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2011–2012
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Key to Course Listings

1. Subjects are listed by three- or four-letter abbreviations in capitals. A list of subject abbreviations precedes chapter III.

2. Fall-term courses are indicated by the letter “a,” spring-term courses by the letter “b.” A course designated “a or b” (e.g., MATH 112a or b) is the same course given in both fall and spring terms.

3. Prerequisites and recommendations are listed at the end of the course description.

4. Foreign language courses are designated L1 (first term of language study), L2 (second term), L3 (third term), L4 (fourth term), or L5 (beyond the fourth term). Other distributional designations are QR, WR, HU, SC, and SO, representing quantitative reasoning, writing, humanities and arts, science, and social science, respectively. (See chapter I and section A of chapter II.)

5. The course earns the specified amount of course credit. Most courses earn one course credit per term; variations are noted.

6. Classes or other meetings are held during reading period. (See chapter II, section G.) If RP does not appear at the end of the course description, classes or other meetings are not held during reading period.
7. Courses in brackets are not offered during the current year but are expected to be given in the succeeding academic year.

8. A student must obtain the instructor’s permission before taking a course marked by a star. All seminars are starred.

9. Open to both undergraduate and graduate students. Undergraduates electing these courses, unless already accepted into the Program for the Simultaneous Award of the Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees, must enroll under the undergraduate number. (See chapter II, section K.)

10. A course with multiple titles, i.e., with two or more departments in the title line (such as ITAL 310/LITR 183), counts toward the major in each department where it appears. The course description appears under only one department. Students indicate on the course schedule which department should appear on their transcripts.

11. Instructors for fall and spring terms are indicated by the abbreviations “F” and “Sp.”

12. A course number in angle brackets indicates a course that is not currently listed or bracketed but that has been offered within the past three years.

13. A student must complete the full year satisfactorily to receive credit. (See chapter II, section C.)

14. Literature course with readings in translation.

15. The abbreviations Junior sem, Senior sem, Fr sem, Amer, Core, Pre-1800, Pre-1900, and PreInd indicate Junior seminar, Senior seminar, Freshman seminar, American, Core course, Pre-1800 course, Pre-1900 course, and Preindustrial, respectively. Courses with these designations are applied toward the requirements of certain majors; descriptions of such requirements are included in program descriptions in chapter III.

16. A capital J or L following the course number denotes a History junior seminar or a science laboratory, respectively.

17. “For description see under” refers the reader to the department in which full course information appears. The line is used when the location of the full listing is not apparent from the course abbreviation, as, for example, with a multiple-titled course.

18. Related courses appear in departments other than their own (e.g., ANTH 270 is listed in Cognitive Science). Such courses may count toward the major of the relating department.

Changes in course information after May 3, 2011, as well as information regarding the required and recommended textbooks for courses in Yale College, appear on line at www.yale.edu/oci. The Yale College Programs of Study is also published on line at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/yale-college-programs-study. The YCPS Web site offers continually updated course listings, links to departmental Web sites, and links to other Yale online resources.
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Yale College Calendar with Pertinent Deadlines

This calendar includes a partial summary of deadlines given in chapters I and II, along with those in the Yale College online publication Undergraduate Regulations. Unless otherwise specified, references are to sections in chapter II of this bulletin, and deadlines fall at 5 p.m.

FALL TERM 2011

Aug. 24      W  Residences open to upperclassmen, 9 a.m.
Aug. 26      F  Residences open to freshmen, 9 a.m.
              Required registration meetings for freshmen, 8 p.m.
Aug. 30      T  Required registration meetings for upperclassmen.
Aug. 31      W  Fall-term classes begin.
Sept. 5      M  Labor Day; classes meet.
Sept. 9      F  Final deadline to apply for a fall-term Leave of Absence (section J). Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a full rebate of fall-term tuition (Undergraduate Regulations).
Sept. 12     M  Course schedules due for the Class of 2015.*
Sept. 13     T  Course schedules due for the Classes of 2014 and 2013.*
Sept. 14     W  Course schedules due for the Class of 2012.*
              All students planning to complete degree requirements at the end of the fall term must file a petition by this date. (See section K for penalties resulting from failure to meet this deadline.)
Sept. 24     SA Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-half of fall-term tuition (Undergraduate Regulations).
Oct. 14      F  Deadline to complete applications for financial aid for the spring term, for students not enrolled in the 2011 fall term (Undergraduate Regulations).
Oct. 15      SA Deadline to apply for a spring-term 2012 Term Abroad (section K).
Oct. 21      F  Midterm.
              Last day to withdraw from a fall-term course without having the course appear on the transcript (sections F and B).
              Deadline to apply for double credit in a single-credit course (section K).
              Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-quarter of the term’s tuition (Undergraduate Regulations).

*Late schedules from all classes are fined and may not include the Credit/D/Fail option. See chapter II, sections B and E.
Nov. 4  F  Last day to convert from the Credit/D/Fail option in a fall-term course to a letter grade (section B).

Nov. 19  SA  Fall recess begins, 9 p.m.

Nov. 28  M  Classes resume.

Nov. 30  W  Last day to relinquish on-campus housing for the spring term without charge (*Undergraduate Regulations*).

Dec. 2  F  Classes end; reading period begins.

Dec. 9  F  Last day to withdraw from a fall-term course (sections F and B).

Dec. 9  F  Reading period ends.

Dec. 10  SA  Final examinations begin, 9 a.m.†

Dec. 17  SA  Examinations end, 5:30 p.m.; winter recess begins.

Dec. 18  SU  Residences close, 12 noon.

**SPRING TERM 2012**

Jan. 4  W  Residences open, 9 a.m.

Jan. 8  SU  Required freshman registration meetings, 9 p.m.

Jan. 9  M  Spring-term classes begin.

- Registration for sophomores, juniors, and seniors.

Jan. 13  F  Friday classes do not meet; Monday classes meet instead.

Jan. 16  M  Martin Luther King, Jr., Day; classes do not meet.

Jan. 18  W  Course schedules due for the Class of 2015.*

- Final deadline to apply for a spring-term Leave of Absence (section J).

- Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a full rebate of spring-term tuition (*Undergraduate Regulations*).

Jan. 19  TH  Course schedules due for the Classes of 2014 and 2013.*

Jan. 20  F  Course schedules due for the Class of 2012.*

- Last day for students in the Class of 2012 to petition for permission to complete the requirements of two majors.

Feb. 3  F  Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-half of spring-term tuition (*Undergraduate Regulations*).

†Please note that examinations will be held on Saturday and Sunday, December 10, 11, and 17, 2011.

*Late schedules from all classes are fined and may not include the Credit/D/Fail option. See chapter II, sections B and E.*
Mar. 2  F  Midterm.
Spring recess begins, 5:30 p.m.
Last day to withdraw from a spring-term course without having the course appear on the transcript (sections F and B).
Deadline to apply for double credit in a single-credit course (section K).
Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-quarter of the term’s tuition (Undergraduate Regulations).

Mar. 5  M  Deadline to apply for a fall-term 2012 Term Abroad or a 2012–2013 Year Abroad (section K).

Mar. 19  M  Classes resume.

Mar. 26  M  Last day to convert from the Credit/D/Fail option in a spring-term course to a letter grade (section B).

Apr. 23  M  Classes end; reading period begins.
Monday classes do not meet; Friday classes meet instead.
Last day to withdraw from a spring-term course (sections F and B).

Apr. 30  M  Reading period ends.
Deadline for all course assignments, including term papers. This deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete authorized by the student’s residential college dean.

May 1  T  Final examinations begin, 9 a.m.†
Applications for fall-term Leaves of Absence due (section J).

May 8  T  Examinations end, 5:30 p.m.

May 9  W  Residences close for underclassmen, 12 noon.

May 16  W  Deadline to complete applications for financial aid for the fall and spring terms, 2012–2013 (Undergraduate Regulations).

May 21  M  University Commencement.

May 22  T  Residences close for seniors, 12 noon.

†Please note that examinations will be held on Saturday and Sunday, May 5 and 6, 2012.
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Trumbull College, Jasmina Beširević-Regan, Ph.D.
Final Examination Schedules

Rules governing the conduct of final examinations are given in section G of chapter II. (See “Reading Period” and “Final Examinations.”)

An examination group number is assigned to every course. Examination group assignments are based on course meeting times, according to the following scheme. Hours shown are the times at which courses begin:

(31) M, W, or F, 8:20 a.m.
(32) M, W, or F, 9 or 9:25 a.m.
(33) M, W, or F, 10:30 a.m.
(34) M, W, or F, 11:35 a.m.
(36) M, W, or F, 1 or 1:30 p.m.
(37) M, W, or F, after 2 p.m.
(22) T or TH, 9 or 9:25 a.m.
(23) T or TH, 10:30 a.m.
(24) T or TH, 11:35 a.m.
(26) T or TH, 1 or 1:30 p.m.
(27) T or TH, after 2 p.m.

Note With the exception of courses assigned to common examination groups, a change in class meeting time will alter the examination time.

Courses with multiple sections but a common examination are assigned to an examination group from (61) to (69). Typical assignments include (but are not limited to): (61) foreign languages; (63) introductory-level English; (64) introductory economics; (69) introductory mathematics.

The examination group (50) is assigned to courses whose times are published HTBA, or whose times belong to more than one of the groups listed above.

Courses in group (0) usually have no regular final examination, concluding instead with a term essay or other final exercise. Instructors of such courses may schedule a regular final examination based on the course starting time.

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A Message from the Dean of Yale College

We officially call this book *Yale College Programs of Study*, but generations of students and faculty have known this volume simply as the Blue Book. A compendium of roughly 2,000 courses to be offered in Yale College in 2011–2012, the Blue Book is a book to use. Turn down pages you wish to return to; bend the spine so it opens to subjects you find yourself called to. Let this book be your key to the renowned faculty at Yale, through whose courses you will develop the intellectual knowledge, skills, and sense of citizenship that will serve you all the days of your lives.

Of course, a listing of individual courses does not constitute an education. We count on you, our students, with the counsel of faculty and deans, Yale's distributional requirements, and your own interests and passions, to shape your liberal education in ways that will help you to become cultivated citizens of the world. Our expectation is that when you leave Yale, you will not only have acquired a trained mind, broadened knowledge, and a greater sense of citizenship; you also will have come to a deeper understanding of the continuing joy of disciplined learning.

We hope that perusing the pages of this bulletin will stir you to consider courses of study that you had never before imagined and lead you deeper into intellectual worlds you already have explored. This book represents the heart and soul of what the Yale faculty holds in promise for you. It comes to you with our best wishes for a successful year.

Mary Miller
*Dean of Yale College*
*Sterling Professor of History of Art*
I. YALE COLLEGE

Yale College, founded in 1701, is a coeducational undergraduate institution offering instruction in the liberal arts and sciences to about 5,200 students. The College is the oldest and the largest school of the University, which also comprises the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences and ten professional schools.

The Undergraduate Curriculum

Yale College offers a liberal arts education, one that aims to cultivate a broadly informed, highly disciplined intellect without specifying in advance how that intellect will be used. Such an approach to learning regards college as a phase of exploration, a place for the exercise of curiosity and an opportunity for the discovery of new interests and abilities. The College does not seek primarily to train students in the particulars of a given career, although some students may elect to receive more of that preparation than others. Instead, its main goal is to instill knowledge and skills that students can bring to bear in whatever work they eventually choose. This philosophy of education corresponds with that expressed in the Yale Report of 1828, which draws a distinction between “expanding [the mind’s] powers, and storing it with knowledge.” Acquiring facts is important, but learning how to think critically and creatively in a variety of ways takes precedence.

To ensure that study is neither too narrowly focused nor too diffuse, the College stands behind the principle of distribution of studies as strongly as it supports the principle of concentration. It requires that study be characterized, particularly in the earlier years, by a reasonable diversity of subject matter and approach, and in the later years by concentration in one of the major programs or departments. In addition, the College requires that all students take courses in certain foundational skills—writing, quantitative reasoning, and foreign language—that hold the key to opportunities in later study and later life. People who fail to develop these skills at an early stage unknowingly limit their futures. In each skill, students are required to travel some further distance from where they were in high school for the reason that these competences mature and deepen. The best high school writer is still not the writer he or she could be; students who do not use their mathematics or foreign language skills in college commonly lose abilities they once had, and can graduate knowing less than when they arrived.

In a time of increasing globalization, both academic study of the international world and firsthand experience of foreign cultures are crucial. No Yale College student can afford to remain ignorant of the forces that shape our world. Yale College urges all of its students to consider a summer, a term, or a year abroad sometime during their college careers.

A student working toward a bachelor’s degree takes four or five courses each term, and normally receives the B.A. or B.S. degree after completing thirty-six term courses or their equivalent in eight terms of enrollment. To balance structure with latitude, and to achieve a balance of breadth and depth, a candidate for the bachelor’s degree is required, in completing the thirty-six term courses, to fulfill the distributional requirements described in this bulletin as well as the requirements of a major program.
ADVISING

What students ultimately derive from four years at Yale depends in large measure on careful planning of a program of study. It would be imprudent for beginning students to map out a fixed schedule of courses for the next eight terms. Yet it is important that they think ahead, and make their plans while keeping in mind the principles outlined in this bulletin.

Yale College does not prescribe a program of study, believing that students who select their courses are inevitably more engaged in them—a first precondition for serious learning. As students shape their educational goals, they should seek informed advice. The best advising comes when students and faculty members develop relationships out of shared intellectual interests. For incoming students, who have not yet formed such relationships, Yale College furnishes a special constellation of advising revolving around the residential college dean. Representatives from academic departments, the Health Professions Advisory Board, Undergraduate Career Services, and the Center for International Experience offer presentations to freshmen during their first days at college. Incoming students also confer with individual faculty advisers, who can listen to students’ interests, aims, and concerns and offer general guidance. Advisers do not mandate a particular set of courses, as the responsibility for choosing a program is the student’s, but each student should make use of all the advice available in order to plan the most effective program.

Distributional Requirements

The distributional requirements, described below, are intended to assure that all graduates of Yale College have an acquaintance with a broad variety of fields of inquiry and approaches to knowledge. These requirements are the only specific rules limiting the selection of courses outside a student’s major program. By themselves, the distributional requirements constitute a minimal education, not a complete one, and represent the least that an educated person should seek to know. They are to be embraced as starting points, not goals.

DISTRIBUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR’S DEGREE

Students must fulfill disciplinary area requirements by taking no fewer than two course credits in the humanities and arts, two in the sciences, and two in the social sciences. Students must also fulfill skills requirements by taking at least two course credits in quantitative reasoning, two course credits in writing, and courses to further their foreign language proficiency. Depending on their level of accomplishment in foreign languages at matriculation, students may fulfill this last requirement with one, two, or three courses or by certain combinations of course work and approved study abroad.

Area requirement in the humanities and arts (two course credits) Study of the humanities and arts—those subjects that explore the broad range of human thought, expression, and endeavor—cultivates an educated recognition of the greatest accomplishments of the past and enriches the capacity to participate fully in the life of our time. Exploration of other
civilizations, ancient and modern, gives students insight into the experiences of others and informs critical examination of their own culture. Those who create or perform works of art experience firsthand the joy and discipline of artistic expression. By rigorously and systematically examining the value and purpose of all that surrounds them, students of the humanities and arts can acquire essential preparation for many different kinds of careers. But independently of any particular application, study of these subjects fosters understanding of, and delight in, the reach and sweep of the human spirit.

**Area requirement in the sciences (two course credits)** Acquiring a broad view of what science is, what it has achieved, and what it might continue to achieve is an essential component of a college education. Close study of a science develops critical faculties that educated citizens need. These include an ability to evaluate the opinions of experts, to distinguish special pleading and demagoguery from responsible science, and to realize which things are known and which unknown—which are knowable and which unknowable—to science. The theoretical inquiry, experimental analysis, and firsthand problem solving inseparable from studying a science give rise to new modes of thought. To know science is to appreciate a thousand intricacies in nature and the universe, which are hidden from casual observation but which, once revealed, lend richness to everyday life.

**Area requirement in the social sciences (two course credits)** Insights attained through the social sciences take on a critical significance at a time when the world’s population is increasing rapidly and diverse cultures are coming into closer contact and sometimes into conflict. One major field of inquiry in the social sciences is international and area studies. Those who have been educated in the United States ought especially to acquire knowledge of cultures outside North America and western Europe, as well as broaden their understanding of the societies they know. Questions of class, gender, and identity are also central to work in the social sciences, whose methods test for connections between the familiar and the exotic, the traditional and the contemporary, the individual and the group, the predicted result and the anomalous outcome. Social science theories propose explanations for the entire range of human phenomena, from governments and economies to social organizations, communicative systems, cultural practices, and individual psychology.

**Skills requirement in foreign language (at least one course, depending on preparation)** The study of languages has long been one of the distinctive and defining features of a liberal arts education, and in the world of the twenty-first century, knowledge of more than one language is increasingly important. The benefits of language study include enhanced understanding of how languages work, often resulting in heightened sophistication in the use of one’s own language; unmediated access to texts otherwise available only in translation, or not at all; and the ability to recognize and cross cultural barriers.

All Yale College students are required to engage in study of a foreign language, regardless of the level of proficiency at the time of matriculation. Depending on their preparation, students take one, two, or three terms of foreign language study to fulfill the distributional requirement. Students may complete an approved study abroad program in lieu of intermediate or advanced language study at Yale. Details of the foreign language distributional requirement are listed under “Distributional Requirements” in chapter II, section A.
Skills requirement in quantitative reasoning (two course credits) The mental rigor resulting from quantitative study has been celebrated since ancient times, and applications of quantitative methods have proven critical to many different disciplines. Mathematics and statistics are basic tools for the natural and the social sciences, and they have become useful in many of the humanities as well. Information technology and the rigorous dissection of logical arguments in any discipline depend on algorithms and formal logical constructs. An educated person must be able to use quantitative information to make, understand, and evaluate arguments.

Many quantitative reasoning courses are taught through the departments of Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Science. Such courses may also be found in Architecture, Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Economics, Engineering, Environmental Studies, Geology and Geophysics, Global Affairs, Linguistics, Operations Research, Philosophy, Physics, and Psychology.

Skills requirement in writing (two course credits) The ability to write well is one of the hallmarks of a liberal education and is indispensable to advanced research in most disciplines. As students strengthen their writing skills, they develop intellectual practices that distinguish active from passive learners.

The English department in particular offers many courses that focus on writing clearly and cogently, and courses in other departments stress writing skills within the context of their disciplines. Over 150 courses, spanning approximately 40 different academic programs, give special attention to writing. Such courses, designated WR in this bulletin, do not necessarily require more writing than other courses; rather, they provide more help with writing assignments. Some characteristics of WR courses include writing to discover ideas, learning from model essays, detailed feedback, and reviewing writing in small groups.

Major Programs

All candidates for a bachelor's degree in Yale College must elect one of the major programs listed at the beginning of chapter III. The requirements for a major are described in general terms in the sections below, and in more detail preceding the course listings of each department or program in chapter III. Students plan a schedule of courses in their major in consultation with a representative of the department or program concerned, and must secure the consultant's written approval. Students should acquaint themselves fully with all the requirements of the major they plan to enter, considering not only the choice of courses in the current term but also the plan of their entire work in the last two or three years in college.

Students seeking the B.S. or the B.A. degree with a major in science are expected to declare their majors at the beginning of sophomore year, although a student who has completed the prerequisites may elect a science major later. Sophomores interested in majoring in science should have their schedules approved by the director of undergraduate studies or the adviser designated by the department. Students seeking the B.A. degree with a major in a field other than a science typically declare their major at the beginning of the junior year. In the sophomore year these students' schedules are signed by a sophomore adviser, chosen by the student, with whom the program has been discussed.
SELECTION OF A MAJOR

In designing a program of study, the student ought to plan for depth of concentration as well as breadth of scope. To study a subject in depth can be one of the most rewarding and energizing of human experiences, and can form the basis of the interests and occupations of a lifetime. Knowledge advances by specialization, and one can gain some of the excitement of discovery by pressing toward the outer limits of what is known in a particular field. Intense study of a seemingly narrow area of investigation may disclose ramifications and connections that alter perspectives on other subjects. Such study also sharpens judgment and acquaints a person with processes by which new truths can be found.

In order to gain exposure to this kind of experience, students must elect and complete a major, that is, the subject in which they will work more intensively than in any other. A list of the more than seventy possible majors in Yale College is given at the beginning of chapter III. The department or program concerned sets the requirements for each major, which are explained in chapter III.

Some students will have made a tentative choice of a major before entering college. Others will have settled on a general area—for example, the natural sciences or the humanities—without being certain of the specific department or program of their major. Still others will be completely undecided. Many students who arrive with their minds made up change them after a year or two. Even students who feel certain of their choices should keep open the possibility of a change. In selecting courses during their first two years, students should bear in mind not only the distributional requirements described above, but also the need for some exploration of the subjects to which they feel drawn.

THE MAJOR (B.A. OR B.S.)

A major program usually includes twelve term courses in the same area, progressing from introductory to advanced work, which become the focus of a student’s program in the junior and senior years. Majors are offered by departments, interdepartmental programs, or interdisciplinary programs. In many departments and programs, a limited number of courses in related fields may be offered in fulfillment of the requirements for the major. Many majors have prerequisites of two or more term courses taken in the freshman and sophomore years.

In all majors, the student must satisfy a senior requirement, usually a senior essay, senior project, or senior departmental examination. In an intensive major, the student must fulfill additional requirements, such as taking a prescribed seminar, tutorial, or graduate course, or completing some other project in the senior year.

SPECIAL DIVISIONAL MAJORS

A Special Divisional Major affords an alternative for the student whose academic interests cannot be met within one of the existing major programs. Such students may, with the approval of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, design special majors of their own in consultation with members of the faculty and in accordance with the procedures outlined in chapter III. A Special Divisional Major may not be offered as one of two majors.
The Residential Colleges

The most conspicuous advantage of a university is that it presents students with a great breadth of learning and gives them access to scholars who are engaged not only in communicating knowledge but also in discovering it. But the potential disadvantages of a large university are that its size and complexity may discourage communication, and that teachers and students may become less of a challenge to each other. In such an event, the discovery of new knowledge suffers as much as do teaching and learning.

In order to mitigate such disadvantages as it grew from a small college into a modern research university, Yale established residential colleges. Initially made possible through gifts from Edward Stephen Harkness, B.A. 1897, the colleges are more than living quarters; they are small communities of men and women whose members know one another well and learn from one another. Each college has its own dining hall, library, common rooms, extracurricular activity spaces, and intramural athletic teams, and each college celebrates the progress of the academic year with various festivities, concerts, and dramatic presentations.

There are twelve colleges: Berkeley, Branford, Calhoun, Davenport, Timothy Dwight, Jonathan Edwards, Morse, Pierson, Saybrook, Silliman, Ezra Stiles, and Trumbull. At the head of each college is a resident master; and in each college a dean advises students on both academic and nonacademic matters. Associated with the master and the dean as fellows are about fifty additional members of the University drawn from different departments and schools. A few fellows reside in the college; others have offices there.

In the summer before arrival, each freshman is assigned to one of the twelve residential colleges. Most freshmen reside in a quadrangle known as the Old Campus. Whether freshmen live there or elsewhere on campus, they participate fully in the life of their residential college. All freshmen and sophomores are required to live on campus, and most juniors and seniors choose to do so. Whether they live on campus or off, students normally remain members of the same college throughout their undergraduate careers.

International Experience

While students can be introduced to the dynamics of a globalizing world through the course offerings at Yale, experience abroad is an invaluable complement to academic training. Such experience may include course work at foreign universities, intensive language training, directed research, independent projects, internships, laboratory work, and volunteer service. Yale College provides a variety of international opportunities during term time, summers, and post-graduation, as well as a large and growing number of fellowships to support students abroad.

Students may seek advice about summer or term-time study abroad and fellowship funding from the Center for International Experience, www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international. Summer courses abroad are offered by Yale Summer Session, www.yale.edu/summer, and by eligible outside programs through Summer Abroad, www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international/opportunities/type/study/yta_summer. Advice about internships abroad is available from
Undergraduate Career Services, ucs.yalecollege.yale.edu. Students may search for all grants and fellowships at Yale that support international activities at studentgrants.yale.edu. Students on financial aid may be eligible for summer funding through the International Summer Award program, www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international/funding/isa.

YEAR OR TERM ABROAD

In recognition of the special value of formal study abroad, Yale College allows juniors and second-term sophomores to earn a full year or term of credit toward the bachelor’s degree through the Year or Term Abroad program. Participation in the program provides students the opportunity to approach academic study through a different cultural perspective and, most significantly, to speak, write, and learn in a foreign language. Students apply to the Yale College Committee on the Year or Term Abroad for approval of a program of study abroad. The pertinent application procedures and regulations are listed in chapter II, section K. Additional information is available from the Center for International Experience, www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international.

YALE-IN-LONDON

The Yale-in-London program offers spring-term courses in British culture and society at the Paul Mellon Centre for Studies in British Art, located in central London. The program is open to undergraduates, carries full Yale course credit, and counts as a term of enrollment. Instruction is designed to take advantage of the cultural resources of London and its environs, with regular field trips (including overnight stays) to museums, historic houses, and other sites of interest. Accommodations are provided for students in shared apartments. Further information is available at ycba.yale.edu/education/edu_yil.html, or from the Yale-in-London office at the Yale Center for British Art, or by e-mail to yaleinlondon@yale.edu.

YALE-IN-LONDON SUMMER PROGRAM

Yale-in-London offers two overlapping summer sessions at the Paul Mellon Centre for Studies in British Art, each lasting six weeks. There are two courses in each session, with topics in history, history of art, architecture, literature, and drama. The courses are open to undergraduates and carry full Yale course credit, although enrollment in Yale-in-London summer session does not count as a term of enrollment in Yale College. Overnight field trips may be included. Accommodations are provided in University of London dormitories. Course descriptions and further information are available at ycba.yale.edu/education/edu_yil.html, or from the Yale-in-London office at the Yale Center for British Art, or by e-mail to yaleinlondon@yale.edu.

PEKING UNIVERSITY–YALE UNIVERSITY JOINT UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM

Established in 2006, the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in Beijing provides Yale students the unique opportunity to study and live with Chinese students on the Peking University campus. The program is open to Yale College sophomores,
juniors, and, in some cases, first-term seniors, and to Peking University Yuanpei College students. The program accepts students from all majors for the fall or spring term or for the academic year. A term at Peking University carries full Yale course credit and counts as a term of enrollment. No prior Chinese language knowledge is necessary for Yale participants, although each student is required to take a Chinese language course at the appropriate level while in the program. All other courses, in a variety of disciplines, are taught in English by Yale and Peking University faculty members. Students with advanced proficiency in Chinese may take courses offered in Chinese for Peking University students. Students from both universities live as roommates in a residence hall on the Peking University campus. Further information is available on the program’s Web site at www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international/opportunities/type/study/pku-yale.

THE MACMILLAN CENTER

The Whitney and Betty MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies is the University’s principal institution for encouraging and coordinating teaching and research on international affairs and on societies and cultures around the world. The MacMillan Center brings together scholars from relevant schools and departments to provide comparative and problem-oriented teaching and research on regional, international, and global issues. It awards nearly 500 student fellowships and grants each year; brings visiting scholars to Yale; and sponsors lectures, conferences, workshops, seminars, and films.

The MacMillan Center oversees six undergraduate majors: African Studies; East Asian Studies; Latin American Studies; Modern Middle East Studies; Russian and East European Studies; and South Asian Studies. Language training is an integral component of each of the major programs. For further information, consult www.yale.edu/macmillan.

JACKSON INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL AFFAIRS

The Jackson Institute’s mission is to institutionalize the teaching of global affairs throughout the University and to inspire and prepare Yale students for global citizenship and leadership. The Institute administers the undergraduate major in Global Affairs, a stand-alone major with tracks in international development and international security. In addition, the Institute offers a number of courses that are open to students in Yale College, including GLBL 101/INTS 101, Gateway to Global Affairs.

Each year the Jackson Institute hosts a group of Senior Fellows, outstanding practitioners and experts in global affairs who teach courses and are available to consult with students on their career plans. The Jackson Institute’s career services office specializes in helping students locate internships and career placement in areas of international affairs. For further information, consult jackson.yale.edu.

Yale Summer Session

Yale Summer Session offers courses in the humanities, social sciences, and sciences. Several summer courses, including language courses, are taught abroad. Courses in the Summer Session are in most cases similar to courses offered during the regular academic
year, but in a more concentrated and intensive form. Yale College students may, if they wish, receive credit in Yale College for work successfully completed in Yale Summer Session. There are no auditing privileges in Yale Summer Session. Further information is available from the Yale Summer Session office or at www.yale.edu/summer.

Special Programs

DIRECTED STUDIES

Directed Studies is a selective freshman interdisciplinary program in Western civilization. Students in Directed Studies take three yearlong courses—Literature, Philosophy, and Historical and Political Thought—in which they read central works of the Western tradition.

One hundred twenty-five freshmen are admitted to the program each year. The Freshman Web site (yalecollege.yale.edu/content/directed-studies-ds) describes the program and explains the application procedure. Additional information is available at www.yale.edu/directedstudies.

PERSPECTIVES ON SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Perspectives on Science and Engineering is a lecture and discussion course designed to supplement the standard academic program of a selected group of freshmen who have unusually strong backgrounds in science and mathematics. It explores a broad range of topics and exposes students to questions at the frontiers of science. It also highlights the interdependence of the various fields of science and raises issues about the relation between science and society. Participants attend biweekly lectures by distinguished members of the Yale science faculty. In the intervening weeks, groups of students and faculty participants discuss the previous lecture.

Enrollment is limited to about sixty freshmen who, having applied, are selected on the basis of outstanding records in mathematics and natural science. The Freshman Web site (yalecollege.yale.edu/content/perspectives-science-and-engineering-pse) provides further information and explains the application procedure.

FRESHMAN SEMINAR PROGRAM

The Freshman Seminar program offers first-year students the opportunity to enroll in small classes with some of Yale’s most eminent faculty members. Roughly forty freshman seminars across a wide range of subjects are offered every year, in both fall and spring terms. Some seminars provide an introduction to a particular field of study; others take an interdisciplinary approach to a variety of topics. Whatever the subject and method of instruction, all seminars are designed with freshmen in mind and provide a context for developing relationships with faculty members and peers.

Current seminar offerings are listed in chapter III. A description of the program and application procedures can be viewed at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/freshman-seminar-program-2.

RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE SEMINARS

The Residential College Seminar program, instituted in 1968, is devoted to the development within the residential colleges of innovative courses that fall outside departmental
structures. Courses arise through the joint initiative of students and members of the faculty who are fellows of the residential colleges. The instructors for the seminar program are drawn in part from the faculty of Yale College, the professional schools, and other academic institutions in the New York and New England areas. Individuals outside academic life may also serve as instructors: writers, artists, participants in government and the public sector, and experts from the arts and the media. The college seminars encourage innovation and experimentation within the framework of academic excellence that characterizes the Yale curriculum.

Most of the seminars in the Residential College Seminar program are supported by grants from the Old Dominion Foundation. Descriptions of the seminars are found at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/residential-college-seminar-program.

THE DEVANE LECTURES

The DeVane Lectures are special series of lectures that are open to the general public as well as to students and to other members of the Yale community. They were established in 1969 in honor of William Clyde DeVane, Dean of Yale College from 1939 to 1963. Two sets of DeVane Lectures will be offered in 2011–2012. In fall 2011, Paul Bloom, professor of Psychology, will discuss “Moralties of Everyday Life.” In spring 2012, Elizabeth Alexander, the Thomas E. Donnelley Professor of African American Studies and professor of American Studies and English, will explore “African American Arts Today.” Details of the courses are listed in chapter III. Supplementary meetings are held for students taking the lectures for credit.

FRANCIS WRITER-IN-RESIDENCE

The Francis Writer-in-Residence in Yale College is a distinguished writer of nonfiction who teaches either one or two term courses each academic year. He or she is actively engaged with undergraduate life and serves as an academic mentor through seminars, readings, meetings with students, and other activities. The Francis Writer-in-Residence for 2011–2012 is Anne Fadiman.

ROSENKRANZ WRITER-IN-RESIDENCE

The Rosenkranz Writer-in-Residence in Yale College is a distinguished professional writer, chosen from fiction writers, playwrights, critics, journalists, screenwriters, essayists, poets, and social commentators. Both as a fellow of a residential college and as an instructor of one or two courses in each academic year, the Rosenkranz Writer-in-Residence meets formally and informally with students through classes and through readings and extracurricular activities. The Rosenkranz Writer-in-Residence for 2011–2012 is Louise Glück.

YALE JOURNALISM INITIATIVE

The Yale Journalism Initiative brings a distinguished writer to campus each term to teach an advanced journalism seminar, ENGL 467. Students who complete the seminar may
apply to become Yale Journalism Scholars, a distinction that provides access to summer support for internships, career counseling with a journalism specialist in the Writing Center, and invitations to meet professional journalists at events both on and off campus. The visiting journalists for 2011–2012 are Steven Brill (fall 2011) and Jill Abramson (spring 2012). For more information on the initiative or on becoming a Journalism Scholar, see writing.yalecollege.yale.edu/yale-journalism-initiative.

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM FOR TEACHER PREPARATION

The Teacher Preparation and Education Studies program offers students an opportunity to explore educational issues while enabling them to meet the requirements for certification to teach in early childhood settings or in public secondary schools. See under Teacher Preparation and Education Studies in chapter III.

CENTER FOR LANGUAGE STUDY

The Center for Language Study (CLS), located at 370 Temple St., provides resources for students of foreign languages, as well as courses and support for nonnative speakers of English through its Office of English Language Programs. For undergraduates enrolled in a foreign language course, the CLS offers peer tutoring in the target language. For students in Yale College and in the graduate and professional schools, the CLS offers specialized language programs such as Directed Independent Language Study (DILS) for the study of languages not taught at Yale, and the Fields program for discipline-specific and advanced language study. For professional school students, the CLS offers courses in language for special purposes, such as Spanish or Chinese for medical professionals. All language learners at Yale have access to CLS facilities, including its study rooms and multimedia labs. For more information, including hours, a list of resources, and information about Yale’s foreign language requirement and placement testing, see www.cls.yale.edu.

EXPOSITORY WRITING

The Yale College Writing Center supports a range of courses and tutoring services to help undergraduates improve their writing. The English department offers several courses specifically designed to prepare students for writing throughout the University, and other departments in the humanities, social sciences, and sciences complement this offering with courses (designated WR in chapter III of this bulletin) that give special attention to the conventions and expectations of writing in particular disciplines.

Beyond the regular departmental offerings, the Writing Center provides several ways for students to get help with writing. The most important of these is the presence of a Writing Tutor in each residential college. Tutors meet with students on a one-to-one basis to discuss rough drafts of work in progress, research techniques, revision strategies, or other matters relevant to effective writing. Tutors can help with any writing project: senior essays, course papers, graduate school and fellowship applications, or anything intended for publication. The Writing Partners, another resource, are undergraduate and graduate
students who offer drop-in help to students at any stage of writing. Finally, the Writing Center Web site offers information on using sources effectively and avoiding plagiarism.

The Yale College Writing Center is maintained through the continuing support of the Bass family, the Newhouse Foundation, and other foundations. Its mission is to encourage excellence in writing and the use of writing for learning throughout the College. More detailed information is available from the Writing Center Web site at writing.yalecollege.yale.edu.

SCIENCE AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING

The Yale College Science and Quantitative Reasoning Center oversees programs for the enrichment of education in the sciences and quantitative disciplines. In addition to supporting faculty in the enhancement of teaching, the Center provides tutoring services and programs that enable students to participate in faculty-mentored research and engineering projects.

The Residential College Math and Science Tutoring program offers tutoring in the residential colleges to all Yale College students. Tutoring is available at scheduled times and on a walk-in basis, and is provided in all areas of math and science as well as in economics. Information about tutoring can be found at each residential college dean’s office and on the Residential College Math and Science Tutoring Web site at science.yalecollege.yale.edu/residential-college-math-science.

To assist students who require more personalized or longer-term support than can be provided by the Residential College Math and Science Tutoring program, the Science and Quantitative Reasoning Center also administers a Science and QR Tutoring program. This program provides individual tutoring to undergraduates in the full range of science and quantitative disciplines, including economics. Any student enrolled in Yale College who is experiencing academic difficulty in a course, as confirmed by the instructor, is eligible for up to ten hours of tutoring per course each term free of charge. Further information is available at each residential college dean’s office, at the Science and Quantitative Reasoning Center, and at science.yalecollege.yale.edu/science-quantitative-reasoning-0.

RESOURCE OFFICE ON DISABILITIES

To ensure that all students have an equal opportunity to make the most of their Yale education, the Resource Office on Disabilities facilitates individual accommodations for students with disabilities, and works to remove physical and attitudinal barriers to their full participation in the University community. The Office provides technical assistance, information, and disability awareness training to any member of the Yale community.

Current and prospective students with disabilities are encouraged to contact the Resource Office on Disabilities in person at 35 Broadway (rear entrance), room 222, or by mail at Resource Office on Disabilities, Yale University, P.O. Box 208305, New Haven, CT 06520-8305. Voice callers may reach staff at 432-2324 or 432-2325. Further information is available on the Web at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/resource-office-disabilities.

SIMULTANEOUS AWARD OF THE BACHELOR’S AND MASTER’S DEGREES

Yale College students with appropriate qualifications may enroll in courses in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences. Such enrollment requires permission of the course’s
instructor and of the director of graduate studies of the department in which the course is offered.

A limited number of students of demonstrated ability may undertake graduate work that will qualify them for the simultaneous award of the bachelor’s and master’s degrees at the end of their senior year. Students apply to this program through their director of undergraduate studies. Details of the requirements are listed in chapter II, section K.

**COMBINED BACHELOR’S AND MASTER’S DEGREE PROGRAMS IN THE PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS**

Well-qualified students may be able to structure their undergraduate programs so as to become eligible for a master’s degree in Public Health, Forestry & Environmental Studies, or Music after one additional year of graduate study at Yale. For more information see under the respective headings in chapter III.

**ELI WHITNEY STUDENTS PROGRAM**

The Eli Whitney Students program is designed for individuals with high academic potential who cannot regularly enroll for full-time study, but who seek to obtain a bachelor of arts or bachelor of science degree from Yale College. The program enrolls a small number of students who have demonstrated leadership and maturity and who enrich Yale College through their life experience, sense of purpose, and character.

A minimum of eighteen course credits from Yale as a matriculated student is required, and the degree must be completed within seven years. The program is described more fully in chapter II, section M. Additional information is available at admissions.yale.edu/eli-whitney.

**Honors**

**GENERAL HONORS**

The bachelor’s degree *cum laude*, *magna cum laude*, or *summa cum laude* is awarded at graduation on the basis of a student’s general performance in courses taken at Yale. At Commencement, General Honors are awarded to no more than 30 percent of the class. The bachelor’s degree is awarded *summa cum laude* to no more than the top 5 percent of the graduating class, *magna cum laude* to no more than the next 10 percent of the graduating class, *cum laude* to no more than the next 15 percent of the graduating class. Eligibility for General Honors is based on the grade point average (GPA) earned in courses taken only at Yale, with letter grades carrying the following values:

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Marks of CR in courses taken on a Credit/D/Fail basis are not included in the calculation of grade point averages. Marks of W, for Withdrawal, carry no course credit, and do not figure in a grade point average.
DISTINCTION IN THE MAJOR

Distinction in the Major is conferred at graduation on any senior who, on nomination by the student’s department or program, and with the concurrence of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, merits such an award for the quality of work completed in the major subject.

Distinction is awarded to students who have earned grades of A or A– in three-quarters of the credits in the major subject or program and who have earned a grade of A or A– on the senior departmental examination, senior essay, or senior project. All courses taken for the major are included in these calculations for Distinction in the Major. Grades of F and marks of CR in courses taken Credit/D/Fail are included as non-A grades. Marks of W, for Withdrawal, carry no course credit, and do not figure in the calculation for Distinction.

PHI BETA KAPPA

Election to Phi Beta Kappa is based on the percentage of grades of A earned at Yale. The grade point average (GPA) is not a factor. Marks of CR in courses taken Credit/D/Fail are counted as non-A grades. Marks of W, for Withdrawal, carry no course credit, and do not figure in the calculation for Phi Beta Kappa. Grades earned outside Yale, including those earned during study abroad other than at Yale-in-London or the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program, are also not included in the calculation. Further information about the criteria for election and about the Yale chapter can be found at www.yale.edu/pbk/home.

PRIZES

For a list of the numerous prizes open annually to students in Yale College, consult www.yale.edu/secretary/prizes.

Miscellaneous

Expenses and expected patterns of payment are described in the Undergraduate Regulations, published by the Yale College Dean’s Office on the Web at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/undergraduate-regulations. The Undergraduate Regulations also provides details of student coverage in the Yale Health medical plan. Information about programs designed to assist families in financing a Yale education is included in the Yale College Viewbook, available from the Office of Undergraduate Admissions, Yale University, P.O. Box 208234, New Haven, CT 06520-8234, and on the Web at admissions.yale.edu/financial-aid.
II. ACADEMIC REGULATIONS

As a condition of enrollment in Yale College, every student is required to comply with the academic regulations. Students are expected to familiarize themselves with these regulations, and an assertion of ignorance of their provisions cannot be accepted as a basis for an exception to them. No student or group of students should expect to be warned individually to conform to any of the regulations contained in this publication. Students are advised to pay special attention to all deadlines given in the academic regulations. Students who have questions or concerns about these regulations should consult with their residential college dean.

A. Requirements for the B.A. or B.S. Degree

To qualify for the bachelor’s degree, B.A. or B.S., a student must successfully complete thirty-six term courses in Yale College or their equivalent. In doing so, the student must fulfill the distributional requirements of Yale College and the requirements of a major program. A student may normally complete no more than eight terms of enrollment in order to fulfill these requirements. Students enrolled in the Eli Whitney Students program should consult section M, “Eli Whitney Students Program.”

Students who have already earned a bachelor’s degree, at Yale or at another institution, are not eligible for degree enrollment in Yale College, except in the Eli Whitney Students program.

DISTRIBUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS

All students in Yale College must fulfill distributional requirements in order to qualify for the bachelor’s degree. For a general introduction to the distributional requirements and a definition of the disciplinary areas and skills categories, refer to chapter I.

1. Distributional requirements for the freshman, sophomore, and junior years Students must partially fulfill the distributional requirements during the freshman, sophomore, and junior years in order to be eligible for promotion.

