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## RELIGIOUS STUDIES (RLST) – CATALOG YEAR 2012-13

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### Requirements for a Minor in Religious Studies:

Fifteen hours of upper-level courses (3000+) selected from the areas of emphasis listed below. Students must take at least one course in each area. A maximum of six credit hours from the student's major may be applied toward the minor. Students may petition the Director of Religious Studies to count lower-level courses and courses not listed on the Religious Studies course list toward the minor.

### Areas of Emphasis:

#### 1. History

**ARHS 4843** Medieval Art  
**HIST 3003** History of Christianity  
**HIST 3023** The Islamic West, 650-1600  
**HIST 3033** Islamic Civilization  
**HIST 3083** Women and Christianity  
**HIST 3513** History of China to 1644  
**HIST 4043** Late Antiquity and the Early Middle Ages  
**HIST 4053** Late Middle Ages  
**HIST 4073** Renaissance and Reformation, 1300-1600  
**HIST 4313** Islamic Theology and Philosophy  
**HIST 4333** Modern Islamic Thought  
**HIST 4353** Middle East, 600-1250  
**HIST 4493** Religion in America to 1860  
**HIST 4553** The Recluse in Early East Asia

#### 2. Social Sciences

**ANTH 3123** The Anthropology of Religion  
**ANTH 3213** Indians of North America  
**ANTH 3263** Indians of Arkansas and the South  
**ANTH 4093** The Archeology of Death  
**ANTH 4513** African Religions: Gods, Witches, Ancestors  
**PLSC 4593** Islam and Politics  
**SOCI 3103** Religion and Society

#### 3. Philosophy/Literature/Languages

**PHIL 3203** Philosophy and the Christian Faith  
**PHIL 4013** Platonism & Origin of Christian Theology  
**PHIL 4023** Medieval Philosophy  
**PHIL 4303** Philosophy of Religion

### Topics Courses/Seminars/Honors Colloquia:

Students may also choose "topics/seminar" classes or an Honors colloquium in any Department or Program approved by the director as having a religious studies focus.

*\*\*\*This form is **NOT** a substitute for the Catalog of Studies. Students should verify this information with their advisor, their degree audit, and/or the Catalog of Studies. Please refer to the Catalog of Studies for course listings and pre-requisites.\*\*\**