# INTERDISCIPLINARY MINOR IN JEWISH STUDIES

## Requirements
## Effective Fall 2025

**Additional coursework may be required due to prerequisites.**

**Students must satisfactorily complete the total credits required for the minor. Minors and interdisciplinary minors require 12 or more upper-division (300- to 400-level) credits.**

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| **Lower-Division Courses** | | |
| Select a minimum of 3 credits from the following courses: | | 3 |
| ETST 100 | Introduction to Ethnic Studies (GT-SS3) | |
| ETST 257 | Critical Understanding of Antisemitism | |
| LGER 251 | The Holocaust in Literature and Film | |
| PHIL 171 | Religions of the West (GT-AH3) | |
| PHIL 173 | Philosophy of Traditional Judaism | |
| **Language Requirement** | | |
| Select a minimum of 6 credits from the following courses: [1] | | 6 |
| LARA 201 | Second-Year Arabic II (GT-AH4) | |
| LARA 200 | Second-Year Arabic I (GT-AH4) | |
| LFRE 200 | Second-Year French I (GT-AH4) | |
| LFRE 201 | Second-Year French II (GT-AH4) | |
| LGER 200 | Second-Year German I (GT-AH4) | |
| LGER 201 | Second-Year German II (GT-AH4) | |
| LGER 300 | Reading and Writing for Communication-German | |
| LHEB 100 | First-Year Hebrew I | |
| LHEB 101 | First-Year Hebrew II | |
| LRUS 200 | Second-Year Russian I (GT-AH4) | |
| LRUS 201 | Second-Year Russian II (GT-AH4) | |
| LSPA 200 | Second-Year Spanish I (GT-AH4) | |
| LSPA 201 | Second-Year Spanish II (GT-AH4) | |
| **Upper-Division Courses** | | |
| Select a minimum of 6 credits from the following courses: | | 6 |
| HIST 338 | The Holocaust in Historical Perspective | |
| HIST 438 | The Modern Middle East | |
| HIST 467 | Modern Jewish History | |
| LGER 455 | Inside Nazi Germany-Taught in English | |
| LGER 456 | German-Jewish Identity - Taught in English | |
| **Upper-Division Electives** | | |
| Select a minimum of 6 credits from the following courses: [2] | | 6 |
| HIST 324 | Imperial Russia | |
| HIST 328 | Modern Europe, 1815-1914 | |
| HIST 331 | The Soviet Union | |
| HIST 431 | Ancient Israel | |
| HIST 432 | Sacred History-Hebrew Bible & New Testament | |
| HIST 433 | Muhammad and the Origins of Islam | |
| HIST 435 | Jihad in Islamic History | |
| HIST 436 | The Holy Land--Ancient to Modern | |
| HIST 439 | Environmental History of the Middle East | |
| HIST 469 | The Crusades | |
| LGEN 465C | Studies in Foreign Film: Europe | |
| LGEN 465D | Studies in Foreign Film: Africa | |
| LGEN 465E | Studies in Foreign Film: Global | |
| LGER 336 | Issues in Swiss and Austrian Culture | |
| LGER 434 | Advanced German Culture | |
| PHIL 303 | Medieval Philosophy | |
| PHIL 335 | Islam-Cosmology and Practice | |
| PHIL 355 | Philosophy of Religion | |
| PHIL 356 | Islamic Philosophy | |
| PHIL 379 | Mysticism East and West | |
| PHIL 463 | Seminar in Religious Studies | |
| POLS 436 | Comparative Foreign Policy | |
| POLS 449 | Middle East Politics | |
| **Program Total Credits:** | | **21** |

[1] Other languages may be substituted here with the permission of the minor advisor if the student has a strong justification.

[2] Students may count upper-division courses from other fields here as electives if not already used towards another requirement in the minor. Additional courses with a focus on Jewish Studies or related topics may be counted towards the minor with permission of advisor.