANT 533	Anthropology of Ecotourism and Heritage Conservation	3
ANT 544	Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Women	3
ANT 550	Culture, Ecology, and Sustainable Living	3
ANT 560	Urban Anthropology	3
ANT 561	Wealth, Poverty and International Aid	3
ANT 564	Anthropology of Religion	3
ANT 571	Understanding Latino Migration	3
ANT 575	Environmental Archaeology	3
ANT 583	Theories of Archaeological Research	3
ANT 585	Skeletal Biology in Anthropology	3
ANT 587	Cultural Resource Management	3
ANT 595	Special Topics in Anthropology	1-6
ANT 598	Independent Study in ANT	1-3
FLJ 351	Contemporary Culture in Japan	3
HI 587	Cultural Resource Management	

IS 471	Understanding Latino Migration	3
IS 571	Understanding Latino Migration	
SOC 261	Technology in Society and Culture	
WGS 444	Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Women	
WGS 544	Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Women	
Agricultural Economics		
ARE 121	Agricultural Finance	3
ARE 201	Introduction to Agricultural & Resource Economics	3
ARE 201A	Introduction to Agricultural & Resource Economics	3
ARE 215	Small Business Accounting	3
ARE 260	Marketing and Risk Management in the Pork Industry	1
ARE 270	Principles of Agribusiness Entrepreneurship	3
ARE 290	Professional Development in Agricultural Business Management	3
ARE 295	Special Topics in Agricultural & Resource Economics (200 Level)	1-6
ARE 301	Intermediate Microeconomics	3
ARE 303	Farm Management	3
ARE 304	Agribusiness Management	3
ARE 306	Agricultural Law	3
ARE 309	Environmental Law & Economic Policy	3
ARE 311	Agricultural Markets	3
ARE 312	Agribusiness Marketing	3

ARE 321	Agricultural Financial Management	3	ARE 490	Career Seminar in Agriculture & Resource Economics	1
ARE 323	Agribusiness Finance	3	ARE 492	External Learning Experience	1-6
ARE 332	Human Resource Management for Agribusiness	3	ARE 493	Special Problems/ Research Exploration	1-6
ARE 336	Introduction to Resource and Environmental Economics	3	ARE 494	Agribusiness Study Abroad	1-6
ARE 345	Global Agribusiness Management	3	ARE 495	Special Topics in Agricultural and Resource Economics	1-6
ARE 370	Agribusiness New Venture Development	3	ARE 590	Special Topics in ARE	1-99
ARE 395	Special Topics in Agricultural and Resource Economics (300 level)	1-6	EC 301	Intermediate Microeconomics	3
ARE 404	Advanced Agribusiness Management	3	EC 336	Introduction to Resource and Environmental Economics	
ARE 412	Advanced Agribusiness Marketing	3	Economics		
ARE 413	Applied Agribusiness Marketing	3	ARE 301	Intermediate Microeconomics	3
ARE 415	Introduction to Commodity Futures Markets	3	ARE 336	Introduction to Resource and Environmental Economics	3
ARE 420	Taxation in Agriculture, Production, and Agribusiness	3	EC 201	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ARE 425	Contracts and Organizations in Agriculture	3	EC 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ARE 433	U.S. Agricultural Policy	3	EC 205	Fundamentals of Economics	3
ARE 444	Ethics in Agribusiness	3	EC 302	Intermediate Macroeconomics	3
ARE 448	International Agricultural Trade	3	EC 305	A Closer Look at Capitalism	3
ARE 455	Agribusiness Analytics	3	EC 348	Introduction to International Economics	3
ARE 470	Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Clinical Skills Development	3	EC 351	Econometrics I	3
ARE 475	Food Policy	3	EC 404	Money, Financial Markets, and the Economy	3
			EC 410	Public Finance	3
			EC 413	Industrial Organization	3
			EC 431	Labor Economics	3
			EC 449	International Finance	3
			EC 451	Econometrics II	3
			EC 468	Game Theory	3