Distributional requirements for the freshman year: Students must have enrolled for at least one course credit in two skills categories by the end of the second term of enrollment in order to be eligible for promotion to sophomore standing. They may elect no more than four course credits in a single department, and no more than six course credits in a single disciplinary area, except that a student taking a laboratory course may elect as many as seven course credits in the sciences.

Distributional requirements for the sophomore year: Students must have enrolled for at least one course credit in each of the three disciplinary areas and for at least one course credit in each of the three skills categories by the end of the fourth term of enrollment in order to be eligible for promotion to junior standing.

Distributional requirements for the junior year: Students must have completed all of their skills requirements by the end of the sixth term of enrollment in order to be eligible for promotion to senior standing.
This chart illustrates the most common paths for fulfilling the language requirement. Refer to the text of this chapter for complete information.
2. **Multiple distributional designations** Although some courses may carry more than one distributional designation, a single course may be applied to only one distributional requirement. For example, if a course is designated both HU and SO in chapter III of this bulletin, it may be applied toward either the humanities and arts requirement or the social science requirement, but not both. Similarly, if a course is designated QR and SC, it may be applied toward either the quantitative reasoning requirement or the science requirement, but not both.

A course with multiple distributional designations, once applied toward one distributional requirement, may subsequently be applied toward a different distributional requirement. During the summer after each academic year, the Registrar’s Office optimizes the use of each student’s completed courses toward fulfillment of the distributional requirements.

3. **Foreign language distributional requirement** All students are required to engage in the study of a foreign language while enrolled in Yale College. The most common paths to fulfillment of the foreign language distributional requirement are illustrated in the chart on the previous page.

Students who matriculate at Yale with no previous foreign language training must complete three terms of instruction in a single foreign language. This requirement is fulfilled by the completion of courses designated L1, L2, and L3 in chapter III of this bulletin. Students who have taken the Advanced Placement examination in French, German, or Spanish and who present scores of 5, or who have taken the Advanced Placement examination in Latin and who present scores of 4 or 5, are recognized as having completed the intermediate level of study. Scores of 6 or 7 on the International Baccalaureate Advanced-Level examination are also accepted as evidence of intermediate-level accomplishment. Students at this level fulfill the language distributional requirement by completing one course designated L5 in chapter III of this bulletin. Alternatively, they may successfully complete instruction in a different foreign language through the level designated L2.

Students who have studied a foreign language before matriculating at Yale but who have not achieved a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement test in French, German, or Spanish, or a score of 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement test in Latin, must take a placement test offered by the appropriate language department. Dates and times of placement tests are given in the *Calendar for the Opening Days of College* and on the Web at [www.cls.yale.edu](http://www.cls.yale.edu). The departmental test determines whether students place into the first, second, third, or fourth term of language study (courses designated L1, L2, L3, or L4 in chapter III of this bulletin), or whether they qualify for language courses beyond the fourth term of study (L5).

Students who place into the first term of a foreign language must complete three terms of instruction in that language, designated L1, L2, and L3 in chapter III of this bulletin.

Students who matriculate at Yale able to place into the second term of a foreign language must successfully complete three terms of instruction in that language, designated L2, L3, and L4 in chapter III of this bulletin. Alternatively, they may successfully complete instruction in a different foreign language through the level designated L3.

Students who matriculate at Yale able to place into the third term of a foreign language must successfully complete two terms of instruction in that language, designated
L3 and L4 in chapter III of this bulletin. Alternatively, they may successfully complete instruction in a different foreign language through the level designated L3.

Students who matriculate at Yale able to place into the fourth term of a foreign language must successfully complete one term of instruction in that language, designated L4 in chapter III of this bulletin. Alternatively, they may successfully complete instruction in a different foreign language through the level designated L3.

Students who matriculate at Yale able to place into the fifth term of a foreign language must successfully complete one term of instruction in that language, designated L5 in chapter III of this bulletin. Alternatively, they may successfully complete instruction in a different foreign language through the level designated L2.

Students whose secondary school transcript shows that the language of instruction was other than English may fulfill the foreign language requirement by successfully completing ENGL 114, 120, or 450. Alternatively, students in this category may fulfill the requirement by successfully completing instruction in a third language, neither English nor the language of their secondary school instruction, through the level designated L2.

In order to promote firsthand experience in foreign cultures and the learning of language in real-world settings, students are permitted to apply toward the satisfaction of the foreign language requirement the completion of an approved study abroad program in a foreign-language-speaking setting if they have first completed or placed out of a language course designated L2 in chapter III. Students seeking to undertake study at another institution or program for this purpose must consult the relevant director of undergraduate studies in advance of their proposed study for advice about appropriate programs and courses, and for information about the approval process. (See section O, “Credit from Other Universities.”) Study abroad may be used in place of L1 and L2 courses only if it is part of a Yale College program, such as Yale Summer Session or the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program. Study abroad opportunities are described in chapter I under the heading “International Experience.”

Intensive language courses provide the equivalent of a full year of instruction in a single term. A course designated L1–L2 in chapter III of this bulletin fulfills both the L1 and the L2 levels of the foreign language distributional requirement. Similarly, a course designated L3–L4 satisfies both the L3 and the L4 levels.

Not all of the languages offered in Yale College are offered at all levels, and it may not be possible to fulfill the language requirement in some of them. Languages currently offered in Yale College are Akkadian, Arabic, Chinese, Coptic, Czech, Dutch, hieroglyphic Egyptian, French, German, ancient Greek, modern Greek, biblical Hebrew, modern Hebrew, Hindi, Indonesian, isiZulu, Italian, Japanese, Kiswahili, Korean, Latin, Persian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Sanskrit, Spanish, Syriac, Tamil, Turkish, Vietnamese, and Yorùbá. Students wishing to fulfill the foreign language requirement in a less commonly taught language should consult the director of undergraduate studies in the relevant department to verify that the appropriate level of study will be offered. Students who have intermediate- or higher-level proficiency in a language other than those listed here (including American Sign Language) should consult the appropriate
director of undergraduate studies or the director of the Center for Language Study to arrange for a placement examination.

Students who, for medical reasons, are not able to complete the language requirement may petition the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing for a waiver of the requirement. In granting such a waiver, the committee will normally require that a student complete four course credits in the study of a specific non-English-speaking culture.

4. Courses taken on the Credit/D/Fail basis A student may not apply any course credit earned on the Credit/D/Fail basis toward satisfaction of the distributional requirements for the junior year nor for the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree.

5. Independent study courses A student may not apply any course credit earned through independent study courses toward satisfaction of any of the distributional requirements.

6. Acceleration credits Acceleration credits may not be employed to satisfy the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree, nor may they be employed to meet the distributional requirements for the freshman, sophomore, or junior years.

7. Course credit earned at Yale before matriculation Course credit earned at Yale before a student’s matriculation, either at Yale Summer Session or in the Nondegree Students program while the student was enrolled as a secondary school student in the New Haven area, may be applied to the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree and to those for the sophomore and junior years, but it may not be applied to the distributional requirements for the freshman year.

8. Courses in the graduate and professional schools It is the expectation that Yale College students, including candidates for the simultaneous award of the bachelor’s and master’s degrees, will fulfill their distributional requirements in courses taken in Yale College. Credit earned in a course offered in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences or in one of the professional schools of the University may be applied toward the distributional requirements only if the course instructor has secured, in advance of the term in which the course will be given, approval from Yale College. Instructors interested in making such an advance arrangement can contact the Dean of Academic Affairs to be directed to the appropriate authority for such approval.

9. Course credit from outside Yale Course credit earned at another university may be applied toward the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree and to those for the sophomore and junior years whether or not it is counted toward the 36-course-credit requirement for graduation. Credit from outside Yale may not be applied toward the distributional requirements for the freshman year. See section O, “Credit from Other Universities.” Note particularly that Yale does not award course credit or distributional credit for courses completed at another college or university before the student graduated from secondary school.

10. Major programs Courses taken in fulfillment of a student’s major requirements may be applied toward satisfaction of the distributional requirements for the freshman, sophomore, and junior years and toward the distributional requirements for the bachelor's degree.
11. Permission for a partial waiver of the distributional requirements for the freshman year
If, with the permission of the residential college dean, a freshman enrolls in a program of study for the first two terms of enrollment worth more than nine course credits, the dean may waive the year limit on the number of course credits that a student may elect in a single department or disciplinary area. Under no circumstances may a student be promoted to sophomore standing without having enrolled for at least one course credit in two skills categories (foreign language, quantitative reasoning, writing).

12. Permission to postpone fulfillment of the distributional requirements for the sophomore year
A student may petition the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing for permission to fulfill the distributional requirements for the sophomore year in the fifth term of enrollment. Such a petition must be filed no later than the date of midterm of the fourth term of enrollment; it should explain the sound academic reasons why these requirements cannot be satisfied within four terms of enrollment and give an exact description of how they shall be fulfilled in the fifth term. Students who have not fulfilled the distributional requirements for the sophomore year by the end of the fourth term of enrollment and who have not been granted permission by the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing to postpone their fulfillment will normally not be promoted to junior standing.

13. Permission to postpone fulfillment of the distributional requirements for the junior year
In exceptional circumstances, a student may petition the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing for permission to fulfill the distributional requirements for the junior year in the seventh term of enrollment. Such a petition, which must include the written support of the residential college dean and, where applicable, that of the director of undergraduate studies in the student’s major, should be filed no later than the date on which the student’s course schedule is due in the sixth term of enrollment; in no case will a petition be accepted later than the date of midterm in the sixth term of enrollment. It should explain the sound academic reasons why these requirements cannot be satisfied within six terms of enrollment and give an exact description of how they shall be fulfilled in the seventh term. Students who have not fulfilled the distributional requirements for the junior year by the end of the sixth term of enrollment and who have not been granted permission by the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing to postpone their fulfillment will normally not be promoted to senior standing.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS
The requirements of the various major programs are given in chapter III. Every major program includes a senior requirement, which may take the form of a senior essay, a senior project, or a senior departmental examination.

EIGHT TERMS OF ENROLLMENT
A student must complete the requirements for the bachelor’s degree in no more than eight terms of enrollment. Terms spent on a Year or Term Abroad, or in the Yale College program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London during a spring term, or in the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in Beijing, are considered the equivalent of terms of enrollment in Yale College. Note, however, that course credits earned in terms spent
on a Year or Term Abroad may not be applied to acceleration by the early accumulation of thirty-six course credits all earned at Yale: see section P, “Acceleration Policies.” (Attendance at the summer program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London or Yale Summer Session does not constitute a term of enrollment in Yale College.)

In exceptional circumstances, a student may petition the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing for permission to enroll for an additional term. Such a petition should be made no later than the beginning of a student’s seventh term of enrollment; it should describe precisely, giving detailed information on specific courses, why it is impossible for the student to complete the requirements for a bachelor’s degree within eight terms; and it should be accompanied by detailed, informative letters of endorsement from the student’s director of undergraduate studies and residential college dean. For a student to exceed eight terms of enrollment usually means that another student cannot be admitted to Yale; a petition for a ninth term will therefore be approved only in extraordinary circumstances. The Committee on Honors and Academic Standing cannot grant permission for a ninth term in order for a student to undertake an optional arrangement not necessary for the acquisition of a bachelor’s degree, such as, for example, the completion of two majors, or enrollment in the Program for the Simultaneous Award of the Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees, or completion of the entrance requirements for graduate or professional school. A student given permission to enroll for a ninth term is not eligible for scholarship assistance from Yale, although other forms of financial aid may be available (see “Financial Aid Regulations” in the Yale College online publication Undergraduate Regulations).

Graduation in fewer than eight terms of enrollment is possible: see section P, “Acceleration Policies.” Under no circumstances may a student graduate in fewer than six terms of enrollment, unless the student was admitted by transfer from another college or university. Transfer students should consult section L, “Transfer Students.”

B. Grades

**LETTER GRADES**

The letter grades in Yale College are as follows:

- A Excellent
- A–
- B+
- B Good
- B–
- C+
- C Satisfactory
- C–
- D+
- D Passing
- D–
- F Fail
CREDIT/D/FAIL OPTION

In order to encourage academic exploration and to promote diversity in students’ programs, the Yale College Faculty has provided that students may elect a certain number of courses on a Credit/D/Fail basis.

1. **Reporting of grades** In all courses (except for a few professional school courses), instructors report letter grades for all students. If the student has chosen the Credit/D/Fail option in a course, the registrar converts grades of A, A–, B+, B, B–, C+, C, and C– into the notation CR, which is entered on the student’s transcript. Grades of D+, D, D–, and F are entered on the transcript as reported. A student may not be required to disclose to the instructor of a course whether the student has enrolled in the course for a letter grade or under the Credit/D/Fail option.

2. **Eligibility** All courses offered in Yale College during the fall and spring terms are available for election under the Credit/D/Fail option. Courses in Yale Summer Session may not be taken under the Credit/D/Fail option.

3. **Total number of courses** A student may offer as many as four course credits earned on the Credit/D/Fail basis toward the bachelor’s degree.

4. **Number of courses in a term** As many as two credits may be elected under the Credit/D/Fail option in a term; thus in an academic year a student may earn as many as four credits on the Credit/D/Fail option. In each term, a student must elect at least two courses, representing at least two course credits, for letter grades.

5. **Distributional requirements** A student may not apply any course credit earned on the Credit/D/Fail basis toward satisfaction of the distributional requirements for the junior year nor toward satisfaction of the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree.

6. **Requirements of the major** Program descriptions in chapter III of this bulletin specify whether or not courses taken on the Credit/D/Fail basis count toward the requirements of particular majors.

7. **Credit/year only course sequences** A Cr/year only course sequence may be taken under the Credit/D/Fail option for one term while the other term of the yearlong sequence is taken for a letter grade. For Cr/year only course sequences in which a student receives a separate letter grade for each of the two terms, each term will be governed by the enrollment option the student elected for that term. For Cr/year only course sequences in which a student receives the mark of SAT or NSAT for the first term and a letter grade for the second, the enrollment option that the student elects for the second term governs both terms of the course sequence; that is, students will receive either the mark of CR for both terms or a letter grade for both terms, depending on the option elected for the second term.

8. **Course schedules** Students must indicate on their course schedules at the beginning of a term the use they wish to make during that term of the Credit/D/Fail option. As indicated above, in a given term a student may elect as many as (but no more than) two course credits on the Credit/D/Fail basis; and a student must elect at least two courses, representing at least two course credits, for letter grades. If a student indicates on the
course schedule more than two course credits being taken on the Credit/D/Fail option, the registrar will record only the first two of them, in the order in which they are listed, as being taken on that basis, and the student will not be permitted to take the others on the Credit/D/Fail option.

9. **Late course schedules**  Because a decision to employ the Credit/D/Fail option in a course must be declared at the beginning of the term on the student’s course schedule, and because conversion from a letter grade to the Credit/D/Fail option is not possible for students who submit their schedules on time, a student who submits the schedule after the date on which it is due may not employ the Credit/D/Fail option in any course during that term. See “Enrollment in Courses” in section E. The only exception to this rule may be in the case of a student who for some valid and extraordinary reason cannot submit the course schedule on time and who has the permission of the residential college dean and the registrar to submit it late. If the college dean approves, such a student may employ the Credit/D/Fail option only by submitting to the college dean by the date on which the course schedule is due (as published in the calendar at the beginning of this bulletin) a written statement specifying the course (or courses) that the student wishes to take on the Credit/D/Fail basis.

10. **Registration withheld**  In order to employ the Credit/D/Fail option, students whose registration is being withheld by the Office of Student Financial Services or any other administrative office of the University must submit their schedules on time, before the deadline indicated on the student’s course schedule and listed in the calendar at the beginning of this bulletin.

11. **Conversion to a letter grade**  Until November 4, 2011, in the fall term (two weeks after midterm), and until March 26, 2012, in the spring term (a week after the date of the resumption of classes following spring recess), a student who has elected a course on the Credit/D/Fail basis may choose to receive a letter grade in that course by filing the appropriate form in the office of the residential college dean. After these dates such conversion is not possible. If a student converts from the Credit/D/Fail option to a letter grade before the deadline, the option may not again be resumed even if the student desires to do so before the deadline.

12. **Conversion from a letter grade to Credit/D/Fail**  A course once elected for a letter grade may not subsequently be converted to a course taken on the Credit/D/Fail basis.

13. **Courses selected after the deadline**  A student who for any reason has been granted extraordinary permission by the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing to elect a new course after the deadline for submitting a course schedule may not employ the Credit/D/Fail option in that course. A change of level in courses in which the subject is taught in an ordered progression is not considered the election of a new course.

14. **Acceleration credit**  Work completed under the Credit/D/Fail option cannot yield acceleration credit (see yalecollege.yale.edu/content/acceleration or appendix A of the Freshman Handbook).
15. **Prizes and honors** Marks of CR are included in the calculations for some prizes, for Distinction in the Major, and for election to Phi Beta Kappa as non-A grades, but marks of CR are not included in the calculation for General Honors (see under “Honors” in chapter I).

16. **Courses in the graduate and professional schools** Courses in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences and in the professional schools of the University are not available on the Yale College Credit/D/Fail option. Some courses in certain professional schools of the University are, however, graded on a Pass/Fail basis only, and grades for undergraduates in these courses are recorded as CR or F. Such credits are counted in the total earned on the Credit/D/Fail basis that a student is permitted to offer in a term as well as the total offered toward the requirements of a bachelor’s degree. Marks of CR in professional school courses are included in the calculations for Distinction in the Major as non-A grades. Marks of CR in professional school courses are not included in the calculation for General Honors (see “General Honors” and “Distinction in the Major” in chapter I).

17. **Independent study** It is expected that course credit earned in independent study, directed reading or research, tutorial courses, or the like, will not be taken on the Credit/D/Fail basis.

**GENERAL REGULATIONS CONCERNING GRADES AND TRANSCRIPTS**

1. **Record of courses** A transcript is the record of courses in which a student has enrolled during the student’s progress in completing the requirements of the bachelor’s degree. All grades, passing and failing, thus appear on the transcript and are counted in the calculation of grade point average (GPA). These include passing grades earned in the first term of a Cr/year only course sequence in which the second term is not completed, even though such grades do not count toward the 36-course-credit requirement for graduation. If a student remains in a course after the date of midterm, the student is considered to have been enrolled in that course; therefore, if a student withdraws from the course after midterm and before the first day of the reading period, the mark W (for Withdrew) appears on the transcript in association with the course. See paragraph 5 below.

2. **Equal value of courses** Passing grades contribute equally, to the extent to which they carry course credit, toward the 36-course-credit requirement for graduation. A grade of D in a course, for example, does not need to be balanced with a higher grade in some other course.

3. **Change of a grade** A grade, once submitted by the instructor of a course to the registrar, may not be changed except by vote of the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing on petition of the instructor, unless it is the result of a clerical error made in the instructor’s computation or in transcription of a grade.

4. **Withdrawal from courses before midterm** If a student has elected a course on the course schedule but formally withdraws from it before midterm (October 21, 2011, in the fall term; March 2, 2012, in the spring term), the student’s transcript will contain no indication of that course after the withdrawal has been recorded by the registrar. See “Withdrawal from Courses,” section F.
5. **Withdrawal from courses after midterm** If a student enrolled in a course formally withdraws from it after midterm but before the first day of the reading period, the student’s transcript will record the designation W (Withdrew) for the course. The mark of W is a neutral designation indicating simply that the student has been enrolled in, but has withdrawn from, a course; while the course obviously carries no credit toward the degree, the W implies no evaluation of a student’s work and carries no implication whatsoever of failure. Withdrawal from a course after the deadline (December 2, 2011, in the fall term, and April 23, 2012, in the spring term) is not possible. See “Withdrawal from Courses,” section F.

6. **Incomplete work and postponed final examinations** A student who has received permission for a mark of Temporary Incomplete in a course, or who has been authorized to take a makeup final examination in a course, is allowed the specified period of time to repair the deficiency in the course. If the deficiency is not repaired by a satisfactory performance within the stipulated time, then the designation TI (Authorized Temporary Incomplete) or ABX (Authorized Absence from Final Examination) is automatically converted by the registrar to the grade of F. See “Postponement of Final Examinations” and “Work Incomplete at the End of Term” in section H.

7. **Withdrawal from Yale College** Whether a student withdraws from Yale College for personal, medical, academic, or disciplinary reasons, the entry placed in each case on the student’s transcript is the word “Withdrew” together with the date of the withdrawal.

8. **Tracks and programs within majors** A transcript may show as a student’s major subject only a designation approved for that purpose by the Yale College Faculty; “tracks” or programs within majors may not appear on transcripts. The majors approved by the faculty are listed in this bulletin at the beginning of chapter III under “Majors in Yale College.”

9. **Distribution of grade reports** The Registrar’s Office sends grade reports to students each term from six to eight weeks after the close of the term. At registration each year, a student is given the opportunity to declare whether his or her grades may be released to certain other parties. If the student gives permission for grades to be released to a guardian or to parents, after the fall term of that year the Registrar’s Office will send a grade report to them. After the spring term, the Registrar’s Office sends a grade report to each student at the student’s home address, and this report may be shared with parents if the student wishes. If a student gives permission for grades to be released to a secondary school or Alumni Schools Committee, grade reports will be furnished to them only upon specific request of the school or the committee. Upon written request of the student, the Registrar’s Office will also send a copy of the grade report to any additional person or agency designated by the student.

10. **Early access to grade reports** Early access to recorded grades is available online to students in any Yale College course for which they have completed or actively declined to complete the online course evaluation form through the Yale University Student Information Systems.

11. **Transcript orders** Transcripts may be ordered either at the Registrar's Office, 246 Church Street, or on the Web at [www.yale.edu/sfas/registrar/index.html#transcripts](http://www.yale.edu/sfas/registrar/index.html#transcripts). In
each transcript order, the charge for the first transcript is $7, with a charge of $3 for each additional transcript ordered at the same time to the same address. Each fall the registrar provides in each student’s registration packet, free of charge, an unofficial copy of the student’s academic record to date. This record may serve as a convenient aid in discussions with the student’s adviser of the student’s academic plans during the coming year.

C. Course Credits and Course Loads

**CREDIT VALUE OF COURSES**

Most courses in Yale College are term courses that carry one course credit if completed with a passing grade. There are, however, some variations:

1. **Double-credit courses** A few courses in Yale College, including intensive language or research courses, award two course credits for a single term’s work.

2. **Yearlong course sequences** There are a few yearlong course sequences in which two course credits are awarded upon the satisfactory completion of both terms of the sequence; other course sequences, including some research and laboratory courses, give one or four course credits for the successful completion of the full year’s work. A student who fails the first term of a yearlong course sequence may be permitted to continue the sequence only with the instructor’s written permission, and will receive course credit only for the successful completion of the second term’s work. A student who satisfactorily completes the first term of a yearlong course sequence may receive course credit routinely for that term’s work, except in those sequences marked Cr/year only. (See “Key to Course Listings” at the beginning of this bulletin.)

   Note that completion of a modern foreign language course numbered 110 does not award credit unless and until the subsequent term, numbered 120, is also successfully completed. Except in intensive, double-credit courses in which the equivalent of one year of language study is covered in one term, credit may not be given in any circumstance for the first term only of an introductory modern foreign language; neither instructors nor departments have the authority to make an exception to this rule. With some exceptions, credit will be given for successful completion of the second term only of an introductory modern foreign language, or for the first term only of the second term only of an intermediate modern foreign language.

3. **Laboratory courses** Some laboratory courses carry no separate credit toward the degree; others carry a full course credit for a term’s work; and still others carry one-half course credit.

4. **Half-credit courses** All courses that carry 0.5 or 1.5 course credits and that are not bound by the Cr/year only restriction count toward the 36-course-credit requirement for the bachelor’s degree.

**NORMAL PROGRAM OF STUDY**

A student in Yale College normally takes four or five term courses, or their equivalent, for each of eight terms.
1. **Minimum course load**  A student may not enroll in a program of study worth fewer than three course credits in one term. A student enrolled for three course credits may withdraw from one course credit between midterm and the first day of the reading period, receiving the neutral designation W (Withdrawn) in that course. Similarly, a student enrolled for four or more course credits may withdraw from one or more courses as described above, but at no time may any student carry a schedule of courses that will earn fewer than two course credits in a term.

2. **Course loads requiring permission**  A three-course-credit program of study or a six-course-credit program of study requires the permission of the residential college dean. It is assumed that any student who requests permission to carry more than five course credits does not intend to drop any of them.

3. **Seven course credits in a term**  A student must petition the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing for permission to take a program worth seven credits in a term. In the petition the student must explicitly state an intention to complete all the courses proposed.

4. **Independent study**  Opportunities for independent study exist in many programs and departments under various designations: directed reading or research, individual reading or research, independent research or study, independent or special projects, individual instruction in music performance, independent, individual, or special tutorials, and the senior essay or project, among others. Note that course credit earned in such study may not be used toward fulfillment of the distributional requirements. Approval for any such particular course is given by the department or program; however, approval for an independent study course is also required from the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing if certain limits are exceeded. A student must petition the committee for permission to enroll in more than one such course credit in any one term before the senior year or in more than two such course credits in any one term during the senior year. Permission is also required for a student to enroll in more than three such course credits in the first six terms of enrollment; included in this total are any independent study courses completed in Yale Summer Session that are applied to the Yale College transcript. In the petition the student must give sound academic reasons for exceeding these limits and provide evidence that the additional work in independent study will not be done at the expense of the breadth and depth of study being pursued in regular Yale College courses.

**D. Promotion and Good Standing**

**Requirements for Promotion**

1. To be promoted to sophomore standing after two terms of enrollment, a student must have earned at least eight course credits or the equivalent and have fulfilled the distributional requirements for the freshman year.

2. To be promoted to junior standing after four terms of enrollment, a student must have earned at least sixteen course credits or the equivalent and is expected to have fulfilled the distributional requirements for the sophomore year.
3. To be promoted to senior standing after six terms of enrollment, a student must have earned at least twenty-six course credits or the equivalent and is expected to have fulfilled the distributional requirements for the junior year.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ACADEMIC GOOD STANDING**

At the conclusion of each term of enrollment, a student must have earned enough course credits to be in academic good standing.

1. At the end of the first term at Yale, a student must have earned at least four course credits.
2. At the end of the second term, a student must have earned at least eight course credits.
3. At the end of the third term, a student must have earned at least twelve course credits.
4. At the end of the fourth term, a student must have earned at least sixteen course credits.
5. At the end of the fifth term, a student must have earned at least twenty-one course credits.
6. At the end of the sixth term, a student must have earned at least twenty-six course credits.
7. At the end of the seventh term, a student must have earned at least thirty-one course credits.

Regardless of the number of credits accumulated, a student is not in academic good standing if the student’s record shows three grades of F in a term or over two or three successive terms. “Successive terms” means successive terms in which the student enrolls, whether or not broken by a withdrawal or by a leave of absence. See “Dismissal for Academic Reasons” and “Makeup of Course Deficiencies for Promotion or Academic Good Standing” in section I.

**E. Registration and Enrollment in Courses**

**REGISTRATION**

Every student is required to register at the beginning of each term in which he or she is to be enrolled in courses at Yale College.

1. **Fall-term registration** To register for the fall term, all freshmen must attend a registration meeting with their residential college dean and freshman counselor on Friday, August 26, 2011. Upperclassmen must attend the registration meeting conducted by the office of the residential college dean on Tuesday, August 30, 2011. Students whose registration is being temporarily withheld by the Office of Student Financial Services or by any other administrative office of the University are nonetheless required to attend the appropriate registration meeting.

2. **Spring-term registration** To register for the spring term, freshmen are required to attend a registration meeting in their residential college at 9 p.m. on Sunday, January 8, 2012. Sophomores, juniors, and seniors are required to pick up registration materials from the office of the residential college dean no later than 5 p.m. on the first day of classes, Monday, January 9, 2012. Students whose registration is being temporarily withheld by an administrative office of the University are nonetheless required to report for spring-term registration as given immediately above.
3. **Late registration** A student who, for reasons other than incapacitating illness, the death of a family member, or a comparable emergency, fails to follow the registration procedures in paragraph 1 or 2 above may register for the term only by exceptional action of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing and will be liable to a fine of $50.

**ENROLLMENT IN COURSES**

Enrollment in courses can be accomplished only by the submission of an approved course schedule or, in amendment of the course schedule, by the submission of an approved course change notice. Attendance at a class does not constitute enrollment. The course schedule is an important document. A student is responsible for the timely submission of the course schedule and for the accuracy of all the information that the student enters upon it. The course elections that a student indicates on a course schedule or course change notice shall appear on the student’s transcript unless a student formally withdraws from a course before midterm. See section F, “Withdrawal from Courses.”

The following rules govern students’ enrollment in courses during the fall and spring terms of the academic year:

1. **Deadline for submitting schedules** Every student must submit a course schedule for each term at the office of the residential college dean by 5 p.m. on the deadline indicated on the student’s course schedule and listed in the calendar at the beginning of this bulletin. Students whose registration has been withheld by the Office of Student Financial Services or any other administrative office of the University must nonetheless submit their course schedules by these same deadlines.

   It is the student’s responsibility to obtain all necessary signatures, except that of the residential college dean, before the schedule is due. In the rare instance that the student’s adviser is unavailable before the deadline, the student should nonetheless submit the schedule on time, and take a copy to be signed by the adviser and submitted to the dean as soon as possible. If the student does not submit a copy of the schedule signed by the adviser within one week of the deadline, the student will be subject to the fines and restrictions described under paragraphs 3 and 4 below.

2. **Addition of a new course after the deadline** The election of a new course after the deadline for submitting a course schedule will not be permitted save by exceptional action of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. Students who seek such an exception should consult immediately with the residential college dean. Permission to elect a new course must be requested by a petition that is accompanied by the written approval of the course instructor and the submission of a course change notice at the office of the residential college dean. The petition should explain in detail why the course is necessary to the student’s schedule and why the student was unable to elect the course during the course selection period. Timeliness is an essential feature of any request to add a course to the course schedule; a delay in consulting with the dean or in submitting a complete petition will normally be grounds for denial. A fee of $20 will be charged for the processing of an approved course change notice on which the election of a new course is requested. A student may not elect a new course after midterm (October 21, 2011, in the fall term; March 2, 2012, in the spring term), unless such election
is made to correct a clerical error on the course schedule. A change of level in courses in which the subject is taught in an ordered progression, as for example in languages or in mathematics, is not considered the addition of a new course. Such a change may be made with the approval of the instructors involved (and, if necessary, with the added permission of the director of undergraduate studies in the subject). Similarly, a change of section in the same course is not considered the addition of a new course.

3. **Fines for late schedules** Students who submit their schedules after the deadlines will be fined at least $50. Additional fines, increased $5 daily according to lateness, will be imposed for schedules submitted more than one week after the deadlines. A schedule received more than two weeks after it is due will be accepted only by exceptional action of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing and will be subject to an increased fine or other penalty.

4. **Credit/D/Fail option** A student who submits a course schedule after the date on which it is due may not employ the Credit/D/Fail option in any course during that term. (See “Credit/D/Fail Option” in section B, paragraph 9.)

5. **Fines for clerical errors** A student who submits a course schedule or course change notice with clerical errors or omissions of data is liable to a fine of $50.

6. **Overlapping meeting times** A student may not elect courses with meeting times that overlap. If, for good cause, a student is obliged to elect two courses with a small and insignificant overlap in meeting times, the student must supply the residential college dean with the written permission of both instructors at the beginning of the term and must petition the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, explaining why the student must enroll in both courses in the current term and how the student will meet all the requirements for both courses. Failure to file a complete and timely petition may result in the loss of credit for both courses.

7. **Starred courses** Election of a starred course requires that a student secure the permission of the instructor and, where appropriate, the director of undergraduate studies. If a student enters a starred course on the course schedule without the appropriate permission, the instructor may direct the registrar to drop the student from the class.

8. **Prerequisites** Students are expected to have met the prerequisites published in course descriptions in this bulletin. If a student wishes to elect a course for which prerequisites are indicated but has not met those prerequisites, it is the student’s responsibility to secure the permission of the instructor and, where appropriate, the director of undergraduate studies before enrolling. The registrar may drop the student from the class if the student has not met the prerequisites for enrollment.

9. **Teaching evaluations** For the advancement of teaching in Yale College, anonymous teaching evaluations are made available through the Yale University Student Information Systems. Students are expected to participate in this evaluation process for any Yale College course in which they are enrolled. Students who withdraw from a course after midterm are invited but not required to participate.
10. **Selection of a less advanced course in the same subject**  In certain subjects, such as mathematics, foreign languages, and the sciences, knowledge of the subject is acquired in an ordered progression. That is, the concepts and skills introduced in one course are necessary, or prerequisite, for mastery of the material in subsequent courses in that field. Occasionally a student, having completed an intermediate or advanced course in a subject, may take a less advanced one in that same subject. In such a case, although the student obviously cannot receive course credit for both courses, each course will appear on the student’s transcript with the grades earned; however, the student will receive course credit only for the more advanced course. A student may sometimes be permitted to complete an intermediate or advanced course without having first completed a less advanced course in a subject; in such a case, the student does not receive course credit for the less advanced course by virtue of having completed the more advanced course.

11. **Repeated enrollment in the same course**  Courses may not be repeated for credit, except for courses marked “May be taken more than once” or “May be repeated for credit.” On some rare occasions, a student may take the same course over again, or may take a course with the same content as another course the student has already passed. In such cases, the student receives credit for the course only once. Should a student take the same or an equivalent course twice, each course with its grade appears on the transcript. The student receives course credit for the higher grade if one is earned; in such an event, course credit is not given for the lower grade. Note, however, that both grades are included in the calculation of a student’s grade point average (GPA) and in the calculation for General Honors.

12. **Placement in foreign language courses**  Students placed by a language program or by their score on the Advanced Placement examination into a particular level of a foreign language may not earn course credit for the completion of a course in that language at a level lower than the placement. For example, a student placed into the third term (L3) of a foreign language earns no course credit for the completion of an L1 or L2 course in that language. Should a student complete a foreign language course at a level lower than the placement, the lower-level course with its grade appears on the transcript but earns no credit toward graduation.

13. **Use of vertebrate animals**  If the satisfactory completion of a course will require the use of vertebrate animals in experiments, the student must be notified of that requirement at the first meeting of the course. If a student objects on ethical grounds to participating in the animal usage in question, it is the student’s responsibility to discuss the matter with the faculty member in charge and not to enroll in the course if no alternative acceptable to the faculty member can be arranged.

14. **Field trips**  If the satisfactory completion of a course will require participation in a field trip, students should understand that there are inherent risks, including the risks of travel, involved in such an activity. If a student objects to assuming these risks, it is the student’s responsibility to discuss the matter with the faculty member in charge and not to enroll in the course if no alternative acceptable to the faculty member can be arranged. Yale College’s policies regarding field trips can be found at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/academic-field-trip-policies.
F. Withdrawal from Courses

Students are permitted to withdraw from courses for which they have enrolled in a term until 5 p.m. on the last day of classes before the reading period in that term. Withdrawal from a course can be accomplished only by the submission of a course change notice at the office of the residential college dean. A fee of $20 will be charged for the processing of an approved course change notice on which withdrawal from a course is requested. Formal withdrawal is important, because failure to receive credit for courses in which students are registered will be recorded as F on their transcripts and may open them to the penalties described under “Academic Warning” and “Dismissal for Academic Reasons” in section I.

1. **Transcripts** Each course listed on a student’s course schedule appears on the student’s transcript unless the student withdraws from the course by midterm. See paragraph 3 below.

2. **Permission** All course withdrawals require the permission of the residential college dean.

3. **Withdrawal before midterm** If a student formally withdraws from a course by midterm (October 21, 2011, in the fall term; March 2, 2012, in the spring term), then after the registrar has recorded the withdrawal, the transcript will contain no indication of that course.

4. **Withdrawal after midterm** If a student formally withdraws from a course after midterm but before 5 p.m. on the last day of classes before the reading period, the transcript will record the course and show the neutral designation W (Withdrawn) for the course. The deadlines for such withdrawals are December 2, 2011, in the fall term, and April 23, 2012, in the spring term. The deadlines apply to all courses, whether or not a particular course observes the reading period.

   A change of level in courses in which the subject is taught in an ordered progression, as, for example, in foreign languages or in mathematics, is not considered a course withdrawal and does not result in the recording of a W.

5. **Withdrawal after the deadlines** After these deadlines, withdrawal from a course is not permitted. An exception will be made only for a student who withdraws from Yale College for medical reasons as certified by the Yale Health Center after the beginning of the reading period but by the last day of the final examination period; in such a case the student will be permitted to withdraw from a course with a mark of W.

6. **Lack of formal withdrawal** If, when grades are due, the instructor of a course notifies the registrar that a student has not successfully completed a course from which the student has not formally withdrawn, then a grade of F will be recorded for that course on the student’s transcript. See “General Regulations concerning Grades and Transcripts” in section B. See also “Work Incomplete at the End of Term” and “Postponement of Final Examinations” in section H.

7. **Withdrawal from Yale College** A student who has withdrawn from Yale College for any reason, including medical, is no longer enrolled. Consequently, as of the date of the withdrawal, such a student cannot continue to attend classes or complete work.
that was assigned in the term in which the withdrawal occurred, even if the deadline for such assignments was previously extended by the instructor or by the residential college dean.

8. **Transcripts of students withdrawn from Yale College** It follows that if a student withdraws from Yale College by midterm, the transcript will not show that the student has been enrolled in any course during that term. If a student withdraws from Yale College after midterm, but before 5 p.m. on the last day of classes before the reading period, the transcript will record the student’s courses with the designation W (Withdrew). If a student withdraws from Yale College after the beginning of the reading period, the transcript will show the student’s courses with grades of F unless an instructor reports a passing grade for the student in any of the courses. The only exception is for a student who withdraws from Yale College for medical reasons after the beginning of the reading period but before the end of the term; see paragraph 5 above.

**G. Reading Period and Final Examination Period**

1. **Due dates for course work** It is expected that instructors will require all course assignments, including term papers, to be submitted at the latest by the last day of reading period. (For the dates of the reading period and final examination period, consult the calendar at the beginning of this bulletin.) Instructors do not have the authority to give permission for this deadline to be extended beyond the end of the term; only the residential college dean has this authority (see “Work Incomplete at the End of Term” in section H). Even if an extended deadline should be announced by the instructor, a grade reflecting work submitted after the end of the term cannot be accepted unless a Temporary Incomplete was authorized by the student’s residential college dean.

2. **Reading period** The Yale College Faculty established the reading period between the end of classes and the beginning of final examinations in order to provide a period of about a week during which students might conclude their course work and prepare for final examinations. The instructor of each course determines whether or not that course observes the reading period. A course that does not observe the reading period is identified in chapter III by the abbreviation “RP” at the end of the course description. The assumption underlying the faculty’s institution of the reading period was that no additional assignments would be required during the reading period in a course observing it, but that students would use the reading period in their own way to consolidate and augment the work of the course. Such being the case, no final examination may be administered during the reading period. A final examination in a course, whether or not the course observes the reading period, must be administered during the final examination period. No take-home final examination may be due during the reading period.

3. **Final examinations** Yale College expects every course to conclude with a regular final examination or with a substitute for such an examination. The substitute should be in the nature of a final examination in that it requires the student to demonstrate proficiency in the discipline and subject matter of the course. Substitutes may include, for
example, an oral presentation or examination, a term essay due at the latest before the
beginning of the final examination period, or the last of a series of hour tests admin-
istered during the last week of classes. Final examinations normally last either two or
three hours but, in either case, students are permitted to take an additional half-hour
before being required to turn in their answers. This additional time is given for impro-
ving what has already been written, rather than for breaking new ground.

4. Scheduling of final examinations The Registrar’s Office has assigned a specific
time and date for the administration of final examinations in most courses in Yale College.
The time of the final examination is determined by the meeting time of a course during
the term. If the meeting time of a course is changed from that originally published, the
time of the examination is defined by the new meeting time. If a course is published
with no scheduled examination but the instructor subsequently decides to offer a final
examination, it must be administered at the time defined by the meeting time of the
course. A schedule of final examinations may be found on the page “Final Examination
Schedules” at the front of this bulletin.

5. Date of administering final examinations Since the final examination schedule has
been carefully designed to make efficient use of the entire final examination period
and to minimize overcrowding of students’ schedules, a final examination must be
administered on the date and at the time specified. On occasion instructors have admin-
istered final examinations at times different from those assigned. Such an arrangement
is allowed under the following conditions: (a) that two different and distinct final
examinations be administered; (b) that one of these examinations be administered at
the regularly specified time within the final examination period; (c) that the alterna-
tive examination be administered during the final examination period; and (d) that no
student be required to obtain permission to take the alternative examination.

6. Take-home final examinations Take-home final examinations are sometimes substituted
for regular final examinations. If a course has been assigned a final examination date,
a take-home examination for that course is due on the scheduled examination day. If
a course has not been assigned a final examination date, a take-home examination for
the course is due on the day specified in the final examination schedule by the meeting
time of the course. (See “Final Examination Schedules” at the front of this bulletin.)
If a course does not meet at a time covered by the final examination schedule, a take-
home examination may not be due during the first three days of the final examination
period. No take-home examination may be due during the reading period.

7. Due dates for term grades An instructor is required to submit term grades promptly
after the completion of a course. Fall-term grades are due by 5 p.m. on January 3, 2012;
spring-term grades are due within one week of the end of the final examination period;
grades for seniors in the spring term are due within forty-eight hours of the end of the
final examination period.

In submitting term grades, the instructor is expected to apply appropriate penalties for
missed or incomplete work unless the late submission of the work has been authorized
by the student’s residential college dean or by the Committee on Honors and Academic
Standing. If an instructor reports a mark of incomplete for which there has been no authorization by the college dean, the incomplete will be recorded by the Registrar’s Office as a grade of F.

8. **An hour test at the end of term instead of a final examination** Some instructors do not give final examinations of the usual two-and-one-half-hour or three-and-one-half-hour length, but instead terminate their courses with an hour test that is the last in a succession of hour tests administered during the term.

   For courses that do not observe the reading period, this hour test may be administered during the reading period, since, in such courses, regular class meetings are scheduled to extend through the reading period. A course that does not observe the reading period may also administer the hour test during the final examination period at the time specified in the final examination schedule.

   For courses that do observe the reading period, the hour test may not be administered during the reading period, but may be administered only during the last week of classes or during the final examination period at the time specified in the final examination schedule.

