

## Academic Map: Philosophy

**Department:** Philosophy and Religion      **Degree:** BA  
**Program/Major:** Philosophy  
**Track/Emphasis:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Does this program require a minor? (Yes/No)** Yes

### Important program information in the online *Undergraduate Bulletin*:

**UCA Core Requirements:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2015/general-policies-information/uca-core/>  
**LD Core Check Sheet:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin/ldcore/>  
**Degree Requirements:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2015/general-policies-information/degree-requirements/>  
**Program Description:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2015/colleges-departments-programs/college-of-liberal-arts/department-of-philosophy-and-religion/>  
**Course Descriptions:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2015/courses/>

**This degree program requires a total of 120 semester credit hours, including at least 40 upper-division credit hours.**

Comparable courses in the Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) are cross-referenced in the ACTS column of each semester block below; a [core link](http://uca.edu/ubulletin/ldcore/) (http://uca.edu/ubulletin/ldcore/) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* UCA Lower-Division Core check sheet, where UCA Core options and ACTS course numbers are listed in full; an [acts link](http://uca.edu/ubulletin/arkansas-course-transfer-system/) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* ACTS page (http://uca.edu/ubulletin/arkansas-course-transfer-system/) for additional information and a UCA-ACTS crosswalk.

### Year 1

#### Fall – Semester 1 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG	1310	Introduction to College Writing	3	ENGL1013
		LD UCA Core <sup>1</sup>	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
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MATH	1360 1390	Quantitative Literacy or College Algebra	3	MATH 1113 MATH 1103

#### Spring – Semester 2 (credit hours: 16)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG ENGL	1320 1320	Academic Writing and Research or Interdisciplinary Writing and Research or Other approved alternative (LD UCA Core: Research/Writing) <sup>1</sup>	3	ENGL1023 ENGL1023 <a href="#">core link</a>
		LD UCA Core <sup>1</sup>	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
		LD UCA Core (Natural Science) <sup>1</sup>	4	<a href="#">core link</a>
		Minor elective <sup>2</sup>	3	
PHIL	1301	Philosophy for Living (LD UCA Core: Inquiry/Analysis, Fine Arts/Humanities [HUM])	3	PHIL1103

**Year 2****Fall – Semester 3 (credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
PHIL		PHIL Major requirement	3	
		LD UCA Core <sup>1</sup>	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
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		Foreign Language, 2000-level or above <sup>3</sup>	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
		Minor elective <sup>2</sup>	3	

**Spring – Semester 4 (credit hours: 16)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
PHIL		PHIL Major requirement	3	
		General elective	3	
		LD UCA Core (Natural Science) <sup>1</sup>	4	<a href="#">core link</a>
		General elective	3	
		Minor elective <sup>2</sup>	3	

**Year 3****Fall – Semester 5 (credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
PHIL		PHIL Major requirement (UD UCA Core) <sup>4</sup>	3	
PHIL		PHIL elective	3	
		Minor elective <sup>2</sup>	3	
		General elective	3	
		General elective	3	

**Spring – Semester 6 (credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
PHIL		PHIL Major requirement (UD UCA Core) <sup>4</sup>	3	
PHIL		PHIL elective	3	
		General Elective	3	
		Minor elective <sup>2</sup>	3	
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**Year 4****Fall – Semester 7 (Credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
PHIL		PHIL elective (UD UCA Core) <sup>4</sup>	3	
PHIL		PHIL elective	3	
PHIL		PHIL elective	3	
		General elective	3	
		Minor elective <sup>2</sup>	3	

**Spring – Semester 8 (Credit hours: 13)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
PHIL		PHIL elective (UD UCA Core Capstone Course) <sup>4</sup>	3	
PHIL		PHIL elective	3	
		General elective	3	
		Minor elective <sup>2</sup>	3	
		General elective	1	

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**To be completed by the advisor when an Eight-Semester plan is accepted by the student:**

**If applicable, has student selected a minor? Type “x” as appropriate. \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes**

**If “yes,” specify: \_\_\_\_\_**

### Notes

<sup>1</sup> See appropriate choices, alternatives, or substitutions under “UCA Core” in the *Undergraduate Bulletin*. During the first year, a student must complete a UCA Core course designated as a First-Year Seminar (FYS) in Critical Inquiry, Diversity, or Responsible Living. An approved UCA Core lab science and an approved UCA Core math course should be taken in the first two years if possible. The student will also need to complete major, minor, or general elective courses designated as fulfilling the upper-division and capstone requirements of the UCA Core. (See note 4.)

<sup>2</sup> This Academic Map includes 24 credit hours in the Minor field of study. Minor requirements range from 15 to 27 credit hours. Depending on the minor selected, the student will need to adjust the number of general elective and minor elective credit hours in this plan.

<sup>3</sup> Students with no previous experience with a foreign language may need to enroll in up to six hours of lower-level instruction to prepare for this requirement. These courses are not included in this plan of study. Please note that such need voids the guaranteed Eight-Semester plan.

The Academic Advising Center and the Department of World Languages, Literatures, and Cultures recommend that students complete the foreign language requirement as early as possible in their program in order not to lose fluency gained in high school.

<sup>4</sup> Students are required to take upper-division courses that address outcomes in each of the four areas of the UCA Core: Diversity (D), Critical Inquiry (I), Communication (C), and Responsible Living (R). These courses may count as major, minor, or elective requirements, and one course may satisfy up to two Core requirements, as long as the outcomes for both areas are assessed. The UCA Core capstone requirement will, in addition to any disciplinary goals and outcomes, address certain UCA Core goals and outcomes in Critical Inquiry, Communication, and Collaboration. See the [Department of Philosophy and Religion](#) page in the *Undergraduate Bulletin* and consult your academic advisor for courses within the major that fulfill the UD UCA Core requirements.