

Religious Studies Minor
(pre-Fall 2016)
24 quarter units required

To earn the minor in Religious Studies, students must complete a total of 24 units from the courses listed below. There is one core course (RELS/PHIL 200; 4 units). Electives (at least three 4-unit courses in Religious Studies, plus two additional 4-unit courses in Religious Studies or from approved courses offered by other departments) constitute the remainder of the program. Prior approval must be obtained for enrollment in special topics and directed study courses. A maximum of eight units from a student's major may be applied to the minor.

Core Requirement: 4 units

RELS/PHIL 200	Introduction to Comparative Religions (4 units)
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Electives in Religious Studies:
12–20 units, selected from among the following

RELS 311	Seeking the Holy: Ancient Traditions, Modern Practices (4 units)
RELS 325	Themes of Adult Life in World Religions (4 units)
RELS 335	Gender in the Diversity of World Religions (4 units)
RELS 380	Emotion in Religion (4 units)
RELS/HIST 402	Religion and Society in Medieval Europe (4 units)
RELS/CHS/LAS 423	Migration, Identity, and Religion (4 units)
RELS/HIST 455	American Religious History (4 units)
RELS 454	Special Topics in Religious Studies (4 units)
RELS 499	Undergraduate Directed Study (4 units)

Electives in Fields Related to Religious Studies:
0–8 units, selected from among the following

ANTH 437	Magic, Witchcraft, and Religion (4 units)
ART 476	Early Christian and Byzantine Art (4 units)
ENGL 258	Mythology in Literature (4 units)
ENGL 482	The Bible as Literature (4 units)
HIST 419	Classical Age of Islamic Civilization (4 units)
HIST 423	Renaissance and Reformation (4 units)

HIST 494A	Traditional China (4 units)
HIST 495A	Traditional Japan (4 units)
JAPN 310	Japanese Civilization to 1600 (4 units)
PHIL 415	Philosophy of Religion (4 units)
PHIL 436	South Asian Philosophy (4 units)
SOC 445	Sociology of Religion (4 units)

With special approval of the RELS Program Director, ANTH, ART, ENGL, HIST, PHIL, and SOC special topics courses or directed studies **on religion-related topics** may be included among the up to 8 units of non-RELS electives students may apply to the minor.