9. **Senior departmental examinations** In those major programs requiring a senior departmental examination, that examination is scheduled on the two weekdays preceding the final examination period in the fall and spring terms. In a department or program in which a two-day written senior departmental examination is administered on those days, a senior may, with the written consent of the appropriate instructors, be excused from final examinations in as many as two courses in the major in the term in which he or she takes the departmental examination. In a department or program in which the senior departmental examination takes place on only one of the two scheduled days, a senior may, with the written consent of the instructor, be excused from the final examination in one course in the major in the term in which the departmental examination is taken. If the senior departmental examination takes place before the scheduled days, or if a senior essay or senior project takes the place of the examination, a student may not omit a final examination.

H. Completion of Course Work

**SUBMISSION OF COURSE WORK TO INSTRUCTORS**

Students in Yale College are expected to take personal responsibility for the timely delivery to their instructors of all course work, including examinations, in the manner and format prescribed by the instructors. It is generally expected that the student will submit course work in person, either to the instructor or to a person explicitly designated by the instructor, such as a teaching fellow or an administrative assistant. Students who submit course work in a manner other than in person, directly to an appropriate individual (e.g., place it under a door or in a box in a hallway), do so at their own risk. Students who must use postal services to submit a course assignment, because they will be unavoidably absent from campus at the time an assignment is due, should ascertain in advance from the instructor the correct mailing address and use receipted mail services to establish the date of mailing.
Instructors are not required to accept course work sent over a computer network to their computer, printer, or e-mail account unless they have explicitly authorized such electronic submission in the syllabus for the course or have made a special arrangement with the student. Instructors may establish a deadline for electronic submission of a particular assignment different from the deadline for submission of the same assignment on paper.

**LATE OR POSTPONED WORK**

There are three kinds of late or postponed work: (1) work late during term time; (2) work incomplete at the end of term; and (3) postponed final examinations. Instructors of courses may, during term time, give permission to make up late or missed work, provided that such work is submitted before the end of term. Only the residential college dean, however, may authorize the late submission of work still incomplete at the end of term, or the postponement of a final examination.

When students know in advance that they must miss or postpone work for a legitimate reason, as described below in “Work Missed during the Term” and in “Postponement of Final Examinations,” they should inform the instructor and the residential college dean as soon as possible.

**WORK MISSED DURING THE TERM**

The basic responsibility for permitting postponement of work during the term is the instructor’s. However, the residential college dean may give permission for a student to make up work missed or delayed during the term because of an incapacitating illness, the death of a family member, or a comparable emergency. The residential college dean also has authority to give permission to make up work missed because of the observance of religious holy days and because of participation required in intercollegiate varsity athletic events. Only in these cases does a residential college dean have authority to give permission to make up late work during term time. This permission is conveyed by means of a special form from the college dean that the student delivers to the instructor. Students participating in events of intramural or club sports, as differentiated from varsity events sponsored by the Department of Athletics, are not eligible for a postponement of work by the dean on account of those events.

In all other cases of work missed during the term, permission to make up course work must be secured directly from the instructor of the course, since the instructor is the only person who can decide, in the context of the nature and requirements of the course, whether such permission is appropriate. This permission may not, however, extend beyond the end of the term. Permission to submit work still incomplete at the end of term may be granted only by a student’s residential college dean. See “Work Incomplete at the End of Term” below.

**WORK INCOMPLETE AT THE END OF TERM**

Only the residential college dean has authority to give permission to a student to submit work in a course after the end of term. The college dean may give such permission because of an incapacitating illness, because of a serious family emergency, or because of another
matter of comparable moment. In such cases the college dean may authorize a mark of Temporary Incomplete for a period not to exceed one month from the beginning of the final examination period. Note that the mark of Temporary Incomplete refers to unfinished course work, not to a final examination missed for any reason; see “Postponement of Final Examinations” below.

The residential college dean, in authorizing a mark of Temporary Incomplete, will stipulate the date on which the student’s late work will be due and the date on which the instructor is expected to submit a course grade to the registrar. The college dean may not set this second date later than one month after the beginning of the final examination period. If the student’s work has not been completed in time for the instructor to report a grade to the registrar by the deadline stipulated, then the instructor will submit a grade for the student that reflects the absence of the missing work, or the registrar will convert the mark of Temporary Incomplete to a grade of F. See “General Regulations concerning Grades and Transcripts” in section B, and “Withdrawal from Courses,” section F.

Permission for a mark of Temporary Incomplete to last beyond one month from the beginning of the final examination period can be granted only by the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. Such an extension may be given only for a brief period of time, usually one to two weeks, and only in response to extraordinary circumstances, usually of a medical nature. A petition for such permission must be submitted at the earliest possible date. In considering such requests, the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing takes into account the original deadline for submission of the work and the date on which a petition is delivered to the committee.

**USE OF COMPUTERS AND POSTPONEMENT OF WORK**

Problems that may arise from the use of computers, software, and printers normally are not considered legitimate reasons for the postponement of work. A student who uses computers is responsible for operating them properly and completing work on time. (It is expected that a student will exercise reasonable prudence to safeguard materials, including saving data on removable disks at frequent intervals and making duplicate copies of work files.) Any computer work should be completed well in advance of the deadline in order to avoid last-minute technical problems as well as delays caused by heavy demand on shared computer resources in Yale College.

**POSTPONEMENT OF FINAL EXAMINATIONS**

Only the residential college dean may authorize postponement of a final examination. The residential college dean may give such permission because of an incapacitating illness, because of a family emergency requiring the student’s absence from New Haven, or because of another matter of comparable moment. The residential college dean may also authorize such a postponement because of the observance of religious holy days, or because of participation required in an intercollegiate varsity athletic event. Students participating in events of intramural or club sports, as differentiated from varsity events sponsored by the Department of Athletics, are not eligible for a postponement of final examinations on account of those events. Finally, the college dean may authorize postponement of a final examination if a student has three examinations scheduled during the first two days of
the final examination period, or three examinations scheduled consecutively in the final examination schedules.* The postponement of a final examination for any other reason requires the permission of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. A student’s end-of-term travel plans are not a basis for the postponement of a final examination. See “Final Examination Schedules” at the beginning of this bulletin and paragraph 4 in section G, “Reading Period and Final Examination Period.”

It is normally the expectation that when a student begins a final examination but does not complete it, the student will receive credit only for the work completed on the examination. If, however, a student becomes unable to complete an examination because of a sudden and serious illness or other emergency during the examination, the student may request authorization from the residential college dean to take a makeup final examination. In such a case, the student must explain his or her departure to the instructor, or to some other person proctoring the examination, before leaving the room, and must contact the Yale Health Center or the residential college dean as soon as possible thereafter.

Makeup examinations for the fall term are scheduled to take place at the end of the second week of classes in the spring term. Makeup examinations for underclassmen who miss final examinations in the spring term are scheduled at the end of the second week of classes in the following fall term. Makeup final examinations are administered by the Registrar’s Office only at these times. Students who will not be enrolled at these times—whether because they are on leave of absence or on a Year or Term Abroad, or because they have withdrawn from Yale—must make alternative arrangements with the Registrar’s Office in advance of the dates on which makeup final examinations are administered by that office. The registrar automatically records a grade of F in a course for a student who fails to take an officially scheduled makeup examination in that course at the appointed time. If an examination is not administered by the registrar, it is the student’s responsibility to make arrangements with the instructor to take the makeup examination. In such cases, if a grade is not received by the midterm following the original examination date, the registrar automatically records a grade of F in the course.

No fee will be charged for a makeup examination necessitated by illness, family emergency, the observance of a religious holy day, or participation required in an intercollegiate varsity athletic event. A charge of $35 will be made for the administration of a makeup examination occasioned by a conflict between two final examinations scheduled at the same time, or three examinations scheduled in the first two days of the examination period, or three final examinations scheduled in consecutive examination periods. Ordinarily there

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*The final examination schedules indicate three examination sessions, or time slots, per day: one in the morning, one in the afternoon, and one in the evening. Some of these time slots contain examinations; others do not. A college dean may postpone an examination if a student has three examinations scheduled within any four consecutive time slots, whether or not each of those time slots has an examination assigned to it. See “Final Examination Schedules” at the beginning of this bulletin. Occasionally an instructor may arrange an option for an alternative final examination in addition to the regularly scheduled examination. (See paragraph 5 in section G, “Reading Period and Final Examination Period.”) Such an optional arrangement cannot be the basis for a postponement of an examination if three of a student’s final examinations would thereby acquire “consecutive” status.
will be a charge of $35 for makeup examinations authorized for special reasons approved by the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing.

Permission to postpone a final examination does not also carry authorization for a student to submit other work late in that course. See “Work Incomplete at the End of Term” above.

I. Academic Penalties and Restrictions

CUT RESTRICTION

Regular classroom attendance is expected of all students. While Yale College enforces no general regulation concerning attendance, instructors of individual courses may require it of all students. This is particularly the case in discussion groups, seminars, laboratories, and courses in foreign languages.

A student who, in the opinion of the instructor and of the residential college dean, has been absent from a course to an excessive degree and without excuse may at any time be placed on Cut Restriction in that course or in all courses. A student on Cut Restriction who continues to be absent from a course may, with the concurrence of the college dean and the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, be excluded from it without credit. See “Exclusion from Courses” below.

EXCLUSION FROM COURSES

Any student may, because of excessive absences or unsatisfactory work, be excluded from a course without credit at any time upon recommendation, made by the instructor or department concerned, to the residential college dean and the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. If the exclusion occurs after midterm and before the first day of the reading period, the student’s record will show a mark of W for the course.

ACADEMIC WARNING

Academic Warning is an indication that a student’s scholastic record is unsatisfactory. Students on Academic Warning who do not pass all of their courses in the term in which they are on Academic Warning will be dismissed for academic reasons. No matter how many course credits a student has earned, Academic Warning is automatic in the following cases: (a) failure in one term to earn more than two course credits; (b) a record that shows two grades of F in one term; (c) in two successive terms, a record that shows a grade of F for any course. The college deans attempt to give written notification of Academic Warning to students whose records show these deficiencies, but such students should regard themselves as being on warning even in the absence of written notification. A student permitted to continue in Yale College with fewer than the number of course credits ordinarily required for academic good standing (see “Requirements for Academic Good Standing” in section D) may be placed on Academic Warning, and in such a case the student will be notified that he or she has been placed on warning. The Committee on Honors and Academic Standing may at its discretion disqualify a student on Academic Warning from participation in recognized University organizations.
DISMISSAL FOR ACADEMIC REASONS

1. **Failure in three classes** A record that shows three grades of F in a term or over two or three successive terms will normally result in the student’s dismissal from Yale College. “Successive terms” means successive terms in which the student enrolls, whether or not broken by a withdrawal or by a leave of absence.

2. **Failure to meet requirements for good standing or promotion** A student who has not, at the end of a term, met the minimum requirements for academic good standing (see section D), or a student who has failed to meet the minimum standards for promotion (see section D), may be dismissed unless permitted by the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing to repair the deficiency. See “Makeup of Course Deficiencies for Promotion or Academic Good Standing” below. A student who is short by more than two credits of the minimum requirements for academic good standing or promotion, even if the student has no grades of F, will be dismissed.

3. **Students on Academic Warning** A record that shows a grade of F for a student who is on Academic Warning in that term will result in that student’s dismissal for academic reasons. See “Academic Warning” above.

4. **Readmitted students** A student readmitted to Yale College who does not, in the first or second term following readmission, pass all the courses completed in that term will be dismissed for academic reasons. See “Readmission” in section J.

In addition, at any point during the year a student may be dismissed from Yale College if in the judgment of the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing the student’s academic record is unsatisfactory.

MAKEUP OF COURSE DEFICIENCIES FOR PROMOTION OR ACADEMIC GOOD STANDING

A student who has failed to satisfy the requirements for promotion or for academic good standing, if permitted to continue by the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, must repair the deficiency promptly. Such deficiencies are to be repaired before the opening of the next fall term by work in summer school. The institution to be attended and the courses to be taken require the approval of the residential college dean. See section O, “Credit from Other Universities.” Only in extraordinary circumstances will a student be allowed to repair a deficiency by carrying an additional course during the following academic year. Course deficiencies may not be repaired under any circumstances by the application of acceleration credits.

J. Leave of Absence, Withdrawal, and Readmission

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

Any student in Yale College who is in academic good standing will normally receive permission, upon petition to the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing through
the residential college dean, to take one or two terms of leave of absence, provided that
the student departs in academic good standing at the end of a term and returns at the
beginning of a term. (See “Requirements for Academic Good Standing” in section D.) In
order that the University may make plans to maintain enrollment at the established level,
students desiring leaves of absence are requested to make their intentions known to their
residential college deans as soon as possible. Yale College assumes that students who take
leaves of absence will inform their parents or guardians in good time that they intend to do
so. Ordinarily, residential college deans do not notify parents or guardians that a student
has taken a leave of absence, though they may do so if they believe that such notification
is appropriate.

1. **Petition for a fall-term leave** For a fall-term leave of absence, a student is requested to
submit a petition by May 1. Since a student’s plans often change during the summer,
however, the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing will ordinarily grant a
petition for a leave that is received on or before the tenth day of the term in the fall. See
paragraph 3 below.

2. **Petition for a spring-term leave** For a spring-term leave of absence, a student’s petition
must be received on or before the tenth day of the term in the spring. See paragraph 3
below.

3. **Relinquishing housing** Students considering a leave of absence should be aware that
there is a substantial financial penalty for relinquishing on-campus housing after the
relevant deadlines for relinquishing such housing. See “Rebates of Undergraduate
Charges” in the section “Financial Regulations” in the Yale College online publication
*Undergraduate Regulations*.

4. **Canceling a leave** A student may cancel a leave of absence for either term as late as the
first day of classes in the term for which the leave has been requested. However, the
deadlines for payment of the term bill and the penalties for late payment apply in such
cases. See “Payment of Bills” in the section “Financial Regulations” in the *Undergraduate
Regulations*.

5. **Total terms of leave** A student is eligible for a total of two terms of leave of absence.
These two terms need not be taken consecutively.

6. **Accelerated students** A student taking an accelerated degree by use of acceleration
credits who has had two terms of leave of absence may receive a third term of leave
if the third term of leave is needed to bring the student’s pattern of attendance into
conformity with the pattern of attendance stipulated for an accelerated degree. See

7. **Returning from a leave** Permission to take a leave of absence normally includes the
right to return, with prior notification to the residential college dean but without further
application, at the beginning of the term specified in the student’s petition to the Com-
mittee on Honors and Academic Standing. In the case, however, in which a student
achieved eligibility for a leave of absence because of a postponement of a deadline for
course work as a result of an identified medical problem, the Yale College Dean’s Office
may require medical clearance from the Yale Health Center before the student’s return from the leave of absence.

8. **Financial aid** Students taking leaves of absence who have received long-term loans will be sent information about their loan repayment obligations, which in most cases begin six months after the last day of formal enrollment at Yale. A student taking a leave of absence who is receiving financial aid through Yale must consult with a counselor in the Student Financial Services Center before leaving Yale; see “Rebates of Undergraduate Charges” in the section “Financial Regulations” in the Undergraduate Regulations.

9. **Health coverage** A student on a leave of absence is eligible to retain coverage by the Yale Health Plan during the time of the leave, but the student must take the initiative to apply for continued membership in the Yale Health Plan by completing an application form and paying the fee for membership. See “Leave of Absence” in the section “Health Services” in the Undergraduate Regulations. Application forms and details about medical coverage while on leave of absence may be obtained from the Member Services Department of the Yale Health Plan.

**MEDICAL WITHDRAWAL**

A withdrawal for medical reasons must be authorized by the director of the Yale Health Center or the chief of the Mental Health and Counseling department, or by their official designees within the Health Center. If a student under the care of a non–Yale Health Center physician wishes to withdraw for medical reasons, that physician should submit sufficient medical history to the director of the Yale Health Center for a final decision on the recommendation. A student planning to return to Yale should discuss the requirements for readmission with the residential college dean or the chair of the Committee on Readmission.

Yale College reserves the right to require a student to withdraw for medical reasons when, on recommendation of the director of the Yale Health Center or the chief of the Mental Health and Counseling department, the dean of Yale College determines that the student is a danger to self or others because of a serious medical problem, or that the student has refused to cooperate with efforts deemed necessary by the Yale Health Center to determine if the student is such a danger.

**WITHDRAWAL FOR PERSONAL REASONS**

At any time during the year, a student may withdraw from Yale College for personal reasons. After consulting with the residential college dean, a student wishing to withdraw should write a letter of resignation to the college dean. In consulting with the college dean, a student planning to return to Yale should discuss the requirements for readmission. Also, students in academic good standing who fail to register in a term will be withdrawn for personal reasons.

**REBATES OF UNDERGRADUATE CHARGES**

For information on financial rebates on account of withdrawal from Yale College, consult the section “Financial Regulations” in the Undergraduate Regulations.
READMISSION

During the time that a student who has withdrawn is away from Yale College, the Committee on Readmission expects him or her to have been constructively occupied and to have maintained a satisfactory standard of conduct.

Students whose withdrawal was for either academic reasons or personal reasons must remain away for at least one fall term and one spring term, in either order, not including the term in which the withdrawal occurred. Students whose withdrawal had been authorized as medical by the director of the Yale Health Center must normally remain away at least one full term before a return to Yale College, not including the term in which the withdrawal occurred. The period of withdrawal for disciplinary reasons is set by the Yale College Executive Committee at the time the student’s enrollment is suspended.

Further requirements depend to some extent on the circumstances of the withdrawal and its duration. Students who are not in academic good standing, i.e., students who withdrew while a term was in progress or who were dismissed for academic reasons (see section I), must ordinarily complete the equivalent of at least two term courses, either in Yale Summer Session or at another college or university, earning grades of A or B. In general, such a record of course work is also required of students who withdrew for medical reasons and of any students who have been away from full-time academic work for two years or more, whether or not they were in academic good standing at the time of their departure, in order to demonstrate that upon return they can satisfactorily complete their academic program. Courses themselves, as well as the institution at which they are taken, should be cleared in advance with the chair of the Committee on Readmission or the applicant’s residential college dean. In some cases, the Committee on Readmission may require more than two courses or courses in a specific subject area. All such course work must be completed no later than the opening of the term to which the student has applied to be readmitted, but no earlier than two years before the date that term begins.

Interviews with members of the committee are required of all applicants. The committee cannot approve a student’s return to Yale College until after the necessary interviews have taken place. These may include meetings for any applicant with the chair of the committee, the applicant’s residential college dean, and any other member of the committee, including a member of the Yale Health Center staff. Interviews are normally conducted just prior to the beginning of the term to which the student is seeking readmission.

As an integral part of the application for readmission, students who withdrew for medical reasons must obtain a recommendation from the Yale Health Center. Such a recommendation must come from either the director of the Yale Health Center or the chief of the Mental Health and Counseling department, or from their official designees within the Health Center; no such recommendation can be made in the absence of documentation provided to the Yale Health Center that the student has had successful treatment from an appropriate health clinician.

Inquiries about readmission should be directed to the chair of the Committee on Readmission, Yale College Dean’s Office, 110 SSS, Yale University, P.O. Box 208241, New Haven, CT 06520-8241. The first inquiry about readmission to a fall term should come no later than the previous April 30, and applications must be submitted in person or by receipted mail by June 1. The first inquiry concerning readmission to a spring term
should come no later than the previous September 30, and applications must be submit-
ted in person or by receipted mail by November 1. These deadlines are strictly enforced.

While the majority of students who apply for readmission do return to Yale College, readmission is not guaranteed to any applicant. Since the committee seeks to readmit only those students who have demonstrated the ability henceforth to remain in academic good standing and thus complete degree requirements within the specific number of terms of enrollment remaining to them, the committee may sometimes advise an applicant to defer his or her return until a time later than the one originally proposed.

Students who are readmitted to Yale College are expected to be complete and passing in all their courses at the conclusion of each of the two terms following their readmission. A student who fails to meet this condition is ordinarily required to withdraw after his or her record has been reviewed by the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. A student is eligible to be readmitted only once; a second readmission may be considered only under unusual circumstances, ordinarily of a medical nature.

For complete information about readmission to Yale College, consult the brochure “General Information concerning Readmission to Yale College,” available from the Com-
mittee on Readmission.

U.S. MILITARY SERVICE READMISSION POLICY

Students who wish or need to interrupt their studies to perform U.S. military service are subject to a separate U.S. military leave readmission policy.

In the event a student withdraws or takes a leave of absence from Yale College on or after August 14, 2008, in order to serve in the U.S. military, the student will be entitled to guaranteed readmission under the following conditions:

1. The student must have served in the U.S. Armed Forces for a period of more than thirty consecutive days.

2. The student must give advance written or verbal notice of such service to his or her residential college dean. In providing the advance notice the student does not need to indicate whether he or she intends to return. This advance notice need not come directly from the student, but rather, can be made by an appropriate officer of the U.S. Armed Forces or official of the U.S. Department of Defense. Notice is not required if precluded by military necessity. In all cases, this requirement of giving notice can be fulfilled at the time the student seeks readmission, by submitting an attestation that the student performed the service.

3. The student must not be away from the University to perform U.S. military service for a period exceeding five years (this includes all previous absences to perform U.S. military service but does not include any initial period of obligated service). If a student’s time away from the University to perform U.S. military service exceeds five years because the student is unable to obtain release orders through no fault of the student or the student was ordered to or retained on active duty, the student should contact his or her residential college dean to determine if the student remains eligible for guaranteed readmission.
4. The student must notify Yale within three years of the end of the U.S. military service of his or her intention to return. However, a student who is hospitalized or recovering from an illness or injury incurred in or aggravated during the U.S. military service has up until two years after recovering from the illness or injury to notify Yale of his or her intent to return.

5. The student cannot have received a dishonorable or bad conduct discharge or have been sentenced in a court-martial.

A student who meets all of these conditions will be readmitted for the following term unless the student requests, in writing, a later date of readmission. Any student who fails to meet one of these requirements may still be eligible for readmission under Yale’s general readmission policy but is not guaranteed readmission. Upon returning to Yale, the student will resume his or her education without repeating completed course work for courses interrupted by U.S. military service. The student will have the same enrolled status last held and will be in the same academic standing. For the first academic year in which the student returns, the student will be charged the tuition and fees that would have been assessed for the academic year in which the student left the institution. Yale may charge up to the amount of tuition and fees other students are assessed, however, if veterans’ education benefits will cover the difference between the amounts currently charged other students and the amount charged for the academic year in which the student left. In the case of a student who is not prepared to resume his or her studies with the same enrollment status and academic standing as when he or she left or who will not be able to complete the program of study, Yale will undertake reasonable efforts to help the student become prepared. If, after reasonable efforts, Yale determines that the student remains unprepared or will be unable to complete the program, or Yale determines that there are no reasonable efforts it can take, Yale may deny the student readmission.

K. Special Arrangements

YEAR OR TERM ABROAD

In recognition of the value of international study, Yale College encourages students to spend a term or an academic year studying in an approved program abroad. In order to participate in a Year or Term Abroad, students must have the approval of the Yale College Committee on the Year or Term Abroad and have been accepted into an approved and accredited study-abroad program. Students in any major may apply. Please note that a term abroad may be taken only during the second term of the sophomore year or either the first or second term of the junior year, and that a year abroad may be taken only during the junior year. Within the limits of the eligibility requirements given below, other combinations of terms of study abroad may be permitted with the approval of the Committee on the Year or Term Abroad. Students are limited to a total of two terms abroad for full Yale credit and financial aid transfer. To be eligible, students must be in academic good standing as a junior or second-term sophomore, as appropriate, to begin an approved term or year abroad and be able to return to enrollment at Yale in academic good standing (see
“Requirements for Academic Good Standing” in section D). Students must also have at least a B average at the time of their application and demonstrate sufficient competence in the language of the host country to do university-level course work. In general, by the time that they go abroad students should have completed the relevant intermediate-level foreign language course (typically a course numbered 140 with an L4 designation) or have demonstrated the equivalent proficiency by examination. Study in an English-speaking country or participation in any other program abroad in which instruction is in English is permitted when the student articulates clear academic objectives for such a program. Applicants may petition the committee for an exception to eligibility requirements if they believe they have compelling reasons for the exception.

Application forms for a Year or Term Abroad are available on the Web site of the Center for International Experience, www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international. A complete application includes all of the following: the application form; an approval form from the student’s director(s) of undergraduate studies; an evaluation form from the student’s residential college dean; a foreign language evaluation form (if applicable); and a statement concerning the proposed course of study. Students on Yale financial aid must also submit a Year Abroad Budget for Financial Aid Applicants to the appropriate office. Approval from the Yale College Committee on the Year or Term Abroad is contingent upon the student’s acceptance into a program or university abroad. Students must provide a copy of their acceptance letter to the committee before departure.

Applications for permission to study abroad in the spring term of the academic year 2011–2012 are due on October 15, 2011. Applications for study in the fall term of the academic year 2012–2013 or for the full academic year 2012–2013 are due on March 5, 2012. Early applications that meet all requirements as listed in this bulletin are reviewed on a rolling basis until the final deadline.

Applications for programs or universities abroad are available directly from the sponsoring institutions. Information about specific programs, including course descriptions, addresses and telephone numbers of the programs, and evaluations from past Yale participants, can be found at the Center for International Experience. Note that application deadlines differ from program to program and usually also differ from the Yale College committee’s deadline. Students are responsible for meeting the deadlines set by the programs they seek to attend, whether those deadlines fall before or after the Yale College committee’s deadline.

In selecting programs abroad in which to enroll, students should be aware that such programs vary in quality, and some may not be approved for a Year or Term Abroad. At a minimum, approved programs must involve full-time work at the university level and must be undertaken during the regular academic year at an institution outside the United States. Students should note that programs in the Southern Hemisphere are subject to a different academic calendar, one which extends into the months of June, July, and August. With this exception, summer terms do not qualify as part of a Year or Term Abroad.

A list of programs which have had the approval of the committee in the past and in which Yale students have participated with success is available on the Web site of the Center for International Experience. Students applying to enroll in programs not previously reviewed or approved by the committee may be required to furnish informational literature
about the program, course syllabi, or a letter of support from a Yale faculty member familiar with the program. The committee evaluates programs primarily on the quality and structure of their academic offerings. Study abroad advisers are available in the Center for International Experience to assist students in selecting an appropriate program.

1. **Course credits** Students on a Year Abroad who complete a full program of study for the equivalent of two terms of enrollment at Yale may earn up to nine course credits. Students on a Term Abroad who complete a full program of study for the equivalent of one term of enrollment at Yale may earn up to four course credits. What the committee considers a full program of study varies from program to program. Students should consult with the Center for International Experience to ensure that they are enrolled in a full program abroad.

    Usually, if the student has consulted with the director of undergraduate studies and an adviser in the Center for International Experience before going abroad, the award of credit upon return from a Year or Term Abroad is routine.

2. **Course credit from outside Yale** Enrollment in the Year or Term Abroad program is the only arrangement by which students may offer more than two outside credits toward the thirty-six course credits required for the bachelor’s degree.* Students receiving credit for a Year Abroad may not apply any other credits from outside Yale toward the 36-course-credit requirement. Students receiving credit for a Term Abroad may apply up to two other course credits from outside Yale toward the 36-course-credit requirement.

3. **Evidence of course work** To be awarded credit toward degree requirements, students must submit to the committee such evidence of their achievement as transcripts or other official academic records, wherever possible. Students should also be prepared to provide on their return to Yale copies of all course work, syllabi, and letters from instructors describing the nature and quality of their work.

4. **Grades** No credit will be awarded for a course in which the grade earned was lower than a C or its equivalent in other grading scales. Nor will credit be awarded for a course taken on a Pass/Fail option, if the student had the choice of taking the course for a letter grade.

5. **Distributional requirements and major requirements** In addition to applying credits earned on a Year or Term Abroad toward the 36-course-credit requirement, students may, with appropriate permissions, apply these course credits toward fulfillment of

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*Study during the academic year at the Paul Mellon Centre in London (Yale-in-London) is equivalent to enrollment in Yale College and is not considered a Term Abroad. Application to the Yale-in-London program should be made directly to that office at the Yale Center for British Art. For details, see under “Yale-in-London” in chapter I and under British Studies in chapter III. Likewise, study during the academic year in the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in Beijing is equivalent to enrollment in Yale College and is not considered a Year or Term Abroad. For details, see under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in chapter III.
distributional requirements and some of the requirements of their major programs. Petitions for credit toward the distributional requirements should be directed to the director of study abroad; petitions for credit toward major requirements should be directed to the relevant director of undergraduate studies.

6. **Academic regulations** Because a Year or Term Abroad counts as the equivalent of one or two terms of enrollment in Yale College, the academic regulations of Yale College pertain to enrollment abroad. Students must earn a sufficient number of credits abroad to remain in academic good standing. Failure to do so will result in academic warning or dismissal for academic reasons. (See section I, “Academic Penalties and Restrictions.”) Withdrawal from an approved program abroad has the same consequences as withdrawal from Yale College.

7. **Canceling a Year or Term Abroad** Students who have received permission to study abroad but later decide not to do so must notify their residential college dean in writing of their change of plans and then either enroll as usual in Yale College or apply for a leave of absence before the deadline (see section J, “Leave of Absence, Withdrawal, and Readmission”). In some cases, such students will have to withdraw from Yale College if the deadline for requesting a leave has passed, or they have already taken two terms of leave, or the deadline for enrolling in courses in Yale College has passed. Under no circumstances can a Year or Term Abroad be converted retroactively to a leave of absence. Similarly, a leave of absence cannot be converted retroactively to a Year or Term Abroad.

8. **Enrollment in Yale College after a Year or Term Abroad** After returning from a Year or Term Abroad, students must enroll in Yale College for at least two terms. Students who have accelerated should speak with their residential college dean about the possible need to decelerate (see section P, “Acceleration Policies”).

9. **Financial aid** Students who have been approved by the committee to study abroad and who receive financial aid from Yale are eligible for aid while abroad. For information about financial aid support, consult a counselor in the Student Financial Services Center, 246 Church Street, 432-2700.

**COMPLETION OF DEGREE REQUIREMENTS AT THE END OF A FALL TERM**

Students who at the end of a fall term complete the requirements for graduation may be of three kinds: (1) those who complete such requirements in eight terms of regular enrollment; (2) those who have accumulated thirty-six course credits or more, all earned at Yale, in fewer than eight terms of regular enrollment; and (3) students admitted by transfer to Yale College and students whose admission to Yale College was deferred until a spring term. (Note that acceleration credits may not yield a completion of degree requirements at the end of a fall term; see section P, “Acceleration Policies.”) The following rules apply to students of these three kinds.

1. **Notification by the student** By the day on which the student’s course schedule is due in the final term of enrollment, the student must notify the Committee on Honors
and Academic Standing through the residential college dean that the fall term will be the student’s last term of enrollment. Forms on which to make such notification are available in the offices of the college deans. Notification must include written certification from the student’s director of undergraduate studies that the student will have completed all the requirements of the major program by the end of the fall term, and from the student’s residential college dean that the student will have fulfilled the distributional requirements by that time. Failure to observe the deadline will result in the student’s being charged a fine of $100.

2. **Award of degrees and diplomas** Students who complete degree requirements at the end of a fall term are awarded their degrees and their diplomas at Commencement at the conclusion of the spring term of that academic year and are considered to be members of the class that graduates at that Commencement. General Honors and Distinction in the Major are also awarded at that time. If a student who completes degree requirements at the end of a fall term wishes to participate in the Commencement exercises held in the previous academic year, however, the student may do so with the permission of the residential college master and dean. Such might be the case, for example, of a student who because of a leave of absence did not qualify for graduation with the class in Yale College with which he or she entered as a freshman. Such a student would not receive the degree or diploma until the May of the academic year in which degree requirements were completed.

3. **Health coverage** A student whose last term of enrollment is a fall term is eligible, upon application and payment of a fee, for continued coverage by the Yale Health Plan during the subsequent spring term, just as if the student were on leave of absence for that term. Such coverage extends to August 31. See “Leave of Absence” in section J.

**TWO MAJORS**

A student must petition the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing for permission to complete the requirements of two major programs. Application forms are available from the residential college deans. A student contemplating the completion of two majors should bear in mind that doing so will almost invariably limit the opportunities for a wider distribution of studies over different subjects.

Each major must be completed independently of the other, with no more than two term courses overlapping. Prerequisites in either major are not considered to be overlapping courses. Other than such prerequisites, all courses taken in a major—including those taken in excess of the minimum requirements of the major—are counted in the consideration of overlapping courses unless such courses are in excess of the minimum requirements for both majors. Overlapping courses may not include the senior essay or senior project, unless the essay or project is unusually substantial and represents at least the equivalent of the minimum essay or project requirement of the one major in addition to the minimum essay or project requirement of the other major. If a single senior essay or project is approved for the two majors, no additional overlap in course credits is permitted.

It is not possible to offer as two majors a combined major with one of its component majors. For example, a major in Economics and Mathematics cannot be joined with a
second major in either Economics or Mathematics. Similarly, a student completing a major that permits the inclusion of a concentration of courses from another major or program cannot also major in that second major or program. For example, a major in Sociology with Psychology cannot have a second major in Psychology. A Special Divisional Major may not be offered as one of two majors.

A petition for two majors should show clearly how the requirements for each of the two programs will be met, and should include the approval of the appropriate directors of undergraduate studies. The completion of two majors does not result in the award of two degrees; a student who completes a major that leads to the award of the B.A. degree and another major that leads to the award of the B.S. degree may choose the degree to be conferred. A petition to complete the requirements of two majors should be made only after the student’s plans are definite, but no later than the due date for course schedules in the student’s final term of enrollment. Petitions submitted after this deadline will be accepted only by exceptional action of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing and will be fined $50.

A student may not petition for permission to complete the requirements of more than two major programs.

SPECIAL DEPARTMENTAL MAJOR

In special cases, a department or program may recommend to the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing that a student be awarded from four to six course credits for a two-term senior essay or project. The request for such an arrangement, with supporting information, must come from the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible before the beginning of the student’s next-to-last term of enrollment. A student in the Special Departmental Major must, in addition to the senior project, complete at least three regular term courses during the last two terms of enrollment. Students who are interested in pursuing a Special Departmental Major should consult the appropriate director of undergraduate studies.

CERTIFICATE OF EXCLUSION FOR SUBSEQUENT ENROLLMENT IN A PREVIOUSLY OVERCROWDED COURSE

A student who has attempted in good faith to enroll in a lecture course but who has been prevented by overcrowding from doing so may claim a priority for enrollment in the course the next time the course is offered by the same instructor by securing the instructor’s signature on a Certificate of Exclusion from an Overcrowded Course. A copy of this certificate may be obtained from the office of the residential college dean. It must also be signed by the college dean and will be retained for the student by the college dean. When the course is next offered, the student may retrieve the certificate from the college dean and present it to the instructor of the course. A Certificate of Exclusion may be issued only because of overcrowding; it may not be issued because a particular section of a course is filled when there is room in another section of the course; it may not be used to claim admission to any particular section of the course; it may be employed only at the next time that the course is offered, and not subsequently; it is not applicable to courses
in which enrollment is determined by audition or other evaluation of the student’s work; and it is not transferable.

**DOUBLE CREDIT FOR A SINGLE-CREDIT COURSE**

Two course credits for a course normally carrying one course credit may be awarded to a student under the following conditions:

1. **Deadline** Permission must be requested by midterm, i.e., October 21, 2011, in the fall term, and March 2, 2012, in the spring term.

2. **Petition and approvals** The student’s petition must be approved by the instructor of the course, the director of undergraduate studies in the instructor’s department, and the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. The petition should include a detailed syllabus and an explanation of how the student’s proposed work represents at least twice the normal expectations of the course.

3. **Distributional requirements** When a petition for double credit is approved for a course that fulfills a distributional requirement, the additional credit may not be applied toward the distributional requirement, although it may be applied toward the 36-course-credit requirement for graduation.

4. **Multiple courses** A student may make use of this arrangement rarely, no more than once or twice.

**SPECIAL TERM COURSES**

With the approval of the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, a student may arrange with a member of the faculty to take a Special Term Course, or individual tutorial, for credit toward the bachelor’s degree, provided that certain requirements are met. First, the material of the proposed course must be appropriate to the qualifications of the student and it must be otherwise unavailable in the Yale curriculum. If the subject can be pursued through independent study in an existing tutorial course in a department (e.g., HIST 494, PLSC 471 and 472), the student must apply for enrollment in that course through the director of undergraduate studies. Second, the instructor of the proposed special course must hold a teaching appointment in the University. Third, the student must describe in detail the nature of the proposed course work and submit a syllabus.

Requests for Special Term Courses should be made to the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, 110 SSS, on forms available from the residential college deans. The application form must be completed by the student and then approved and signed by the proposed instructor and the director of undergraduate studies of the instructor’s department. A request for a Special Term Course should be made during the term immediately preceding the term during which the course is actually to be taken. An application will not be accepted by the committee after the second week of the term for which a course is proposed. It is expected that Special Term Courses will be taken for a letter grade. A student may not apply credit earned in a Special Term Course toward satisfaction of any of the distributional requirements.
LIMIT ON RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE SEMINARS

The number of residential college seminars is limited and the demand for them is great. A student may therefore take no more than four residential college seminars. Permission to exceed this limit must be secured in advance from the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing; such permission will be given only if the student can demonstrate that the integrity or coherence of the student’s academic objectives would suffer without it.

COURSES IN THE YALE GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS

When a course is open to undergraduate as well as either graduate or professional school students, a Yale College student must enroll under the undergraduate number, unless already accepted into the program for the simultaneous award of the bachelor’s and master’s degrees. A student may request to elect a graduate or professional school course, other than those designated independent study, by means of a form downloaded from www.yale.edu/sfas/registrar. Such requests should be made as early as possible in the term in which enrollment is sought and not later than one month after the first day of classes of the term. Forms that are submitted after this date will be accepted only by exceptional action of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing and will be subject to a fine of at least $50, with increases of $5 daily according to lateness. The form must be completed by the student and signed by the course instructor. For enrollment in a course in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, the form must also be signed by the director of graduate studies in the department in which the course is offered. For enrollment in a course in any of the professional schools of the University, the form must also be signed by the appropriate agent of the dean or the registrar of the school in which the course is offered. Note that Yale College students are not permitted to enroll in independent study courses in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences or in any of the professional schools of the University.

A student may offer toward the 36-course-credit requirement for the bachelor’s degree as many as four course credits earned in professional schools of the University. More than four such credits may be taken, and they will appear for credit on the student’s transcript, but they must be offered in excess of the 36-course-credit requirement. Courses taken in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences are not included in this four-credit restriction.

Note that systems for the award of course credit in the professional schools differ and that not all courses in these schools yield a full course credit in Yale College.

Courses in performance in the School of Music may be taken only after completion of MUSI 360, 361, 460, and 461, in the Department of Music. Performance courses in the School of Music may not be counted toward the 36-course-credit requirement for the bachelor’s degree. Such courses will be included on the student’s transcript, but must be offered in excess of the thirty-six credits required for graduation. For further information, see the section entitled “Individual Instruction in Performance” under Music in chapter III. Nonperformance courses in the School of Music may be taken for credit without previous
completion of MUSI 360, 361, 460, and 461; such courses are also included in the limit of four credits that may be earned in professional schools of the University.

The deadlines and regulations of Yale College are binding on all students, including candidates for the simultaneous award of the bachelor’s and master’s degrees, in regard to courses in which they are enrolled in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences and the professional schools of the University. These include the deadlines and regulations pertaining to withdrawal from courses, late or postponed work, work incomplete at the end of term, and double credit in a single-credit course. An exception in deadline may be made in a course offered in a professional school of the University in which the academic calendar differs from that of Yale College. A request for such an exception must be grounded in compelling academic reasons, and must be made in writing by the instructor of the course to the student’s residential college dean in advance of the deadline in question. Instructors of courses in the Graduate School and in the professional schools of the University are expected to use the Yale College grading system when they report grades for undergraduates who have completed their courses.

SIMULTANEOUS AWARD OF THE BACHELOR’S AND MASTER’S DEGREES

A limited number of students of distinguished ability may undertake graduate work that will qualify them for the simultaneous award of the bachelor’s and master’s degrees at the end of their senior year. Students must apply to their department for admission to the program through their director of undergraduate studies no later than the first day of classes of their third-to-last term in Yale College. If the department acts favorably on the student’s application, it is forwarded with the formal approval of the director of undergraduate studies and of the director of graduate studies to the Yale College Dean’s Office, where a joint committee of Yale College and the Graduate School acts upon the department’s nomination and notifies the student of acceptance into the program. The director of the Program for the Simultaneous Award of the Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees is Dean George Levesque.

1. Eligibility Applicants cannot be considered for admission unless by the end of their fifth term of enrollment they have achieved at least two-thirds A or A– grades in all of their course credits as well as in all of the course credits directly relating to their major. (Particular deadlines and specific grade requirements for the programs for the two degrees in Biology, Chemistry, Economics, and Mathematics are listed under the headings for those departments in chapter III. Nominations from these departments also require confirmation by the joint committee.)

Prior to admission to the program, students enrolling in a course that carries both an undergraduate and a graduate number must do so under the undergraduate number. Students planning to apply to the program who enroll in such a course may petition at the time of their enrollment in the course to have it converted to the graduate number on the academic record if they are subsequently admitted to the program. The petition, which is made to the director of the program, must be accompanied by certification that the course instructor has accepted the student’s proposal to complete the course at its graduate level.
2. **Program requirements** Yale will award the master’s degree and the bachelor’s degree simultaneously only in a single department or program that confers both degrees. A student in the Special Divisional Major or any other major that does not have an exact counterpart in the Graduate School is not eligible for the combined degree program. A student cannot qualify for the simultaneous award of a bachelor’s degree in one department or program and a master’s in another.

Specific requirements for the award of degrees will be determined by each department. Normally a student is expected to complete the requirements of the undergraduate major in addition to eight or more courses in the Graduate School. For all students in the program, graduate work must not be entirely concentrated in the final two terms, and students in the program must take at least six term courses outside the major during their last four terms at Yale and at least two undergraduate courses during their last two terms.

Students may not enroll in Yale College for more than eight terms in order to qualify for the simultaneous award of both degrees. It is possible to earn both degrees in fewer than eight terms, but not by the use of acceleration credits. Upon acceptance into the program, a student who has accelerated by the use of acceleration credits will automatically be decelerated, and may not, so long as the student remains in the simultaneous degree program, subsequently employ the credits to accelerate.

3. **Requirements for the master’s degree** To qualify for the master’s degree, students must complete eight term course credits in the Graduate School with grades of A in at least two term courses (or in one year course) and with a B average in the remaining ones. Students in those departments with a language requirement for the Ph.D. degree will be required to demonstrate proficiency in one of the specified languages.

4. **Approval of course schedules** Following notification that they have been accepted into the Program for the Simultaneous Award of the Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees, students must have their course schedules approved each term both by the director of undergraduate studies and by the director of graduate studies.

