

MAJOR MAP FOR ITALIAN BACHELOR OF ARTS CONCENTRATION IN TRANSNATIONAL STUDIES (ITAL-TRST) 2023-24 CATALOG YEAR

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ITALBA-TRST Degree Snapshot

University Perspectives (0-1 hr)

_____ **UNIV 1001**, University Perspectives or exemption

State Core English Composition (0-6 hrs)

_____ **ENGL 1013**, Composition 1 or exemption

_____ **ENGL 1023**, Composition 2 or exemption

State Core US History or Government (3 hrs)

_____ **US HIST/PLSC** _____

State Core Mathematics (3 hrs)

_____ **MATH** _____

State Core Natural Sciences w/ labs (8 hrs)

_____ **Science w/ lab** _____

_____ **Science w/ lab** _____

State Core Social Sciences (9 hrs)

_____ **Social Science** _____

_____ **Social Science** _____

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State Core Fine Arts (3 hrs)

_____ **Fine Art** _____

State Core Humanities (0-3 hrs)

_____ **Humanities** _____ (students who take CLST 1013 or MRST 2013 for their intro major course can also count them here)

Possible Pre-Requisites Courses (0-12 hrs)

_____ **ITAL 1003**, Elementary Italian I (or fluency)

_____ **ITAL 1013**, Elementary Italian II (or fluency)

_____ **ITAL 2003**, Intermediate Italian I (or fluency)

_____ **ITAL 2013**, Intermediate Italian II (or fluency)

Intro Major Course (3 hrs)

Take 1:

_____ **CLST 1013** Introduction to Classical Studies: Rome

_____ **CLST 2323** Greek and Roman Mythology

_____ **ITAL 333** Made in Italy

_____ **MRST 2013** Introduction to Medieval and Renaissance Studies

Major Core Requirements (12 hrs)

_____ **ITAL 3033** Italian Conversation

_____ **ITAL 3103** Italian Cinema

_____ **ITAL 3123** Advanced Italian

Choose 1:

_____ **ITAL 4123** Dante: A Journey Between Visions and Words

_____ **ITAL 4143** Tracing the Italian American Experience

Transnational Studies Concentration (15 hrs)

Take 15 hrs from the list below.

General Electives (54-57 hrs)

How you use these hours will depend on your educational and career goals. Early in your degree you might use this section to jot down ideas for how to plan. As you get closer to graduation, you might use this section to track which classes you've taken outside the above requirements.

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Graduation Plan

Use the following additional resources, in addition to this major map, to complete your graduation plan ([Catalog](#), and your [Degree Audit](#) in UAconnect). Many students have more than one major, minor, or pre-professional goal that has additional required classes. This tool allows you to combine all your educational goals in to one plan.

High School credit	List all Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Dual or Concurrent credit			
Year	Fall	Spring	Summer	Total
Year 1				Total 1 st year credit hours (aim for 30):
Year 2				Total 2 nd year credit hours (aim for 60):
Year 3				Total 3 rd year credit hours (aim for 90):
Year 4				Total 4 th year credit hours (Must be at least 120):

Graduation Checklist (does your plan include the following):

- Do you have at least a 2.0 GPA (this will be something you track each semester)
- All state minimum core requirements
- All Major(s)/Minor(s) requirements
- [Writing requirement](#) complete
- Have At least 50% of each major/minor taken from UofA
- 24 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences classes
- 30 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from the University of Arkansas. This can include courses taken for the 24-hour rule.
- 40 hours of upper-level classes. (3000+ or 2000+ with a pre-requisite. Can include transfer credit.) This can include courses taken for the 24-hour and 30-hour rules.
- 120 total eligible credit hours (see below for a list of ineligible classes)

COURSES THAT DO NOT COUNT TOWARDS THE 120 HOURS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION

- ENGL 0002
- MATH 0001L, MATH 0002L, MATH 0003, and MATH 0131L

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- Duplicated/Repeated courses (i.e.: if the same course is taken more than once, the hours will only count once for graduation)

Department Information:

Faculty who have exception/substitution authority:

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.

