

Advising Sheet for Religious Studies

Name _____ Student ID _____

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1) **Core Courses** (12 Credit Hours):

Course	Title	Semester	Credit
RELSTD 2370 OR RELSTD 2102.02	Introduction to Comparative Religion OR Comparative Sacred Texts		
RELSTD 3972	Theory and Method in the Study of Religion		
COMPSTD 3990	Approaches to Comparative Studies OR a comparable alternative, with advisor's approval		
RELSTD 4970 OR COMPSTD 4990	Religious Studies Capstone OR Senior Seminar in Comparative Studies		

2) **Individual Religious Traditions courses** (9-15 Credit hours)

Courses in this category focus on specific traditions, time periods, and/or geographic regions. Majors should take courses in at least three different traditions, periods, and/or geographic regions—for example: a course in Christianity, Judaism, or Islam; a course in South Asian or East Asian religions; and a course in indigenous, ancient, or newly-emergent religions. Courses not listed below may be made to count toward this requirement, with advisor's approval.

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| <p>ARABIC 5701 The Qur'an in Translation</p> <p>CLAS 3401 Ancient Greek Religion</p> <p>CLAS 3404 Magic in the Ancient World</p> <p>CLAS 3405 Christians in the Greco-Roman World</p> <p>CLAS 3408 Ancient Roman Religion</p> <p>COMPSTD 4822 Native American Identity</p> <p>ENGLISH 2280 The English Bible</p> <p>HEBREW 2700 The Hebrew Bible in Translation</p> <p>HISTORY 2220 Introduction to the History of Christianity</p> <p>HISTORY 2221 Introduction to the New Testament: History and Literature</p> <p>HISTORY 2351 Early Islamic Society, 610–1258</p> <p>HISTORY 2375 Islamic Central Asia</p> <p>HISTORY 2450 Ancient and Medieval Jewish History, 300 BCE-1100 CE</p> <p>HISTORY 2451 Medieval and Early Modern Jewish History, 700-1700 CE</p> <p>HISTORY 2452 Modern Jewish History, 1700-Present</p> <p>HISTORY 3218 Paul and His Influence in Early Christianity</p> <p>HISTORY 3219 Historical Jesus</p> | <p>HISTORY 3227 Gnostics and Other Early Christian Heresies</p> <p>HISTORY 3229 History of Early Christianity</p> <p>HISTORY 3245 The Age of Reformation</p> <p>HISTORY 3470 Messiahs and Messianism in Jewish History</p> <p>HISTART 3005 Christian Art</p> <p>HISTART 4421 Medieval Art</p> <p>JEWSHST 2201 Introduction to Jewish Culture, Thought, and Practice</p> <p>NELC 3230 Introduction to Shi'i Beliefs and History</p> <p>NELC 3501 Introduction to Islam</p> <p>NELC 3508 Sufism</p> <p>PHILOS 2120 Asian Philosophies</p> <p>PHILOS 3111 Introduction to Jewish Philosophy</p> <p>RELSTDS 2222 From Ishtar to Christ: The History of Mediterranean Religions</p> <p>RELSTDS 3210 Kabbalah and the Jewish Mystical Tradition (cross-listed with Hebrew and Jewish Studies)</p> <p>RELSTDS 3671 Religions of India</p> <p>RELSTDS 3672 Native American Religions</p> |
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RELSTDS 3673 The Buddhist Tradition (cross-listed with EALL)
 RELSTDS 4872 Varieties of Christianity
 RELSTDS 4873: Contemporary Religious Movements in Global Context (cross-listed with INTSTDS)

RELSTDS 5871 The Japanese Religious Tradition (cross-listed with JAPANSE)

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3) Comparative/ Interdisciplinary courses: 9-15 credit hours

Courses in this category are comparative or interdisciplinary in approach, covering multiple traditions and/or themes, and so exemplifying the approach of religious studies as a field. Courses not listed below may be made to count toward this requirement, with advisor’s approval.

AFAMST 4342 Religion, Meaning, and Knowledge in Africa
 CLAS 3401 Ancient Greek Religion
 CLAS 3404 Magic in the Ancient World
 HEBREW 2367.01 Scripture and Script: The Bible in Contemporary Arts, Media, and Literature
 HEBREW 3704 Women in the Bible and Beyond
 HISTORY 3045 American Religious History
 HISTORY 3214 Women, Gender, and Sexuality in the History of Christianity
 MEDREN 2666 Witchcraft and Magic in the Middle Ages and Renaissance
 NELC 2680 It’s the End of the World!: Apocalypticism in Christianity, Judaism, and Islam
 NELC 3201 Muslims in America and Europe: Migration and Living Between Worlds
 PHILOS 2120 Asian Philosophies
 PHILOS 5850 Philosophy of Religion

RELSTDS 2102.01 Literature and Religion
 RELSTDS 2102.02 Comparative Sacred Texts
 RELSTDS 2222 From Ishtar to Christ: The History of Mediterranean Religions
 RELSTDS 2670 Science and Religion (cross-listed with PHILOS)
 RELSTDS 2677 Religion and Environmentalism
 RELSTDS 3666 Magic in the Modern World
 RELSTDS 3671 Religions of India
 RELSTDS 3678 Religion and American Culture
 RELSTDS 3679 Popular Culture and World Religion
 RELSTDS 3680 Religion and Law in Comparative Perspective (cross-listed with HISTORY)
 RELSTDS 4873 Contemporary Religious Movements in a Global Perspective (cross-listed with INTSTDS)
 RELSTDS 4875 Gender, Sexuality and Religion
 SOCI 3467 Sociology of Religion

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4) Research course:

For those enrolling in RELSTDS 4970 or COMPSTD 4990 as their capstone course, at least one course that you take

toward the requirements for Section 2 (Individual Religious Traditions Courses) **or** Section 3 (Comparative/Interdisciplinary Courses) must be a research course approved by your advisor. The work you do in the course you identify as your research course will be the foundation for the project you develop in RELSTDS 4970 or COMPSTD 4990.

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