

Minor Map for Russian Studies (RUSS-M) 2022-23 through 2026-27 Catalog Years



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Transfer Coursework Restriction: At least 50% of a student's Arts and Sciences (ARSC) major or minor must be taken at the University of Arkansas.

Category	Degree Requirements	Curriculum Notes
POSSIBLE PREREQUISITE COURSES 0-12 hrs	____ RUSS 10103 Elementary Russian I* ____ RUSS 10203 Elementary Russian II* ____ RUSS 20103 Intermediate Russian I* ____ RUSS 20203 Intermediate Russian II*	*Students may not be required to take RUSS 10103, 10203, 20103, or 20203 if they have prior language experience but should consult with a faculty member before skipping any levels.
MINOR CORE 6 hrs	____ RUS 30003 Advanced Russian I (must earn a 'C' or higher) Choose 1 Russian literature course (taught in English): ____ RUSS/ENGL 41103 Special Themes in Russian ____ RUSS/ENGL 41303 Survey of Russian Literature Since the 1917 Revolution	
MINOR ELECTIVES 9 hrs	____ ____ ____ Take 3: • INST 33003 European Integration and Globalization • GEOS 48103 Geography of Eurasia • GERM 40103 Germany and the Holocaust: The Significance of the Holocaust in Differentiated Contexts • JWST 31003 Introduction to Jewish Languages • JWST 40003/PHIL 41003 Modern Jewish Thought • JWST 40103 Contemporary Jewish Thought • HIST 35303 World War II • HIST 35403 Russia to 1861 • HIST 35503 Russia Since 1861 • HIST 42003 History of the Holocaust • HIST 47703 Diplomatic History of the US, 1945 to Present • PLSC 45103 Creating Democracies • PLSC 45603 Government and Politics of Russia • RUSS/ENGL 41103 Special Themes in Russian (if not taken above) • RUSS/ENGL 41303 Survey of Russian Literature Since the 1917 Revolution (if not taken above)	Students may choose other courses not listed here that are at least one-third Russian- or Eurasian-centered with approval of the program director using substitution form.
RUSS-M Residency Rule 0 Additional Hours	Of courses taken for the above requirements students must complete 3 hours of courses with the RUSS course prefix in residence.	In residence means courses taken from the University of Arkansas Fayetteville Campus. This includes UA faculty-led study abroad classes online/on-campus classes and Global Campus courses and all other courses paid towards Fayetteville campus tuition and fees.