GPA (Grade Point Average): Every student must have at least a 2.00 cumulative grade point average to be eligible to graduate from the University of Arkansas.

Please visit <https://catalog.uark.edu/undergraduatecatalog> for an extensive list of core, major, graduation, and pre-requisite requirements. To read more about individual classes, visit the [courses of instruction](#) page for course descriptions.

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Degree Requirement Breakdown by Category

The following information is designed to help you navigate your experience in your degree and answer common questions that may come up for each requirement.

Category	Degree Requirements	Curriculum Notes
<u>UNIVERSITY PERSPECTIVES</u> 0-1 hr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNIV 1001, University Perspectives 	Or equivalent from another University of Arkansas college. (AFLS 1023H, ARSC 1201, GNEG 1111, HIST 1003(H), HIST 1003(H), PLSC 1003, BUSI/WCOB 1111) Note: students who transfer to the University of Arkansas with at least 24 credit hours will have this requirement waived.
<u>STATE CORE COMPOSITION</u> 0-6 hrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 1013, Composition 1 or SAT/ACT exemption • ENGL 1023, Composition 2 or SAT/ACT exemption 	See Catalog for information about placement and/or exemption.
<u>STATE CORE US HISTORY or GOVERNMENT</u> 3 hrs	Choose 1: * <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877 • HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present • PLSC 2003, American National Government 	*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.
<u>STATE CORE MATHEMATICS</u> 3 hrs	Choose 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MATH 1203, College Algebra • MATH 1313, Quantitative Reasoning • MATH 1514, Calculus with Algebra and Trigonometry • STAT 2303, Principles of Statistics • Any higher-level mathematics course with MATH 1203 as a pre-requisite 	Based on ACT/SAT or other math placement scores, students may need to enroll in additional remediation related courses. See catalog or math placement website for additional information.
<u>STATE CORE NATURAL SCIENCES CORE</u> 8 hrs	Choose 2: (each class will have a required lecture and lab component): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ANTH 1013 and ANTH 1011L, Intro to Biological Anthropology • ASTR 2003/2001L, Survey of the Universe • BIOL 1524, Biological Principles • BIOL 1543/1541L, Principles of Biology • BIOL 1584, Biology for Majors • BIOL 1603/1601L, Principles of Zoology • BIOL 1613/1611L, Plant Biology • BIOL 2213/2211L, Human Physiology • BIOL 2443/2441L, Human Anatomy • CHEM 1053/1051L, Chemistry in the Modern World • CHEM 1073/1071L, Fundamentals of Chemistry • CHEM 1103/1101L; University Chemistry I • CHEM 1123/1121L, University Chemistry II • CHEM 1203/1201L, Chemistry for Majors I • CHEM 1223/1221L, Chemistry for Majors II • ENSC 1003/1001L, Environmental Science • ENTO 1023/1021L, Insects, Science, and Society • GEOS 1113/1111L, Physical Geology • GEOS 1133/1131L, Earth Science • GEOS 1145, Introduction to Geology for Science Majors • PHYS 1023/1021L, Physics and Human Affairs • PHYS 1034, Physics for Elementary Education Majors • PHYS 1044, Physics for Architects I • PHYS 1054, Physics for Architects II • PHYS 2013/2011L, College Physics I 	Some classes will have pre-requisites