**COURSES IN YALE SUMMER SESSION**

There is no limit on the number of courses in Yale Summer Session that a student may offer toward the requirements for the bachelor’s degree.

Attendance at Yale Summer Session does not constitute a term of enrollment in Yale College. Thus a student accelerating by one term by use of acceleration credits may not offer attendance at Yale Summer Session as one of the required seven terms of enrollment in Yale College.

A student accelerating by the early accumulation of thirty-six course credits all earned at Yale may count credits earned in Yale Summer Session toward such acceleration. See “Acceleration by the Early Accumulation of Thirty-Six Course Credits All Earned at Yale” in section P.

Courses successfully completed in Yale Summer Session may, with the permission of the student’s director of undergraduate studies, be counted toward the requirements of the
student’s major program. They may also be counted toward any of the distributional requirements. The Credit/D/Fail option may not be used in Summer Session courses. There are no auditing privileges in Yale Summer Session.

Unless the Registrar’s Office is instructed in writing to the contrary, courses completed in Yale Summer Session will be entered on the Yale College record. Once a course in Yale Summer Session has been entered on or removed from the Yale College transcript in response to a student’s request, that action cannot subsequently be reversed by the student. When a Summer Session course is entered on a student’s Yale College transcript, both the course and the grade are recorded; the course may not be recorded without the grade. If a Summer Session course is entered on the Yale College transcript, it will be included in the calculation of the student’s eligibility for General Honors and Distinction in the Major. For further information about Summer Session courses and transcripts, refer to the Summer Session Web site at www.yale.edu/summer.

YALE-IN-LONDON SUMMER PROGRAM

Courses in the summer program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London carry full Yale course credit, but enrollment in the Yale-in-London summer program does not constitute a term of enrollment in Yale College. (Attendance at the Yale College program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London during a spring term does count as a regular term of enrollment.) Thus a student accelerating by one term by use of acceleration credits may not offer attendance at the summer program at the Mellon Centre in London as one of the required seven terms of enrollment in Yale College.

A student accelerating by the early accumulation of thirty-six course credits all earned at Yale may count credits earned in the summer program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London toward such acceleration. See “Acceleration by the Early Accumulation of Thirty-Six Course Credits All Earned at Yale” in section P.

DIRECTED INDEPENDENT LANGUAGE STUDY

With the approval of the director of the Center for Language Study, a student may study a language not taught at Yale through the program in Directed Independent Language Study. Students may not apply to study a language being offered at the same time by Yale at the requested level. Students accepted into the program work on their own time, but on a schedule and with materials approved by the director of the Center for Language Study; they must meet regularly with a conversation partner; and they are tested at the end of the term in speaking, listening, reading, and writing. The director will approve only those proposals for which adequate materials, conversation partners, and testing can be arranged. Directed Independent Language Study does not earn Yale College course credit, nor does it appear on the transcript. Interested students should apply to the Center for Language Study.

AUDITING

Auditors are not permitted in courses taught in Yale College except for persons in one of the categories described below.
1. Students enrolled full time in Yale College or in one of the graduate or professional schools of the University may audit courses without charge. The permission of the instructor is required.

2. Members of the Yale faculty and emeritus faculty may audit courses without charge. The permission of the instructor is required.

3. Spouses or partners of full-time Yale faculty members, or of emeritus faculty, or of students enrolled full time in the University may audit courses without charge. Permission is required of the instructor and of Dean William Whobrey.

4. Employees of the University and their spouses or partners may audit courses without charge in accordance with applicable personnel policies. Permission is required of the instructor, of the employee’s supervisor, and of Dean William Whobrey.

No other persons are permitted to audit courses in Yale College except for those accepted through the Association of Yale Alumni Auditing program. The Alumni Auditing program is administered separately from the general auditing program, and different rules may apply. Information is available at admissions.yale.edu/yale-alumni-auditing-program.

Persons auditing courses with limited laboratory or computer facilities must secure the explicit permission of the instructor to do so, and should understand that regularly enrolled students must at all times have priority in using such facilities. Computer or language laboratory facilities should be employed by auditors only during times when they are not in heavy demand, and in certain courses charges for computer use may be necessary. General access to the campus computing network may not be available to auditors.

It is the usual expectation that an auditor does not take tests or examinations or write papers for a course for evaluation by the instructor. Occasionally, however, an auditor may wish to do such work and may request the instructor to evaluate it. If the instructor wishes to cooperate with the auditor in this way, the instructor does so on a voluntary basis and not as an obligation.

The Registrar’s Office does not keep a record of courses audited. It is not possible, therefore, for a student’s transcript to show that a course has been audited, or for a transcript to be issued that records the auditing of a course.

Persons interested in auditing a course should visit the Yale College Special Programs Office, 55 Whitney Avenue, Suite 430.

L. Transfer Students

The following regulations apply to students admitted to Yale College by transfer from other colleges and universities:

1. **Degree requirements** In order to graduate from Yale College, transfer students must fulfill all the requirements for the bachelor’s degree. They must thus earn a total of the equivalent of at least thirty-six course credits, that total consisting of the number of credits awarded for their work at their previous institutions combined with the number of course credits subsequently earned at Yale. They must also complete the requirements of a major program in Yale College and fulfill the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree, which include the foreign language requirement. Upon their arrival at Yale, transfer students should consult carefully with the director of the
transfer program in order to ascertain their status with regard to the distributional requirements, especially the foreign language requirement.

2. **Terms of enrollment at Yale** Transfer students are expected to enroll in Yale College for the number of terms designated at the time of the final credit evaluation made of their work at previous institutions. Under no circumstances may a transfer student complete fewer than four terms of enrollment in Yale College. Under no circumstances may a transfer student earn fewer than eighteen course credits at Yale or accelerate by the use of acceleration credits.

3. **Transfer of credits** A preliminary evaluation of transferable credits is made at the time of the student’s admission. Final evaluation of transfer credits is completed when all official transcripts from a student’s previous institutions have been received.

4. **Additional terms at Yale** Students who must remain at Yale beyond the terms designated in the final evaluation of transfer credits must petition the Yale College Committee on Honors and Academic Standing for permission to do so. Such a petition will be considered only if it is impossible for the student to complete the requirements for the bachelor’s degree in the designated number of terms. See section A under “Eight Terms of Enrollement.” A student thus granted permission to remain at Yale for an additional term, if the term represents more than the equivalent of eight terms of enrollment at the college level, is not eligible for scholarship assistance from Yale for the additional term, although other forms of financial aid may be available.

5. **Transcripts** A transfer student’s Yale transcript indicates the institutions from which the student transferred to Yale, and the number of course credits earned there. It does not list the titles of courses taken or grades earned at the transfer student’s previous colleges or universities. A transfer student who needs a record of studies completed before admission to Yale must secure a transcript from the previous institutions.

6. **Course credit from outside Yale** Transfer students may receive course credit for work completed outside Yale only for studies completed before matriculation at Yale; transfer students may not receive course credit for any outside courses taken after they have enrolled in Yale College. An exception is made for transfer students who earn credit on a Year or Term Abroad. Transfer students may attend a Year or Term Abroad provided that they enroll in Yale College proper for at least four terms, earning by attendance at Yale a minimum of eighteen course credits.

7. **Distributional requirements** Transfer students are not bound by the distributional requirements for the freshman, sophomore, or junior years, but they must fulfill the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree. See paragraph 1 above. Transfer students are not eligible for the award of acceleration credit or for acceleration by use of acceleration credits.

8. **Attendance at Yale before enrollment** Once a student has been accepted for admission as a transfer student, the student may not attend Yale as an Eli Whitney student or a nondegree student before his or her first term of enrollment at Yale.
M. Eli Whitney Students Program

The Eli Whitney Students program is designed to meet the needs of students who may not be able to attend college full time by allowing nonresident students to enroll in Yale College courses for credit. The Eli Whitney Students program is for enrollment for the degree of Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) or Bachelor of Science (B.S.) only. Like all others enrolled in Yale College, students in this program are required to comply with the academic regulations.

To qualify for the bachelor’s degree through the Eli Whitney Students program, a student must successfully complete at least thirty-six course credits or the equivalent, earning at least eighteen of the thirty-six credits at Yale while enrolled in the Eli Whitney Students program. As many as eighteen course credits earned at another college or university or in the Nondegree Students program at Yale may be transferred toward the requirements for the bachelor’s degree. Such credit will be awarded for academic courses that were taken at an accredited institution and that were similar in content to Yale College courses. Grades of A or B are expected, and no more than one-quarter of courses accepted for transfer toward the requirements for the degree may have grades of C. Once a student has matriculated at Yale as a candidate for the bachelor’s degree, as many as two course credits earned at another institution may be transferred to the student’s Yale record, provided that the student earns no fewer than eighteen course credits at Yale. The regulations governing the transfer of such credits are given in section O, “Credit from Other Universities.” The thirty-six course credits completed at Yale or elsewhere must meet the distributional requirements as described in chapters I and II. Students admitted prior to 2009 fulfill distributional requirements according to regulations for the Class of 2008, as listed in previous editions of this bulletin.

Candidates for a bachelor’s degree must fulfill the requirements of one of the major programs listed at the beginning of chapter III. See “Major Programs” in chapter I.

1. Academic requirements  The Eli Whitney Students program normally is to be completed in a period not exceeding seven years from initial enrollment. In any calendar year, an Eli Whitney student must have completed three courses to remain in academic good standing. Eli Whitney students are required to meet all of the academic obligations of any course in which they enroll and all requirements of their degree program. At the end of each term, the records of all Eli Whitney students will be reviewed; a student who does not have at least a C average for that term will be placed on Academic Warning and may not be permitted to enroll in a subsequent term.

2. Registration and enrollment  Eli Whitney students submit their course schedules for approval to their residential college dean according to the submission deadline for seniors. Students admitted since the fall term 2007 are permitted to enroll for a full course load, up to 5.5 course credits each term, with the possibility of a greater term load if appropriate permissions are secured. See “Normal Program of Study” in section C. Students admitted prior to the fall term 2007 may normally enroll for no more than a total of six course credits during an academic year (exclusive of enrollment in Yale Summer Session). As an exception, a student may petition the director to enroll for a
total of eight course credits in an academic year; such permission, if granted, will be granted one time only.

3. **Tuition and financial aid**  Tuition for the 2011–2012 academic year for Eli Whitney students admitted before the fall term 2007 is $3,100 per course credit; these students are not eligible for financial aid. Tuition for the 2011–2012 academic year for Eli Whitney students admitted since the fall term 2007 is $4,500 per course credit; these students are eligible to apply for financial aid. Yale employees are entitled to a tuition reduction as determined by the Office of Human Resources. Tuition must be paid in full to the Office of Student Financial Services before registration.

4. **Facilities and services**  Eli Whitney students are entitled to use the library system together with the other facilities that are required for the courses in which they are enrolled, such as laboratories, computers, and the like. They are also eligible for services such as career counseling through Undergraduate Career Services and fellowships through the Center for International Experience. Eli Whitney students are entitled to purchase gymnasium membership and Yale Health Plan coverage. Students in the Eli Whitney program are not eligible for undergraduate housing and they may not serve as freshman counselors.

5. **Regulations**  Eli Whitney students are governed by the academic regulations of Yale College, wherever appropriate, and by the rules contained in the Undergraduate Regulations. In disciplinary matters, Eli Whitney students are subject to the jurisdiction of the Yale College Executive Committee.


7. **Year or Term Abroad**  With the approval of the director of the Eli Whitney Students program, the department of their major, and the Committee on the Year or Term Abroad, students enrolled in the Eli Whitney Students program may undertake study outside the United States for a full academic year or for either a fall or a spring term. An Eli Whitney student must comply with all deadlines and requirements of the Committee on the Year or Term Abroad. See “Year or Term Abroad” in section K. To be eligible to apply, an Eli Whitney student must have accumulated, before enrolling abroad, at least sixteen course credits but no more than twenty-two course credits toward the 36-course-credit requirement and have a B average in course work at Yale. Study abroad must involve full-time work at the university level. Eli Whitney students must enroll for at least two terms in Yale College after their return from study abroad and may not receive degree credit for any other work done at another university after their matriculation at Yale.

8. **Yale students**  No person who was ever a regular student in Yale College may enter the Eli Whitney Students program before the lapse of five years after withdrawing from Yale College. A person who in the past has withdrawn from Yale College without graduating and who wishes to return to Yale as a candidate for the bachelor’s degree as an Eli Whitney student must make application to the Eli Whitney Students program
and fulfill all of its requirements for the bachelor’s degree, including the requirement
that at least eighteen course credits must be earned while the student is enrolled in the
Eli Whitney Students program. Once a former Yale College student has entered the Eli
Whitney Students program, that student can pursue the bachelor’s degree only through
the Eli Whitney Students program.

Further information and application forms for the Eli Whitney Students program are
available at admissions.yale.edu/eli-whitney.

N. Nondegree Students Program

The Nondegree Students program is designed to meet the needs of students with specific
and defined educational goals, which may include personal or professional enrichment,
exploration of new fields, or preparation for career changes. This program offers non-
resident students who are unable to attend college full time the opportunity to enroll in
Yale College courses for credit. The Nondegree Students program is open to graduates
of Yale College, and is also open to academically qualified persons who have attended
other colleges and universities, or who have not continued their education beyond high
school. Like all others enrolled in Yale College, students in this program are required to
comply with the academic regulations.

Nondegree students may enroll in from one to five courses in any academic term. Non-
degree students may not take more than a total of eighteen course credits in the Nondegree
Students program.

1. **Academic requirements**  Nondegree students are required to meet all of the academic
obligations of any course in which they enroll. At the end of a term, the record of any
nondegree student who does not have at least a C average for that term will be reviewed,
and that student may not be permitted to enroll in a subsequent term. To remain in
academic good standing, a student is furthermore expected to complete at least one
course per term. Withdrawal from all courses in any given term may jeopardize good
standing and enrollment in a subsequent term. Students who plan not to enroll in
courses in any given term must apply for a leave of absence on or before the tenth day
of the term in question. A leave of absence can be granted for no more than two terms.
Any student who does not enroll in courses in a term and does not apply for a leave of
absence may be removed from the program.

2. **Registration and enrollment**  All nondegree students register for courses with Dean
William Whobrey, 55 Whitney Avenue, Suite 430, 432-2430. In general, admission
to limited-enrollment courses is not available to nondegree students. Auditing is not
permitted in the Nondegree Students program. Nondegree students are not eligible
for enrollment in individual tutorial courses; nor are they eligible, while in the Non-
degree Students program, for enrollment in courses in the graduate or the professional
schools. Those interested in enrolling in such courses should apply directly to the
Graduate School or to the particular professional school in whose courses they wish
to enroll.
3. **Credit/D/Fail option** Nondegree students who wish to elect a course under the Credit/D/Fail option must make a compelling case for that election in a petition to Dean William Whobrey no later than September 14 for the fall term and January 20 for the spring term. Nondegree students may take no more than one course in a term using the Credit/D/Fail option, and must be enrolled in at least one other course worth a minimum of one course credit during the same term. A maximum of two courses may be taken Credit/D/Fail during a student’s time in the Nondegree Students program.

4. **Tuition** The tuition for nondegree students during 2011–2012 is $4,500 per course credit; Yale employees and their spouses are entitled to a tuition reduction as determined by the Office of Human Resources. Tuition must be paid in full to the Office of Student Financial Services before registration. Yale provides no financial assistance for nondegree students. Students withdrawing from a course may be eligible for a refund of all or a portion of the tuition fees, in accordance with the tuition refund policy: (a) a student who drops a course for any reason on or before the last day of the course selection period will be refunded the tuition fees paid for that course; (b) a student who drops a course for any reason after the course selection period but on or before the day of midterm (Friday, October 21, for fall 2011, and Friday, March 2, for spring 2012) will be refunded one-half the tuition paid for that course; (c) a student who drops a course after midterm will not be refunded any portion of the tuition.

Fees for late submission of course schedules apply as outlined in section E of this chapter. Please note that payments completed after the registration deadline may be subject to late payment fees. Late payments will be accepted (with the addition of a late payment fee) no later than September 23, 2011, for fall 2011, and February 3, 2012, for spring 2012. Any student who has not completed payment in full for courses by these dates will not be permitted to enroll for that term.

5. **Facilities and services** Nondegree students are entitled to use the library system and other facilities that are required for the courses in which they are enrolled, such as laboratories, computers, and the like. For a fee, they are entitled to purchase gymnasium membership and Yale Health Plan coverage. Nondegree students are not eligible for undergraduate housing and they may not serve as freshman counselors.

6. **Regulations** Nondegree students are governed by the academic regulations of Yale College and by the rules contained in the Undergraduate Regulations. In disciplinary matters, nondegree students are subject to the jurisdiction of the Yale College Executive Committee.

7. **Yale students** Students who have withdrawn from Yale College or who did not complete degree requirements within the number of terms of enrollment for which they were admitted may not return to Yale College to complete degree requirements as nondegree students. This rule includes former Yale College students who are currently employees of the University. Students on leave of absence may not be admitted to the Nondegree Students program.

8. **Yale graduates** Graduates of Yale College who have received the bachelor’s degree after eight terms of regular enrollment are eligible to apply as nondegree students either on
a full-time or on a part-time basis. But Yale College graduates who have taken degrees after fewer than eight terms of regular enrollment are eligible to apply as nondegree students only on a full-time basis until they have completed the equivalent of eight terms of enrollment in Yale College. Thus a student who took a seven-term degree must be a full-time student for the first term in which he or she is a nondegree student, but may be a part-time nondegree student in a subsequent term. For example, a student who has completed degree requirements at the end of a fall term after eight terms of regular enrollment is eligible to apply as a nondegree student either on a full-time basis or on a part-time basis during the subsequent spring term, but a student who has completed degree requirements at the end of a fall term after seven terms of regular enrollment is eligible to apply as a nondegree student during the subsequent spring term only on a full-time basis. Please note that any courses taken by a former Yale College student in the Nondegree Students program will appear on the undergraduate transcript.

9. **Transfer students** Students who have been accepted for admission as transfer students may not attend Yale as nondegree students before their first term of enrollment at Yale.

10. **Application deadlines** Applications are due on October 1, 2011, for spring term 2012, and on June 1, 2012, for fall term 2012. Yale employees require permission of their supervisors to apply. Nondegree enrollment may begin in either the fall or the spring term.

Further information and application forms are available at admissions.yale.edu/non-degree-students-program.

### O. Credit from Other Universities

A student may not employ course credits earned at another college or university to reduce the expected number of terms of enrollment in Yale College. Under the conditions described below, a student may apply as many as two course credits earned at another college or university toward the 36-course-credit requirement for graduation from Yale College. Forms on which to request the award of credit for study that has been completed elsewhere are available at the offices of the residential college deans. Before undertaking such outside study, the student should consult the residential college dean about both the institution to be attended and the course to be taken there. Courses in Yale Summer Session are not considered outside courses, and there is no limit on the number of such courses that a student may offer toward the requirements of the bachelor’s degree; see “Courses in Yale Summer Session” in section K. Similarly, courses taken in the Yale College program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London, or in the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in Beijing, are Yale courses and do not count as outside credit.

1. **Approval of credit** In order for credit to be given for courses taken elsewhere, all of the following conditions must be met:
   
   (a) The director of undergraduate studies in the subject of a course taken elsewhere must approve the award of credit at Yale for the course.

   (b) A student who has studied at an American university, or abroad on a program sponsored by an American university, must provide the office of the residential college dean with an official transcript of the work completed. A student who has enrolled in
a program that is not sponsored by an American university should supply an official transcript if the sponsoring institution issues transcripts; if it does not, then the student must furnish an official certificate of enrollment, showing if possible the course or courses completed.

(c) Students seeking outside credit should be prepared to furnish a copy of the course syllabus, as well as essays and examinations written in the course. In some cases, a letter from the instructor of the course may be required, or the student may be asked to pass an examination on the material of the course. Such information may be particularly necessary in the case of study at a foreign university.

(d) Study undertaken in the United States must be at a four-year accredited institution that grants a bachelor’s degree in the arts and sciences. Foreign study must be completed at a university or other approved institution. Credit may be awarded only for work done while a student was officially enrolled at such an institution, and cannot be given for any work completed independently of such formal enrollment.

(e) A grade of A or B is expected; a grade of C is acceptable. Credit cannot be given for a mark of Credit on a Credit/D/Fail option, nor for a grade of Pass on a Pass/Fail option, if the student had the choice of taking the course for a letter grade.

(f) In order for credit to be given for a course completed at another college or university, the course must carry a value of at least three semester credit hours; if the course is taken at an institution on the quarter system, it must carry a value of at least four-and-one-half quarter units.

(g) In order for credit to be given for a course completed at another college or university, the number of contact hours for the course must equal or exceed the number of contact hours for an equivalent course offered in Yale College during the fall or spring term, and the length of term (from the first to the last day of classes) must be at least four consecutive weeks.

2. Residential college seminars Residential college seminars are, by definition, courses that extend beyond the Yale College curriculum. They are not used as comparables for credit for outside courses, whether in Year or Term Abroad or for other considerations for outside credit.

3. Work done while in secondary school Course credit or distributional credit cannot be given for any college or university course taken while the student was still enrolled in secondary school. Work done after graduation from secondary school but before matriculation at Yale may be accepted on recommendation from the appropriate director of undergraduate studies.

As a regular exception to this rule, students who earned credits while still enrolled in secondary school as members of the Nondegree Students program in Yale College or as students in Yale Summer Session may apply such credits toward the requirements of the bachelor’s degree.

4. Limit of two course credits Credit cannot be given for more than two course credits earned at another institution. An exception of one additional course credit may be made only by action of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing upon the student’s petition, normally after the final term of enrollment.
5. **Distributional requirements** With permission, course credit earned at another college or university may be applied toward the distributional requirements for the bachelor's degree and to those for the sophomore and junior years whether or not it is counted toward the 36-course-credit requirement for graduation; students should consult with the residential college dean to be directed to the appropriate authority for such approval. Credit from outside Yale may not be applied toward the distributional requirements for the freshman year. Note particularly that Yale does not award course credit or distributional credit for courses completed at another college or university before the student graduated from secondary school.

6. **The foreign language requirement and courses taken elsewhere** Students who have taken a course in a foreign language at another institution, either in the United States or through a program abroad, and who wish to offer that course toward fulfillment of the foreign language distributional requirement must secure the approval of the relevant director of undergraduate studies. While the approval process varies across departments, in no case can it be completed until an official transcript of the work has been received and reviewed by the department. Typically, an additional assessment of the student’s work will be necessary, especially with respect to the level (e.g., L3 through L5) that has been achieved by the outside study. Such assessment might include a written or oral examination or both, a review of the course syllabus and written assignments, or other methods of evaluation. Some departments maintain a list of programs that have been previously evaluated, in which case the approval process is often simplified. Students are therefore strongly encouraged to consult the relevant department before undertaking language study elsewhere.

7. **Major requirements** At the discretion of the director of undergraduate studies in a student’s major, work done at another institution may be counted as fulfilling a requirement of the student’s major program. This may be done whether or not a course is credited toward the 36-course-credit requirement.

8. **Year or Term Abroad** Students receiving credit for foreign study on a Year Abroad are not eligible to apply additional credit from outside Yale toward the 36-course-credit requirement. Students receiving such credit on a Term Abroad may apply up to two course credits from outside Yale toward the 36-course-credit requirement.

   Students receiving credit for foreign study on a Year or Term Abroad may apply such credit toward the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree or toward a requirement of the student’s major program (see points 5 and 7 above).

9. **Summer Abroad** Students who wish to receive credit for summer study abroad with outside programs must apply for approval through the Summer Abroad program. The deadline to apply for 2012 Summer Abroad credit is March 1, 2012. Information about the application process, including a list of eligible programs, is available at the Center for International Experience, 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd floor, and on the Web at [www.yale.edu/yalecollege/studyabroad](http://www.yale.edu/yalecollege/studyabroad). Students receiving credit for foreign study on a Summer Abroad may apply such credit toward the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree or toward a requirement of the student’s major program (see points 5 and 7 above).
10. **Transfer students** Students admitted by transfer from another college or university may receive course credit from outside Yale only for work done before matriculation at Yale; transfer students may not receive course credit for any outside courses taken after they have enrolled in Yale College. An exception may under certain circumstances be made in the case of course credits earned by transfer students on a Year or Term Abroad. See section L, “Transfer Students.” Transfer students must enroll in Yale College proper for at least four terms, and earn therein at least eighteen course credits.

11. **Correspondence courses, internships, and the like** Course credit cannot be given for a course taken by correspondence even if it is sponsored by another university, including accredited four-year institutions granting a bachelor’s degree. It also cannot be given for such programs as internships, field studies, workshops, or “distance learning” arrangements, unless such programs include as a component a full, regular, academic course of instruction, and are certified by a transcript from an accredited four-year institution granting a bachelor’s degree.

12. **Yale transcript** Outside courses may be entered on a student’s Yale transcript only if they are applied to the 36-course-credit requirement, the distributional requirements, or the requirements of a major program. Such courses must be entered on the Yale transcript if they are to be applied toward any of these requirements. Except for transcripts of transfer students (on which see section L, “Transfer Students”), courses that are applied toward the 36-course-credit requirement are listed by title with indication of the credit units earned, but without grades. Courses that are applied toward the distributional requirements only are listed without grades and with the designation “for distributional credit only.” Courses that are applied toward the requirements of a major program only are listed without grades and with the designation “for credit toward the major only.” Once a course has been entered on a student’s Yale transcript at the student’s request, the entry may not subsequently be removed at the student’s request.


**P. Acceleration Policies**

**ACCELERATION BY THE EARLY ACCUMULATION OF THIRTY-SIX COURSE CREDITS ALL EARNED AT YALE**

A student may accelerate progress toward graduation by accumulating thirty-six course credits in fewer than eight terms of enrollment. Such a student must earn all thirty-six course credits at Yale and may not offer course credits earned at another institution in order to reduce the number of terms of enrollment at Yale.

1. **Study abroad** Terms spent on a Year or Term Abroad count as if they were terms of enrollment in Yale College, but course credits earned therein may not be applied to acceleration by the early accumulation of thirty-six course credits because all such credits must be earned at Yale. A spring term at the Yale College program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London or a fall or spring term at the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in Beijing is, in fact, a term of enrollment.
in Yale College, and credits earned in either program may be applied to such acceleration. Attendance at Yale Summer Session or the summer program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London does not count as a term of enrollment, but course credits earned in these summer programs may be applied toward acceleration by the early accumulation of thirty-six credits all earned at Yale. See “Courses in Yale Summer Session” and “Yale-in-London Summer Program” in section K.

2. **Patterns of attendance** While students employing acceleration credits in order to acquire an accelerated degree are required to attend Yale in certain patterns of attendance (see below), no particular pattern of attendance is required from a student accelerating by the early accumulation of thirty-six course credits all earned at Yale.

3. **Six or seven terms of enrollment** Either a six-term degree or a seven-term degree may be acquired by the accumulation of thirty-six course credits earned at Yale; graduation after fewer than six terms of enrollment in Yale College by such an early accumulation of course credits is not permitted.

4. **Notification by the student** A student intending to accelerate through the early accumulation of thirty-six course credits all earned at Yale must notify the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing through the residential college dean of that intention by the day on which the student’s course schedule is due in the final term of enrollment. Such notification must include written certification from the student’s director of undergraduate studies that the student will have completed all of the requirements of the major program, and from the residential college dean that the student will have fulfilled the distributional requirements at the conclusion of that term. Failure to do so will result in the student’s being charged a fine of $100.

5. **Deceleration** A student may subsequently decelerate and take an eight-term degree. A reversion to an eight-term degree will not affect a student’s academic good standing or eligibility for eight terms of financial aid.

### ACCELERATION BY USE OF ACCELERATION CREDITS

For the definition of acceleration credits and the criteria for their award, see yalecollege.yale.edu/content/acceleration or appendix A of the Freshman Handbook. For the sake of equity and fairness, no exceptions can be made to the regulations governing the use of acceleration credits. Inquiries about acceleration may be addressed to the residential college dean or to Chair of the Committee on Advanced Placement and Acceleration, Registrar’s Office, 246 Church Street, 432-2331.

1. **Eligibility** The following charts list the number of total credits needed to accelerate by one or two terms during a given term of enrollment:

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2. **Application deadline**  Application to accelerate is made by submission of the required form to the office of the residential college dean. The deadline for applying for acceleration is the last day of classes in the respective term of enrollment given in the eligibility charts above. As a special exception, a student accelerating by one or two terms who wishes to complete a term of study abroad as early as during the third term of enrollment would have to petition to accelerate before the third term of enrollment. Such a student should consult with the residential college dean. The absolute and final deadline for applying for acceleration by one term is the last day of classes in the sixth term of enrollment. The absolute and final deadline for applying for acceleration by two terms is the last day of classes in the fifth term of enrollment.

3. **Course credit requirement for graduation**  A student accelerating by two terms must earn at least twenty-seven course credits at Yale, and a student accelerating by one term must earn at least thirty-two course credits at Yale. Therefore, with the exception of credit earned through enrollment in the Year or Term Abroad program, a student accelerating by use of acceleration credits may not apply any credit earned at another college or university toward the 36-course-credit requirement for the bachelor’s degree.

4. **Enrollment requirements, including required patterns of attendance**  A student intending to accelerate by two terms must complete six terms of full-time enrollment in Yale College. Those six terms may be in any pattern of enrollment as long as the student’s sixth and final term of enrollment is a spring term.

   A student intending to accelerate by one term must complete seven terms of full-time enrollment in Yale College. Those seven terms may be in any pattern of enrollment as long as the student’s seventh and final term of enrollment is a spring term.

   A student accelerating by two terms may not combine acceleration credits and course credits to graduate in fewer than six terms; six terms of enrollment is the minimum as well as the maximum requirement for acceleration by two terms. Likewise, a student accelerating by one term may not combine acceleration credits and course credits to graduate in fewer than seven terms; seven terms of enrollment is the minimum as well as the maximum requirement for acceleration by one term.

5. **Deceleration**  A student accelerating by two terms or one term may subsequently apply to decelerate by submitting the required form to the office of the residential college dean. A student who is considering whether to decelerate should consult with the residential college dean as soon as possible. A student accelerating by two terms who subsequently decides to accelerate by only one term must meet the requirements for acceleration by one term. A student accelerating by two terms or one term may subsequently decide to decelerate completely and take an eight-term degree. Since by
definition an eight-term degree is not an accelerated degree, such a student will lose the use of acceleration credits. A reversion to an eight-term degree will not adversely affect a student’s academic good standing or eligibility for eight terms of financial aid.

6. Reacceleration A student who has declared an intention to decelerate and to relinquish the use of acceleration credits is permitted to accelerate again through the use of acceleration credits as long as the student meets the eligibility requirements and application deadline for one or two terms of acceleration given in points 1 and 2 above.

GENERAL RULES RELATING TO THE USE OF ACCELERATION CREDITS

1. Notification The chief responsibility for ascertaining eligibility and for meeting the deadline to apply for acceleration rests with the students themselves. However, the Registrar’s Office will make reasonable efforts to inform students, at the beginning of the third term of enrollment, of their eligibility to accelerate by one or two terms.

   It is not the responsibility of the Registrar’s Office or Yale College to remind students who have declared an intention to accelerate of the rules on the pattern of attendance stipulated for the use of acceleration credits. Students who are accelerating are themselves responsible for planning to meet these rules, and if a student’s pattern of attendance does not conform to them, it will be concluded that the student has decided to relinquish the use of acceleration credits and not to accelerate. Such a student will be automatically decelerated.

2. Interruption of studies by leave or withdrawal Terms of enrollment need not be consecutive. A student accelerating by one or two terms has the same privileges of leave of absence or withdrawal that a nonaccelerating student has.

3. A third term of leave of absence A student taking an accelerated degree by use of acceleration credits who has had two terms of leave of absence may receive a third term of leave if it is needed to bring the student’s pattern of attendance into conformity with the pattern of attendance stipulated for an accelerated degree. See “Leave of Absence” in section J; a student who has received long-term loans through Yale or who is receiving financial aid from Yale should particularly note paragraph 8 under “Leave of Absence.”

4. Withdrawal If a student withdraws from a term after the date on which course schedules for that term are due, the uncompleted term counts as a term of enrollment, both in the determination of the student’s eligibility to accelerate and in the calculation of the number of terms in which the student has been in attendance at Yale. As an exception to this rule, if an accelerating student withdraws from Yale College on the recommendation of the Yale Health Center without having successfully completed a term, the student has the option of not counting the uncompleted term as one of the six or seven terms of enrollment.

5. Enrollment in Yale Summer Session or the Yale-in-London summer program Attendance at Yale Summer Session or the summer program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London does not constitute a term of enrollment. Thus a student accelerating by one term may not offer attendance at Yale Summer Session or the summer program at the
Paul Mellon Centre in London as one of the required seven terms of enrollment in Yale College. Course credits earned by attendance at these summer programs, however, may be applied toward the requirements for the bachelor’s degree by accelerating students, provided that such students meet the conditions specified for acceleration by one or two terms. See also “Courses in Yale Summer Session” and “Yale-in-London Summer Program” in section K.

6. **Course credit from outside Yale** A student accelerating by two terms must earn at least twenty-seven course credits at Yale, and a student accelerating by one term must earn at least thirty-two course credits at Yale. Therefore, an accelerating student may not apply any credit earned at another college or university toward the 36-course-credit requirement for the bachelor’s degree. A student, whether accelerating or not, may be permitted to apply course credits earned at another college or university toward the requirements of the student’s major program or toward any of the distributional requirements other than those for the freshman year. See section O, “Credit from Other Universities.”

(Please note that attendance at the Yale College program at the Paul Mellon Centre in London during the spring term counts just as if it were a term of enrollment at Yale College in New Haven, as does attendance at the Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in Beijing. Attendance at the Paul Mellon Centre during the summer, however, does not count as a term of enrollment. See “Yale-in-London Summer Program” in section K.)

7. **Year or Term Abroad** A Year Abroad counts as two terms and a Term Abroad counts as one term of enrollment in Yale College. Credits earned on a Year or Term Abroad count as the equivalent of Yale course credits.

Note that after a Year or Term Abroad all students must attend two subsequent terms in Yale College; see “Year or Term Abroad” in section K. In many cases a student must relinquish the use of acceleration credits and decelerate in order to take a Year or Term Abroad. As a special exception, a student accelerating by one or two terms who wishes to complete a term of study abroad as early as during the third term of enrollment would have to petition to accelerate before the third term of enrollment. A student who wishes to accelerate and to take a Year or Term Abroad should consult with the residential college dean and the Center for International Experience at the earliest opportunity.

An accelerating student who wishes also to complete a Year or Term Abroad must conform to one of the following schemes:

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8. **Distributional requirements** Acceleration credits may not be employed to meet the distributional requirements for the freshman, sophomore, or junior years, or the
distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree, including the foreign language requirement. With permission, an accelerating student may apply course credit earned at another college or university toward the distributional requirements for the bachelor’s degree and to those for the sophomore and junior years; students should consult with the residential college dean to be directed to the appropriate authority for such approval.

9. **Major requirements**  With the permission of the director of undergraduate studies, an accelerating student may apply credit earned at another university toward the requirements of the student’s major program.

10. **Makeup of course credit deficiency**  If an accelerating student’s record at the end of a term of enrollment shows a deficiency for promotion, academic good standing, or graduation, the student will be allowed to repair the deficiency without forfeiting the use of acceleration credits only through enrollment in Yale Summer Session if the credit earned is to be applied toward the 36-course-credit requirement for the bachelor’s degree. See section D, “Promotion and Good Standing.”

11. **Enrollment after graduation as a nondegree student**  Accelerating students who have qualified for the award of the bachelor’s degree are eligible, as are all Yale College graduates, for full-time enrollment in Yale College as nondegree students. Because such students will have graduated, they will not be eligible for financial aid. See section N, “Nondegree Students Program.”

12. **Transfer students**  Students admitted by transfer from other colleges and universities are not eligible for acceleration by the use of acceleration credits.

Q. **Amendments**

The University reserves the right to amend or supplement these regulations at any time upon such notice to students as it deems appropriate.
III. SUBJECTS OF INSTRUCTION

Majors in Yale College

A subject marked with an asterisk may be taken only as a second major.

African American Studies (B.A.)
African Studies (B.A.)
American Studies (B.A.)
Anthropology (B.A.)
Applied Mathematics (B.A. or B.S.)
Applied Physics (B.S.)
Archaeological Studies (B.A.)
Architecture (B.A.)
Art (B.A.)
Astronomy (B.A.)
Astronomy and Physics (B.S.)
Biology (B.A. or B.S.)
Chemistry (B.A. or B.S.)
Chinese (B.A.)
Clasical Civilization (B.A.)
Classics (Greek) (B.A.)
Classics (Greek and Latin) (B.A.)
Classics (Latin) (B.A.)
Cognitive Science (B.A.)
Computer Science (B.A. or B.S.)
Computer Science and Mathematics (B.A. or B.S.)
Computer Science and Psychology (B.A.)
Computing and the Arts (B.A.)
East Asian Studies (B.A.)
Economics (B.A.)
Economics and Mathematics (B.A.)
Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (B.S.)
Engineering
Biomedical Engineering (B.S.)
Chemical Engineering (B.S.)
Electrical Engineering (B.S.)
Engineering Sciences (Chemical) (B.S.)
Engineering Sciences (Electrical, Environmental, or Mechanical) (B.A. or B.S.)
Environmental Engineering (B.S.)
Mechanical Engineering (B.S.)
English (B.A.)
Environmental Studies (B.A.)
Ethics, Politics, and Economics (B.A.)
Ethnictiy, Race, and Migration*
Film Studies (B.A.)
French (B.A.)
Geology and Geophysics (B.A. or B.S.)
German (B.A.)
German Studies (B.A.)
Global Affairs (B.A.)
Greek, Ancient and Modern (B.A.)
History (B.A.)
History of Art (B.A.)
History of Science, History of Medicine (B.A.)
Humanities (B.A.)
International Studies*
Italian (B.A.)
Japanese (B.A.)
Judaic Studies (B.A.)
Latin American Studies (B.A.)
Linguistics (B.A.)
Literature (B.A.)
Mathematics (B.A. or B.S.)
Mathematics and Philosophy (B.A.)
Mathematics and Physics (B.S.)
Modern Middle East Studies (B.A.)
Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry (B.A. or B.S.)
Music (B.A.)
Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations (B.A.)
Philosophy (B.A.)
Physics (B.S.)
Physics and Philosophy (B.A.)
Political Science (B.A.)
Portuguese (B.A.)
Psychology (B.A. or B.S.)
Religious Studies (B.A.)
Russian (B.A.)
Russian and East European Studies (B.A.)
Sociology (B.A.)
South Asian Studies*
Spanish (B.A.)
Special Divisional Major (B.A. or B.S.)
Statistics (B.A. or B.S.)
Theater Studies (B.A.)
Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies (B.A.)
Accounting

**ACCT 170a or b, Financial Accounting**  Laurance Schiffres
Contemporary accounting and corporate financial reporting. Preparation, interpretation, and analysis of the earnings statement; the statement of financial position and the statement of cash flows. Open to seniors and juniors as space allows.

African American Studies

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**Lecturers**  Kathleen Cleaver, Flemming Norcott, Deborah Thomas

The African American Studies major examines, from numerous disciplinary perspectives, the experiences of people of African descent in Black Atlantic societies including the United States, the Caribbean, and Latin America. Students in the department explore the historical, cultural, political, economic, and social development of Black Atlantic societies. The major demands that students acquire both an analytic ability rooted in a traditional discipline and interdisciplinary skills of investigation and research.

African American Studies offers training of special interest to those considering admission to graduate or professional schools and careers in education, journalism, law, business management, city planning, international relations, politics, psychology, publishing, or social work. The interdisciplinary structure of the department offers students an opportunity to satisfy the increasingly rigorous expectations of admissions committees and prospective employers for a broad liberal arts perspective that complements specialized knowledge of a field.

African American Studies can be taken either as a primary major or as one of two majors in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. Appropriate majors to combine with African American Studies might include, but are not limited to, American Studies, Anthropology, Economics, English, Ethnicity, Race, and Migration, History, History of Art, Music, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Theater Studies, and foreign languages. Regulations concerning the completion of two majors can be found in chapter II, section K, of this bulletin.
Requirements of the major  The major in African American Studies requires twelve term courses including a yearlong history sequence (AFAM 160, 162), one course in the humanities relevant to African American studies (e.g., AFAM 167, 172, 191, 245, 277, 279, 295, 304, 327, 369, 389, 408, or 434), one course in the social sciences relevant to African American studies (e.g., AFAM 250, 282, 317, or 414), the junior seminar (AFAM 410), the senior colloquium (AFAM 480), and the senior essay (AFAM 491). These courses examine ideas and problems that may originate in many fields but that have a common concern—the black experience. The distribution of requirements is intended to provide students with a broad interdisciplinary experience. Students are strongly encouraged to complete the history sequence by the end of their sophomore year.

Area of concentration  Students majoring in African American Studies are required to choose an area of concentration comprising five courses. This cluster of interrelated courses is intended to ground the student’s learning experience in one area of investigation. Often students will choose an area of concentration in a traditional discipline such as political science, sociology, American studies, history, or English language and literature. (This strategy is especially helpful for students planning to fulfill the requirements of two majors.) Students can also construct interdisciplinary areas of concentration that span traditional departments and encompass broader theoretical frameworks such as race and ethnicity, cultural studies, or feminism and gender studies. All majors are encouraged to take upper-level courses as part of their concentration, especially those courses centering on research and methodology. None of the seven required courses in African American Studies may be counted among the five electives in the area of concentration.

Junior seminar  In their junior year students must take the junior seminar (AFAM 410, Interdisciplinary Approaches to African American Studies). This course provides majors with theoretical and methodological bases for the work they will do during their research-oriented senior year.

Senior requirement  Senior majors participate in a colloquium (AFAM 480) that gives them an opportunity to exchange ideas with each other and with more advanced scholars; students submit a prospectus, compile a working bibliography, begin or continue research, and write the first eight to ten pages of the senior essay. After completing the colloquium, each student carries out the remaining research and writing of a senior essay (AFAM 491) under the guidance of a faculty member in the chosen discipline or area of concentration.

Students are strongly encouraged to use the summer between the junior and senior years for research directly related to the senior essay. For example, field or documentary research might be undertaken in urban or rural communities throughout the Black Atlantic diaspora. The particular research problem and design are to be worked out in each case with a faculty adviser.