EC 474	Economics of Financial Institutions and Markets	3	PS 307	Introduction to Criminal Law in the United States	3
EC 490	Research Seminar in Economics	3	PS 308	Supreme Court and Public Policy	3
EC 495	Special Topics in Economics	1-6	PS 309	Equality and Justice in United States Law	3
EC 498	Independent Study in Economics	1-6	PS 310	Public Policy	3
Political Science			PS 312	Introduction to Public Administration	3
AFS 409	Black Political Participation in America	3	PS 313	Criminal Justice Policy	3
LPS 315	Public Leadership	3	PS 314	Science, Technology and Public Policy	3
PS 101	Internet Research	1	PS 320	U.S. Environmental Law and Politics	3
PS 102	Data Analysis	1	PS 331	U.S. Foreign Policy	3
PS 103	Designing Political Web Pages	1	PS 335	International Law	3
PS 201	American Politics and Government	3	PS 336	Global Environmental Politics	3
PS 202	State and Local Government	3	PS 339	Politics of the World Economy	3
PS 203	Introduction to Nonprofits	3	PS 341	European Politics	3
PS 204	Problems of American Democracy	3	PS 342	Politics of China and Japan	3
PS 231	Introduction to International Relations	3	PS 343	Government and Politics in South Asia	3
PS 236	Issues in Global Politics	3	PS 345	Governments and Politics in the Middle East	3
PS 241	Introduction to Comparative Politics	3	PS 353	Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Politics	3
PS 298	Special Topics in Political Science	1-6	PS 361	Introduction to Political Theory	3
PS 301	The Presidency and Congress	3	PS 362	American Political Thought	3
PS 302	Campaigns and Elections in the US Political System	3	PS 371	Research Methodology of Political Science	3
PS 303	Race in U.S. Politics	3	PS 391	Internship in Political Science	1-6
PS 305	The Justice System in the American Political Process	3	PS 398	Special Topics in Political Science	3
PS 306	Gender and Politics in the United States	3	PS 401	American Political Parties	3
			PS 409	Black Political Participation in America	3

PS 411	Public Opinion and the Media in American Politics	3	PS 534	The Politics of Human Rights Policies	3
PS 415	Administration of Justice	3	PS 536	Global Environmental Law and Policy	3
PS 418	Gender Law and Policies	3	PS 539	International Political Economy	3
PS 431	The United Nations and Global Order	3	PS 540	Seminar In Comparative Politics	3
PS 432	Violence, Terrorism, and Public Policy	3	PS 541	Political Islam	3
PS 433	Global Problems and Policies	3	PS 542	European Politics	3
PS 437	U.S. National Security Policy	3	PS 543	Seminar in Latin American & Caribbean Politics	3
PS 443	Seminar in Latin American & Caribbean Politics	3	PS 544	Contemporary African Politics	3
PS 445	Comparative Systems of Law and Justice	3	PS 545	Comparative Systems of Law and Justice	3
PS 462	Seminar in Political Theory	3	PS 546	The Politics of East Asia	3
PS 463	Public Choice and Political Institutions	3	PS 547	Russian Politics	3
PS 464	The Classical Liberal Tradition	3	PS 560	Nuclear Nonproliferation Policy & Process	3
PS 471	Public Opinion Research Methodology	3	PS 561	Nuclear Strategy and Nonproliferation	3
PS 490	Readings and Research in Political Science	1-6	PS 571	Research Methods and Analysis	3
PS 492	Honors Readings and Thesis in Political Science	1-6	PS 585	Constitutional and Legal Principles for Police Supervisors	3
PS 498	Special Topics in Political Science	1-6	PS 590	Special Topics	1-6
PS 502	The Legislative Process	3	PS 598	Special Topics In Political Science	1-6
PS 506	United States Constitutional Law	3	SOC 413	Criminal Justice Field Work	
PS 507	Civil Liberties In the United States	3	SOC 432	Violence, Terrorism, and Public Policy	
PS 530	Seminar In International Relations	3	WGS 306	Gender and Politics in the United States	3
PS 531	International Law	3	WGS 418	Gender Law and Policies	3
PS 532	Seminar in Global Governance	3	Psychology		
PS 533	Global Problems and Policy	3	AFS 345	Psychology and the African American Experience	

