

German Studies

Courses required for the first year: No courses are required for the first year
Courses recommended for the first year: GRMN-101, GRMN-102; Intermediate German language course at 200 or 300 level for more advanced students, taken in any order; any German Studies (GRST) culture course taught in English
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The Major in German Studies

28 credits beyond GRMN-102, including four language courses and three culture courses

Language Courses: Choose any four

Course Number	Course Name	Learning Perspective	Prerequisites	Usually offered: F, J, SP, SU	Credits
GRMN-200	AP German				4
GRMN-201	German language & culture		GRMN-102	F	4
GRMN-202	Austria & Switzerland		GRMN-102	F	4
GRMN-203	Love & marriage		GRMN-102	F	4
GRMN-220/ GRMN-320/ GRMN-420	Conversational German		International program		4
GRMN-221/ GRMN-321/ GRMN-421	Intensive German		International program		4
GRMN-222/ GRMN-322	German in Germany		International program		2
GRMN-301	War & its aftermath		GRMN-102	SP	4
GRMN-302	German & the workplace		GRMN-102	SP	4
GRMN-303	Crime & justice		GRMN-102	SP	4

Culture Courses: Choose any three

Course Number	Course Name	Learning Perspective	Prerequisites	Usually offered: F, J, SP, SP	Credits
GRST-250	Decadence & decay	PP	None	J	4
GRST-251	Outsiders in German lit	PL	None	SP	4
GRST-253	German film	PA	None	FA	4

GRST-352	East and West	PP	None	J	4
GRST-353	German cinema	PA	None	SP	4
GRMN-470	Literature in Germany	PL	International program		4
GRMN-471	Cultural studies		International program		4
GRMN-490	Senior Inquiry		Junior/senior status		4
HIST-316	Germany 1500-1914	PP, G	None	F	4
HIST-317	Germany 1914-Present	PP, G	None	F	4
RELG-270	Luther: Life, Thought, Legacy	PP	None	SP	4
SCAN-240	Fairy Tales & Folklore	PL	None	F or SP	4
SCAN-341	Arctic Narratives	PL	None	SP	4
SCAN-350	Immigration History	PP, G	None	SP	4
SCAN-361	Kierkegaard and the Self	PH	None	SP	4

The Minor in German Studies

20 credits beyond GERM-102, including three language courses and two culture courses, choosing from the lists above.

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