Procedures  Students considering a program of study in African American Studies should consult the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible. Areas of concentration and schedules for majors must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies.
REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  None
Number of courses  12 term courses (incl senior req)
Specific courses required  AFAM 160, 162, 410
Distribution of courses  1 relevant humanities course and 1 relevant social science course, both approved by DUS; 5 courses in area of concentration
Substitution permitted  Relevant course with DUS permission
Senior requirement  Senior colloq (AFAM 480) and senior essay (AFAM 491)

*AFAM 040a/FILM 040a, Spike Lee  Terri Francis
For description see under Film Studies.

*AFAM 095b/AMST 001b/HIST 001b, African American Freedom Movements in the Twentieth Century  Crystal Feimster
For description see under History.

AFAM 112a/HSAR 379a, New York Mambo: Microcosm of Black Creativity  Robert Thompson
For description see under History of Art.

AFAM 160a/HIST 184a, Slavery and Abolition in Atlantic History, 1500–1888  Edward Rugemer
For description see under History.

[AFAM 162b/AMST 162b/HIST 187b, African American History: From Emancipation to the Present]

AFAM 167a/AMST 317a/WGSS 167a, African American Women’s History  Crystal Feimster
The history of African American women from the eighteenth century to the present. Themes include work, family, community, sexuality, politics, religion, and culture.  HU

*AFAM 172a/HIST 119a, The Civil War and Reconstruction Era, 1845–1877  David Blight
For description see under History.

AFAM 178b/AFST 188b/HSAR 378b, From West Africa to the Black Americas: The Black Atlantic Visual Tradition  Robert Thompson
For description see under History of Art.

AFAM 183b/HSAR 375b, Afro-Modernism in the Twentieth Century  Kobena Mercer
For description see under History of Art.

AFAM 189a/HSAR 373a, African American Art: Colonial Period to 1941  Erica James
For description see under History of Art.

AFAM 190b/HSAR 374b, African American Art: 1941 to the Present  Erica James
For description see under History of Art.
*AFAM 191a/AFST 330a/FREN 230a/LITR 266a, Francophone African and Caribbean Literature*  
Christopher L. Miller  
For description see under French.

AFAM 194b/AMST 194b/DEVN 194b/ENGL 194b, African American Arts Today  
Elizabeth Alexander  
For description see under DeVane Lecture Courses.

AFAM 241a/AFST 262a/MUSI 262a, Traditional and Contemporary Musics of Sub-Saharan Africa  
Michael Veal  
For description see under Music.

*AFAM 242a/FILM 370a, Spectacle, Stereotypes, and Black Film*  
Terri Francis  
For description see under Film Studies.

*AFAM 245a/ENGL 229a, Representing U.S. Slavery*  
Anthony Reed  
For description see under English Language & Literature.

AFAM 250b, Blacks and the Law  
Flemming Norcott  
An exploration of the ways in which legislative and judicial policy has affected the legal and socioeconomic status of African Americans from slavery to the present. Constitutional concepts of equality and integration.  
SO

*AFAM 277b/FILM 373b, Blaxploitation Reexamined*  
Terri Francis  
Examination of African American visual culture of the “blaxploitation” era. Issues of authorship, performance, and audience relative to black creativity; the question of what is included and excluded by genre; and how particular works engage the idea of a black aesthetic tradition.

*AFAM 279a/AMST 273a/WGSS 342a, Black Women’s Literature*  
Naomi Pabst  
Examination of black women’s literary texts, with a focus on the post–civil rights era. Exploration of the ways writers construct and contest the cultural, ideological, and political parameters of black womanhood. Topics include narrative strategy, modes of representation, and textual depictions of the intersections of race, gender, sexuality, color, ethnicity, nationality, class, and generation. Texts placed within the context of black women’s literary legacies.  
HU

AFAM 282a/ECON 280a, Poverty under Postindustrial Capitalism  
Gerald Jaynes  
Political economy of contemporary social welfare policy as it has been affected by economic restructuring, the development of the underclass, and the effects of immigration on the economy and its social structure. Prerequisite: introductory microeconomics.  
SO

*AFAM 285b/AMST 357b, Racial Violence in America*  
Crystal Feimster  
Examination of racial violence against African Americans, Native Americans, Mexican Americans, and Asian Americans. Attention to major historical events and individual experiences. Ways in which racist ideologies and violence have worked to keep different groups of people socially, politically, or economically oppressed in given historical moments.  
HU

*AFAM 290b/HSAR 473b, Caribbean Art History*  
Erica James  
For description see under History of Art.

*AFAM 291a/HSAR 470a, Pop Art and African American Culture*  
Kobena Mercer  
For description see under History of Art.
*AFAM 292b/AMST 292b, Interracial Literature  Naomi Pabst
Examination of interracial and black subjectivity as represented within a selection of postemancipation literary texts. Focus on black/white color line crossing, the trope of the tragic mulatto, and theories of difference and hybridity.  HU

*AFAM 294a/ENGL 294a, African American Literature I: 1740–1900  Robert Stepto
The literary reaction to slavery; the evolution in form from slave narratives to autobiographies and fictions; the incorporation of folk and popular materials into formal literature. Authors include Phyllis Wheatley, Jupiter Hammon, Frederick Douglass, Harriet Jacobs, Frances Ellen Watkins Harper, Charles Chesnutt, Paul Laurence Dunbar, and James Weldon Johnson.  HU

*AFAM 295b/AMST 295b/ENGL 295b, African American Literature II: 1900–1970  Jacqueline Goldsby
An examination of modern African American literature, including poetry, fiction, and plays. Topics include canon formation and genre practices; literary presentations of migration and urbanization, and racial and gender representation and identity; the literary “renaissances” of the twentieth century; and book art and decoration. Works by Paul Laurence Dunbar, Richard Wright, Gwendolyn Brooks, Lorraine Hansberry, Langston Hughes, Zora Neale Hurston, Toni Morrison, and August Wilson.  HU

*AFAM 304b/AMST 309b/WGSS 309b, Toni Morrison  Naomi Pabst
Analysis of Toni Morrison’s speeches, interviews, essays, and eight novels. Examination of race, gender, class, sexuality, identity, and memory in Morrison’s work.  WR, HU

*AFAM 317b/ANTH 303b, Field Methods in Cultural Anthropology  Kamari Clarke
For description see under Anthropology.

*AFAM 327a/AMST 373a/ENGL 339a/WGSS 336a, American Literary Nationalisms  GerShun Aviléz
The influence of nationalist frameworks on American artistic production in 1960s and 1970s. The treatment of gender expression in nationalist sentiments. Focus on writings by and about the Black Arts Movement, the Chicano Movement, the Young Lords Party, Asian American nationalism, and feminist and queer organizing. Works by Arturo Islas, Alice Walker, Frank Chin, Gloria Anzaldúa, Amiri Baraka, and Maxine Kingston.  HU

*AFAM 344a/ENGL 304a/WGSS 331a, Black Women Writers of the 1940s and 1950s  Jacqueline Goldsby
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*AFAM 349a/AMST 326a/WGSS 388a, Civil Rights and Women’s Liberation  Crystal Feimster
The dynamic relationship between the civil rights movement and the women’s liberation movement from 1940 to the present. When and how the two movements overlapped, intersected, and diverged. The variety of ways in which African Americans and women campaigned for equal rights in the twentieth century. Topics include World War II, freedom summer, black power, the Equal Rights Amendment, feminism, abortion, affirmative action, and gay rights.  HU
*AFAM 368a/AMST 321a, Interraciality and Hybridity  Naomi Pabst
Examination of mixed-race matters in both literary and critical writings, primarily within the black/white schema. Historical and current questions of black and interracial identity; the contemporary “mixed race movement” and the emerging rubric of “critical mixed race studies”; historical genealogy of interraciality and hybridity. Analysis of long-standing debates on race mixing in the realms of legal classification, transracial adoption, census taking, grassroots movements, the discursive, the ideological, and the popular.  HU

*AFAM 369b/AMST 378b/ENGL 364b/LITR 271b/THST 369b, African American Theater  Paige McGinley
For description see under Theater Studies.

*AFAM 389b/ENGL 371b/WGSS 389b, Sexuality in African American Literature and Popular Culture  GerShun Avilez
Sexual imagery and content in African American literature and popular culture. Ways that artists and social critics understand the relationship between sexual identity and racial identity. Writers and artists include Alice Walker, Gayl Jones, Spike Lee, Marlon Riggs, Essex Hemphill, Patricia H. Collins, Mark Anthony Neal, and Audre Lorde.  HU

*AFAM 406b/a/AMST 405b/a/ENGL 405b, Autobiography in America  Robert Stepto
For description see under American Studies.

*AFAM 408a/a/AMST 460a/a/ENGL 443a/a, African American Poets of the Modern Era  Robert Stepto
The African American practice of poetry between 1900 and 1960, especially of sonnets, ballads, sermonic, and blues poems. Poets include Paul Laurence Dunbar, Langston Hughes, Sterling Brown, Gwendolyn Brooks, Margaret Walker, and Robert Hayden. Class sessions at the Beinecke Library for inspection and discussion of original editions, manuscripts, letters, and other archival material.  HU

*AFAM 410a/WGSS 410a, Interdisciplinary Approaches to African American Studies  Deborah Thomas
An interdisciplinary, thematic approach to the study of race, nation, and ethnicity in the African diaspora. Topics include class, gender, color, and sexuality; the dynamics of reform, Pan-Africanism, neocolonialism, and contemporary black nationalism. Use of a broad range of methodologies.  HU, SO Junior sem

*AFAM 414b/WGSS 438b, Women, Law, and the Black Freedom Movement  Kathleen Cleaver
Writings and scholarship of women are used to examine struggles against slavery, racial segregation, economic exploitation, and gender discrimination in the United States. Focus on women who were abolitionists, civil rights leaders, and freedom fighters.  SO

*AFAM 423b/b/AMST 384b/ENGL 306b/b, American Artists and the African American Book  Robert Stepto
The visual art in African American books since 1900. Artists include Winold Reiss, Aaron Douglas, E. S. Campbell, Tom Feelings, and the FSA photographers of the 1940s. Topics include Harlem Renaissance book art, photography and literature, and children’s books. Research in collections of the Beinecke Library and the Yale Art Gallery is encouraged.  HU
*AFAM 434a/ENGL 442a, Music and Poetics in the African Diaspora  Anthony Reed
For description see under English Language & Literature.  (Formerly AFAM 302)

*AFAM 471a and 472b, Independent Study: African American Studies  Edward Rugemer
Independent research under the direction of a member of the department on a special
topic in African American studies not covered in other courses. Permission of the director
of undergraduate studies and of the instructor directing the research is required. A proposal
signed by the instructor must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by the
end of the second week of classes. The instructor meets with the student regularly, typically
for an hour a week, and the student writes a final paper or a series of short essays. May be
elected for one or two terms.

*AFAM 480a, Senior Colloquium: African American Studies  Deborah Thomas
A seminar on issues and approaches in African American studies. The colloquium offers
students practical help in refining their senior essay topics and developing research
strategies. Students discuss assigned readings and share their research experiences and
findings. During the term, students are expected to make substantial progress on their
senior essays; they are required to submit a prospectus, an annotated bibliography, and
a draft of one-quarter of the essay.

*AFAM 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Edward Rugemer
Independent research on the senior essay. The senior essay form must be submitted to
the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the second week of classes. The senior
essay should be completed according to the following schedule: (1) end of the sixth week
of classes: a rough draft of the entire essay; (2) end of the last week of classes (fall term)
or three weeks before the end of classes (spring term): two copies of the final version of
the essay.

African Languages
(See under African Studies.)

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**Lecturers** Lacina Coulibaly (Theater Studies), Anne-Marie Foltz (Public Health), David Simon (Political Science)

**Senior Lectors II** Sandra Sanneh, Kiarie Wa’Njogu

**Senior Lectors** Oluseye Adesola, Matuku Ngam

The program in African Studies enables students to undertake interdisciplinary study of the arts, history, cultures, politics, and development of Africa. As a foundation, students in the program gain a cross-disciplinary exposure to Africa. In the junior and senior years, students develop analytical ability and focus their studies on research in a particular discipline such as anthropology, art history, history, languages and literatures, political science, or sociology.

African Studies provides training of special interest to those considering enrollment in graduate or professional schools, or careers in education, journalism, law, management, medicine, politics, psychology, international relations, creative writing, or social work. The interdisciplinary structure of the program offers students an opportunity to satisfy the increasingly rigorous expectations of admissions committees and prospective employers for a broad liberal arts perspective that complements specialized knowledge of a field.

**Requirements of the major** The program in African Studies consists of thirteen term courses including (1) one African Studies course in the humanities and one in the social sciences; (2) two years of an African language (Arabic, Kiswahili, Yorùbá, isiZulu, or others with permission of the director of undergraduate studies), unless waived by examination; (3) the junior seminar on research methods, AFST 401; and (4) a concentration of four term courses in a discipline such as anthropology, art history, history, languages and literatures, political science, or sociology, or in an interdisciplinary program such as African American Studies; Ethnicity, Race, and Migration; or Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies. Other areas of concentration (e.g., diaspora studies, development studies) may be chosen in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies.

The required courses represent the core of the program and are intended to expose the student both to the interdisciplinary nature of African studies and to the methodologies currently being brought to bear on the study of African cultures and societies. Students are encouraged to include upper-level courses, especially those centering on research and methodology.

**Senior requirement** Senior majors enroll in AFST 490, a colloquium that gives them an opportunity to exchange ideas with each other and to give presentations on their research. In the course, students also prepare a prospectus, compile a bibliography, and write a draft
chapter of the senior essay. After completing the colloquium, each student carries out the remaining research and writing of the senior essay in AFST 491 under the guidance of a faculty adviser.

A preliminary statement indicating the topic to be addressed and the name of the faculty adviser must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the second week of the fall term in the senior year. Students should also inform the director of undergraduate studies of their preferred second reader by this time.

**Language requirement** African Studies majors are required to complete two years of college-level study of an African language or the equivalent, and they are encouraged to continue beyond this level. For the major’s language requirement to be waived, a student must pass a placement test for admission into an advanced-level course or, for languages not regularly offered at Yale, an equivalent test of speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills administered through the Center for Language Study. Students should begin their language study as early as possible.

**Program in African Languages** The language program offers instruction in three major languages from sub-Saharan Africa: Kiswahili (eastern and central Africa), Yorùbá (West Africa), and isiZulu (southern Africa). African language courses emphasize communicative competence, using multimedia materials that focus on the contemporary African context. Course sequences are designed to enable students to achieve advanced competence in all skill areas by the end of the third year, and students are encouraged to spend a summer or term in Africa during their language study.

Courses in Arabic are offered through the department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations. Noncredit instruction in other African languages is available by application through the Directed Independent Language Study program at the Center for Language Study. Contact the director of the Program in African Languages for information.

**Procedure** Students planning to major in African Studies should consult the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible.

**M.A. program** The African Studies program does not offer the simultaneous award of the B.A. and M.A. degrees. However, students in Yale College are eligible to complete the M.A. in African Studies in one year of graduate work if they begin the program in the third and fourth undergraduate years. Students interested in this option must complete eight graduate courses in the area by the time of the completion of the bachelor’s degree. Only two courses may be counted toward both graduate and undergraduate degrees. Successful completion of graduate courses while still an undergraduate does not guarantee admission into the M.A. program.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** None

**Number of courses** 13 term courses (incl. senior req)

**Distribution of courses** 1 African Studies course in humanities and 1 in social sciences; 2 years of an African language; 4 term courses in area of concentration

**Specific course required** AFST 401

**Senior requirement** Senior colloquium (AFST 490) and senior essay (AFST 491)
*AFST 110a*, Introduction to an African Language I  Kiarie Wa’Njogu
Beginning instruction in an African language other than those regularly offered. Courses offered depend on availability of instructors. Methodology and materials vary with the language studied. Credit only on completion of AFST 120. Students may also study an African language through the noncredit Directed Independent Language Study program, described in chapter I of this bulletin.  L1  1½ Course cr

*AFST 120b*, Introduction to an African Language II  Kiarie Wa’Njogu
Continuation of AFST 110. After AFST 110.  L2  1½ Course cr

AFST 170b/GLBL 214b/PLSC 170b, African Poverty and Western Aid  
Christopher Blattman
For description see under Political Science.

AFST 180b*/ER&M 250b, Nigeria and Its Diaspora  Oluseye Adesola
Nigerians in the modern diaspora, both those who endured forced migration and those who migrated voluntarily. Specific reference to the Igbo and the Yorubás. The preservation and maintenance of Nigerian culture, history, dance, literature, traditional education, theater, politics, art, music, film, religion, and folklore, especially in African American and Nigerian American contexts.  SO

AFST 188b/AFAM 178b/HSAR 378b, From West Africa to the Black Americas: The Black Atlantic Visual Tradition  Robert Thompson
For description see under History of Art.

AFST 262a/AFAM 241a/MUSI 262a, Traditional and Contemporary Musics of Sub-Saharan Africa  Michael Veal
For description see under Music.

AFST 280a/MMES 196a/SOCY 135a, Islamic Society, Culture, and Politics  Jonathan Wyrtzen
For description see under Sociology.

AFST 288a/ANTH 288a, The State in Africa  Michael McGovern
For description see under Anthropology.

*AFST 330a/AFAM 191a/FREN 230a/LITR 266a, Francophone African and Caribbean Literature  Christopher L. Miller
For description see under French.

AFST 334b, History of Africa  Staff
History of Africa from the origins of humankind to the late twentieth century. Topics include the Bantu expansion, precolonial state formation, the spread of Islam, the era of the slave trade, colonial rule, and postcolonial developments.  HU

AFST 340a/HIST 340a, Africa in the Era of the Slave Trade  Robert Harms
For description see under History.

AFST 347a/LAST 348a/PLSC 347a, Post-Conflict Politics  David Simon
For description see under Political Science.
*AFST 353b/MUSI 353b, Topics in World Music  Michael Veal
For description see under Music.

AFST 365b, Language and Ethnicity in South Africa  Sandra Sanneh
The role of language in the construction of identity in South Africa. Focus on shifting identities during the apartheid period and since independence.  SO

AFST 385b/PLSC 385b, Introduction to African Politics  Ato Kwamena Onoma
For description see under Political Science.

*AFST 398a/ER&M 398a/INTS 398a/SOCY 398a, Race and Class in Comparative Perspective  Jeremy Seekings
For description see under International Studies.

*AFST 401aG, Research Methods in African Studies  Ann Biersteker
Disciplinary and interdisciplinary research methodologies in African studies, with emphasis on field methods and archival research in the social sciences and humanities. Research methodologies are compared by studying recent works in African studies.  Junior sem

*AFST 403a/EP&E 373a/PLSC 403a, The Politics of Human Rights  Ato Kwamena Onoma
For description see under Political Science.

For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*AFST 421bG, Comparative Perspectives on African Literatures  Ann Biersteker
Introduction to a wide range of topics in African literature through English translations of works composed both in African and in European languages. Readings include poetry, novels, plays, essays, nonliterary texts, and autobiographies. Consideration of the symbiotic relationship between printed text and oral performance and between composition and transmission.  HU

*AFST 430bG, Language Planning in Sub-Saharan Africa  Kiarie Wa’Njogu
Examination of language policies in selected sub-Saharan African countries. Analysis of language use in different contexts; assessment of the impact of globalization on African languages.  HU

*AFST 435b/THST 335b, West African Dance: Traditional to Contemporary  Lacina Coulibaly
For description see under Theater Studies.

For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*AFST 471a and 472b, Independent Study  Staff
Independent research under the direction of a faculty member in the program on a special topic in African Studies not covered in other courses. Permission of the director of undergraduate studies and of the instructor directing the research is required. A proposal signed by the instructor must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the second week of classes. The instructor meets with the student regularly, typically for
an hour a week, and the student writes a final paper or a series of short essays. Either term or both terms may be elected.

*AFST 487a/HIST 387Ja, West African Islam: Jihad Tradition and Its Pacifist Opponents Lamin Sanneh
For description see under History.

*AFST 490a, African Studies Colloquium Ann Biersteker
Students conduct research for the senior essay, give presentations on their research, and prepare a bibliography, a prospectus, and a draft chapter of the senior essay. Discussion of model essays and other examples of writing. HU, SO

*AFST 491a or b, The Senior Essay Staff
Independent research on the senior essay. The senior essay should be completed according to the following schedule: (1) end of the sixth week of classes: a rough draft of the entire essay; (2) end of the last week of classes (fall term) or three weeks before the end of classes (spring term): two copies of the final version of the essay.

SWAH 110a, Beginning Kiswahili I Kiarie Wa’Njogu
A beginning course with intensive training and practice in speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Initial emphasis is on the spoken language and conversation. Credit only on completion of SWAH 120. L1 1½ Course cr

SWAH 120b, Beginning Kiswahili II Kiarie Wa’Njogu
Continuation of SWAH 110. Texts provide an introduction to the basic structure of Kiswahili and to the culture of the speakers of the language. Prerequisite: SWAH 110. L2 1½ Course cr

SWAH 130a, Intermediate Kiswahili I Kiarie Wa’Njogu
Further development of students’ speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills. Prepares students for further work in literary, language, and cultural studies as well as for a functional use of Kiswahili. Study of structure and vocabulary is based on a variety of texts from traditional and popular culture. Emphasis on command of idiomatic usage and stylistic nuance. After SWAH 120. L3 1½ Course cr

SWAH 140b, Intermediate Kiswahili II Kiarie Wa’Njogu
Continuation of SWAH 130. After SWAH 130. L4 1½ Course cr

SWAH 150a, Advanced Kiswahili I Kiarie Wa’Njogu
Development of fluency through readings and discussions on contemporary issues in Kiswahili. Introduction to literary criticism in Kiswahili. Materials include Kiswahili oral literature, prose, poetry, and plays, as well as texts drawn from popular and political culture. After SWAH 140. L5

SWAH 160b, Advanced Kiswahili II Ann Biersteker
Continuation of SWAH 150. After SWAH 150. L5

SWAH 170a or b, Topics in Kiswahili Literature Kiarie Wa’Njogu [F], Ann Biersteker [Sp]
Advanced readings and discussion with emphasis on literary and historical texts. Reading assignments include materials on Kiswahili poetry, Kiswahili dialects, and the history of the language. After SWAH 160. L5, HU
YORU 110a, Beginning Yorùbá I  Oluseye Adesola
Training and practice in speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Initial emphasis is on the spoken aspect, with special attention to unfamiliar consonantal sounds, nasal vowels, and tone, using isolated phrases, set conversational pieces, and simple dialogues. Multimedia materials provide audio practice and cultural information. Credit only on completion of YORU 120. L1 1½ Course cr

YORU 120b, Beginning Yorùbá II  Oluseye Adesola
Continuing practice in using and recognizing tone through dialogues. More emphasis is placed on simple cultural texts and role playing. Prerequisite: YORU 110. L2 1½ Course cr

YORU 130a, Intermediate Yorùbá I  Oluseye Adesola
Refinement of students’ speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills. More natural texts are provided to prepare students for work in literary, language, and cultural studies as well as for a functional use of Yorùbá. After YORU 120. L3 1½ Course cr

YORU 140b, Intermediate Yorùbá II  Oluseye Adesola
Students are exposed to more idiomatic use of the language in a variety of interactions, including occupational, social, religious, and educational. Cultural documents include literary and nonliterary texts. After YORU 130. L4 1½ Course cr

YORU 150a, Advanced Yorùbá I  Oluseye Adesola
An advanced course intended to improve students’ aural and reading comprehension as well as speaking and writing skills. Emphasis on acquiring a command of idiomatic usage and stylistic nuance. Study materials include literary and nonliterary texts; social, political, and popular entertainment media such as movies and recorded poems (ewi); and music. After YORU 140. L5

YORU 160b, Advanced Yorùbá II  Oluseye Adesola
Continuing development of students’ aural and reading comprehension and speaking and writing skills, with emphasis on idiomatic usage and stylistic nuance. Study materials are selected to reflect research interests of the students. After YORU 150. L5

YORU 170a, Topics in Yorùbá Literature and Culture I  Oluseye Adesola
Advanced readings and discussion concerning Yorùbá literature and culture. Focus on Yorùbá history, poetry, novels, movies, dramas, and oral folklore, especially from Nigeria. Insight into Yorùbá philosophy and ways of life. Prerequisite: YORU 160. L5, HU

YORU 172b, Topics in Yorùbá Literature and Culture II  Oluseye Adesola
Continuation of YORU 170. After YORU 170. L5, HU

ZULU 110a, Beginning isiZulu I  Sandra Sanneh
A beginning course in conversational isiZulu, using Web-based materials filmed in South Africa. Emphasis on the sounds of the language, including clicks and tonal variation, and on the words and structures needed for initial social interaction. Brief dialogues concern everyday activities; aspects of contemporary Zulu culture are introduced through readings and documentaries in English. Credit only on completion of ZULU 120. L1 1½ Course cr

ZULU 120b, Beginning isiZulu II  Sandra Sanneh
Development of communication skills through dialogues and role play. Texts and songs drawn from traditional and popular literature. Students research daily life in selected areas of South Africa. Prerequisite: ZULU 110. L2 1½ Course cr
ZULU 130a, Intermediate isiZulu I  Sandra Sanneh
Development of fluency in speaking, listening, reading, and writing, using Web-based materials filmed in South Africa. Students describe and narrate spoken and written paragraphs. Review of morphology; concentration on tense and aspect. Materials are drawn from contemporary popular culture, folklore, and mass media. After ZULU 120.  1.3 1½ Course cr

ZULU 140b, Intermediate isiZulu II  Sandra Sanneh
Students read longer texts from popular media as well as myths and folktales. Prepares students for initial research involving interaction with speakers of isiZulu in South Africa and for the study of oral and literary genres. After ZULU 130.  1.4 1½ Course cr

ZULU 150a, Advanced isiZulu I  Sandra Sanneh
Development of fluency in using idioms, speaking about abstract concepts, and voicing preferences and opinions. Excerpts from oral genres, short stories, and television dramas. Introduction to other South African languages and to issues of standardization, dialect, and language attitude. After ZULU 140.  1.5

ZULU 160b, Advanced isiZulu II  Sandra Sanneh
Readings may include short stories, a novel, praise poetry, historical texts, or contemporary political speeches, depending on student interests. Study of issues of language policy and use in contemporary South Africa; introduction to the Soweto dialect of isiZulu. Students are prepared for extended research in South Africa involving interviews with isiZulu speakers. After ZULU 150.  1.5

Akkadian
(See under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)

American Studies

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**Senior Lecturers** James Berger, Ron Gregg (Film Studies)

**Lecturers** Michael Kerbel (Film Studies), Joel Silverman, Rebecca Tannenbaum (History)

The American Studies program encourages the interdisciplinary study of the cultures and politics of the United States, the changing representations of national identity, and the construction of borderland and diasporic cultures over time. Each student in the major combines courses in American Studies with courses from other relevant disciplines (literature, history, the arts, and the social sciences) to explore these broad topics from local, national, and global perspectives. Through the selection of an area of concentration, each student develops a focus for course work in the major. The program encourages scholarly work in nontraditional combinations of disciplines; at the same time, however, it assumes and requires a substantial foundation of knowledge in the history and culture of the United States. Students interested in the major are encouraged to consult with the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible.

**Requirements of the major** All students majoring in American Studies must take fourteen term courses approved by the program’s faculty. Although a good deal of freedom in course selection is permitted, it is expected that all students will acquaint themselves with the materials, skills, and perspectives of cultural studies. Accordingly, the major requires completion – preferably by the end of the sophomore year, but no later than the end of the junior year – of at least four gateway courses (AMST 111–299), including two in cultural history/cultural studies, one broad survey course in American literature, and one course preparatory for work in the student’s area of concentration, to be selected in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. One of these four courses must address material produced before the Civil War. An additional five concentration courses from diverse disciplines must be taken for a letter grade, one of which must incorporate a comparable topic from a non-U.S. perspective. Two electives chosen from the American Studies course offerings are also required.

Students must take two junior seminars (AMST 300–399) during their junior year. At least one of the seminars must fall within the student’s area of concentration, described below. In each of the seminars, students are expected to demonstrate proficiency in interdisciplinary research and analysis through the production of critical essays on primary source materials or a paper of fifteen to twenty pages. Sophomores contemplating a junior term abroad are urged to take one of the junior seminars in the spring term of their sophomore year.
**Area of concentration** Each American Studies major selects an area of concentration, normally in the fall of the junior year, from five possible choices: (1) national formations, (2) the international United States, (3) material cultures and built environments, (4) politics and American communities, and (5) visual, audio, literary, and performance cultures. The concentration in national formations explores historic migrations, settlements, and encounters among peoples who have formed the American nation, with an emphasis on Native American history and the construction of America’s frontiers and borderlands. The international United States concentration focuses on historic and contemporary diasporas, the role of the United States outside its national borders, and the flows of American peoples, ideas, and goods throughout the globe. Students in the material cultures and built environments concentration examine the formation of the American landscape from the natural to the human-made, including the development of American architecture, and the visual and decorative arts. The concentration in politics and American communities investigates the emergence of social groups and their political struggles at the local and national levels, emphasizing the themes of power, inequality, and social justice. Majors with a concentration in visual, audio, literary, and performance cultures study American consumer culture, popular culture, representations, and media in relation to U.S. literatures. Students may also petition the director of undergraduate studies to develop an independent concentration.

**Senior requirement** During the senior year, each student in the major completes work in the area of concentration in one of three ways. First, the student may enroll in a senior seminar within the area of concentration (AMST 400–490). Students should apply interdisciplinary methods and undertake original research to produce a final paper of twenty to twenty-five pages. Students must complete all course requirements to fulfill the senior requirement.

Second, the student may complete a one-term senior project or essay (AMST 491). The product should be a thirty-page essay or its equivalent in another medium. All students writing a one-term senior essay participate in a proseminar on theory and method. To apply for admission to AMST 491, a student should submit a prospectus, signed by the faculty adviser, to the director of undergraduate studies.

Third, the student may enroll in the intensive major (AMST 493 and 494) and work independently for two terms. The intensive major offers an opportunity for significant original research leading to a substantial senior project. AMST 493, 494 carries two terms of credit; its final product should be a sixty-page essay or its equivalent in another medium. All students in the intensive major participate in a yearlong proseminar on theory and method. One term of the two-term project may count as a course in the area of concentration. To apply for admission to AMST 493 and 494, a student should submit a prospectus, signed by the faculty adviser, to the director of undergraduate studies.

As a multidisciplinary program, American Studies draws on the resources of other departments and programs in the University. The following list of courses is meant to be suggestive only: apart from those courses required for the major, it is neither restrictive nor exhaustive. Students are encouraged to examine the offerings of other departments in both the humanities and the social sciences, as well as residential college seminars, for additional relevant courses. The stated area of concentration of each student determines the relevance and acceptability of other courses.
REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  None
Number of courses  14 term courses (incl senior req)
Distribution of courses  4 gateway courses, as specified; 2 junior sems, 1 in area of concentration; 5 courses in area of concentration for letter grades, 1 on a related non-U.S. topic (one may be one term of two-term senior project); 2 electives
Substitution permitted  1 freshman sem for 1 gateway course; others with DUS permission
Senior requirement  Senior sem (AMST 400–490) or one-term senior project (AMST 491) related to area of concentration
Intensive major  Same, except a two-term senior project (AMST 493 and 494) replaces AMST 491

FRESHMAN SEMINARS

*AMST 001b/AFAM 095b/HIST 001b, African American Freedom Movements in the Twentieth Century  Crystal Feimster
For description see under History.

*AMST 004a, Narrations of Native America  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant
Introduction to contemporary and historic writing by American Indian authors of non-fiction and fiction. Focus on the varied ways American Indians have employed literacy and recorded oratory as means to document, interpret, represent, and comment on their histories and experiences. Use of materials from the Beinecke Library. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  WR, HU Fr sem

*AMST 006a, Violence and Justice in America  John Mack Faragher
The problem of violence and justice in American society, history, and culture. Introduction to the disciplinary approaches in social science, history, and cultural criticism that comprise the interdisciplinary practice of American Studies. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  WR, HU Fr sem

*AMST 007a/HSAR 002a, Furniture and American Life  Edward Cooke, Jr.
For description see under History of Art.

GATEWAY COURSES

AMST 131b/HIST 131b, U.S. Political and Social History, 1900–1945  Beverly Gage
For description see under History.

AMST 132b/HIST 132b/WGSS 132b, American Politics and Society, 1945 to the Present  Jennifer Klein
For description see under History.

AMST 133b/ER&M 187b/HIST 107b, Introduction to American Indian History  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant
For description see under History.
AMST 135a/HIST 127a/WGSS 200a, U.S. Lesbian and Gay History  George Chauncey
For description see under History.

*AMST 136b/FILM 444b/WGSS 376b, Sexual Modernity and Censorship in American Film  Ron Gregg
For description see under Film Studies.

AMST 141b/HIST 141b, The American West  John Mack Faragher
For description see under History.

AMST 150a/HIST 145a/RLST 108a, Religion in Modern America, 1865–2000  Kathryn Lofton
American religious expansion from the Gilded Age to the late twentieth century. Religion's response to urbanization, industrialization, and the “new immigrations”; religion and science; the challenge of pluralism; religion in America's wars (hot and cold); religion and politics from 1960s radicalism to neoconservative evangelicalism; women’s rise in leadership; New Age occultism.  HU  (Formerly AMST 312)

AMST 176b/EVST 206b/HIST 144b/HSHM 206b/HUMS 323b, Science and Technology in the United States  Daniel Kevles
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

AMST 188a/HIST 115a, The Colonial Period of American History  John Demos
For description see under History.

AMST 190a/HIST 112a, The Formation of Modern American Culture, 1876–1919  Jean-Christophe Agnew
An introduction to the cultural history of the United States from Reconstruction through the First World War, with special attention to the persistence of popular culture, the transformation of bourgeois culture, and the birth of mass culture during a period of rapid industrialization.  HU

AMST 193b/HIST 122b, Origins of U.S. Global Power  Jenifer Van Vleck
For description see under History.

AMST 194b/AFAM 194b/DEVN 194b/ENGL 194b, African American Arts Today  Elizabeth Alexander
For description see under DeVane Lecture Courses.

AMST 207a/ARCH 340a, American Cultural Landscapes: An Introduction to the History of the Built Environment  Dolores Hayden
Introduction to land use, transportation, town planning, and vernacular building patterns in the United States. After a brief review of Native American and colonial settlement patterns, the first section of the course (1800–1920) deals with traditional towns and large cities, the second (1920–2000) with peripheral growth that transformed downtowns and shaped diffuse metropolitan regions.  WR, HU, SO

AMST 210b/ENGL 280b, Nineteenth-Century American Literature, the Revolution to 1865  Michael Warner
For description see under English Language & Literature.
AMST 217b/HSAR 216b, Craft, Design, and Art: American Domestic Architecture and Decorative Arts since 1900  Edward Cooke, Jr.
For description see under History of Art.

*AMST 222a/FILM 432a, World Documentary  Charles Musser
For description see under Film Studies.

*AMST 225a/FILM 325a, American Film Comedy  Michael Roemer
A study of the great American film comedians and an investigation into the psychology of laughter. Comedians from Chaplin and Keaton to the Marx brothers and Fields examined against a background of European comedy. Comic form and technique and their relevance to the American scene. Not a history of American film comedy. Priority to juniors and seniors majoring in American Studies or in Film Studies.  HU  RP

AMST 246a/ENGL 289a, Hemingway, Fitzgerald, Faulkner  Wai Chee Dimock
For description see under English Language & Literature.

AMST 247a/G/HIST 147a/G/HSTM 202a, Media and Medicine in Modern America  John Warner, Gretchen Berland
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

*AMST 257b/ENGL 325b, Modern Apocalyptic Narratives  James Berger
The persistent impulse in Western culture to imagine the end of the world and what might follow. Social and psychological factors that motivate apocalyptic representations. Differences and constant features in apocalyptic representations from the Hebrew Bible to contemporary science fiction. Attitudes toward history, politics, sexuality, social class, and the process of representation in apocalyptic texts.  HU

*AMST 266b/HIST 126b, Murder and Mayhem in Old New York  Mary Lui
For description see under History.

AMST 272a/ER&M 282a/HIST 183a/WGSS 272a, Asian American History, 1800 to the Present  Mary Lui
An introduction to the history of East, South, and Southeast Asian migrations and settlement to the United States from the late eighteenth century to the present. Major themes include labor migration, community formation, U.S. imperialism, legal exclusion, racial segregation, gender and sexuality, cultural representations, and political resistance.  HU

*AMST 273a/AFAM 279a/WGSS 342a, Black Women’s Literature  Naomi Pabst
For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 292b/AFAM 292b, Interracial Literature  Naomi Pabst
For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 295b/AFAM 295b/ENGL 295b, African American Literature II: 1900–1970  Jacqueline Goldsby
For description see under African American Studies.

JUNIOR SEMINARS

*AMST 309b/AFAM 304b/WGSS 309b, Toni Morrison  Naomi Pabst
For description see under African American Studies.
AMST 317a/AFAM 167a/WGSS 167a, African American Women’s History  
Crystal Feimster  
For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 321a/AFAM 368a, Interraciality and Hybridity  
Naomi Pabst  
For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 322a/WGSS 371a, Gender, Family, and Cultural Identity in Asia and the 
United States  
Geetanjali Singh Chanda  
For description see under Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

*AMST 326a/AFAM 349a/WGSS 388a, Civil Rights and Women’s Liberation  
Crystal Feimster  
For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 330a/ENGL 236a, Dystopic and Utopian Fictions  
James Berger  
Attempts since the late nineteenth century to imagine, in literature, cinema, and social theory, a world different from the existing world. The merging of political critique with desire and anxiety; the nature and effects of social power; forms of authority, submission, and resistance.  
HU

*AMST 343b, Muslim Diasporas in America  
Zareena Grewal  
Exploration of the meanings and attachments that connect Muslims in the U.S. to homelands in the Muslim world. How to define and apply the concept of diaspora to an ever-broadening set of Muslim populations dispersed in space, including immigrants, expatriates, refugees, guest workers, exiles, and religious seekers. Analysis of newspaper articles, political comics, memoirs, fiction, ethnographies, political essays, sociological surveys, and documentary films.  
SO

*AMST 346b/ENGL 341b, American Literature and the World  
Wai Chee Dimock  
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*AMST 349b/ER&M 288b/WGSS 434b, Border Feminism  
Alicia Schmidt Camacho  
An examination of the experience of women of Mexican descent in the United States in relation to cultural and political movements in the Third World.  
HU RP

*AMST 350b/ARCH 350b, Suburbs and the Culture of Sprawl  
Dolores Hayden  
Analysis of the shifting meanings of city, suburb, and countryside in the United States since 1920. Definition of sprawl as uncontrolled growth on metropolitan fringes, leading to the decline of older inner-city neighborhoods and small town centers. Discussion of research methods on the built environment, including the use of photographs, maps, and plans. Readings from history, geography, architecture, and literature.  
WR, HU

*AMST 355a/THST 342a, Modern Drama and Modern Technologies  
Paige McGinley  
For description see under Theater Studies.

*AMST 357b/AFAM 285b, Racial Violence in America  
Crystal Feimster  
For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 364b/FILM 423b, Documentary and the Environment  
Charles Musser  
For description see under Film Studies.
*AMST 366a/ENGL 419a/THST 355a, Modernism and American Theater  
   Marc Robinson  
   For description see under Theater Studies.

*AMST 369a/ER&M 229a, Socialism and Marxism in the Twentieth Century  
   Michael Denning  
   The history of Marxism and its relation to the labor, feminist, and anticolonial social movements since the great upheavals of 1919. Topics include the Leninisms of the Communist movement, the anticolonial Marxisms of national liberation struggles, the cultural and intellectual trajectory of Western Marxism, the New Left, and contemporary global justice movements.  
   HU

*AMST 370a/THST 380a, The History of Dance  
   Nicole Stanton  
   For description see under Theater Studies.

*AMST 373a/AFAM 327a/ENGL 339a/WGSS 336a, American Literary Nationalisms  
   GerShun Avilez  
   For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 378b/AFAM 369b/ENGL 364b/LITR 271b/THST 369b, African American Theater  
   Paige McGinley  
   For description see under Theater Studies.

*AMST 381a/ARCH 351a, Poets’ Landscapes  
   Dolores Hayden  
   Introduction to techniques poets have used to ground their work in the landscapes and buildings of American towns and cities including Chicago, New York, and Los Angeles. Attention to poems from a national automotive landscape as well as narrative poems about cities. Writing exercises in different poetic forms and readings from the works of Dickinson, Frost, Bishop, Lowell, Wilbur, Dickey, Pinsky, Cervantes, and Merrill.  
   WR, HU

*AMST 384b/AFAM 423b*/ENGL 306b*, American Artists and the African American Book  
   Robert Stepto  
   For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 390a or b, The Junior Seminar  
   Staff  
   An interdisciplinary course in American history, literature, arts, and society, organized around a common core of texts. Topics vary by term.  
   HU, SO

*AMST 395b/ER&M 391b/HIST 154b, Radical California  
   Stephen Pitti  
   A survey of twentieth-century California history and culture, with attention to civil rights movements, immigrant communities, the rise of Hollywood, the New Right, popular music, labor activism, and environmental politics. Focus on Los Angeles and San Francisco, with some attention to the Central Valley.  
   HU

SENIOR SEMINARS

*AMST 405b*/AFAM 406b*/ENGL 405b, Autobiography in America  
   Robert Stepto  
   A study of autobiographical writings from Mary Rowlandson's Indian captivity narrative (1682) to the present. Classic forms such as immigrant, education, and cause narratives; prevailing autobiographical strategies involving place, work, and photographs. Authors include Franklin, Douglass, Jacobs, Antin, Kingston, Uchida, Balakian, Als, and Karr.  
   WR, HU
*AMST 406b/ENGL 329b, The Spectacle of Disability  James Berger  
Examination of how people with disabilities are represented in U.S. literature and culture. Ways in which these representations, along with the material realities of disabled people, frame society’s understanding of disability; the consequences of such formulations. Various media, including fiction, nonfiction, film, television, and memoirs, viewed through a wide range of analytical lenses.  WR, HU RP

*AMST 410a/HIST 166Ja/WGSS 409a, Asian American Women and Gender, 1830 to the Present  Mary Lui  
For description see under History.