EDP 304	Educational Psychology	3	PSY 406	Psychology of Gender	3
EDP 476	Psychology of Adolescent Development		PSY 410	Learning and Motivation	3
EDP 582	Adolescent Development		PSY 411	The Psychology of Interdependence and Race	3
ISE 540	Human Factors In Systems Design	3	PSY 416	Psychology of Emotion	3
PHI 425	Introduction to Cognitive Science	3	PSY 420	Cognitive Processes	3
PHI 525	Introduction To Cognitive Science	3	PSY 425	Introduction to Cognitive Science	3
PSY 200	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 430	Biological Psychology	3
PSY 208	Psychobiology of Success	3	PSY 431	Health Psychology	3
PSY 230	Introduction to Psychological Research	3	PSY 436	Introduction to Psychological Measurement	3
PSY 240	Introduction to Behavioral Research I	3	PSY 465	Advanced Methods in Psychology	3
PSY 241	Introduction to Behavioral Research I Lab	1	PSY 470	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSY 242	Introduction to Behavioral Research II	3	PSY 475	Child Psychology	3
PSY 243	Introduction to Behavioral Research II Lab	2	PSY 476	Psychology of Adolescent Development	3
PSY 307	Industrial and Organizational Psychology	3	PSY 491	Special Topics in Psychology	3
PSY 311	Social Psychology	3	PSY 495	Community-Based Applied Psychology	4
PSY 312	Applied Psychology	3	PSY 498	Psychology Honors Seminar	3
PSY 313	Positive Psychology	3	PSY 499	Individual Study in Psychology	1-6
PSY 340	Human Factors Psychology	3	PSY 500	Visual Perception	3
PSY 345	Psychology and the African American Experience	3	PSY 502	Physiological Psychology	3
PSY 360	Community Psychology Principles and Practice	3	PSY 504	Evolutionary Psychology	3
PSY 370	Personality	3	PSY 508	Cognitive Processes	3
PSY 376	Developmental Psychology	3	PSY 510	Advanced Problems In Psychology	1-3
PSY 400	Perception	3	PSY 511	Advanced Social Psychology	3
			PSY 525	Introduction To Cognitive Science	3
			PSY 535	Forensic Psychology	3

PSY 540	Human Factors In Systems Design	3	SOC 241	Sociology of Agriculture and Rural Society	3
PSY 541	Overview of Human Factors Psychology	3	SOC 241A	Sociology of Agriculture and Rural Society	3
PSY 558	Psychology and the African Experience	3	SOC 295	Special Topics in Sociology	1-3
PSY 582	Adolescent Development	3	SOC 300	Social Research Methods	4
PSY 584	Advanced Developmental Psychology	3	SOC 301	Human Behavior	3
PSY 590	Special Topics in Psychology	3	SOC 304	Gender and Society	3
PSY 591	History and Systems Of Psychology	1-3	SOC 305	Racial and Ethnic Relations	3
WGS 406	Psychology of Gender	3	SOC 306	Criminology	3
Sociology			SOC 309	Religion and Society	3
AFS 305	Racial and Ethnic Relations	3	SOC 311	Community Relationships	3
ANT 261	Technology in Society and Culture		SOC 342	International Development	3
ANT 428	Human Paleopathology	3	SOC 350	Food and Society	3
ANT 528	Human Paleopathology	3	SOC 351	Population and Planning	3
GEO 220	Cultural Geography	3	SOC 381	Sociology of Medicine	3
PS 432	Violence, Terrorism, and Public Policy	3	SOC 395	Special Topics in Sociology	1-3
REL 309	Religion and Society	3	SOC 400	Theories of Social Structure	3
SOC 202	Principles of Sociology	3	SOC 401	Theories of Social Interaction	3
SOC 203	Current Social Problems	3	SOC 402	Urban Sociology	3
SOC 203A	Current Social Problems	3	SOC 404	Families and Work	3
SOC 204	Sociology of Family	3	SOC 405	Racism in the U.S.	3
SOC 205	Jobs and Work	3	SOC 407	Sociology of Sexualities	3
SOC 206	Social Deviance	3	SOC 410	Sociology of Organizations	3
SOC 207	Language and Society	3	SOC 413	Criminal Justice Field Work	4
SOC 211	Community and Health	3	SOC 414	Social Class	3
SOC 212	Race in America	3	SOC 418	Sociology of Education	3
SOC 220	Cultural Geography	3	SOC 425	Juvenile Delinquency	3
			SOC 427	Sociology of Law	3
			SOC 428	Formal Institutions of Social Control	3
			SOC 429	Quantitative Data Analysis in Sociology	3

