

University of Central Arkansas
College of Liberal Arts
REQUIREMENTS FOR RELIGIOUS STUDIES MAJORS AND MINORS
January 2019

Name _____ Student ID _____

Major and Minor Program Requirements

In addition to General Education and other B.A. or B.S. requirements, majors must complete 33 units of Religious Studies coursework (18 units of core requirements plus 15 units of Religious Studies electives); minors must complete 18 units of core requirements.

Core Requirements for the Major and Minor (18 units)

Area	Course
Theory and Method	_____ RELG 3301: Theories & Methods in Religious Studies UCA UD Core: I, C
Asian Religious Traditions	<p><i>Choose ONE of the following</i></p> _____ HIST 2310: Introduction to Asian History _____ PHIL 3352: Asian Philosophy and Religion UCA UD Core: D, C _____ RELG 3325: Buddhism UCA UD Core: D, R _____ RELG 4305: Chinese Philosophies and Religions
Western Religious Traditions	<p><i>Choose ONE of the following</i></p> _____ HIST 3320: History of Christianity I UCA UD Core: R _____ HIST 3321: History of Christianity II UCA UD Core: R _____ RELG 3300: Religion in the United States UCA UD Core: D _____ RELG 3335: Judaism UCA UD Core: D, R
Sacred Art, Ritual and Literature	<p><i>Choose ONE of the following</i></p> _____ ENGL 4341: Milton _____ RELG 3332: Jewish Scriptures UCA UD Core: I, D _____ RELG 3333: Christian Scriptures UCA UD Core: I
Religion, Culture, and Society	<p><i>Choose ONE of the following</i></p> _____ ANTH 3310: Anthropology of Magic, Religion, and Witchcraft _____ HIST 4302: History of Witchcraft UCA UD Core: I, C _____ RELG 3330: Religion and Gender UCA UD Core: D, R _____ RELG 3340: Religion, Science, & Technology UCA UD Core: I, C _____ SOC 4300: Sociology of Religion
Religious Thought	<p><i>Choose ONE of the following</i></p> _____ PHIL 3331: Philosophy of Religion UCA UD Core: I _____ PHIL 4340: Meaning of Life: Capstone Course UCA UD Core: Z _____ RELG 3345: African American Religious Thought UCA UD Core: D _____ RELG 4320: Contemporary Religious Thought: Capstone Course UCA Core: Z

Electives

_____ For the Major: Five additional Religious Studies courses (15 units) selected in consultation with the academic advisor.

(See below for a list of Religious Studies courses that may be taken for elective credit.)

Religious Studies Courses

- _____ ANTH 3310: Anthropology of Magic, Religion, and Witchcraft
- _____ ANTH 3315: Native American Cultures
- _____ ART 2325: Asian Art Survey
- _____ ENGL 4305: Medieval English Literature
- _____ ENGL 4341: Milton
- _____ HIST 2310: Introduction to Asian History
- _____ HIST 3320: History of Christianity I **UCA UD Core: R**
- _____ HIST 3321: History of Christianity II **UCA UD Core: R**
- _____ HIST 4302: History of Witchcraft **UCA UD Core: I, C**
- _____ HIST 4374: History of Renaissance and Reformation Europe
- _____ PHIL 2300: Existential Problems in Philosophy
- _____ PHIL 3301: Medieval Philosophy
- _____ PHIL 3303: Nineteenth-Century Philosophy
- _____ PHIL 3331: Philosophy of Religion
- _____ PHIL 3343: Philosophy of Sex and Love
- _____ PHIL 3352: Asian Philosophy and Religion **UCA UD Core: D, C**
- _____ PHIL 3370: Metaphysics
- _____ PHIL 4340: Meaning of Life: Capstone Course **UCA UD Core: Z**
- _____ RELG 1320: World Religions **OR** RELG 1330: Exploring Religion **OR** PHIL 1330: World Philosophies
- _____ RELG 2300: Religion in the United States
- _____ RELG 2332: Jewish Scriptures
- _____ RELG 2333: Christian Scriptures
- _____ RELG 3315: Topics in Religious Studies
- _____ RELG 3325: Buddhism **UCA UD Core: D, R**
- _____ RELG 3330: Religion and Gender **UCA UD Core: D, R**
- _____ RELG 3335: Judaism **UCA UD Core: D, R**
- _____ RELG 3340: Religion, Science, and Technology **UCA UD Core: I, C**
- _____ RELG 3380: Internship in Religious Studies
- _____ RELG 3345: African American Religious Thought **UCA UD Core: D**
- _____ RELG 4305: Chinese Philosophies and Religions
- _____ RELG 4320: Contemporary Religious Thought **UCA UD Core: Z**
- _____ RELG 4330: Readings in Religious Studies
- _____ SOC 4300: Sociology of Religion

Abbreviation Key – UCA Core Program

LD = Lower Division C = Effective Communication I = Critical Inquiry Z = Capstone Experience
UD = Upper Division D = Diversity R = Responsible Living

For more detailed information about UCA's Core courses, please see the Undergraduate Bulletin at <http://uca.edu/ubulletin/colleges-departments-programs/college-of-liberal-arts/departments-of-philosophy-and-religion/>