*AMST 416a/FILM 438a, U.S. Cinema from 1960 to the Mid-1970s  Michael Kerbel  
An examination of significant developments in American narrative cinema from 1960 to the mid-1970s through close analysis of representative films. The decline of the studio system; Hollywood’s departures from traditional genres, themes, structures, and styles; the treatment of previously forbidden subjects; the influence of avant-garde, documentary, and international film; the director’s ascendance; representations of race, ethnicity, gender, and sexuality; relations between films and American politics, society, and culture.  HU RP

*AMST 419a/ER&M 450a/HIST 152Ja, Land, Homelands, and American Indian Histories  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant  
Investigation of American Indian nations’ relationships with their homelands, from creation traditions through the colonial period to late twentieth-century land claims litigation. Themes include American Indians’ inscription of meaning onto the landscapes they know as their homelands, and contestation over these lands in the post-contact period.  WR, HU

*AMST 441a/ER&M 370a/HIST 130Ja, Indians and the Spanish Borderlands  Ned Blackhawk  
For description see under History.

*AMST 449b/WGSS 451b, Photography and Memory: Public and Private Lives  Laura Wexler  
For description see under Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

*AMST 457b/HIST 113Ja, Cultural Capital: New York in the Twentieth Century  Jean-Christophe Agnew  
An interdisciplinary study of New York City as a global cultural capital in the twentieth century. Social, political, and economic forces shaping the principal institutions of the city’s patrician, popular, and mass cultures. The formation of identifiably “New York” styles in the arts, architecture, photography, literature, and film. The changing geography of cultural creation, reproduction, and distribution in the city.  WR, HU

*AMST 458b/HIST 155Ja, Northeastern Native America to 1850  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant  
Examination of the social, political, economic, and religious experiences of American Indian peoples and nations in northeastern North America. Readings introduce a range of approaches to the study of American Indian nations and their struggles with colonialism.  WR, HU
*AMST 460a/AFAM 408a/ENGL 443a, African American Poets of the Modern Era
Robert Stepto
For description see under African American Studies.

*AMST 467a/ER&M 415a, Investigating the Present  Alicia Schmidt Camacho
For description see under Ethnicity, Race, & Migration.

*AMST 471a and 472b, Individual Reading and Research for Juniors and Seniors
Kathryn Dudley [F], George Chauncey [Sp]
Special projects intended to enable the student to cover material not otherwise offered by the program. The course may be used for research or for directed reading, but in either case a term paper or its equivalent is required as evidence of work done. It is expected that the student will meet regularly with the faculty adviser. To apply for admission, a student should submit a prospectus signed by the faculty adviser to the director of undergraduate studies.

SENIOR PROJECT

*AMST 491a or b, Senior Project  Kathryn Dudley [F], George Chauncey [Sp]
Independent research and proseminar on a one-term senior project. For requirements see under “Senior requirement” in the text above.

*AMST 493a and 494b, Senior Project for the Intensive Major  Kathryn Dudley [F],
George Chauncey [Sp]
Independent research and proseminar on a two-term senior project. For requirements see under “Senior requirement” in the text above.

Anthropology

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The major in Anthropology gives a firm grounding in this comparative discipline concerned with human cultural, social, and biological diversity. Anthropology deals not only
with that small proportion of humankind in Europe and North America but with societies of the entire world, from the remotest past to the present day. It is thus an essential part of a sound liberal education, helping us to see our world from a perspective that challenges ethnocentric assumptions. The major in Anthropology covers the evolution of human and nonhuman primates and the evolutionary biology of living people; world prehistory and the emergence of civilization; diversity and commonality in social organization and culture; the importance of culture for understanding such topics as sickness and health, gender and sexuality, and religion; and language use as cultural behavior.

The subfields of anthropological inquiry—archaeology, biological anthropology, sociocultural anthropology, and linguistic anthropology—together offer a holistic perspective on humankind and its development.

**Requirements of the major** Students are required to present twelve course credits toward their major, including introductory or intermediate courses in at least three subfields of anthropology, a senior essay, and three advanced courses (not including ANTH 471, 472, 491, or a senior essay seminar). The major does not have formal tracks, but majors may choose to concentrate in one of the subfields of anthropology. They may also draw on courses in sociocultural and biological anthropology to pursue a concentration in medical anthropology. Those who concentrate in sociocultural anthropology are strongly encouraged to take a course in ethnographic methods and one in anthropological theory (e.g., ANTH 311). Those who concentrate in biological anthropology are strongly encouraged to take courses that give them hands-on experience working with material used in the study of human and nonhuman primate anatomy and evolution (e.g., ANTH 267) and that introduce them to laboratory methods. Those who concentrate in archaeology are strongly encouraged to take the yearlong sequence in field and laboratory methods (ANTH 277, 278L, 279L).

Three term courses may be selected from other departments, with approval by the director of undergraduate studies. Majors are not required to present cognate courses, but those who do should choose courses that expand their knowledge in one of the subfields of anthropology or in an area of cross-disciplinary concentration. For example, cognate courses for biological anthropology can be found in Biology, Geology and Geophysics, Psychology, and Forestry & Environmental Studies; cognates for sociocultural anthropology can be found in Sociology, American Studies, and History. Appropriate areas of cross-disciplinary concentrations include such topics as area studies (e.g., Africa), anthropological approaches to law and health, gender and sexuality studies, evolutionary biology, and geology.

**Senior essay** All majors are required to complete a substantial paper during the senior year, either in a seminar or in ANTH 491. There are three options for completing the senior essay. First, students can write a paper for an advanced seminar. A seminar senior essay must be more substantial than a typical term paper and is expected to be 20–25 pages long. It is evaluated by the seminar instructor and a second reader drawn from the Yale faculty. Students must obtain written approval for this option from the seminar instructor no later than the third week of the term. Students fulfilling the requirements of two majors may not apply a single seminar essay toward the senior requirement for both
majors. The deadline for a seminar senior essay is the senior essay deadline, not the term paper deadline. Students choosing this option must take the seminar for which they write their essay in addition to the three advanced courses required for the major.

The second option for the senior essay is an independent essay on a subject of the student’s choice, completed in ANTH 491. Regardless of the term in which the essay is written, a student pursuing this option must choose a topic and identify an Anthropology faculty adviser by the third week of the fall term of the senior year. The student should also inform the director of undergraduate studies of a preferred second reader by this time. The adviser must have a faculty appointment in Anthropology, and the second reader must have a faculty appointment at Yale.

The third option for the senior essay is a yearlong paper, begun in ANTH 471 or 472 and completed in ANTH 491. The yearlong essay is designed for students who wish to pursue more extensive independent projects than can be completed in a single term. Students must have their project approved by a faculty adviser who establishes the requirements for ANTH 471 or 472; approval is required before the student registers for ANTH 471 or 472, typically in the fall term of the senior year.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites None

Number of courses 12 course credits (incl senior essay)

Distribution of courses At least 1 intro survey or intermediate course in each of 3 subfields; 3 advanced courses (not incl ANTH 471, 472, 491, or senior essay sem); up to 3 cognate courses in other depts or programs with DUS approval

Senior requirement Senior essay in advanced sem or ANTH 491

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

*ANTH 011a, Reproductive Technologies Marcia Inhorn
Introduction to scholarship on the anthropology of reproduction. Focus on reproductive technologies such as contraceptives, prenatal diagnostics, childbirth technologies, abortion, assisted reproduction, surrogacy, and embryonic stem cells. The globalization of reproductive technologies, including social, cultural, legal, and ethical responses. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  
so Fr sem

*ANTH 012b, Exploring Sport, Society, and Culture William Kelly
Introduction to critical sport studies. Exploration of the nature of sports, the emergence of modern sports, and implications of sports for health, technology, ethics, gender, sexuality, class, race, nationalism, and globalization. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  
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*ANTH 110b, An Introduction to Cultural Anthropology  
Erik Harms  
The anthropological study of cosmology, tacit knowledge, and ways of knowing the world in specific social settings. Ways in which sociocultural specificity helps to explain human solutions to problems of cooperation and conflict, production and reproduction, expression, and belief. Introduction to anthropological ways of understanding cultural difference in approaches to sickness and healing, gender and sexuality, economics, religion, and communication.  
so

ANTH 114a, Introduction to Medical Anthropology  
Sean Brotherton  
Major theoretical orientations in medical anthropology. Examples of cross-cultural sickness, health, healing, and witchcraft.  
so

ANTH 116a, Introduction to Biological Anthropology  
David Watts  
Introduction to human and primate evolution, primate behavior, and human biology. Topics include a review of principles of evolutionary biology and basic molecular and population genetics; the behavior, ecology, and evolution of nonhuman primates; the fossil and archaeological record for human evolution; the origin of modern humans; biological variation in living humans; and the evolution of human behavior.  
sc, so

SURVEY COURSES

ANTH 170b, Chinese Culture, Society, and History  
Helen Siu  
Anthropological explorations of basic institutions in traditional and contemporary Chinese society. Topics include kinship and marriage, religion and ritual, economy and social stratification, state culture, socialist revolution, and market reform.  
so

ANTH 171a/ARCG 171a, Great Civilizations of the Ancient World  
Anne Underhill  
A survey of selected prehistoric and historical cultures through examination of archaeological sites and materials. Emphasis on the methodological and theoretical approaches by which archaeologists recover, analyze, and interpret the material remains of the past.  
so

ANTH 172b/ARCG 172b, Great Hoaxes and Fantasies in Archaeology  
William Honeychurch  
Examination of selected archaeological hoaxes, cult theories, and fantasies; demonstration of how archaeology can be manipulated to authenticate nationalistic ideologies, religious causes, and modern stereotypes. Examples of hoaxes and fantasies include the lost continent of Atlantis, Piltdown man, ancient giants roaming the earth, and alien encounters. Evaluation of how, as a social science, archaeology is capable of rejecting such interpretations about the past.  
so

INTERMEDIATE COURSES

ANTH 201b, Postwar Vietnam  
Erik Harms  
Vietnamese society since the end of the Vietnam War in 1975. Focus on the effect of economic and political changes on cultural and social life. The challenges of postwar socialism; economic renovation; the intersection of market-oriented socialism with class dynamics, urbanization, gender, health care, and ritual life.  
so
ANTH 204a, Molecular Anthropology  Brenda Bradley
An introduction to the patterns and process of human genetic variation. Topics include human origins and migration; molecular adaptations to environment, lifestyle, and disease; ancient and forensic DNA analyses; and genealogical reconstructions. SC

ANTH 205a, Language, Culture, and Identity  J. Joseph Errington
Introduction to the role of language in the constitution of gendered, class, ethnic, and national identities. Ethnographic and linguistic case studies are combined with theoretical and comparative approaches. Enrollment limited to 40. SO (Formerly ANTH 120)

ANTH 209b, After the Soviet Union  Douglas Rogers
Changes in the lives of former Soviet citizens following the Soviet Union’s disintegration in 1991. Transformations in politics, culture, religion, gender, consumption patterns, and national identity, as well as how these issues are interconnected. Such changes viewed as windows onto global transformations of knowledge, power, and culture at the turn of the twenty-first century. SO

ANTH 212b, Primate Molecular Ecology and Evolution  Brenda Bradley
An overview of how molecular tools are used to answer questions about primate behavior, ecology, and evolution. Topics include primate phylogeography, molecular identification, kinship and paternity, conservation genetics, and the molecular basis of primate adaptations. SC

ANTH 215b/ARCG 215b, Archaeology of China  Anne Underhill
Archaeology of China, one of the world’s oldest and most enduring civilizations, from the era of early humans to early empires. Methods of interpreting remains from prehistoric and historic period sites. SO

ANTH 216b, Ritual and Religion in Theory and Practice  Sara Shneiderman
Introduction to the anthropological study of religion and ritual, with a focus on political dimensions. Readings from a range of world traditions and geographical areas. Recommended preparation: a course in cultural anthropology, sociology, or religious studies. SO

*ANTH 221b/MMES 411b, Middle East Society and Culture  Narges Erami
Introduction to ethnographic and historical works on the Middle East. Focus on relationships between sociocultural practices and experiences of living in the region. Themes include religion, nationalism, colonialism, Orientalism, kinship, media, informal networks, subjectivity, popular culture, the city, law, education, and gender and sexuality. SO

ANTH 232a/ARCG 232a/LAST 232a, Ancient Civilizations of the Andes  Richard Burger
Survey of the archaeological cultures of Peru and Bolivia from the earliest settlement through the late Inca state. SO

ANTH 242b, Human Evolutionary Biology and Life History  Richard Bribiescas
The range of human physiological adaptability across environments and ecologies. Effects of energetic constraints on growth, reproduction, and behavior within the context of evolution and life history theory, with special emphasis on traditional non-Western societies. SC, SO
ANTH 244a, Modern Southeast Asia  
Erik Harms
Introduction to the peoples and cultures of Southeast Asia, with special emphasis on the challenges of modernization, development, and globalization. Southeast Asian history, literature, arts, belief systems, agriculture, industrialization and urbanization, politics, ecological challenges, and economic change.

ANTH 254a, Japan: Culture, Society, Modernity  
William Kelly
Introduction to Japanese society and culture. The historical development of Japanese society; family, work, and education in contemporary Japan; Japanese aesthetics; and psychological, sociological, and cultural interpretations of Japanese behavior.

ANTH 257a/GLBL 221a/HLTH 260a/INTS 341a, Biocultural Perspectives on Global Health  
Catherine Panter-Brick
For description see under Global Affairs.

ANTH 267b/ARCG 267b, Human Evolution  
Andrew Hill
Examination of the fossil record of human evolution, including both paleontological and archaeological evidence for changes in hominid behavior during the Pleistocene. Prerequisite: an introductory course in biological anthropology or biology.

ANTH 270b, Evolution and Human Behavior  
David Watts
A critical overview of evolutionary accounts of the behavior of modern humans. Background on the evolution of social behavior, foraging, and mating systems, with examples from various nonhuman species. Detailed examination of evolutionary hypotheses about selected aspects of human behavior, such as mate choice and intergroup aggression, and associated controversies.

ANTH 276a/SAST 219a, Contemporary South Asia: Ethnographic and Critical Approaches  
Sara Shneiderman
Study of a series of texts that introduce anthropological and critical approaches to South Asia’s peoples and cultures while questioning the historical and political possibility of understanding such a diverse region.

*ANTH 277a/ARCG 277a, Archaeological Field Techniques  
Roderick McIntosh
An introduction to the modern practice of archaeology, including methods of excavation, recording, mapping, dating, and ecological analysis. Must be taken concurrently with ANTH 278L.

*ANTH 278La/ARCG 278La, Archaeology Laboratory I  
Roderick McIntosh
Instruction in the field at an archaeological site in Connecticut in stratigraphy, mapping, artifact recovery, and excavation strategy. Must be taken concurrently with ANTH 277.

*ANTH 279Lb/ARCG 279Lb, Archaeology Laboratory II  
Roderick McIntosh
A practical introduction to processing and analysis of excavated artifacts. Emphasis on familiarity with a range of methods and materials. Intensive study and written report on one group of artifacts.

ANTH 288a/AFST 288a, The State in Africa  
Michael McGovern
A discussion of African states that avoids the pitfall of characterizing them as failed, weak, fragile, or war-torn. Identification of what the states are, how they operate, and how they negotiate varying degrees of legitimacy and authority with the populations they govern.
ANTH 299a, Human Functional Anatomy  Eric Sargis
Regional and systemic anatomy of the human body explored from an evolutionary perspective. Examples from embryology provide a basis for understanding the similarity of human structure to the anatomy of other vertebrates. Discussion of the anatomical bases for functional disorders. Recommended preparation: E&EB 122.  so

ADVANCED COURSES, INCLUDING SEMINARS, READING COURSES, AND RESEARCH COURSES

*ANTH 303b/AFAM 317b, Field Methods in Cultural Anthropology  Kamari Clarke
Exploration of the fundamentals of cultural anthropology methods. The foundations of fieldwork approaches, including methods, theories, and the problem of objectivity.  so

*ANTH 310b/E&EB 280b, Mammalogy  Eric Sargis
The evolution and diversity of mammals, including primates. Origins, evolutionary history, systematics, morphology, biogeography, physiology, behavior, and ecology of major mammalian lineages. Accompanying laboratories focus on diagnostic morphological features of mammalian groups through examination of specimens from the Peabody Museum.  sc

*ANTH 311b, Anthropological Theory  Narges Erami
Key texts in the theoretical development of sociocultural anthropology. Theorists include Emile Durkheim, Marcel Mauss, A. R. Radcliffe-Brown, Bronislaw Malinowski, E. E. Evans-Pritchard, Claude Lévi-Strauss, Mary Douglas, Clifford Geertz, Sherry Ortner, Michele Rosaldo, and Talal Asad.  so

[ANTH 320b/ARCG 320b, Mesopotamian Origins]

*ANTH 322b, Endangered Languages in Social Context  J. Joseph Errington
An introduction to language endangerment as a global phenomenon. Topics include politics of bilingualism and language shift, politics of linguistic identity, ethnic and national communities, and language in media.  so

*ANTH 332a/EVST 322a/SAST 306a, Environment, History, and Society in India  Kalyanakrishnan Sivaramakrishnan
The history, culture, and politics of environment and nature in India from colonial times to the present. Focus on contemporary issues. Natural resources management; ideas of nature; social consequences of environmental degradation and nature conservation; the emergence of environmental laws and litigation.  so

*ANTH 340a, Religion, Culture, and the State  Kamari Clarke
The workings of religion, culture, and politics as they relate to contemporary challenges of religious freedom and the management of cultural and religious pluralism. Emphasis on societies in North America, Europe, and select postcolonial states.  so

*ANTH 342a, Markets and Cultures in Asia  Helen Siu
Historical and contemporary movements of people, goods, and cultural meanings that have defined Asia as a region. Reexamination of state-centered conceptualizations of Asia and of established boundaries in regional studies. The intersections of transregional institutions and local societies and their effects on trading empires, religious traditions, colonial
encounters, and cultural fusion. Finance flows that connect East Asia and the Indian Ocean to the Middle East and Africa. The cultures of capital and market in the neoliberal and postsocialist world.

*ANTH 346a, Anthropological Approaches to Capitalism  Douglas Rogers
An introduction to the anthropological study of capitalism. Focus on how markets and commodities are embedded in social, cultural, and political contexts. Discussion of the many ways people have embraced, reinterpreted, and resisted capitalism worldwide. Consideration of the implications of this diversity for theories of capitalism as a whole. Enrollment limited to sophomores.  so

*ANTH 353b/SAST 369b, Himalayan Languages and Cultures  Mark Turin
For description see under South Asian Studies.

*ANTH 357a, Anthropology of the Body  Sean Brotherton
Theoretical debates about the body as a subject of anthropological, historical, psychological, medical, and literary inquiry. The persistence of the mind-body dualism, experiences of embodiment and alienation, phenomenology of the body, Foucauldian notions of biopolitics, biopower and the ethic of the self, the medicalized body, and the gendered body.  so

*ANTH 363a/ARCG 363a/NELC 189a, Archaeologies of Empire  Harvey Weiss
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*ANTH 369a, Economic Anthropology  Enrique Mayer
An introduction to understanding economic systems in other cultures and societies. How work and leisure are organized, who gets what and how, and how economic concerns tie into other aspects of social life. Major debates and controversies examined, and examples from different parts of the world presented. No prior background in economics or anthropology assumed.  so

*ANTH 382a/EVST 345a/F&ES 384a, Environmental Anthropology  Michael Dove
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*ANTH 391a/ARCG 391a, Paleoclimate and Human Response  Roderick McIntosh
The recursive interaction of climate change with human perception and manipulation of the landscape. Mechanisms and measures of climate change; three case studies of historical response to change at different scales. Prerequisite: an introductory course in archaeology.  so

*ANTH 398b/ER&M 498b/MMES 118b/WGSS 368b, Anthropology of Immigration  Mikaela Rogozien-Soltar
Immigration examined from an anthropological perspective. Topics include citizenship and immigrant rights, multiculturalism and discrimination, migration's effects on family and gender roles, labor migration, refugees and humanitarianism, and immigrant representation in nongovernmental organizations, politics, and media. Case studies include Latin American immigration to the United States, and Arab and Muslim immigration to the United States and Europe.  so

*ANTH 406a/EVST 424a/PLSC 420a, Rivers: Nature and Politics  James Scott
For description see under Political Science.
*ANTH 407bc/ARGC 407bc, Origins of Complex Societies in West Africa
Roderick McIntosh
The great diversity of complex societies that emerged in prehistoric West Africa. Readings from site reports and primary source articles.  SO  RP

*ANTH 412ac, Topics in Anthropological Genetics  Brenda Bradley
A detailed examination of molecular approaches to understanding human evolution and diversity. Emphasis on current research findings and new methodologies exploring topics such as human origins and hominid evolution, population genomics, molecular adaptations, epigenetics, and gene-culture interactions. Consideration of relevant social and ethical issues, including commercial DNA testing and ownership of biological samples.  SC

*ANTH 413bc, Language, Culture, and Ideology  J. Joseph Errington
Review of influential anthropological theories of culture, with reference to theories of language that inspired or informed them. American and European structuralism; cognitivist and interpretivist approaches to cultural description; the work of Bakhtin, Bourdieu, and various critical theorists.  SC

*ANTH 415bc, Culture, History, Power, and Representation  Helen Siu
A critical introduction to anthropological formulations of the junctures of meaning, interest, and power. Readings include classical and contemporary ethnographies that are theoretically informed and historically situated.  SC

*ANTH 420bc, Primate Genomics  Brenda Bradley
A detailed exploration of molecular approaches to understanding primate behavior, ecology, and evolution. How the new wealth of genomic data aids primatological research on issues such as sexual selection; sociality and cooperation among kin and non-kin; phylogenomics and taxonomy; dietary, morphological, and behavioral adaptations; and migration, distribution, and conservation.  SC

*ANTH 427b, Topics in Medical Anthropology  Sean Brotherton
Anthropological approaches to medicine, science, technology, and the body examined through close reading of ethnographies and canonical texts. Theoretical, political, sub-disciplinary, and area studies debates in medical anthropology and the larger fields of global health, international development, and science and technology studies. Recommended preparation: ANTH 114 or equivalent.  SC

*ANTH 432ac, Politics of Language  J. Joseph Errington
Language difference and language inequality as symbols and shapers of political dynamics and social change in plural societies. Comparative, theoretical, and ethnographic approaches to the politics of sociolinguistic difference, with case studies focused on specific issues. Topics include “problems” of substandard languages, bilingual identities, ethnic and national identity, and globalization and language shift.  SC

*ANTH 433bc, The Anthropology of Time  Michael McGovern
Cross-cultural variability in conceptions of time and space. The categories of time, space, number, and cause as cultural products arising from words and actions in society. Culturally specific understandings of time as foundational to individuals’ attempts to exercise agency in society.  SC
*ANTH 436b*, Production and Consumption of Culture  
Douglas Rogers
Theoretical works and case studies on how cultural identities are produced and consumed in the context of contemporary global capitalism. The marketing of “tradition”; city branding; cultural tourism; new transnational, national, and local identities.  

*ANTH 438a*, Culture, Power, Oil  
Douglas Rogers
The production, circulation, and consumption of petroleum as they relate to globalization, empire, cultural performance, natural resource extraction, and the nature of the state. Case studies include the United States, Saudi Arabia, Nigeria, Venezuela, and the former Soviet Union.  

*ANTH 451a-G/WGSS 431a, Intersectionality and Women’s Health*
Marcia Inhorn
The intersections of race, class, gender, and other axes of “difference” and their effects on women’s health, primarily in the contemporary United States. Recent feminist approaches to intersectionality and multiplicity of oppressions theory. Ways in which anthropologists studying women’s health issues have contributed to social and feminist theory at the intersections of race/class/gender.  

*ANTH 454a/G/ARCG 454a*, Statistics for Archaeological Analysis  
William Honeychurch
An introduction to quantitative data collection, analysis, and argumentation for archaeologists. Emphasis on the exploration, visualization, and analysis of specifically archaeological data using simple statistical approaches. No prior knowledge of statistics required.  

*ANTH 455b-G/WGSS 459b, Masculinity and Men’s Health*  
Marcia Inhorn
An exploration of ethnographic approaches to masculinity and men’s health around the globe. Issues of ethnographic research design and methodology; interdisciplinary theories of masculinity; contributions of men’s health studies from Western and non-Western sites to social theory, ethnographic scholarship, and health policy.  

*ANTH 456a/G/ARCG 456a*, Reconstructing Human Evolution: An Ecological Approach  
Andrew Hill
Methods for obtaining data relevant to ecological factors that have affected human evolutionary change, such as changes in climate, competition with other animals, and availability and kinds of food supply. Evaluation of techniques for obtaining ecological data in such fields as geology, paleobotany, and paleozoology. Ethnographic, primatological, and other biological models of early human behavior.  

*ANTH 470b/G/SAST 319b, Affirmative Action in South Asia and the United States*
Sara Shneiderman
Comparative exploration of the concept, policy implementation, and sociocultural effects of affirmative action, with a focus on South Asia and the United States. Specific histories and practices of inequality; state strategies for combating inequality; classification of social differences in caste, ethnicity, race, and class; broader anthropological debates over citizenship, democracy, and the nation-state.  

*ANTH 471a and 472b, Readings in Anthropology*  
David Watts
For students who wish to investigate an area of anthropology not covered by regular departmental offerings. The project must terminate with at least a term paper or its equivalent.
No student may take more than two terms for credit. To apply for admission, a student should present a prospectus and bibliography to the director of undergraduate studies no later than the third week of the term. Written approval from the faculty member who will direct the student’s reading and writing must accompany the prospectus.

*ANTH 473b⁶/ARCG 473b⁶/EVST 473b⁶/NELC 188b⁶, Civilizations and Collapse
  Harvey Weiss
  Collapse documented in the archaeological and early historical records of the Old and New Worlds, including Mesopotamia, Mesoamerica, the Andes, and Europe. Analysis of politico-economic vulnerabilities, resiliencies, and adaptations in face of abrupt climate change; anthropogenic environmental degradation; resource depletion; “barbarian” incursions; and class conflict. HU, SO

*ANTH 474b⁶, Anthropologies of Insurgency  Michael McGovern
  An anthropological viewpoint applied to insurgency and to the interlinked categories of rebel, bandit, and freedom fighter. Specific instances of illegal use of force in their sociocultural and historic settings subjected to sociological and micropolitical analysis; consideration of insurgency from the actors’ points of view. SO

*ANTH 476b⁶/ARCG 476b⁶, GIS and Spatial Analysis for Archaeology
  William Honeychurch
  Introduction to the use of geographical information systems (GIS) in anthropology, with attention to archaeological applications. Examples from theoretical, analytical, and geographical contexts; introduction to current software. SO

*ANTH 491a or b, The Senior Essay  David Watts
  Supervised investigation of some topic in depth. The course requirement is a long essay to be submitted as the student’s senior essay. By the end of the third week of the fall term, the student must present a prospectus and a preliminary bibliography to the director of undergraduate studies. Written approval from an Anthropology faculty adviser and an indication of a preferred second reader must accompany the prospectus.

RELATED COURSES IN OTHER DEPARTMENTS

EVST 226a/ARCG 226a, Global Environmental History  Harvey Weiss
  For description see under Environmental Studies.

  Amity Doolittle
  For description see under Environmental Studies.

*SOCY 160a, Methods of Inquiry  Julia Adams

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Most graduate seminars in anthropology are open to qualified undergraduates. Descriptions are available in the departmental office, 10 Sachem St. Permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies is required.
Applied Mathematics

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF APPLIED MATHEMATICS

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J. W. Gibbs Assistant Professors  Yael Algom-Kfir, Dan Kushnir, Adam Marcus, Neta Rabin, Andrew Wells

Lecturer  Matthew Hirn

Mathematical models are widely used throughout science and engineering in fields as diverse as physics, bioinformatics, robotics, image processing, and economics. Despite the broad range of applications, there are a few essential techniques used in addressing most problems. The Applied Mathematics major provides a foundation in these mathematical techniques and trains the student to use them in a substantive field of application.

The interdisciplinary major permits a great deal of flexibility in design. It is intended to appeal to students who wish to study the more mathematical aspects of science or engineering as well as those whose primary interest is in mathematics and statistics and who wish to become acquainted with applications. Core courses are drawn from Computer Science, Mathematics, Statistics, and Engineering and Applied Science. Courses applying mathematics may be drawn from participating programs in Applied Physics, Astronomy, the biological sciences (Biology, Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry), Chemistry, Computer Science, Economics, the various programs in engineering (Biomedical, Chemical, Electrical, Environmental, and Mechanical Engineering), Geology and Geophysics, Mathematics, Operations Research, Physics, and Statistics. The Applied Mathematics degree program requires a three-course concentration in a field in which mathematics is used.
Students may pursue a major in Applied Mathematics as one of two majors and can thereby equip themselves with mathematical modeling skills while being fully engaged in a field of application. In this case, the concentration requirement of the Applied Mathematics program is flexible in order to recognize the contribution of the other major. A two-course overlap is permitted in satisfying the requirements of the two majors.

**Prerequisite and introductory courses** Multivariable calculus and linear algebra are required and should be taken before or during the sophomore year. This requirement may be satisfied by MATH 120 and MATH 222 or 225, or equivalents. It may also be satisfied by MATH 230, 231. Computer programming skills are also required and may be acquired by taking ENAS 130 or CPSC 112.

Details of individual programs must be worked out in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies, whose signed permission is required.

**Requirements of the major for the B.A. degree program** The program requires eleven term courses beyond the prerequisites, including the senior project, comprising a coherent program:

1. A course in differential equations (ENAS 194 or MATH 246)
2. A course in probability (STAT 241 or 238)
3. A course in data analysis (STAT 361 or 230)
4. A course in discrete mathematics (AMTH 244 or CPSC 202)
5. Courses in at least three of the following areas: (a) optimization: AMTH 235, 237, 437; (b) probability and statistics: STAT 242, 251, 312, 364, ECON 136, ENAS 496; (c) partial differential equations and analysis: MATH 247, 250, 260, 300, 301, 310; (d) algorithms and numerical methods: CPSC 365, 440, ENAS 440, 441; (e) graph theory: AMTH 462; (f) mathematical economics: ECON 350, 351; (g) electrical engineering: EENG 397, 436, 442, STAT 364; (h) data mining and machine learning: STAT 365, CPSC 445, 463; (i) biological modeling and computation: AMTH 465, CPSC 475, BENG 445, ENAS 391; (j) physical sciences and engineering: MENG 280, 285, 361, 383, 463, 469, CENG 301, 315, ASTR 320, 420, G&G 322, 323, 326, 421, PHYS 343, 401, 402, 410, 420, 430, 440, 442, 460, APHY 439, 448, 458
6. At least three courses in a field of concentration involving the application of mathematics to that field, at least two of which are advanced courses. Programs in science, engineering, computer science, statistics, economics, and operations research are natural sources of concentration. Alternatively, when two majors are undertaken, if the second major is in a participating program, then, recognizing that there can be an overlap of two courses, the student may take for the remaining course an additional choice relevant to the Applied Mathematics major such as listed in point 5 above or for the B.S. degree below. Details of a student’s program to satisfy the concentration requirement must be worked out in consultation with, and approved by, the director of undergraduate studies
7. Senior seminar (AMTH 490) or special project completed during senior year (AMTH 491)

A maximum of one course credit taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the requirements of the major.
The B.S. degree program  In addition to the courses indicated for the B.A. degree, the B.S. degree, which totals fourteen term courses beyond the prerequisites, must also include:
1. Topics in analysis (MATH 300) or introduction to analysis (MATH 301); the course selected may not be counted toward the area requirement for the major (see item 5 above)
2. An additional course selected from the list in item 5 above
3. Another course numbered 300 or higher from the list above, or a course numbered 300 or higher in mathematics, applied mathematics, statistics, or quantitative computer science or engineering, subject to the approval of the director of undergraduate studies

Alternatively, students may petition to receive a B.S. in Applied Mathematics by fulfilling the B.A. requirements in Applied Mathematics and the B.S. requirements in another program.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  MATH 120 and MATH 222 or 225, or equivalents; ENAS 130 or CPSC 112

Number of courses  B.A. – 11 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req); B.S. – 14 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

Specific courses required  B.A. – ENAS 194 or MATH 246; STAT 241 or 238; STAT 361 or 230; AMTH 244 or CPSC 202; B.S. – same, plus MATH 300 or 301

Distribution of courses  B.A. – at least 3 courses in a field of concentration concerning the application of math to that field, at least 2 of them advanced; 3 addtl courses as specified; B.S. – same, with 2 addtl courses as specified

Substitution permitted  MATH 230, 231 for mathematics prerequisites

Senior requirement  Senior sem (AMTH 490) or special project (AMTH 491)  

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

*AMTH 110a, Introduction to Quantitative Thinking: The Pleasures of Counting  
Adam Marcus

Methods of quantitative inference and modeling are introduced via applications from a variety of fields. Possible topics include data encryption, codes, scaling phenomena, traffic flow, warfare, and population growth. Some use of computing software such as Mathematica or MATLAB. Enrollment limited to 40. No prior acquaintance with calculus or computing assumed. QR

AMTH 160b, The Structure of Networks  Neta Rabin

Network structures and network dynamics described through examples and applications ranging from marketing to epidemics and the world climate. Study of social and biological networks as well as networks in the humanities. Mathematical graphs provide a simple common language to describe the variety of networks and their properties. QR

AMTH 222a or b/MATH 222a or b, Linear Algebra with Applications  
Yael Algom-Kfir, Peter Schultheiss

For description see under Mathematics.
INTERMEDIATE AND ADVANCED COURSES

AMTH 235a/OPRS 235a, Optimization  Eric Denardo
For description see under Operations Research.

AMTH 237a/OPRS 237a, Stochastic Models of Decision Making  Eric Denardo
For description see under Operations Research.

AMTH 244a/MATH 244a, Discrete Mathematics  Matthew Hirn
For description see under Mathematics.

AMTH 247b/G&G 247b/MATH 247b, Partial Differential Equations  Igor Frenkel
For description see under Mathematics.

AMTH 260a/MATH 260a, Basic Analysis in Function Spaces  Ronald Coifman
For description see under Mathematics.

*AMTH 342a/EENG 442a, Linear Systems  A. Stephen Morse
For description see under Electrical Engineering.

AMTH 361a/MATH 361a, Data Analysis  Lisha Chen
For description see under Statistics.

AMTH 364b/STAT 364b, Information Theory  Mokshay Madiman
For description see under Statistics.

*AMTH 437a/EENG 437a, Optimization Techniques  A. Stephen Morse
Fundamental theory and algorithms of optimization, emphasizing convex optimization.
The geometry of convex sets, basic convex analysis, the principle of optimality, duality.
Numerical algorithms: steepest descent, Newton's method, interior point methods, dynamic
programming, unimodal search. Applications from engineering and the sciences. Prerequi-
sites: MATH 120 and 222, or equivalents. May not be taken after AMTH 237.  QR

[AMTH 462a/CPSC 462a, Graphs and Networks]

*AMTH 465b/CPSC 465b, Systems Modeling in Biology  Thierry Emonet and staff
For description see under Biology.

*AMTH 480a or b, Directed Reading  Daniel Spielman
Individual study for qualified students who wish to investigate an area of applied math-
ematics not covered in regular courses. A student must be sponsored by a faculty member
who sets the requirements and meets regularly with the student. Requires a written plan
of study approved by the faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies.

*AMTH 490b, Senior Seminar and Project  Andrew Barron
Under the supervision of a member of the faculty, each student works on an independent
project. Students participate in seminar meetings at which they speak on the progress
of their projects. Some meetings may be devoted to talks by visiting faculty members or
applied mathematicians.

*AMTH 491a or b, Special Projects  Daniel Spielman
Individual research. Requires a faculty supervisor and the permission of the director of
undergraduate studies. The student must submit a written report about the results of the
project. May be taken more than once for credit.
Applied Physics

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED PHYSICS

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Associate Professors  †Jack Harris, Sohrab Ismail-Beigi, †Karyn Le Hur

†A joint appointment with primary affiliation in another department.

Physics is the study of the fundamental laws of nature. Applied physics uses these laws to understand phenomena that have practical applications. Engineering in turn makes use of these phenomena for human purposes. Applied physics thus forms a link between the fundamental laws of nature and their applications. Students majoring in Applied Physics take courses in both physics and engineering, as well as courses specifically in applied physics. Students completing the program in Applied Physics are prepared for graduate study in applied physics, in physics, in nanoscience, or in engineering, and, with appropriate prerequisites, in medicine; or they may choose careers in a wide range of technical and commercial fields or in fields such as technical writing or patent law that draw on interdisciplinary subjects.

Contemporary physical science and engineering are becoming increasingly interdisciplinary. Traditional boundaries between fields have blurred, and new areas are constantly emerging, e.g., nanotechnology. The Applied Physics major provides a flexible framework on which students can build a curriculum tailored to their own interests, in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies.

Introductory courses  During the freshman year, students interested in Applied Physics should start by taking courses in mathematics, and physics if possible, appropriate to their level of preparation. The choice between different starting points is generally made on the basis of performance on Advanced Placement tests (see the Freshman Web site at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/class-2015).

The recommended sequence in mathematics for students interested in Applied Physics or Electrical or Mechanical Engineering is MATH 115, ENAS 151, MATH 222, and ENAS 194. Either MATH 120 or MATH 230, 231 is an acceptable alternative to ENAS 151, and MATH 225 is an acceptable alternative to MATH 222. Similarly, PHYS 301 may be substituted for ENAS 194 and MATH 222.

The recommended starting courses in physics are PHYS 200 and 201. These courses should be taken in the freshman year by students who have a strong preparation in mathematics and physics. Students with a particularly strong background in physics and mathematics may take PHYS 260 and 261 instead. Students who are less well prepared in physics and mathematics may choose to take PHYS 180 and 181 during their freshman
year, or PHYS 200 and 201 during their sophomore year after they have taken more mathematics courses. Two laboratory courses, such as PHYS 205L and 206L, should be taken at some time during the freshman or sophomore year.

Because computers are ubiquitous in the practical applications of physics, students interested in Applied Physics should also take a course on the use of computers early in their studies. ENAS 130, Introduction to Computing for Engineers and Scientists, is recommended; a comparable course in computer science may be substituted with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

The multiplicity of choices facing students interested in this general area indicates the importance of informed advice for freshmen. Students should consult freely with directors of undergraduate studies and individual faculty members in their departments of interest to optimize choices and to ensure maximum flexibility at the time a major is selected.

The major in Applied Physics requires eight courses beyond the introductory sequence. Two of these must be APHY 471, 472. All majors are also required to take APHY 322, 439, and PHYS 420, or equivalents. The three remaining advanced courses should focus on a particular area of concentration. For example, a student interested in solid-state and/or quantum electronics might choose from APHY 321, 448, 449, EENG 320, and 325. A student interested in the physics of materials and/or nanoscience might choose from APHY 448, 449, CHEM 220, 450, and MENG 285. Many other concentrations are possible.

**Senior requirement**  Seniors must complete an independent research project, taken as APHY 471 and 472. The independent research project is under the supervision of a faculty member in Applied Physics, engineering, or the departments of Physics, Computer Science, or Geology and Geophysics. The project may be started in the junior year and continued into the senior year. Students planning to do a research project should contact the project coordinator as early as possible to discuss available options and general requirements.

A well-prepared student interested in solid-state and/or quantum electronics might elect the following course sequence:

**Freshman**
- ENAS 151
- MATH 222
- PHYS 200
- PHYS 201
- PHYS 205L

**Sophomore**
- APHY 322
- ENAS 130
- ENAS 194
- PHYS 206L

**Junior**
- APHY 439
- APHY 472
- EENG 320
- PHYS 420

**Senior**
- APHY 448
- APHY 449
- APHY 471

A student starting physics in the sophomore year might elect:

**Freshman**
- ENAS 130
- MATH 115
- MATH 120

**Sophomore**
- ENAS 194
- MATH 222
- PHYS 200
- PHYS 201
- PHYS 205L
- PHYS 206L

**Junior**
- APHY 322
- APHY 439
- APHY 472
- PHYS 420

**Senior**
- APHY 448
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- EENG 320
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Approval of programs  The Applied Physics major provides for various programs corresponding to a range of student interests. Substitutions of equivalent courses may be permitted. Students interested in an Applied Physics major should contact the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible, and in any case by the end of the sophomore year.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201, with appropriate math coreqs and 2 lab courses as specified; ENAS 151 or MATH 120; MATH 222 and ENAS 194, or PHYS 301; ENAS 130

Number of courses 8 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

Distribution of courses 3 courses in physical or mathematical sciences or engineering in area of concentration, with DUS approval

Specific courses required  APHY 322, 439, PHYS 420, or equivalents

Substitution permitted Any relevant course approved by DUS

Senior requirement APHY 471 and 472

*APHY 050a/PHYS 050a, Science of Modern Technology  Daniel Prober
Examination of the science behind selected advances in modern technology. Focus on the scientific and contextual basis of each advance. Topics are developed by the participants with the instructor and with guest lecturers, and may include nanotechnology, quantum computation and cryptography, optical systems for communication and medical diagnostics, transistors, satellite imaging and global positioning systems, large-scale immunization, and DNA made to order. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. SC RP Fr sem
APHY 060b/ENAS 060b/PHYS 060b, Energy Technology and Society  Paul Fleury
For description see under Engineering & Applied Science.

APHY 110b/ENAS 110b, The Technological World  Victor Henrich
An exploration of modern technologies that play a role in everyday life, including the underlying science, current applications, and future prospects. Examples include solar cells, light-emitting diodes (LEDs), computer displays, the global positioning system, fiber-optic communication systems, and the application of technological advances to medicine. For students not committed to a major in science or engineering; no college-level science or mathematics required. Prerequisite: high school physics or chemistry. Enrollment limited to 80.  QR, SC

APHY 321b/IP/ENAS 321b, Semiconductor Silicon Devices and Technology  Tso-Ping Ma
For description see under Electrical Engineering.