SOC 430	Community and Crime	3
SOC 440	Social Change	3
SOC 445	Inequality, Ideology, and Social Justice	3
SOC 450	Environmental Sociology	3
SOC 457	Corporate Power in America	3
SOC 465	Social Aspects of Mental Health	3
SOC 492	External Learning Experience	1-6
SOC 493	Special Problems in Sociology	1-6
SOC 495	Special Topics in Sociology	1-3
SOC 498	Independent Study in Sociology	1-6
SOC 508	Social Organization	3
SOC 509	Population Problems	3
SOC 514	Developing Societies	3
SOC 533	The Community	3
SOC 591	Special Topics In Sociology	1-6
WGS 204	Sociology of Family	3
WGS 304	Gender and Society	3
WGS 407	Sociology of Sexualities	
Multidisciplinary		
ENG 210	Introduction to Language and Linguistics	3
GEO 220	Cultural Geography	3
SOC 220	Cultural Geography	3
STS 402	Peace and War in the Nuclear Age	

Semester Sequence

This is a sample.

First Year

Fall Semester		Hours
ENG 101	Academic Writing and Research ¹	4
GEP Health and Exercise Studies (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-health-exercise-studies/)		1
History (p. 5)		3
Social Sciences (p. 14)		3
GEP Mathematical Sciences (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-mathematical-sciences/)		3
Hours		14

Spring Semester

History (p. 6)		3
GEP Mathematical Sciences (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-mathematical-sciences/)		3
Social Sciences (p. 14)		3
GEP Natural Sciences (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-natural-sciences/)		3
Foreign Language 201 (p. 5)		3
GEP Health and Exercise Studies (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-health-exercise-studies/)		1
Hours		16

Second Year

Fall Semester		Hours
Literature I (p. 6)		3
GEP Natural Sciences (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-natural-sciences/)		4
Philosophy (p. 10)		3
Free Elective		3
Social Science (p. 14)		3
Hours		16

Spring Semester

Literature II (p. 7)		3
GEP US Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-usdei/)		3
REL 200 Introduction to the Study of Religion		3
Social Sciences (p. 14)		3
Free Elective		3
Hours		15

Third Year

Fall Semester		Hours
Arts and Letters (p. 10)		3
GEP Interdisciplinary Perspectives (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-interdisciplinary-perspectives/)		2-3
Religious Studies - Western Traditions (p. 2) ¹		3
Religious Studies - Textual Methods (p. 2) ¹		3
Free Elective		3
Hours		14

Spring Semester

Religious Studies - Non Western Traditions (p. 2) ¹		3
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Religious Studies 400-level (p. 3) ¹	3
Free Electives	9
Hours	15
Fourth Year	
Fall Semester	
Religious Studies 400-level (p. 3) ¹	3
Religious Studies - Historical Methods (p. 2) ¹	3
GEP Interdisciplinary Perspectives (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/undergraduate/gep-category-requirements/gep-interdisciplinary-perspectives/) Requirement	3
Free Elective	3
Religious Studies Elective (p. 4) ¹	3
Hours	15
Spring Semester	
Religious Studies 400-level (p. 3) ¹	3
Religious Studies - Critical Methods (p. 3) ¹	3
Free Electives	9
Hours	15
Total Hours	120

¹ C- or better required