Minor Concentration Islamic Studies (18 credits)

Offered by: Islamic Studies    Degree: Bachelor of Arts

The Minor Concentration Islamic Studies (ISLA Minor) program is being phased out. If you are a new student starting in Fall 2014 or later, you may register for the World Islamic and Middle East Studies program at the Institute of Islamic Studies. If you are registered in ISLA Minor, you may choose to remain in ISLA Minor or opt to switch to the World Islamic and Middle East Studies Minor program. If you need to see an academic advisor, please send an email to info islamics.

Program Requirements

This Minor concentration permits students to explore the development and diversity of Islam through courses that focus on Islamic history, religion and civilization in the pre-modern period (pre-19th century), as well as through courses that focus on the dynamics of modern and contemporary (19th through 21st centuries) Muslim societies and cultures.

Required Courses (6 credits)

- ISLA 200 Islamic Civilization (3 credits)
- ISLA 210 Muslim Societies (3 credits)

Complementary Courses (12 credits)

12 credits selected from:

- ISLA 325 Introduction to Shi'i Islam (3 credits)
- ISLA 330 Islamic Mysticism: Sufism (3 credits)
- ISLA 340 Islamic Law and Human Rights (3 credits)
- ISLA 345 Science and Civilization in Islam (3 credits)
- ISLA 350 From Tribe to Dynasty (3 credits)
- ISLA 355 Modern History of the Middle East (3 credits)
- ISLA 360 Islam and Politics (3 credits)
- ISLA 365 Middle East Since the 1970's (3 credits)
- ISLA 370 The Qur’an: History and Interpretation (3 credits)
- ISLA 380 Islamic Philosophy and Theology (3 credits)
- ISLA 383 Central Questions in Islamic Law (3 credits)
- ISLA 385 Poetics & Politics in Arabic Literature (3 credits)
- ISLA 388 Persian Literature (3 credits)
- ISLA 392 Arabic Literature as World Literature (3 credits)
- ISLA 415 Modern Iran: Anthropological Approach (3 credits)
- ISLA 420 Indo-Islamic Civilization: Medieval (3 credits)
- ISLA 421 Islam in South Asia: 1707 to Present (3 credits)
- ISLA 511D1 History: Islamic Civilization - Mediaeval Era (3 credits)
- ISLA 511D2 History: Islamic Civilization - Mediaeval Era (3 credits)
- ISLA 585 Arab Women's Literature (3 credits)

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