APHY 322b, Electromagnetic Waves and Devices  Robert Schoelkopf
Introduction to electrostatics and magnetostatics, time varying fields, and Maxwell's equations. Applications include electromagnetic wave propagation in lossless, lossy, and metallic media and propagation through coaxial transmission lines and rectangular waveguides, as well as radiation from single and array antennas. Occasional experiments and demonstrations are offered after classes. Prerequisites: PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201.  QR, SC

APHY 439a/G/PHYS 439a, Basic Quantum Mechanics  Robert Schoelkopf
The basic concepts and techniques of quantum mechanics essential for solid-state physics and quantum electronics. Topics include the Schrödinger treatment of the harmonic oscillator, atoms and molecules and tunneling, matrix methods, and perturbation theory. Prerequisites: PHYS 181 or 201, PHYS 301, or equivalents, or permission of instructor.  QR, SC

APHY 448a/G/PHYS 448a, Solid-State Physics I  Paul Fleury
The first term of a two-term sequence covering the principles underlying the electrical, thermal, magnetic, and optical properties of solids, including crystal structure, phonons, energy bands, semiconductors, Fermi surfaces, magnetic resonances, phase transitions, dielectrics, magnetic materials, and superconductors. Prerequisites: APHY 322, 439.  QR, SC

APHY 449b/G/PHYS 449b, Solid-State Physics II  A. Douglas Stone
The second term of the sequence described under APHY 448.  QR, SC

APHY 458a/G/PHYS 458a, Principles of Optics with Applications  Hui Cao
Introduction to the principles of optics and electromagnetic wave phenomena with applications to microscopy, optical fibers, laser spectroscopy, and nanostructure physics. Topics include propagation of light, reflection and refraction, guiding light, polarization, interference, diffraction, scattering, Fourier optics, and optical coherence. Prerequisite: PHYS 430.  QR, SC

APHY 471a and 472b, Special Projects  Victor Henrich
Faculty-supervised individual or small-group projects with emphasis on research (laboratory or theory). Students are expected to consult the director of undergraduate studies and
appropriate faculty members to discuss ideas and suggestions for suitable topics. These courses may be taken at any appropriate time in the student’s career; they may be taken more than once. Permission of the faculty adviser and of the director of undergraduate studies is required.

**Arabic**

(See under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)

**Archaeological Studies**

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**COUNCIL ON ARCHAEOLOGICAL STUDIES**

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This special interdepartmental major is supervised by the University’s Council on Archaeological Studies. Inquiries about the major may be addressed to the chair of the council, Richard Burger, Department of Anthropology, 10 Sachem Street, or to the director of undergraduate studies.

The major in Archaeological Studies provides a program of interdepartmental offerings covering prehistoric, early historic, and medieval cultures and cultural developments in the Old and New Worlds, and introduces students to the analytic tools that facilitate archaeological studies. The major is designed to expose students to a variety of archaeological research perspectives (anthropological, historical, art historical, and physical science), while emphasizing substantive studies. These include: (1) study of such prehistoric—early historic transformations as the origins of agriculture, cities and states, and early empires, and (2) study of the material culture, art, and architecture of the prehistoric, early historic, and medieval cultures of the Old and New Worlds, including the iconography of ancient cultures, the relationship between art and society in ancient cultures, ancient writing systems, and American historical archaeology.

**Requirements of the major** The major consists of thirteen term courses including the senior project. The following seven courses are normally required: an introductory survey; the field techniques course ARCG 277; the laboratory courses ARCG 278L and 279L; an
advanced laboratory course; a theory course; and the senior research project ARCG 491. Undergraduate majors should also acquire summer experience in the field or laboratory. The remaining six courses required for the major must be distributed among the six subject areas represented by the departments and programs offering courses double-titled with Archaeological Studies, with three of those six courses falling in different departments and programs. The departments and programs are: Anthropology, Classics, Environmental Studies, Geology and Geophysics, History of Art, and Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations. Some courses may be applied to categories other than the ones in which they are listed below, upon application to the director of undergraduate studies. For three of the six archaeology electives students may, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, substitute three courses from other departments in areas related to their research.

Students majoring in Archaeological Studies normally devote at least one summer to archaeological research in the field or the laboratory, or complete a summer field course in archaeology. Members of the Council faculty currently direct archaeological field projects in Syria, Egypt, Peru, Mali, Mongolia, and Guatemala. Qualified majors are encouraged to apply for research positions with these projects.

**Senior requirement** The final requirement for the major is a senior research project (ARCG 491) in some field of archaeology, preferably one involving more than one area or discipline.

Students majoring in Archaeological Studies should consult with the director of undergraduate studies at the beginning of each term.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** None

**Number of courses** 13 term courses (incl senior project)

**Specific courses required** ARCG 277, 278L, 279L

**Distribution of courses** 1 intro survey; 1 advanced lab; 1 theory course; at least 1 course in each of 3 areas; 3 addtl courses in archaeology from related programs

**Substitution permitted** For 3 electives, 3 courses related to research, with DUS permission

**Senior requirement** Research project (ARCG 491)

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**ANTHROPOLOGY**

**ARCG 171a/ANTH 171a, Great Civilizations of the Ancient World** Anne Underhill
For description see under Anthropology.

**ARCG 172b/ANTH 172b, Great Hoaxes and Fantasies in Archaeology**
William Honeychurch
For description see under Anthropology.

**ARCG 215b/ANTH 215b, Archaeology of China** Anne Underhill
For description see under Anthropology.

**ARCG 232a/ANTH 232a/LAST 232a, Ancient Civilizations of the Andes**
Richard Burger
For description see under Anthropology.
**Archaeological Studies**

**ARCG 267b/ANTH 267b, Human Evolution**  Andrew Hill  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 277a/ANTH 277a, Archaeological Field Techniques*  
Roderick McIntosh  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 278La/ANTH 278La, Archaeology Laboratory I*  
Roderick McIntosh  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 279Lb/ANTH 279Lb, Archaeology Laboratory II*  
Roderick McIntosh  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 391a/ANTH 391a, Paleoclimate and Human Response*  
Roderick McIntosh  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 407b/ANTH 407b, Origins of Complex Societies in West Africa*  
Roderick McIntosh  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 454a/ANTH 454a, Statistics for Archaeological Analysis*  
William Honeychurch  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 456a/ANTH 456a, Reconstructing Human Evolution: An Ecological Approach*  
Andrew Hill  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 473b/ANTH 473b/EVST 473b/NELC 188b, Civilizations and Collapse*  
Harvey Weiss  
For description see under Anthropology.

*ARCG 476b/ANTH 476b, GIS and Spatial Analysis for Archaeology*  
William Honeychurch  
For description see under Anthropology.

**CLASSICS**

**ARCG 252b/CLCV 175b/HSAR 252b, Roman Architecture**  Diana Kleiner  
For description see under History of Art.

**ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

**ARCG 226a/EVST 226a, Global Environmental History**  Harvey Weiss  
For description see under Environmental Studies.

**GEOLOGY AND GEOPHYSICS**

**ARCG 230a/G&G 230a, Stratigraphy**  Leo Hickey  
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.
*ARCG 362b/EVST 362b/G&G 362b, Observing Earth from Space
   Ronald Smith
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.

HISTORY OF ART

ARCG 170a/CLCV 170a/HSAR 250a, Roman Art: Empire, Identity, and Society
   Diana Kleiner
For description see under History of Art.

ARCG 235b/HSAR 235b/HUMS 245b/NELC 106b, The Worlds of Homer
   Karen Foster
For description see under History of Art.

ARCG 236a/HSAR 236a/NELC 103a, The Art of Ancient Palaces
   Karen Foster
For description see under History of Art.

*ARCG 424b/CLCV 230b/HSAR 424b, eClavdia: Women in Ancient Rome
   Diana Kleiner
For description see under History of Art.

NEAR EASTERN LANGUAGES AND CIVILIZATIONS

ARCG 163b/CPSC 163b/HUMS 338b/NELC 163b, From Pictograph to Pixel: Changing Ways of Human Communication
   John Darnell and staff
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*ARCG 222b/NELC 112b/RLST 141b, Egyptian Religion through the Ages
   John Darnell
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*ARCG 363a/ANTH 363a/NELC 189a, Archaeologies of Empire
   Harvey Weiss
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

ADVANCED RESEARCH COURSES

*ARCG 471a and 472b, Directed Reading and Research in Archaeology
   Roderick McIntosh
Qualified students may pursue special reading or research under the guidance of an instructor. A written statement of the proposed research must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies for approval.

*ARCG 491a or b, Senior Research Project in Archaeology
   Roderick McIntosh
Required of all students majoring in Archaeological Studies. Supervised investigation of some archaeological topic in depth. The course requirement is a long essay to be submitted as the student’s senior essay. The student should present a prospectus and bibliography to the director of undergraduate studies no later than the third week of the term. Written approval from the faculty member who will direct the reading and writing for the course must accompany the prospectus.
Architecture

Director of undergraduate studies: Bimal Mendis, 328 RDH, 432-8325, bimal.mendis@yale.edu

MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE TEACHING IN YALE COLLEGE

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Application to the Architecture major Yale College students must apply to enter the major during the spring term of their sophomore year, after taking ARCH 150, 154, and 249. An application to the major must be submitted to the office of the director of undergraduate studies no later than 4 p.m. on March 28, 2012, in Room 328 RDH (third floor). Applications must include the following information: name, address, telephone number, courses related to architecture already taken, a statement of purpose, and a writing sample from Yale College. Portfolios representative of course work for ARCH 150, 154, and 249 must also be submitted for review as part of the application process by May 1, 2012. Applicants must stipulate their first, second, and third choices for the three concentrations in the major. The concentrations, described below, are design; history, theory, and criticism; and urban studies. Although qualified students and students who have fulfilled the prerequisites may be admitted into the Architecture major, they will not necessarily be admitted to their first-choice concentration. Applicants will be notified in writing regarding acceptance to the major by May 30, 2012. The major is usually limited to twenty students in the junior year and twenty students in the senior year, with a maximum of sixteen students in the design concentration for each year. Under exceptional circumstances students may petition the director of undergraduate studies in writing by January 9, 2012, if they wish to change concentrations. The director of undergraduate studies will notify students of the result of such a petition.

Introduction to architecture Introductory courses are ARCH 150, 154, and 249. They are open to all Yale College students except freshmen, and are required for those interested in the Architecture major prior to application. Freshmen may consider courses such as a freshmen seminar, ARCH 260, 261, or STCY 176.

The standard major The purpose of the undergraduate major is to include the study of architecture within a comprehensive liberal arts education, drawing from the broader
academic and professional environment of the Yale School of Architecture. The curriculum includes work in design, in history, theory, and criticism of architecture, and in urban studies, and leads to a bachelor of arts degree.

The design concentration introduces complex processes involved in solving spatial and programmatic problems. Creative work is grounded in the study of history and culture, and in the analysis of social conditions influencing architecture. Teaching formats include lectures, studio workshops, and individual presentations that culminate in a senior project design studio. The history, theory, and criticism concentration is intended to establish a broad historical and intellectual framework for the study of architecture. An interdisciplinary approach is encouraged through additional courses taken in various fields of humanities and social sciences. Normally these interdisciplinary courses address subjects closely linked to architectural history, theory, and criticism. Such courses may include archaeology, history of religion, aesthetics, philosophy, or visual culture. Permission of the director of undergraduate studies is required if the courses fall outside the specified course of studies. During their senior year students complete a written senior essay on a topic approved by the faculty. History, theory, and criticism majors are also urged to study a foreign language. The urban studies concentration encourages a broad, interdisciplinary investigation of the complex forces that shape the urban physical environment. The sequence of courses culminates in a senior essay that builds on course work, and either develops analysis and planning proposals for a specific site or furthers an individual research agenda.

Requirements of the major Students majoring in Architecture are required to take fifteen course credits. Majors are expected to take three prerequisites in their sophomore year, complete a core of five course credits by their junior year, and base their studies in one of three areas of concentration: (1) design, (2) history, theory, and criticism, or (3) urban studies.

The courses for all concentrations include three prerequisites: ARCH 150, 154, and 249. The core of five course credits required for all three concentrations include the studio courses ARCH 250 and 251 (to be taken during the junior year after the student is accepted into the major) and the history of architecture surveys ARCH 260 and 261 (to be completed by the end of the junior year). The electives are categorized under four broad subject areas: history and theory of architecture, urbanism and landscape, materials and technology, and structures and computation.

For the design concentration, the following additional courses are required:

1. ARCH 450, Senior Studio
2. ARCH 494 (the senior requirement)
3. One elective in history and theory of architecture chosen from the following: ARCH 341, 431, or other relevant course in History of Art approved by the director of undergraduate studies
4. One elective in urbanism and landscape chosen from the following: ARCH 340, 344, 345, 350, 351; STCY 176; or other relevant course approved by the director of undergraduate studies in American Studies, Ethics, Politics, and Economics, Environmental Studies, or Political Science
5. One elective in materials and technology chosen from the following: ARCH 162, 163,
or other relevant course in Environmental Studies approved by the director of undergraduate studies

6. One elective in structures and computation chosen from the following: ARCH 161, PHYS 170, 180, 200, a calculus course, or other relevant course approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Elementary calculus is strongly recommended as preparation for graduate studies in Architecture.

For the history, theory, and criticism concentration, the following additional courses are required:

1. ARCH 490 and 491 (the senior requirement)
2. Four electives in history and theory of architecture, chosen from the following: ARCH 341, 431, or other relevant courses in History of Art approved by the director of undergraduate studies
3. One elective in urbanism and landscape chosen from the following: ARCH 340, 344, 345, 350, 351; STCY 176; or other relevant course approved by the director of undergraduate studies in American Studies, Ethics, Politics, and Economics, Environmental Studies, or Political Science

For the urban studies concentration, the following additional courses are required:

1. ARCH 495 and 491 (the senior requirement)
2. Four electives in urbanism and landscape chosen from the following: ARCH 340, 344, 345, 350, 351; STCY 176; or other relevant courses approved by the director of undergraduate studies in American Studies, Ethics, Politics, and Economics, Environmental Studies, or Political Science
3. One elective in history and theory of architecture chosen from the following: ARCH 341, 431, or other relevant course in History of Art approved by the director of undergraduate studies

**Digital media orientation**  All Architecture students are required to complete orientation sessions in digital media workshop and materials laboratory. Students enrolled in ARCH 249 are required to complete these sessions at the beginning of the spring term of the sophomore year. Access to digital media equipment will not be allowed until the required orientation sessions have been completed. Questions should be addressed to the director of undergraduate studies or the director of digital media, John Eberhart (432-9655, john.eberhart@yale.edu).

**Library orientation**  The Architecture program requires all students to complete a ninety-minute introductory library research session. Students enrolled in ARCH 249 must take this session at the beginning of the spring term of the sophomore year. Failure to complete the required orientation will preclude completion of the major. Students may offer no substitutions for this orientation. Students should register with Holly Hatheway (432-6219, holly.hatheway@yale.edu). Questions should be addressed to the director of undergraduate studies.

**Shop orientation**  The Architecture program requires all majors to complete a three-hour woodshop and materials lab orientation session. Students enrolled in ARCH 249 must take this session during the first week of the spring term of the sophomore year. Access to the
woodshop and materials lab will not be allowed until the orientation has been completed. Questions should be addressed to the director of undergraduate studies or to the shop coordinator, Josh Rowley (432-7234, josh.rowley@yale.edu).

**Senior requirement** Seniors in the design track take the senior project design studio (ARCH 494). Seniors in the history, theory, and criticism track take ARCH 490, the senior research colloquium, and 491, the senior project. Seniors in the urban studies track take ARCH 495, the senior research colloquium in urban studies, and 491, the senior project. Proposals for senior projects and essays are submitted in the fall term for review and approval by the senior project coordinator, and then distributed to faculty members for review before the faculty members agree to become senior advisers. Senior essays and projects (ARCH 491) are due to the office of the director of undergraduate studies by Friday, April 20, 2012. In the spring term, all seniors must submit a portfolio of their work to the office of the director of undergraduate studies by Tuesday, May 1, 2012. For all majors, this portfolio must be representative of the student’s design work including prerequisites and the senior project. History, theory, and criticism majors and urban studies majors must also include a copy of the senior essay and other appropriate texts.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** ARCH 150, 154, 249

**Number of courses** 15 course credits (incl prereqs and senior req)

**Specific courses required** All concentrations — ARCH 250, 251, 260, 261; Design — ARCH 450

**Distribution of courses** Design — 1 elective in history and theory of architecture, 1 elective in urbanism and landscape, 1 elective in materials and technology, and computation, all approved by DUS; History, theory, and criticism — 4 electives in history and theory of architecture, 1 elective in urbanism and landscape, all approved by DUS; Urban studies — 4 electives in urbanism and landscape, 1 elective in history and theory of architecture, all approved by DUS

**Other** Orientation sessions in digital media, library, and shop

**Senior requirement** All concentrations — portfolio representative of design work, including prerequisites and the senior requirement; Design — ARCH 494; History, theory, and criticism — ARCH 490 and 491; Urban studies — ARCH 495 and 491

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**ARCH 001b, Architecture and Utopia** Peggy Deamer

The relationship between utopian thought and architecture; architectural visions of utopia. The idea of designing the perfect social environment as inspiration for architects. Utopian thinking as a point of contention among architectural theorists, either for avoiding the difficulty of reality or for giving an image of hope in compromised times. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. **HU Frsem**

**ARCH 150a, Introduction to Architecture** Alexander Purves

Lectures and readings in the language of architecture. Architectural vocabulary, elements, functions, and ideals. Notebooks and projects required. Not open to freshmen. Required for all Architecture majors. **HU**
*ARCH 154b, Drawing Architecture  Victor Agran
Introduction to the visual and analytical skills necessary to communicate architectural ideas. Observation and documentation of architectural space on the Yale campus. Drawing exercises introduce the conventions of architectural representation: plan, section, elevation, and isometric drawings, as well as freehand perceptual drawings of architectural space. Not open to freshmen. Required for all Architecture majors.

*ARCH 161b, Introduction to Structures  Kyoung Sun Moon
Basic principles governing the behavior of building structures. Developments in structural form combined with the study of force systems, laws of statics, and mechanics of materials and members and their application to a variety of structural systems. Prerequisites: trigonometry and some knowledge of calculus. Enrollment limited to 30. QR, SC

*ARCH 162b, Materials in Architecture  Susan Farricielli
Science and technology of basic building materials studied together with historic and current design applications. Skills and processes required to create, shape, and connect materials experienced through hands-on projects. Technical notebooks, drawings, design and build exercises, and projects required. Enrollment limited to 14.

ARCH 163b, Environment, Energy, Building  D. Michelle Addington
An introduction to energy and environmental issues faced by the discipline of architecture. Global environmental issues, basic principles of energy generation and energy use, and fundamental climatic precursors and patterns. The complexity of developing solutions that address a wide range of local and global concerns. Recommended preparation: college-level physics.

*ARCH 249b, The Analytic Model  Ariane Lourie Harrison
Introduction to the history and practice of architectural analysis. Students produce drawings, models, and diagrams of significant architectural works in order to facilitate a comprehensive understanding of specific architects, buildings, and contexts. Description of a variety of approaches and the reciprocal relationship between analysis and design. Required for all Architecture majors.

*ARCH 250a, Methods and Form in Architecture I  Hilary Sample, Bimal Mendis
Analysis of architectural design of specific places and structures. Analysis is governed by principles of form in landscape, program, ornament, and space, and includes design methods and techniques. Readings and studio exercises required. Enrollment limited to 25. Open only to Architecture majors. ½ Course cr

*ARCH 251b, Methods and Form in Architecture II  Keith Krumwiede, Joyce Hsiang
Continuation of ARCH 250. ½ Course cr

ARCH 260a, History of Architecture I: Antiquity to the Baroque  Daniel Sherer
The first half of a two-term sequence in the history of architecture. Architecture and urbanism from Greek and Roman antiquity through the late Renaissance. The formal expression—organizational, structural, and ornamental—and social context of specific buildings and urban areas. Architecture as a form of social expression that builds on its own stylistic development and as a response to changes in history and culture. Emphasis on Western locations, with selections from other parts of the world. HU
ARCH 261b, History of Architecture II: The Eighteenth Century to the Millennium  
Eeva-Liisa Pelkonen  
Modern architecture and urbanism from the eighteenth century to the end of the twentieth.  
Genesis and meaning of architectural form, applying national, cultural, and international contexts.  
HU

ARCH 340aG/AMST 207a, American Cultural Landscapes: An Introduction to the  
History of the Built Environment  
Dolores Hayden  
For description see under American Studies.

ARCH 341aG/INTS 342aG/LAST 318a, Globalization Space  
Keller Easterling  
Infrastructure space as a primary medium of change in global polity. Networks of trade,  
energy, communication, transportation, spatial products, finance, management, and labor;  
ewn strains of political opportunity that reside within networks’ spatial disposition. Case  
studies include free zones and automated ports, ISO management platforms, satellite  
urbanism in South Asia, high-speed rail in Japan and the Middle East, agripoles in southern  
Spain, fiber-optic submarine cable in East Africa, and spatial products of tourism in  
North Korea.  
HU

*ARCH 344a, Urban Life and Landscape  
Elihu Rubin  
The built environment as a text tool for constructing narratives of human activity, aspiration,  
and struggle. Methods of viewing the ordinary landscape of the twentieth-century  
American city: pulling apart its historical layers, examining social meanings, and observing  
its function today. Modes of inquiry include video, public presentations, field trips,  
photography, and writing.  
HU

ARCH 345b, Civic Art: Introduction to Urban Design  
Alan Plattus and staff  
Introduction to the history, analysis, and design of the urban landscape. Principles, processes,  
and contemporary theories of urban design; relationships between individual buildings,  
groups of buildings, and their larger physical and cultural contexts. Case studies from  
New Haven and other world cities.  
HU

*ARCH 347a/EP&E 426a/PLSC 250a, Infrastructure: Politics and Design  
Elihu Rubin  
For description see under Political Science.

*ARCH 350b/AMST 350b, Suburbs and the Culture of Sprawl  
Dolores Hayden  
For description see under American Studies.

*ARCH 351a/AMST 381a, Poets’ Landscapes  
Dolores Hayden  
For description see under American Studies.

ARCH 431b, Architecture and Religion  
Karla Britton  
The historical evolution of sacred building in the twentieth and twenty-first centuries.  
Relations between a building, its cultural environment, and its cult. The influence of religion  
in contemporary civic life as manifest in the design and construction of prominent  
religious buildings. Examination of mosques, synagogues, temples, and churches. Perspectives  
from philosophy, comparative religion, liturgical studies, and architectural theory and  
practice.  
WR, HU
*ARCH 450a, Senior Studio  * Turner Brooks, Adam Hopfner
Advanced problems with emphasis on architectural implications of contemporary cultural issues. The complex relationship among space, materials, and program. Emphasis on the development of representations—drawings and models—that effectively communicate architectural ideas. To be taken before ARCH 491 or 494. Enrollment limited to Architecture majors.  1½ Course cr

*ARCH 471a or b, Individual Tutorial  * Bimal Mendis
Special courses may be established with individual members of the department only. The following conditions apply: (1) a prospectus describing the nature of the studio program and the readings to be covered must be approved by both the instructor and the director of undergraduate studies; (2) regular meetings must take place between student and instructor; (3) midterm and final reviews are required.

*ARCH 472La or Lb, Individual Tutorial Laboratory  * Bimal Mendis
An independent tutorial focusing on methods and techniques of representation in architecture, including the synthesis of studio work using a variety of visual media. Concurrently with ARCH 471 or after a spring term abroad.  RP  ½ Course cr

*ARCH 490a, Senior Research Colloquium  * Karla Britton
Examination of the skills, topics, and preparation required for the research that students in the history, theory, and criticism track undertake for their senior project. Under the guidance of the instructor and members of the Architecture faculty and visitors, students present and define their proposals, complete basic readings, and seek criticism of individual research agendas.

*ARCH 491b, Senior Project  * Elihu Rubin
An essay or project in the student’s area of concentration. Students in the history, theory, and criticism track or in the urban studies track pursue independent research with an adviser. This project must terminate in a senior essay. Students in the design track may also petition to pursue an independent design project with an adviser for a total of 1.5 credits.

*ARCH 494b, Senior Project Design Studio  * Steven Harris
Individual design investigations, focusing on independence and precision in the deployment of design ideas. Reliance on visual and nonverbal presentations. Development of a three-dimensional component, such as large-scale mock details, or other visual means of presentation, which might include photography, film, video, or interactive media. Examination of the skills, topics, and preparation to support design research.  1½ Course cr

*ARCH 495a, Senior Research Colloquium for Urban Studies  * Karla Britton
Development of frameworks and urban strategies for senior projects and/or papers through identification and elaboration of a research topic that synthesizes the interdisciplinary course work of the urban studies curriculum with individual interests. Requirements include proposal drafts, case study research, analyses, and graphic illustrations.

RELATED COURSE IN ANOTHER DEPARTMENT

STCY 176b, Introduction to the Study of the City  * Alexander Garvin
COURSES IN THE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

Unless otherwise indicated in the course descriptions, all courses in the School of Architecture are open to majors and nonmajors with permission of the instructor and the graduate registrar. They are not open to the Credit/D/Fail option. Students are admitted on the basis of their previous course work and previous performance.

Art

(DRAWING, FILMMAKING, GRAPHIC DESIGN, PAINTING, PHOTOGRAPHY, PRINTMAKING, AND SCULPTURE)

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MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL OF ART TEACHING IN YALE COLLEGE

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Assistant Professors Clint Jukkala, Marie Lorenz, Michael Queensland, Traci Tullius (Visiting)

Senior Critics John Gambell, Jessica Helfand, Pamela Hovland, Christopher Pullman, Henk van Assen

Critics Siobhan Liddell, Sandra Luckow, Sarah Oppenheimer

Lecturers Jonathan Andrews, Mark Aronson, Anna Betbeze, Julian Bittiner, Scott Braun, Sandra Burns, Alice Chung, Jon Conner, Johannes DeYoung, Benjamin Donaldson, Brent Howard, Lisa Kereszi, John Lehr, Dan Michaelson, Erin Shirreff, Scott Stowell, Jeffrey Stuker, William Villalongo

The program in Art offers courses in a variety of media that provide a background in visual arts as part of a liberal education and as preparation for graduate study and professional work.

Courses in Art are open to all undergraduate students. In cases where student demand for entry into a course is greater than can be accommodated, priority will be given to School of Art students and declared Art majors. The director of undergraduate studies and members of the Art faculty will be present for counseling on Tuesday, August 30, adjacent to the School of Art Gallery at Holcombe T. Green, Jr., Hall, 1156 Chapel Street, between 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Students seeking advice about course selection or the program in Art should come at that time. Others wishing to elect Art courses should go to the first meeting of the class, when each instructor will determine the class enrollment. Classes begin on Wednesday, August 31. For courses beginning in the spring term, counseling will be held on Monday, January 9, 2012, adjacent to the School of Art Gallery, from 12 to 1:30 p.m.; Art classes begin on Tuesday, January 10, 2012. All Art majors are required to register with the director of undergraduate studies at the beginning of each term at the time and place listed above in order to be enrolled or to continue in the major.
The prerequisites for acceptance into the major are a sophomore review, which is an evaluation of work from studio courses taken at the Yale School of Art, and five terms of introductory (100-level) courses. Four introductory courses must have been completed at the time of the sophomore review. Visual Thinking (ART 111) and Basic Drawing (ART 114) are mandatory. At the time of the review, the student should be enrolled in the fifth 100-level prerequisite course. In exceptional cases, arrangements for a special review during the junior year may be made with the director of undergraduate studies.

**Requirements of the major**  The Art major requires fourteen term courses, including the following: (1) five prerequisite courses at the 100 level (including Basic Drawing and Visual Thinking); (2) five courses at the 200 level or above; (3) the Junior Seminar (ART 395) or Critical Theory in the Studio (ART 201); (4) the Senior Project (ART 495); and (5) two term courses in the history of art. Suggested program guidelines and specific requirements for the various areas of concentration are available from the director of undergraduate studies.

Art majors are eligible for the Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fellowship for study at the Yale University Summer School of Music and Art at Norfolk, Connecticut. Applicants for the program must be officially classified as junior Art majors and be returning to Yale for two terms of their senior year. The program awards up to four course credits for work successfully completed. These credits cannot be used toward the requirements of the Art major; however, they may be counted toward the 36-course-credit graduation requirement.

Some Art courses may be repeated for credit, with permission of both the instructor and the director of undergraduate studies. Course credits in studio art earned at other institutions may be applied toward the requirements of the major, at the discretion of the director of undergraduate studies and subject to a faculty review process.

All Art majors are charged a facilities access and user fee of $200 per term. Additional materials fees are levied in individual courses, as specified at the end of the course description.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** Favorable faculty review of work done in studio courses before end of sophomore year; ART 111 and 114; 3 other 100-level term courses

**Number of courses** 14 term courses (incl prereqs and senior project)

**Specific course required** ART 395 or 201

**Distribution of courses** 5 upper-level courses; 2 courses in history of art

**Senior requirement** Senior project (ART 495)

Unless otherwise indicated, spring-term classes in Art begin on Tuesday, January 10, 2012.

**INTRODUCTORY COURSES**

*ART 001a, Studies in Visual Biography*  Jessica Helfand

Study of diaries, journals, and scrapbooks as authoritative examples of visual autobiography. Social history and visual methods, focusing on American and British cultural life between the world wars. Exercises in collecting, collage, and composition; methods of visually navigating space, time, and memory; discussion of the asynchronous nature of biography. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  **RP**  Fr sem
**ART 002b, Paper**  
Staff  
Paper as a material for making art. How paper is made; myriad ways that it is used in the collections of Yale’s galleries and libraries. Creation of paper objects to explore the formal properties of sculpture, including volume, mass, line, and structure. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  
**RP**  
Fr sem

**ART 111a or b, Visual Thinking**  
Anna Betbeze and staff  
An introduction to the language of visual expression, using studio projects to explore the fundamental principles of visual art. Students acquire a working knowledge of visual syntax applicable to art and to the study of art history and popular culture. Projects address all four major concentrations (graphic design, printing/printmaking, photography, and sculpture). Materials fee: $25. Open to all undergraduates. Required for Art majors.  
**HU RP**

**ART 114a or b, Basic Drawing**  
Robert Reed, Jr., and staff  
An introduction to drawing, emphasizing articulation of space and pictorial syntax. Class work is based on observational study. Assigned projects address fundamental technical and conceptual problems suggested by historical and recent artistic practice. Materials fee: $25. Open to all undergraduates. Required for Art majors.  
**HU RP**

**ART 116b, Color**  
Clint Jukkala  
Study of the interaction of color, ranging from fundamental problem solving to individually initiated expression. The collage process is used for most class assignments. Materials fee: $25.  
**HU RP**

**ART 120a or b, Introductory Sculpture: Wood**  
Scott Braun  
Introduction to wood technology and the use of machines and hand tools in context of the studio. The range of what sculpture might be; understanding and articulating form in space; responses to current issues in contemporary sculpture. Assignments foster hands-on appreciation of materials and craftsmanship and initiate awareness of the aesthetic and political implications of handmade objects in a digital world. Shops and studio are available during days and evenings throughout the week. Materials fee: $75. Enrollment limited to 12.  
**HU RP**

**ART 121a, Introductory Sculpture: Metal**  
Brent Howard  
Introduction to working with metal. The range of what sculpture might be; creative approaches to perception, creation, and critical analysis; understanding and articulating form in space; responses to current issues in contemporary sculpture. Assignments foster hands-on appreciation of materials and craftsmanship and initiate awareness of the aesthetic and political implications of handmade objects in a digital world. Shops and studio are available during days and evenings throughout the week. Materials fee: $75. Enrollment limited to 12.  
**HU RP**

**ART 122b, Introductory Sculpture: Digital**  
Sandra Burns  
Ways in which digital tools can inform the production of three-dimensional objects. Digital photography, including RAW photography, video, editing, basic lighting, color correction, and inkjet printing. Introduction to basic woodworking and welding. Digital processes as they intersect with a variety of materials and subjects. Materials fee: $150. Enrollment limited to 12.  
**HU RP**
*ART 125a, Mold Making and Casting  Jon Conner and staff  
Instruction in the practical aspects of mold making and casting in a variety of materials and techniques. Discussion of contemporary issues in art and culture, including the use of traditional principles in sculpture in an age of mass production. Methods include waste molds, piece molds, life casts, and flexible molds. Materials fee: $75. HU RP (Formerly ART 122)

*ART 130a or b, Painting Basics  Anna Betbeze  
An introduction to basic painting issues, including the conventions of pictorial space and the language of color. Class assignments and individual projects explore technical, conceptual, and historical issues central to the language of painting. Materials fee: $75. Intended for students not majoring in Art and for Art majors outside the painting concentration. Students who intend to pursue the painting concentration or take multiple courses in painting should take ART 230 and/or 231. HU RP

*ART 132a or b, Introductory Graphic Design  Henk van Assen, Julian Bittiner  
A studio introduction to visual communication, with emphasis on the visual organization of design elements as a means to transmit meaning and values. Topics include shape, color, visual hierarchy, word-image relationships, and typography. Development of a verbal and visual vocabulary to discuss and critique the designed world. Materials fee: $150. HU RP

*ART 136a or b, Small-Camera Photography  Lisa Kereszi and staff  
An introductory course in black-and-white photography concentrating on the use of 35mm cameras. Topics include the lensless techniques of photograms and pinhole photography; fundamental printing procedures; and the principles of film exposure and development. Assignments encourage the variety of picture-forms that 35mm cameras can uniquely generate. Student work is discussed in regular critiques. Readings examine the invention of photography and the “flâneur” tradition of small-camera photography as exemplified in the work of artists such as Henri Cartier-Bresson, Helen Levitt, Robert Frank, and Garry Winogrand. Materials fee: $150. HU RP

*ART 138a or b, Digital Photography  John Lehr and staff  
An introductory exploration of the transition of photographic processes and techniques into digital formats. Students produce original work using a digital camera. Introduction to a range of tools including color correction, layers, making selections, and inkjet printing. Assignments include weekly critiques and a final project. Materials fee: $150. HU RP

*ART 141a and 142b, The Language of Film Workshop  Michael Roemer  
Problems and aesthetics of film studied in practice as well as in theory. In addition to exploring movement, image, montage, point of view, and narrative structure, students photograph and edit their own short videotapes. The fall term emphasizes the writing and production of short dramatic scenes. Materials fee: $150. Priority to majors in Art and in Film Studies. Prerequisite for Film Studies majors: FILM 150. RP

*ART 145a or b, Introduction to Digital Video  Traci Tullius [F], Johannes DeYoung [Sp]  
Introduction to the basic tools of digital video production. DV camera operation, sound, and Mac-based editing with Final Cut Pro software. Individual and collaborative assignments
explore the visual language and production challenges of DV. Emphasis on the spatial and visual aspects of the medium rather than the narrative. Screenings of experimental film, video art, and DV feature films. Materials fee: $150. Enrollment limited to 12. RP

*ART 201b, Critical Theory in the Studio  Jeffrey Stuker
Key concepts in modern critical theory as they aid in the analysis of creative work in the studio. Psychoanalysis, Marxism, feminism, structuralism, and poststructuralism examined in relation to modern and contemporary movements in the visual arts, including cubism, surrealism, Arte Povera, pop, minimalism, conceptual art, performance art, the Pictures group, and the current relational aesthetics movement. Materials fee: $25. HU

INTERMEDIATE COURSES

*ART 223a and 224b, Figure Drawing  Samuel Messer, William Villalongo
A study of the human figure, using a range of approaches. Emphasis on observation, anatomy, and spatial structure. Historical examples from cave painting to contemporary art. Materials fee: $75 per term. RP

*ART 230a and 231b, Introductory Painting  Robert Reed, Jr.
An introduction to concepts and techniques in painting through observational study, with emphasis on the language of color and the articulation of space. Study of pictorial syntax in historical painting; mastery of materials and techniques. Materials fee: $75 per term. Enrollment limited to 15. Prerequisite or corequisite: ART 114. RP

*ART 237b, Intermediate Photography  Lisa Kereszi
A class in black-and-white photography extending the concerns of ART 136. Introduction to the use of medium-format cameras. Specialized topics include night photography, the use of flash, developing roll film, basic digital scanning, and grayscale printing techniques. Survey of the rich tradition of handheld photography and the production of artists such as Lartigue, Brassai, Diane Arbus, Lee Friedlander, and Robert Adams. Materials fee: $150. Prerequisite: ART 136 or equivalent. HU RP

*ART 245b, Digital Drawing  Sarah Oppenheimer and staff
Digital techniques and concepts as they expand the possibilities of traditional drawing. The structure of the digital image; print, video, and projected media; creative and critical explorations of digital imaging technologies. Historical contexts for contemporary artworks and practices utilizing digital technologies. Group critiques of directed projects. The second half of the course is focused on individual development and exploration. Materials fee: $150. Enrollment limited. Prerequisite: ART 111 or 114 or permission of instructor. RP

*ART 264a, Typography in Graphic Design I  Alice Chung
An intermediate course on the fundamentals of typography, with emphasis on the way typographic form and visual arrangement create and support content. Focus on designing and making books, employing handwork and computer technology. Typographic history and theory discussed in relation to course projects. Materials fee: $150. Prerequisite: ART 132. RP

*ART 265b, Typography in Graphic Design II  Henk van Assen
Continued studies in typography, incorporating more advanced and complex problems. Exploration of grid structures, sequentiality, and typographic translation, particularly in
the design of contemporary books, and screen-based kinetic typography. Relevant issues of design history and theory discussed in conjunction with studio assignments. Materials fee: $150. Prerequisite: ART 264. RP

**ART 324Lb, Painting Materials and Methods**  Mark Aronson
An introduction to historical materials and methods of painting. Students examine masterworks in the Yale Art Gallery and the Center for British Art, and explore observed techniques in their own painting. Techniques include quick-drying indirect tempera, slow-drying and layered oil painting, and the modernist direct application of paint; supports include wood, canvas, paper, and metal. Prerequisite: ART 114 or 130 or permission of instructor. RP

*ART 330a and 331b, Painting Studio I*  Clint Jukkala and staff
Further exploration of concepts and techniques in painting, emphasizing the individuation of students’ pictorial language. Various approaches to representational and abstract painting. Studio work is complemented by in-depth discussion of issues in historical and contemporary painting. Materials fee: $150 per term. Prerequisite: ART 230 or 231. RP

*ART 338a, Intermediate Digital Photography*  John Lehr
Exploration of both the technical and conceptual aspects of digital photography. Range of tools includes advanced film scanning, working with RAW files, masks, compositing and grayscale, and color inkjet printing. Students produce original work, with special attention to ways in which their technical decisions can clarify their artistic intentions. Prerequisite: ART 138.

*ART 341a or b, Intermediate Fiction Film Workshop*  Michael Roemer [F], Jonathan Andrews [Sp]
In the first half of the term, students write, stage, and edit three dramatic scenes, each four to five minutes long. During the second half they create somewhat longer projects. Focus on writing short dramatic scenes with a concrete understanding of the way they will be acted, directed, and photographed. Materials fee: $150. Enrollment limited to 8. Priority to majors in Art and in Film Studies. Prerequisites: ART 141 or 142, and FILM 150. RP

*ART 342b/FILM 351b, Intermediate Documentary Film Workshop*  Sandra Luckow
The storytelling potential of the film medium explored through the making of documentary art. Focus on finding and capturing intriguing, complex scenarios in the world and then adapting them to the film form. Questions of truth, objectivity, style, and the filmmaker’s ethics considered using examples of students’ work. Limited enrollment. Priority to majors in Art and in Film Studies. Prerequisites: ART 141 or 142, and FILM 150. RU RP

*ART 344a, Motion Design*  Christopher Pullman
A studio class that explores how the graphic designer’s conventions of print typography and the dynamics of word-image relationship change with the introduction of time, motion, and sound. Projects focus on the controlled interaction of words and images to express an idea or tell a story. The extra dimensions of time-based communications; choreography of aural and visual images through selection, editing, and juxtaposition. Materials fee: $150. Prerequisite: ART 265; ART 367 recommended. RP

*ART 345a and 346b, Intermediate Sculpture*  Michael Queensland and staff
Further investigation into the history of sculpture and questions pertinent to contemporary art. Exploration of new techniques and materials along with refinement of familiar
skills. Focus on helping students become self-directed in their work. Individual and group discussion and visits to museums and galleries. Materials fee: $75 per term. Enrollment limited to 12. Prerequisite: ART 120, 121, or 122, or equivalent; or with permission of instructor.  

*ART 355b, Silkscreen Printing  Marie Lorenz
Presentation of a range of techniques in silkscreen and photo-silkscreen, from hand-cut stencils to prints using four-color separation. Students create individual projects in a workshop environment. Materials fee: $150. Prerequisite: ART 114 or equivalent.  

*ART 356a, Printmaking I  Marie Lorenz
Instruction in a diverse range of printmaking media. Students develop work in linocut, woodcut, collograph, drypoint, and etching. Methods in both color and black and white. Materials fee: $150. Prerequisite: ART 114 or equivalent.  

*ART 367a and 368b, Intermediate Graphic Design  Alice Chung
Various ways that design functions; how visual communication takes form and is recognized by an audience. Core issues inherent in design: word and image, structure, and sequence. Analysis and refinement of an individual design methodology. Attention to systematic procedures, techniques, and modes of inquiry that lead to a particular result. Materials fee: $150 per term. Prerequisite: ART 132.  

*ART 379b, View Camera Photography  John Lehr
A concentrated study of operations required in the use of stand cameras, or view cameras. Student work is discussed in regular critiques. Review of a significant photographic tradition. Introduction to various methods of contact printing, including platinum printing and other alternative processes. Students are encouraged to employ any previous digital training. Materials fee: $150. Prerequisite: ART 237 or permission of instructor.  

*ART 395a, Junior Seminar  Jeffrey Stuker
Ongoing visual projects addressed in relation to historical and contemporary issues. Readings, slide presentations, critiques by School of Art faculty, and gallery and museum visits. Critiques address all four areas of study in the Art major. Prerequisite: at least four courses in Art. Required for Art majors.  

ADVANCED COURSES  

*ART 401a, Advanced Photography  Gregory Crewdson, Lisa Kereszi
An exploration of the practice of photography, either analog or digital. Student work is discussed in regular critiques, and lectures are framed around the aesthetic concerns that the work provokes. Materials fee: $150 per term. Prerequisites: ART 379 and, for those working digitally, ART 138. Required for Art majors concentrating in photography.  

*ART 421a, Advanced Drawing  Samuel Messer
Further instruction in drawing related to all four disciplines taught in the art major. Emphasis on the development of students’ conceptual thinking in the context of the physical reality of the drawing process. Class time is divided between studio work, group critiques, discussion of assigned readings, and visits to working artists’ studios. Materials
fee: $75. Enrollment limited to senior Art majors who have taken two terms of drawing, except by permission of instructor. RP

*ART 430a, Painting Studio II  Clint Jukkala, Robert Storr
Development of individual themes through independent studio practice and projects. Studio work and discussion of pertinent topics in historical and contemporary painting. May be taken more than once. Materials fee: $75. Prerequisites: ART 330, 331. RP

*ART 442a and 443b/FILM 483a and 484b, Advanced Fiction Film Workshop
Jonathan Andrews
A yearlong workshop designed primarily for Art and Film Studies majors making senior projects. Each student writes and directs a short fiction film. The first term focuses on the screenplay, production schedule, storyboards, casting, budget, and locations. In the second term students rehearse, shoot, edit, and screen the film. Materials fee: $150. Enrollment limited to 8. Priority to majors in Art and in Film Studies. Prerequisite: ART 341.