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PHYS 2033/2031L, College Physics II • PHYS 2054, University Physics I • PHYS 2074, University Physics II 	
<p><u>STATE CORE</u> <u>SOCIAL SCIENCES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">9 hrs</p>	<p>Choose 3: *</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AGEC 1103, Principles of Agriculture Microeconomics • AGEC 2103, Principles of Agriculture Macroeconomics • ANTH 1023, Intro to Cultural Anthropology • COMM 1023, Communication in a Diverse World • ECON 2013, Principles of Macroeconomics • ECON 2023, Principles of Microeconomics • ECON 2143, Basic Economics: Theory and Practice • EDST 2003, Introduction to Educational Studies • GEOS 1123, Human Geography • GEOS 2003, World Regional Geography • HDFS 1403, Life Span Development • HDFS 2413, Family Relations • HDFS 2603, Rural Families & Communities • HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I • HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II • HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877 • HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present • HIST 2093, Animals in World History • HUMN 1114H, Honors Roots of Culture to 500 C.E. (Honors only) • HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture, 1600-1900 (honors only) • INST/PLSC 2813, Intro to International Relations & Global Studies • PLSC 2003, American National Government • PLSC 2013, Intro to Comparative Politics • PLSC 2203, State and Local Government • PSYC 2003, General Psychology • RESM 2853, Leisure and Society • SOCI 2013, General Sociology • SOCI 2033, Social Problems • STEM 2003, The Art of STEM Communication 	<p>Students must take classes from at least two departments in the Social Sciences category.</p> <p>*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.</p>
<p><u>STATE CORE FINE</u> <u>ARTS</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">3 hrs</p>	<p>Choose 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ARCH 1003, Architecture Lecture • ARHS 1003, Art Lecture • COMM 1003, Film Lecture • DANC 1003, Movement and Dance • ENGL 2023, Creative Writing 1 • HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture 1600-1900 (honors only) • LARC 1003, The American Landscape • MLIT 1003, Experiencing Music • MLIT 1013, Music and Society (music majors only) • MLIT 1333, Popular Music • THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation • THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation • THTR 1683, Acting I • THTR 1883, Acting 1 for Theatre majors 	<p>Classes taken in this category may not overlap in any other core category</p>

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<p>STATE CORE HUMANITIES</p> <p>0-3 hrs**</p>	<p>Choose 1: *</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AAST 2023, The African American Experience • ANTH 1033, Introduction to Archeology • ARCH 1013, Diversity and Design • CLST 1003, Introduction to Classical Studies: Greece • CLST 1013, Introduction to Classical Studies: Rome** • COMM 1233, Media, Community and Citizenship • DANC 1003, Dance Appreciation • DASC 2133, Data Privacy & Ethics • ENGL 1213, Introduction to Literature • ENGL 2023, Creative Writing I • GNST 2003, Introduction to Gender Studies • HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I • HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II • HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877 • HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present • HUMN 1124H*, Honors Equilibrium of Cultures 500-1600 (Honors only) • HUMN 2213, Introduction to World Religions • LALS 2013, Introduction to Latin American and Latino Studies • MRST 2013, Introduction to Medieval and Renaissance Studies** • MUSY 2003, Music in World Cultures • PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy • PHIL 2103, Introduction to Ethics • PHIL 2203, Logic • PHIL 2303, Human Nature and the Meaning of Life • PHIL 3103, Ethics and the Professions • THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation • THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation • WLIT 1113, World Literature: Beginnings to 1650 CE • WLIT 1123, World Literature: 1650 CE to Present • Any Intermediate level foreign language numbered at the 2000 level 	<p>*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.</p> <p>**Students who take CLST 1013 or MRST 2013 for their intro major course can also count it here</p>
<p>POSSIBLE PREREQUISITES COURSES</p> <p>0-12 hrs</p>	<p>Major requirements for Italian begin at the 3000 level, but student may be required to take up to 12 hours of prerequisite courses, depending on previous fluency.</p> <p>Possible prerequisites: *</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ITAL 1003, Elementary Italian I • ITAL 1013, Elementary Italian II • ITAL 2003, Intermediate Italian I • ITAL 2013, Intermediate Italian II 	<p>*Students may not be required to take ITAL 1003, 1013, 2003, or 2013 if they have prior language experience but should take the language placement test before skipping any levels. (This is required for students wishing to start directly in 3000 level courses)</p>
<p>INTRO MAJOR COURSE</p> <p>3 hrs</p>	<p>Take 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ CLST 1013 Introduction to Classical Studies: Rome ○ CLST 2323 Greek and Roman Mythology ○ ITAL 333 Made in Italy ○ MRST 2013 Introduction to Medieval and Renaissance Studies 	<p>Students who take CLST 1013 or MRST 2013 can also count the course in the humanities state core requirement.</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ITAL 3033 Italian Conversation 	

