

MIDDLE EAST STUDIES, CERTIFICATE

REQUIREMENTS

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18 credits are required, as follows:

CORE COURSE

Complete one core course:

Code	Title	Credits
HISTORY 139	Introduction to the Modern Middle East	3-4
INTL ST 266	Introduction to the Middle East	3

MIDDLE EASTERN LANGUAGE COURSE

One course required from:

Code	Title	Credits
AFRICAN 322	Second Semester Arabic	5
AFRICAN 340	Second Semester Summer Arabic	4
ASIALANG 138	Second Semester Persian	4
GNS 340	Second Semester Turkish	4
HEBR-MOD 102	Second Semester Hebrew	4
HEBR-MOD 311	Second Semester Intensive Modern Hebrew	4

HISTORY AND SOCIAL SCIENCE COURSES

One course required from:

Code	Title	Credits
ANTHRO 322	The Origins of Civilization	3
CURRIC 292	Globalizing Education	3
CLASSICS 308	Sex and Violence in the Ancient Near East	3
CLASSICS 321	The Egyptians: History, Society, and Literature	3
GEOG 307	International Migration, Health, and Human Rights	3
GEOG 340	World Regions in Global Context	3
GEN&WS/ INTL ST 535	Women's Global Health and Human Rights	3
GEN&WS/ POLI SCI 435	Politics of Gender and Women's Rights in the Middle East	3
HISTORY/ CLASSICS 110	The Ancient Mediterranean	4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 205	The Making of the Islamic World: The Middle East, 500-1500	3-4
HISTORY/ JEWISH 220	Introduction to Modern Jewish History	4
HISTORY/GNS 265	An Introduction to Central Asia: From the Silk Route to Afghanistan	3

HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 309	The Crusades: Christianity and Islam	3-4
INTL ST 401	Topics in Global Security	3-4
JEWISH 225	Jews and Race	3
POLI SCI 320	Governments and Politics of the Middle East and North Africa	3-4
POLI SCI 323	Islam and World Politics	3-4
POLI SCI/ JEWISH 341	Israeli Politics and Society	3-4
POLI SCI 347	Terrorism	3
POLI SCI 370	Islam and Politics	3-4
POLI SCI/ GEN&WS 435	Politics of Gender and Women's Rights in the Middle East	3
POLI SCI 529	Arab-Israeli Conflict	3-4
SPANISH 490	Race, Religion and Ethnicity in the Age of Empire	3

RELIGION AND CULTURE COURSES

One course required from:

Code	Title	Credits
AFRICAN 231	Introduction to Arabic Literary Culture	3
AFRICAN 300	African Literature in Translation	3
AFRICAN/ INTL ST 302	Arabic Literature and Cinema	3
AFRICAN/ASIAN/ RELIG ST 370	Islam: Religion and Culture	3-4
ART HIST 305	History of Islamic Art and Architecture	3
ART HIST 310	Icons, Religion, and Empire: Early Christian and Byzantine Art, ca. 200-1453	3
ART HIST/ RELIG ST 373	Mecca, Cairo, Istanbul, Delhi: Great Cities of Islam	3
ART HIST 413	Art and Architecture in the Age of the Caliphs	3
ART HIST 440	Art and Power in the Arab World	3
ART HIST 510	Proseminar in Islamic Art and Architecture	3
ASIAN/ RELIG ST 206	The Qur'an: Religious Scripture & Literature	3
CLASSICS 315	Africana Approaches to Biblical Interpretation	3
CLASSICS 321	The Egyptians: History, Society, and Literature	3
CLASSICS/JEWISH/ RELIG ST 323	The Bible and Film: Literature and Media	3
CLASSICS/HEBR- BIB/JEWISH/ LITTRANS/ RELIG ST 332	Prophets of the Bible	4
CLASSICS/JEWISH/ RELIG ST 335	King David in History and Tradition	3

CLASSICS/ HISTORY/ RELIG ST 517	Religions of the Ancient Mediterranean	3	AFRICAN 343	Fifth Semester Summer Arabic	4
CLASSICS 523	Palmyra and the Palmyrenes	3	AFRICAN 344	Sixth Semester Summer Arabic	4
FRENCH/ GEN&WS 285	Rebellious Women from the Global South	3-4	ASIALANG 337	Fifth Semester Persian	3
GNS 460	Readings in Turkish: Contemporary Turkey through Literature and Media	4	ASIALANG 338	Sixth Semester Persian	3-4
HISTORY/ RELIG ST 205	The Making of the Islamic World: The Middle East, 500-1500	3-4	CLASSICS/ HISTORY/ RELIG ST 517	Religions of the Ancient Mediterranean	3
HEBR-BIB/ CLASSICS/ JEWISH/LITTRANS/ RELIG ST 332	Prophets of the Bible	4	CURRIC 292	Globalizing Education	3
HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 301	Introduction to Hebrew Literature	3	CURRIC 366	Internationalizing Educational Knowledge	3
HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 302	Introduction to Hebrew Literature	3	GNS 529	Advanced Summer Immersion Turkish	8
HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 401	Topics in Modern Hebrew / Israeli Literature and Culture I	3	GNS 539	Fifth Semester Turkish and Azeri	3-4
HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 402	Topics in Modern Hebrew / Israeli Literature and Culture II	3	GNS 540	Sixth Semester Turkish and Azeri	3-4
HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 309	The Crusades: Christianity and Islam	3-4	HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 301	Introduction to Hebrew Literature	3
JEWISH/ RELIG ST 215	The Sabbath	3	HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 302	Introduction to Hebrew Literature	3
JEWISH/CLASSICS/ LITTRANS/ RELIG ST 227	Introduction to Biblical Literature (in English)	4	HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 401	Topics in Modern Hebrew / Israeli Literature and Culture I	3
JEWISH/ CLASSICS 241	Introduction to Biblical Archaeology	4	HEBR-MOD/ JEWISH 402	Topics in Modern Hebrew / Israeli Literature and Culture II	3
JEWISH 356	Jerusalem, Holy City of Conflict and Desire	3	JEWISH/CLASSICS/ LITTRANS/ RELIG ST 227	Introduction to Biblical Literature (in English)	4
JEWISH 430	Intermediate Topics in Jewish Literature	3-4			
JEWISH/AFRICAN/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 462	Muslims and Jews	3			
LITTRANS/JEWISH/ RELIG ST 328	Classical Rabbinic Literature in Translation	3-4			
RELIG ST 103	Exploring Religion and Sexuality	3			
RELIG ST/ ASIAN 206	The Qur'an: Religious Scripture & Literature	3			
RELIG ST/ JEWISH 211	Introduction to Judaism	4			
RELIG ST/ CLASSICS/JEWISH/ LITTRANS 227	Introduction to Biblical Literature (in English)	4			

ELECTIVES

Additional course work from the categories above, or the following may be used to meet reach the minimum 18 credits required.¹

Code	Title	Credits
AFRICAN 329	Fifth Semester Arabic	3
AFRICAN 330	Sixth Semester Arabic	3

RESIDENCE AND QUALITY OF WORK

- At least 9 certificate credits must be completed in residence.
- Minimum 2.000 GPA on all certificate courses.

FOOTNOTES

¹ A maximum of 3 credits of Advanced Language may apply to the certificate.

CERTIFICATE COMPLETION REQUIREMENT

This undergraduate certificate must be completed concurrently with the student's undergraduate degree. Students cannot delay degree completion to complete the certificate.