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<p>MAJOR CORE REQUIREMENTS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">12 hrs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ITAL 3103 Italian Cinema • ITAL 3123 Advanced Italian • Choose 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ITAL 4123 Dante: A Journey Between Visions and Words ○ ITAL 4143 Tracing the Italian American Experience 	
<p>TRANSNATIONAL CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">15 hrs</p>	<p>Take 15 hrs from the following with no more than 9 hrs from a single department:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ARHS 4423 Roman Art and Archeology ○ ARHS 4733 Saint Peter's and the Vatican ○ ARHS 4753 Renaissance and Baroque Architecture ○ ARHS 4853 Italian Renaissance Art ○ ARHS 4873 Baroque Art ○ CLST 4423 Roman Art and Archaeology ○ ENGL 3173 Introduction to Linguistics ○ ENGL 3433 Introduction to Chaucer ○ ENGL 3713 Topics in Medieval Literature and Culture ○ ENGL 3723 Topics in Renaissance Literature and Culture ○ ENGL 4713 Studies in Medieval Literature and Culture ○ ENGL 4723 Studies in Renaissance Literature and Culture ○ HIST 3303 U.S. Immigration History ○ HIST 3383 Arkansas and the Southwest ○ HIST 3703 Urban History: The Modern Metropolis (not taught anymore but counts here if taken) ○ HIST 3383 Modern Italy and the World, 1861-Present ○ HIST 3963 Art as History (not taught anymore but counts here if taken) ○ HIST 4023 Roman Republic ○ HIST 4073 Renaissance and Reformation, 1300-1600 ○ HIST 4973 The Civilization of the Renaissance in Italy ○ ITAL/GNST/MRST 4133 The Power of Women: Representations of & from Italian Women from Middle Ages to Early Modern Period ○ MRST 3013 Special Topics in Medieval Studies ○ MRST 4003 Medieval and Renaissance Studies Colloquium ○ MRST 4113 Italian Fairy Tales in Literature, Visual Arts, and Cinema ○ PHIL 4023 Medieval Philosophy (not taught anymore but counts here if taken) ○ PLSC 3823 Theories of International Relations ○ PLSC 4803 Foreign Policy Analysis ○ PLSC 4833 International Political Economy 	
<p>GENERAL ELECTIVES</p> <p style="text-align: center;">42-57 hrs</p>	<p>Hours will vary depending on language placement, if the student overlaps their humanities core with the major, and whether a student is exempt from ENGL 1013 and 1023.</p>	<p>Some general electives will need to be upper level to meet college and university residency requirements. See Graduation Checklist on page 2 for more information.</p>
<p>WRITING REQUIREMENT</p>	<p>The college writing requirement may be satisfied in one of two ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Successful completion of ITAL 4123 or ITAL 4143 • Successful honors thesis defense 	
<p>HONORS</p>	<p>Minimum Requirements for Honors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain cumulative grade point average of 3.5 in all coursework. • Complete a minimum of 12 hours of honors courses from the UofA. 	<p>Honors Thesis Timeline: Honors students should consistently check the honors thesis timeline to stay on track to complete your honors thesis.</p>

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- Complete and defend Honors Thesis

See [Catalog](#) for full description of requirements.

College Honors: Students who also are following the College Honors Core for Bachelor of **Arts** programs need to also complete those additional requirements:

- [2023-24 catalog requirements](#)
- [2022-23 and older catalog requirements](#)