*ART 445a and 446b, Advanced Sculpture  Michael Queensland and staff
Self-directed work in sculpture. Group discussion of student projects, with readings, slides, and videos that address current art practices. Regular individual and group critiques. Materials fee: $75 per term. Enrollment limited to 12. Prerequisite: ART 345 or 346 or equivalent, or permission of instructor. RP

*ART 468a and 469b, Advanced Graphic Design
Julian Bittiner, Henk van Assen
A probe into questions such as how an artist can be present as an idiosyncratic individual in his or her work, and how that work can still communicate on its own to a broad audience. Concentration on making graffiti, i.e., the design of a set of outdoor marks and tours for New Haven. A technological component is included, both in the metaphor of designing outdoor interaction as a way to learn about screen-based interaction, and in the final project to design an interface for a handheld computer. Materials fee: $150 per term. Prerequisites: ART 264 or 265, and 367 or 368, or permission of instructor. RP

*ART 471a and 472b, Independent Projects  Clint Jukkala
Independent work that would not ordinarily be accomplished within existing courses, designed by the student in conjunction with a School of Art faculty member. A course proposal must be submitted on the appropriate form for approval by the director of undergraduate studies and the faculty adviser. Expectations of the course include regular meetings, end-of-term critiques, and a graded evaluation. RP

*ART 495b, Senior Project  Clint Jukkala
A project of creative work formulated and executed by the student under the supervision of an adviser designated in accordance with the direction of the student’s interest. Proposals for senior projects are submitted on the appropriate form to the School of Art Undergraduate Studies Committee (USC) for review and approval at the end of the term preceding the last resident term. Projects are reviewed and graded by an interdisciplinary faculty committee made up of members of the School of Art faculty. An exhibition of selected work done in the project is expected of each student. RP
Art History
(See under History of Art.)

Astronomy

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ASTRONOMY

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†A joint appointment with primary affiliation in another department.

The Department of Astronomy offers courses both for the nonscientist interested in learning about modern astronomy and for the student wishing to prepare for graduate work in astronomy or a related science. The department offers two degree programs: the B.A. degree program in Astronomy and the B.S. degree program in Astronomy and Physics.

The department offers a variety of courses without prerequisites that provide an introduction to astronomy with particular attention to recent discoveries and theories. Courses numbered below 150, including ASTR 110, 120, and 130, are intended for students who do not plan to major in the sciences but who desire a broad, nontechnical introduction to astronomy. These courses have no prerequisites, and a student may elect any or all of them and take them in any order. Courses with numbers between 150 and 199, including ASTR 155, 160, and 170, are also intended for students who do not plan to major in the sciences, but they provide a more in-depth treatment and assume a somewhat stronger high school science background. ASTR 155 provides a hands-on introduction to astronomical observing, while ASTR 160 and 170 provide an introduction to topics in modern astrophysics and cosmology. For students with good preparation in high school mathematics and physics, ASTR 210 and 220 provide a more intensive introduction to astronomy with emphasis on topics of current interest, and ASTR 255 provides a more quantitative introduction to astronomical research techniques. These courses may be taken independently of each other.

Courses numbered 300 and above are open to students at the sophomore and higher levels who already have an elementary acquaintance with astronomy, and mathematics and physics as described in the course prerequisites. For advice about astronomy courses, students should consult the director of undergraduate studies.

In addition to the normal undergraduate courses, graduate courses in astronomy are open to qualified undergraduates who already have strong preparation in mathematics,
physics, and astronomy. Students wishing to take a graduate course must first obtain the
permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies.

**B.A. degree program in Astronomy** The B.A. degree program is designed for students
who may not intend to do graduate work in astronomy but who are interested in the sub-
ject as a basis for a liberal education or as a background for a career in medicine, teaching,
journalism, business, law, or government. It allows greater flexibility in course selection
than the B.S. program because the emphasis is on breadth of knowledge rather than on spe-
cialization. The prerequisites for the B.A. program are: either PHYS 170 and 171, or 180 and
181, or 200 and 201; and MATH 112 and 115. Ten term courses are required beyond these
prerequisites, including the senior requirement. Five courses in astronomy must be com-
pleted, four of which must be numbered 200 or above, including ASTR 255 or 355; ASTR
310, or both ASTR 210 and 220 (ASTR 170 may substitute for 220 in the latter case); and a
senior project or essay (ASTR 490 or 491). Also required are MATH 120 or ENAS 151 and
four additional courses in the natural or applied or mathematical sciences, at least two
of which must have college-level prerequisites; these may include additional astronomy
courses. The senior requirement consists of a senior essay or independent research project
carried out for one term under the supervision of a faculty member (ASTR 490 or 491).

Before entering the junior year, the student should consult the director of undergradu-
ate studies.

**B.S. degree program in Astronomy and Physics** This program is designed to provide
a strong background in astronomy and in the relevant physics for students interested in
graduate study or a career in astronomy, physics, or a related science.

Prerequisite to the B.S. degree program is work in fundamental physics and math-
ematics. A student planning to major in Astronomy and Physics should complete this
work by the end of the sophomore year. The prerequisites for the B.S. program are: one of
the introductory physics sequences (180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261); one of the physics
laboratory sequences (PHYS 165L, 166L, or 205L, 206L); and the mathematics sequence
MATH 112, 115, and either MATH 120 or ENAS 151. ASTR 155 may be substituted for one
term of the physics laboratory sequence.

Beyond the prerequisites, twelve term courses are required in astronomy, physics, and
mathematics. In astronomy, the student should complete at least six courses including
ASTR 255 or 355; ASTR 310; ASTR 320 or a more advanced astrophysics course with the
permission of the director of undergraduate studies; a two-term senior project (ASTR 490
and 491); and one additional astronomy course numbered 200 or above. In physics, the
student should complete at least four courses numbered 400 or above, normally PHYS
410, 420, 430, and either 439 or 440; the sequence PHYS 401, 402, 440, and 441 may also
fulfill this requirement. With the permission of the director of undergraduate studies,
ASTR 440 may be substituted for PHYS 430. In mathematics, the student should com-
plete one course in mathematics numbered 200 or above, or PHYS 301 or ENAS 194; and
either an additional course in mathematics numbered 200 or above or a course in statistics
or computing. The senior requirement consists of an independent research project in
astronomy carried out for two terms under the supervision of a faculty member (ASTR
490 and 491).
Before entering the junior year, the student should arrange a specific program of study in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies in Astronomy, whose approval of the program is needed, and should then also consult the director of undergraduate studies in Physics.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

ASTRONOMY, B.A.

Prerequisites PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201; MATH 112, 115

Number of courses 10 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req

Distribution of courses 5 term courses in astronomy, 4 of them numbered 200 or above; 5 addtl courses in science or math, at least 2 with college-level prereqs (may include addtl astronomy courses)

Specific courses required ASTR 255 or 355; ASTR 310, or both 210 and 220; MATH 120 or ENAS 151

Substitution permitted ASTR 170 for 220

Senior requirement Senior essay or senior research project (ASTR 490 or 491)

ASTRONOMY AND PHYSICS, B.S.

Prerequisites PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261; PHYS 165L, 166L, or 205L, 206L; MATH 112, 115; MATH 120 or ENAS 151

Number of courses 12 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req

Distribution of courses 6 term courses in astronomy numbered 200 or above; 4 courses in physics numbered 400 or above, as specified; 2 courses in math or mathematical methods in science, as specified

Specific courses required ASTR 255 or 355; ASTR 310, 320

Substitution permitted ASTR 155 for 1 term of prereq physics lab; a more advanced astrophysics course for ASTR 320, with DUS permission

Senior requirement Senior independent research project (ASTR 490 and 491)

*ASTR 030a, Search for Extraterrestrial Life  Hector Arce
Introduction to the search for extraterrestrial life. Review of current knowledge on the origins and evolution of life on Earth; applications to the search for life elsewhere in the universe. Discussion of what makes a planet habitable, how common these worlds are in the universe, and how we might search for them. Survey of past, current, and future searches for extraterrestrial intelligence. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  SC  Fr sem

*ASTR 110a, Planets and Stars  Michael Faison
For non-science majors. An introduction to stars and planetary systems. Topics include the solar system and extrasolar planets, planet and stellar formation, and the evolution of stars from birth to death. No prerequisite other than a working knowledge of elementary algebra.  QR, SC

ASTR 120b, Galaxies and the Universe  Michael Faison
For non-science majors. An introduction to stars and stellar evolution; the structure and evolution of the Milky Way galaxy and other galaxies; quasars, active galactic nuclei, and
supermassive black holes; cosmology and the expanding universe. No prerequisite other than a working knowledge of elementary algebra.  QR, SC

**ASTR 130a, Life in the Universe**  Debra Fischer
For non-science majors. An introduction to the astronomical and physical conditions that were conducive to life on Earth and the searches for similar conditions and for intelligent life elsewhere in the universe. Detailed survey of the objects making up the solar system as determined from astronomical observations and in situ planetary probes. No prerequisite other than a working knowledge of elementary algebra. SC

**[ASTR 135b, Archæoastronomy]**

**ASTR 155a, Introduction to Astronomical Observing**  Michael Faison
A hands-on introduction to the techniques of astronomical observing. Observations of planets, stars, and galaxies using on-campus facilities and remote observing with Yale's research telescopes. Use of electronic detectors and computer-aided data processing. Evening laboratory hours required. One previous college-level science laboratory or astronomy course recommended. SC  ½ Course cr

**[ASTR 160a, Frontiers and Controversies in Astrophysics]**

**ASTR 170b, Introduction to Cosmology**  Priyamvada Natarajan
An introduction to modern cosmological theories and observations. Topics include aspects of special and general relativity; curved space-time; the Big Bang; inflation; primordial element synthesis; the cosmic microwave background; the formation of galaxies; and large-scale structure. Prerequisite: a strong background in high school mathematics and physics. QR, SC

**ASTR 210b, Stars and Their Evolution**  Sarbani Basu
An intensive introduction to stars. Nuclear processes and element production, stellar evolution, stellar deaths and supernova explosions, and stellar remnants including white dwarfs, neutron stars, and black holes. A close look at our nearest star, the sun. Prerequisite: a strong background in high school mathematics and physics. QR, SC

**ASTR 220a, Galaxies and Cosmology**  Eilat Glikman
An intensive introduction to extragalactic astronomy. The structure and contents of galaxies, evolution of galaxies, observational cosmology, and the history of the universe. Prerequisite: a strong background in high school mathematics and physics. QR, SC

**ASTR 255a/PHYS 295a, Research Methods in Astrophysics**  Charles Bailyn
The acquisition and analysis of astrophysical data, including the design and use of ground- and space-based telescopes, computational manipulation of digitized images and spectra, and confrontation of data with theoretical models. Examples taken from current research at Yale and elsewhere. QR, SC RP

**ASTR 310a, Galactic and Extragalactic Astronomy**  Robert Zinn
Basic properties of stars and their distribution in space; stellar populations and the structure of our galaxy; external galaxies and their structure and distribution in the universe; evolution of galaxies; galaxy interactions and active galactic nuclei; introduction to cosmology. Prerequisites: MATH 115 and PHYS 201 or equivalents. QR, SC
**ASTR 320b, Physical Processes in Astronomy**  
Paolo Coppi  
Introduction to the physics required for understanding current astronomical problems. Topics include basic concepts of stellar structure, stellar and cosmic nucleosynthesis, radiative transfer, gas dynamics, and stellar dynamics. Numerical methods for solving these equations. Prerequisites: MATH 120 and PHYS 201 or equivalents, or permission of instructor. Taught in alternate years. QR, SC

**ASTR 343b/PHYS 343b, Gravity, Astrophysics, and Cosmology**  
Daisuke Nagai  
For description see under Physics.

**ASTR 355bG, Observational Astronomy**  
Robert Zinn  
Optics for astronomers. Design and use of optical telescopes, photometers, spectrographs, and detectors for astronomical observations. Introduction to error analysis, concepts of signal-to-noise, and the reduction and analysis of photometric and spectroscopic observations. Prerequisite: one astronomy course numbered above 200, or permission of instructor. Previous experience with computer programming recommended. QR, SC RP

**ASTR 360bG, Interstellar Matter and Star Formation**  
Hector Arce  
The composition, extent, temperature, and density structure of the interstellar medium (ISM). Excitation and radiative processes; the properties of dust; the cold and hot ISM in the Milky Way and other galaxies. Dynamics and evolution of the ISM, including interactions between stars and interstellar matter. Physics and chemistry of molecular clouds and the process of star formation. Prerequisites: MATH 120 and PHYS 201 or equivalents. Taught in alternate years. QR, SC RP

*ASTR 375bG, Exoplanets*  
Debra Fischer  
Current techniques used to detect planets orbiting around other stars, including Doppler measurements, transit techniques, microlensing, astrometric direct imaging, and timing variations. The physics of planetary orbits; recent progress in the characterization of exoplanet interiors and atmospheres; updates to the traditional model of planet formation and evolution. Prerequisites: MATH 120 and PHYS 201 or equivalents, and one astronomy course numbered above 200. QR, SC

**[ASTR 380bG, Stellar Populations]**

**[ASTR 385aG, Introduction to Radio Astronomy]**

**ASTR 418bG, Stellar Dynamics**  
Marla Geha  
The dynamics and evolution of star clusters; structure and dynamics of our galaxy; theories of spiral structure; dynamical evolution of galaxies. Prerequisites: PHYS 201 and MATH 246 or equivalents; ASTR 310. Taught in alternate years. QR, SC RP

**ASTR 420aG, Computational Methods for Astrophysics**  
Paolo Coppi  
The analytic, numerical, and computational tools necessary for effective research in astrophysics and related disciplines. Topics include numerical solutions to differential equations, spectral methods, and Monte Carlo simulations. Applications to common astrophysical problems including fluids and N-body simulations. Prerequisites: ASTR 320, MATH 120, 222 or 225, and 246. QR RP
[ASTR 430a\(^c\), Galaxies]

[ASTR 440b\(^6\), Radiative Processes]

[ASTR 450a\(^c\), Stellar Astrophysics]

**ASTR 465a\(^6\), The Evolving Universe**  
Pieter van Dokkum  
Overview of cosmic history from the formation of the first star to the present day, focusing on direct observations of the high-redshift universe. Prerequisites: MATH 120, PHYS 201, and one astronomy course numbered above 200. Taught in alternate years.  
QR, SC  
RP

*ASTR 490a and 491b, Independent Project in Astronomy*  
Debra Fischer  
Independent project supervised by a member of the department with whom the student meets regularly. The project must be approved by the instructor and by the director of undergraduate studies; the student is required to submit a complete written report on the project at the end of the term.

**Biochemistry**

(See under Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry and under Biology.)

**Biology**

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The major in Biology is offered jointly by the Departments of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (EEB) and Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology (MCDB), providing students with opportunities to take courses in both departments. There are two principal areas of concentration in the major and two directors of undergraduate studies.

The science of biology is extremely broad, ranging across the domains of molecules, cells, organisms, and ecosystems. Moreover, biology explores questions of evolutionary history and the processes of evolutionary change as well as the mechanisms by which cells, organisms, and ecosystems function. Students majoring in Biology receive a thorough yet varied liberal education and preparation for professional careers in a diverse array of fields. Practical applications of biology include the development of pharmaceuticals, the practice of medicine, and the scientific bases for understanding the history and complexity of the environment and the need for its protection.

The major in Biology offers two areas of concentration. Area of concentration I, ecology and evolutionary biology, is intended for students wishing to concentrate in the basic sciences underlying ecological, evolutionary, organismal, computational, conservation, and environmental biology. Area of concentration II, molecular, cellular, and developmental biology, offers programs for students wishing to concentrate on molecular biology and genetics and their applications to problems in cell biology, development, neurobiology, and certain aspects of computational biology. Interdisciplinary opportunities are available within Area II in the biotechnology and neurobiology tracks.

Students who are primarily interested in plant science are invited to consult with an appropriate faculty member.

The Biology major offers opportunities for independent research in both laboratory and field work. With approval, research can be conducted under the supervision of faculty members in any Yale department. Some programs for study abroad are available to Biology majors and are especially appropriate for those in Area I; approved programs can fulfill some of the requirements for the major. Interested students should consult the director of undergraduate studies and the Center for International Experience (www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international).

Students majoring in Biology must take all courses in the major, including prerequisites, for a letter grade. Residential college seminars do not count toward the requirements of the major. The Biology major should not be taken as one of two majors with Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry.

Prerequisites  The basic science courses required of all Biology majors are MCDB 120, E&EB 122, and either MCDB 121L or E&EB 123L; CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118 taken
with their appropriate laboratories as well as one term of organic chemistry with laboratory (CHEM 124, 125 with 126L, 127L satisfies both chemistry requirements); two terms of PHYS 170, 171 or higher; and one term of MATH 115 or above, but not MATH 190. The second term of organic chemistry lecture, CHEM 221 or 230, may be used as an elective in the major. Note that the prerequisites fulfill most of the usual premedical science requirements.

Placement Students who have scored 710 or higher on the SAT subject matter Biology M test, or who have scored 5 on the Advanced Placement test in biology, may be exempt from taking MCDB 120 and its associated laboratory. Students scoring 5 on the Advanced Placement biology test may also be exempt from E&EB 122 and its associated laboratory, but students are not permitted to place out of E&EB 122 and 123L using the SAT subject matter test M or E. Students with equivalent scores on one of the corresponding chemistry tests, or who have taken an International Baccalaureate higher-level examination in an appropriate subject, may also be exempt from taking MCDB 120, but should first discuss their preparation in biology with the director of undergraduate studies in MCDB.

Acceleration credit awarded in chemistry, mathematics, and physics, or completion of advanced courses in those departments, is accepted instead of the relevant prerequisites for the Biology major. Students who already have mathematics preparation equivalent to MATH 115 or higher are encouraged to take additional mathematics, such as MATH 120, 222, or 225.

Placement in chemistry courses is arranged by the Chemistry department. Because the required chemistry courses are prerequisite to a number of biology courses, students are strongly urged to take general and organic chemistry in the freshman and sophomore years. Students who place out of general chemistry should take organic chemistry during their freshman year. Finishing the prerequisites early allows for a more adventurous program in later years.

Requirements of the major Beyond the prerequisites, the B.A. degree requires seven lecture courses or seminars, two laboratories, and the senior requirement (E&EB 470, MCDB 470, E&EB 475, MCDB 475, or the senior essay); the B.S. degree requires seven lecture courses or seminars, two laboratories, and the senior requirement (two terms of E&EB 475 or MCDB 475 or 485 and 486). The B.S. degree with an intensive major requires, in addition to the prerequisites, seven lecture courses or seminars, two laboratories, and the senior requirement (E&EB 495, 496 or MCDB 495, 496).

Core requirements for Area I, ecology and evolutionary biology Area I majors are required to take MCDB 202, STAT 101 or the equivalent, E&EB 220, and 225.

Electives for Area I, ecology and evolutionary biology In addition to the four core courses, students must take three electives, one of which must be a course in organismal diversity chosen from E&EB 246, 250, 280, or MCDB 290. Students who wish to take electives from other departments should obtain the approval of the director of undergraduate studies in EEB.

Two laboratories beyond the prerequisites are required for the major.

Core requirements for Area II, molecular, cellular, and developmental biology Biology majors in Area II are required to take MCDB 202, 300 or its equivalent, and either 205 or 210. (MCDB 210 is not a core course for the biotechnology track.) Equivalents for MCDB 300 are defined as either (a) both MB&B 300 and 301 or (b) MB&B 300 only, if the
student took MCDB 120 or 200 prior to MB&B 300 or has the permission of the director
of undergraduate studies in MCDB. For this purpose, placing out of MCDB 120 is not the
equivalent of having taken MCDB 120.

**Electives for Area II, molecular, cellular, and developmental biology** In addition to the
prerequisites and core requirements, the standard degree program requires four electives,
including three from MCDB (numbered 150 or above), EEB (numbered 140 or above), or
MB&B (numbered 200 or above), and one upper-level MCDB elective numbered 350 or higher.
Two laboratories at the 200 level or higher are also required for the standard program,
one of which can be selected from courses in EEB or MB&B.

**Neurobiology track** The neurobiology track requires MCDB 320, one MCDB course
numbered 350 or above, and two courses chosen from BENG 410, CPSC 475, MCDB 240,
310, 315, 415, 425, 430, 440, 460, PSYC 270, 376, and either STAT 101 or PSYC 200. Other
courses may be substituted with the approval of the student’s track adviser. (Students
should note that PSYC 110 is a prerequisite for many psychology courses but does not
substitute as an elective in the neurobiology track.) Two laboratories chosen from MCDB
courses are also required as electives. Students interested in the neurobiology track should
consult an adviser for the track. Advisers whose names are listed followed by “[F]” may
be consulted during the fall term; those whose names are followed by “[Sp]” may be con-
sulted during the spring term.

*Neurobiology track advisers:*
- P. Forscher, 222 KBT (432-6344)
- H. Keshishian, 640A KBT (432-3478)
- E. Stein, 232 KBT (432-8402)
- D. Wells, 338A KBT (432-3481)
- R. Wyman [F], 610A KBT (432-3475)
- W. Zhong [Sp], 616 KBT (432-9233)

**Biotechnology track** The biotechnology track requires MCDB 370 and three courses chosen
from any MCDB course numbered 150 or above, MB&B 420, 421, 443, BENG 351, 352, 410,
435, 457, 464, CENG 210, 411, 412, CPSC 437, 445, 470, or 475. Two laboratories are required:
either two from MCDB (including at least one from MCDB 341L to MCDB 345L) or BENG
355L, 356L or CENG 412. Students interested in the biotechnology track should consult an
adviser for the track. Advisers whose names are listed followed by “[F]” may be consulted
during the fall term.

*Biotechnology track advisers:*
- R. Breaker [F], 506 KBT (432-9389)
- X. W. Deng, 352B OML (432-8908)
- K. Nelson, 710A KBT (432-5013)
- J. Wolenski, 330 KBT (432-6912)

Many of the courses in other departments listed immediately above have prerequisites;
such prerequisites can be substituted for an upper-level elective with permission of the
MCDB director of undergraduate studies.
**For all tracks in Area II** If both MCDB 205 and 210 are taken, one counts as a core course and the other as an elective. If both MB&B 300 and 301 are taken, one counts as a core course (in place of MCDB 300) and one as an elective. Two laboratory courses from MCDB 342L, 343L, 344L, and 345L can be used together as one elective credit. If used as an elective, these laboratories cannot also fulfill the laboratory requirement. A relevant intermediate or advanced course from another department in science, engineering, mathematics, or statistics may be accepted as an elective with permission of the director of undergraduate studies. Residential college seminars cannot be substituted for electives.

**Senior requirement** In addition to the course requirements described above, all students must satisfy a senior requirement undertaken during the senior year. A booklet listing the requirements of each track and degree is available in the office of the director of undergraduate studies (122D OML for Area I, 754 KBT for Area II). All students must fill out a checklist of requirements and go over it with the undergraduate registrar, Karen Broderick (Area I) or Crystal Adamchek (Area II), by the spring term of the junior year. For the B.A. degree the requirement can be met in any one of three ways: by submitting a senior essay of fifteen to twenty pages evaluating current research in a field of biology; by successful completion of one term of tutorial work (E&EB 470 or MCDB 470); or by successful completion of one term of individual research (E&EB 475 or MCDB 475).

A senior choosing to fulfill the requirement with a senior essay must consult with a faculty adviser on the scope and literature of the topic and submit the adviser’s written approval to the appropriate director of undergraduate studies no later than the course selection period of the term in which the paper is due. The senior essay may be related to the subject matter of a course, but the essay is a separate departmental requirement in addition to any work done in a course and does not count toward the grade in any course. The senior essay must be completed and submitted to the office of the director of undergraduate studies by the last day of classes. Students electing this option should obtain an approval form from the office of the director of undergraduate studies.

**B.S. degree** The requirements for the B.S. degree are the same as for the B.A. degree except for the senior requirement, which differs in its greater emphasis on individual research. The senior requirement is two consecutive terms of E&EB 475 or MCDB 475, at least one of which must be taken during the senior year, or MCDB 485, 486. Students are expected to spend ten hours per week conducting individual research. Ordinarily, both terms of E&EB 475 or MCDB 475 are taken during the senior year, but it is possible for a student to begin work toward the senior requirement in the spring of the junior year, continue it over the summer, and complete it during the final year, an arrangement that may be particularly useful for students doing fieldwork. Yale College does not grant academic credit for summer research unless the student is enrolled in an independent research course in Yale Summer Session.

**B.S. degree, intensive major** Requirements for the B.S. degree with an intensive major are the same as those for the B.A. degree except that students fulfill the senior requirement by taking E&EB 495, 496 or MCDB 495, 496, Intensive Research, which earns four course credits. Seniors in the intensive major are expected to spend twenty hours per week conducting individual research.
It should be noted that the research courses E&EB 475 and 495, 496 and MCDB 475, 485, 486, and 495, 496 exist primarily to fulfill the senior requirement. Some students may wish to take E&EB 475 or MCDB 475 earlier in their course of study. This contributes to the thirty-six course credits required for graduation, but does not substitute for any of the other requirements of the major including the senior requirement. Students may take up to three credits in E&EB 475 and MCDB 475 (MCDB 485, 486 counts as two terms of MCDB 475 in this calculation) during their undergraduate career.

**Laboratory preparation for research**  Students concentrating in Area II or with an interest in molecular evolution and who are planning to undertake research are advised to take one or more of the following laboratories first: MCDB 341L, 342L, 343L, 344L, or 345L.

**Combined B.S./M.S. degree program**  Exceptionally able and well-prepared students may accelerate their professional education by completing a course of study leading to the simultaneous award of the B.S. and M.S. degrees after eight terms of enrollment. Completion in fewer than eight terms is not allowed. The requirements are as follows:

1. Candidates must satisfy the Yale College requirements for the B.S. degree. In addition to the three or four core requirements (depending on track) specified for the standard major, the three or four electives must be graduate-level courses designated “G.” One of these is a graduate seminar selected with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies. Students must earn a grade of A or A− in two graduate-level courses and a grade of B− or higher in the rest.

2. Six credits outside the major must be taken in the last two years, and at least two undergraduate courses in the last two terms.

3. In addition to the courses specified above, students must complete two graduate research courses for six course credits: (a) MCDB 585 or E&EB 585, a two-credit course typically taken in the second term of the junior year. At the start of the course, each student forms a committee comprised of the adviser and two faculty members that meets to discuss the research project. Two of the members of this committee must be members of either the MCDB or EEB faculty, as appropriate to the thesis topic. At the end of the course, the student completes a detailed prospectus describing the thesis project and the work completed to date. The committee evaluates an oral and written presentation of the prospectus and determines whether the student may continue in the combined program; (b) MCDB 595 or E&EB 595, a four-credit, yearlong course that is similar to MCDB 495, 496 and E&EB 495, 496 and is taken during the senior year. During the course, the student gives an oral presentation describing the work. At the end of the course, the student is expected to present his or her work to the department in the form of a poster presentation. In addition, the student is expected to give an oral thesis defense, followed by a comprehensive examination of the thesis conducted by the thesis committee. Upon successful completion of this examination, as well as all other requirements, the student is awarded the combined B.S./M.S. degree.

Students must also satisfy the requirements of Yale College for the simultaneous award of the bachelor’s and master’s degrees, including the following:
1. Students must apply in writing to the appropriate director of undergraduate studies and obtain departmental approval no later than the beginning of the second term of their junior year. Applications must be submitted by November 1 in the preceding term. Students must have the approval of both the director of undergraduate studies and the director of graduate studies to receive graduate credit for the graduate courses they select.

2. Students must have two-thirds A or A– grades in all of their courses and two-thirds A or A– grades in Biology courses, including prerequisites, in order to be admitted to the program.

**Advising** Freshmen considering a major in Biology are invited to consult with one of the two directors of undergraduate studies and/or a faculty member in EEB or MCDB who is a fellow of their residential college. Once an area of concentration is chosen, students should find a faculty adviser in the appropriate department. For assistance in identifying a suitable adviser, students should contact the undergraduate registrar, Karen Broderick (Area I) or Crystal Adamchek (Area II). Students in the neurobiology or biotechnology track should consult an adviser for their track (listed above). Students in EEB should consult one of the advisers assigned to their class. The course schedules of all Biology majors (including sophomores intending to major in Biology) must be signed by a faculty member in one of the two participating departments; the signature of the director of undergraduate studies is not required. Students whose regular adviser is on leave can consult the director of undergraduate studies to arrange for an alternate.

**Area I, ecology and evolutionary biology**

*Class of 2012:* Günter Wagner [F], 327A OML (432-9998)
David Post, 426B OML (432-3005)

*Class of 2013:* Paul Turner, 301A OML (432-5918)
Suzanne Alonzo, 427A OML (432-0690)

*Class of 2014:* Walter Jetz, 401 OML (432-6293)
David Vasseur, 550 OML (432-2719)

*Class of 2015:* Jeffrey Powell, 172 ESC (432-3887)

**Area II, molecular, cellular, and developmental biology** Any member of the MCDB department can serve as a faculty adviser to majors. College faculty advisers available to freshmen:

| BR, I. Dawson | PC, J. Carlson, C. Crews |
| CC, M. Mooseker, R. Wyman | SY, C. Jacobs-Wagner, S. Roeder |
| TD, S. Holley | ES, E. Stein, D. Wells |
| JE, T. Nelson [F], R. Breaker | TC, S. Altman |
REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

**Prerequisites**  MCDB 120, E&EB 122; either MCDB 121L or E&EB 123L; CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118, with labs, and 1 term of organic chem with lab (CHEM 124, 125 with 126L, 127L satisfies both reqs); PHYS 170, 171, or above; MATH 115 or higher (except MATH 190); all courses taken for letter grades

**Number of courses**  B.A. — 7 courses and 2 labs beyond prereqs taken for letter grades, totaling 8 or 9 course credits (incl senior req); B.S. — 7 courses and 2 labs beyond prereqs taken for letter grades, totaling 10 course credits (incl senior req); B.S., **intensive major** — 7 courses and 2 labs beyond prereqs taken for letter grades, totaling 12 course credits (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required**  
*Area I: Ecology and evolutionary biology — STAT 101 or equivalent, E&EB 220, 225, MCDB 202; Area II: Molecular, cellular, and developmental biology — Standard track — MCDB 202, 300, and either 205 or 210; Neurobiology track — MCDB 202, 300, 320, and either 205 or 210; Biotechnology track — MCDB 202, 205, 300, and 370

**Distribution of courses**  
*Area I* — 3 electives, 1 in organismal diversity; *Area II* — **Standard track** — 3 electives from EEB numbered 140 or above, MCDB numbered 150 or above, or MB&B numbered 200 or above, and 1 addtl MCDB course numbered 350 or above; **Neurobiology and biotechnology tracks** — 3 electives as specified

**Substitution permitted**  *Area I* — with DUS permission; *Area II* — 1 course relevant to biology in another dept, with DUS permission, except for college sems; higher-level courses for lower-level courses, with approval of adviser or DUS

**Senior requirement**  B.A. — MCDB 470 or 475 or E&EB 470 or 475, taken in senior year, or senior essay; B.S. — 2 consecutive terms of MCDB 475 or E&EB 475, at least 1 in senior year, or MCDB 485, 486; B.S., **intensive major** — MCDB 495, 496 or E&EB 495, 496

INTRODUCTORY COURSES WITHOUT PREREQUISITES

*MCDB 060a and 061b, Topics in Reproductive Biology*  Harvey Kliman

An introduction to reproductive biology, focused on selected topics in reproductive system development; physiology and endocrinology; sexuality and gender differences; and assisted reproductive technologies. Exploration of primary literature in model system and human reproductive biology. Enrollment limited to freshmen with a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement test in Biology. May be applied as an elective toward the Biology major. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  sc  Fr sem

½ Course cr per term  Cr/year only

*MCDB 105a or b/MB&B 105a or b, An Issues Approach to Biology*  
Timothy Nelson [F], Andrew Miranker [Sp], and staff

Biological concepts taught in context of current societal issues, such as stem cell research and genetically modified organisms. Emphasis on biological literacy to enable students to evaluate scientific arguments.  sc

*MCDB 106a/HLTH 155a, Biology of Malaria, Lyme, and Other Vector-Borne Diseases*  
Alexia Belperron

Introduction to the biology of pathogen transmission from one organism to another by insects; special focus on malaria and Lyme disease. Biology of the pathogens including
modes of transmission and establishment of infection; immune responses and the associated challenges to prevention and treatment. Intended for non-science majors. Prerequisite: high school biology. SC

**MCDB 107a, Human Biology** Mitchell Kundel, William Segraves
An introduction to the fundamentals of human anatomy and physiology. Enrollment limited to freshmen and sophomores. SC

**MCDB 109b, Immunology and Microorganisms** Paula Kavathas
Introduction to the human immune system, followed by study of microorganisms such as influenza, HIV, human papilloma virus, *Chlamydia trachomatis*, and commensal bacteria. Discussion of the biology of each organism and interaction with the host immune system, reinforcing principles of immune function. Enrollment limited to freshmen and sophomores. SC RP

**E&EB 115a/F&ES 315a, Conservation Biology** Jeffrey Powell, Walter Jetz
An introduction to ecological and evolutionary principles underpinning efforts to conserve Earth’s biodiversity. Efforts to halt the rapid increase in disappearance of both plants and animals. Discussion of sociological and economic issues. SC

**MCDB 120a, Principles of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology**
John Carlson and staff
Introduction to biochemistry, genetics, cell biology, and development. Emphasis on the cell as the basic unit of life; its composition, functions, replication, and differentiation. Suitable as the first step in any biological sciences major, and also for any student wishing to understand the fundamentals of biology at the molecular and cellular level. Admits to MCDB courses numbered 202 or higher. SC

**MCDB 121La, Laboratory for Principles of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology**
Maria Moreno
A survey of the experimental techniques used in molecular, cellular, and developmental biology, with emphasis on the utility of model organisms. Exercises in basic molecular biology techniques, protein chemistry, genetic analysis, cell fractionation, microbiology, microscopy and imaging, embryogenesis, and plant and animal development. Concurrently with or after MCDB 120. SC ½ Course cr

**E&EB 122b, Principles of Evolution, Ecology, and Behavior**
Stephen Stearns
Principles of evolution, ecology, and behavior explained and illustrated by recent advances that have changed the field. Emphasis on major events in the history and key transitions in the organization of life. Ecological processes from organisms through populations and communities to the biosphere. Foraging, mating, and selfish and cooperative behavior placed in evolutionary and ecological context. Recommended preparation: MCDB 120 or equivalent. WR, SC

**E&EB 123Lb, Laboratory for Principles of Evolution, Ecology, and Behavior**
Marta Martínez Wells
Experimental approaches to organismal and population biology, including study of the diversity of life. Concurrently with or after E&EB 122. SC ½ Course cr
MCDB 123b, Genes and Environment  Jo Handelsman
The nature of biological thought and inquiry explored through study of the interplay between genes and the environment. Influence of the microbial world on the physiology and evolution of organisms. Tools from molecular biology and genomics are used to examine the effects of internal and external factors on gene expression, how the process of gene expression leads to observable characteristics, and the relationship between bacterial gene expression and human survival. Intended for non–science majors.  SC

E&EB 125b/G&G 125b, History of Life  Derek Briggs, Leo Hickey
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.

*MCDB 135b, How the Brain Works  David Wells, Mitchell Kundel
Introduction to the cellular and gross anatomy and the physiology that give rise to movement, sensation, vision, memory, and emotion. Clinical cases demonstrate biological function. Enrollment limited to freshmen and sophomores.  SC

*E&EB 150b, Genomics, Evolution, and Human Biology  Howard Ochman
The biology of humans from an evolutionary perspective. Human genetics, genomics, and evolution as context for understanding the features that link us to all other organisms and those that make us unique. Designed for, but not limited to, majors in Biology.  SC

[MCDB 150b/HIST 400b, Global Problems of Population Growth]

E&EB 160a, Diversity of Life  Wendy Clement
A survey of the diversity of organisms on Earth with a focus on their evolutionary history, biology, and adaptations to their environment.  SC

*E&EB 171a, The Collections of the Peabody Museum  Leo Buss
Exploration of selected scientific problems through use of the biological and geological collections of the Peabody Museum. Enrollment limited to freshmen and sophomores.  WR, SC  RP

INTERMEDIATE EEB COURSES

E&EB 220a/EVST 223a, General Ecology  David Vasseur
The theory and practice of ecology, including the ecology of individuals, population dynamics and regulation, community structure, ecosystem function, and ecological interactions at broad spatial and temporal scales. Topics such as climate change, fisheries management, and infectious diseases are placed in an ecological context. Prerequisite: MATH 112 or equivalent.  SC

E&EB 225b, Evolutionary Biology  Nancy Moran, Paul Turner
An overview of evolutionary biology as the discipline unifying all of the life sciences. Reading and discussion of scientific papers to explore the dynamic aspects of evolutionary biology. Principles of population genetics, paleontology, and systematics; application of evolutionary thinking in disciplines such as developmental biology, ecology, microbiology, molecular biology, and human medicine. Recommended preparation: E&EB 122.  SC
E&EB 226Lb\textsuperscript{c}, Laboratory for Evolutionary Biology  Gisella Caccone
The companion laboratory to E&EB 225. Patterns and processes of evolution, including collection and interpretation of molecular and morphological data in a phylogenetic context. Focus on methods of analysis of species-level and population-level variation in natural populations. Concurrently with or after E&EB 225 or with permission of instructor. \textsc{sc} ½ Course cr

E&EB 240a, Animal Behavior  Suzanne Alonzo
An introduction to the study of animal behavior from an evolutionary and ecological perspective. History and methods of studying animal behavior. Topics include foraging, predation, communication, reproduction, cooperation, and the role of behavior in conservation. After E&EB 122. \textsc{wr, sc}

E&EB 246b, Plant Diversity and Evolution  Wendy Clement
Introduction to the evolutionary relationships of plant lineages. The complexity, diversity, and characteristics of the major plant groups, including green algae, mosses, ferns, conifers, and flowering plants, within a phylogenetic context. To be taken concurrently with E&EB 247L. Prerequisite: a general understanding of introductory biology and evolution. \textsc{sc}

E&EB 247Lb, Laboratory for Plant Diversity and Evolution  Wendy Clement
Local flora field research; hands-on experience with the plant groups examined in the accompanying lectures. To be taken concurrently with E&EB 246. \textsc{sc} ½ Course cr

E&EB 250a\textsuperscript{c}, Biology of Terrestrial Arthropods  Marta Martínez Wells
Evolutionary history and diversity of terrestrial arthropods (body plan, phylogenetic relationships, fossil record); physiology and functional morphology (water relations, thermoregulation, energetics of flying and singing); reproduction (biology of reproduction, life cycles, metamorphosis, parental care); behavior (migration, communication, mating systems, evolution of sociality); ecology (parasitism, mutualism, predator-prey interactions, competition, plant-insect interactions). After E&EB 122. \textsc{sc}

E&EB 251La\textsuperscript{c}, Laboratory for Biology of Terrestrial Arthropods  Marta Martínez Wells
Comparative anatomy, dissections, identification, and classification of terrestrial arthropods; specimen collection; field trips. Concurrently with or after E&EB 250. \textsc{sc} ½ Course cr

E&EB 257a, Invertebrates II  Leo Buss
A comprehensive survey of the phyla comprising the Lophotrochozoa and the Ecdysozoa emphasizing anatomy, functional organization, systematics, and evolutionary history. Prerequisite: E&EB <255>. \textsc{sc}

E&EB 258La, Laboratory for Invertebrates II  Leo Buss
Study of the anatomy of representative living invertebrates comprising the Lophotrochozoa and the Ecdysozoa, accompanied by examination of museum specimens of both extant and fossil invertebrates. Prerequisite: E&EB <256L>. \textsc{sc} ½ Course cr

*E&EB 275a\textsuperscript{c}/EVST 400a, Biological Oceanography  Mary Beth Decker
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*E&EB 280b\textsuperscript{c}/ANTH 310b\textsuperscript{c}, Mammalogy  Eric Sargis
For description see under Anthropology.
ADVANCED EEB COURSES

*E&EB 315a, Ecology and Evolution of Plant-Insect Interactions  Wendy Clement
The ecology and evolution of plant-insect interactions examined in three parts: insect pollination of plants, herbivory, and ant-plant interactions.  sc

*E&EB 320b, Conservation Genetics  Gisella Caccone
An introduction to conservation genetics for advanced undergraduates and graduate students. The importance of genetic diversity and the means for preserving it. After MCDB 200 and E&EB 225, or with permission of instructor.  sc

*E&EB 330a/EVST 330a/F&ES 330a, Ecosystem Ecology  Melinda Smith, Peter Raymond
An outdoor overview of the study of ecosystems. How the structure of ecosystems develops (e.g., biodiversity) and how ecosystems function (e.g., process nutrients or pollutants). The impact of global changes, such as climate change and eutrophication, on ecosystem structure and function. Field-based group and independent projects focused on New England ecosystems. Prerequisite: E&EB 220 or permission of instructor.  sc

E&EB 365a/EVST 365a, Landscape Ecology  David Skelly
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*E&EB 390a, Evolution of Development  Antonia Monteiro
An introduction to the ways that developmental mechanisms change through time to give rise to organismal diversity. Ways in which mutations influence the processes of gene regulation, tissue growth, and cell and organ differentiation.  sc

*E&EB 460b, Studies in Evolutionary Medicine I  Stephen Stearns and staff
Principles of evolutionary biology applied to issues in medical research and practice. Lactose and alcohol tolerance; the “hygiene hypothesis”; genetic variation in drug response and pathogen resistance; spontaneous abortions, immune genes, and mate choice; the evolution of aging; the ecology and evolution of disease; the emergence of new diseases. Students develop proposals for research to be conducted during the summer. Admission by competitive application; forms are available on the EEB Web site.  sc

*E&EB 461a, Studies in Evolutionary Medicine II  Paul Turner
Continuation of E&EB 460. Prerequisite: E&EB 460 or with permission of instructor.  sc

EEB RESEARCH AND TUTORIALS

*E&EB 470a or b, Tutorial  Marta Martínez Wells
Individual or small-group study for qualified students who wish to investigate an area of ecology or evolutionary biology not presently covered by regular courses. A student must be sponsored by a faculty member who sets requirements and meets weekly with the student. One or more written examinations and/or a term paper are required. To register, the student must submit a written plan of study approved by the faculty instructor to the director of undergraduate studies. Students are encouraged to apply during the term preceding the tutorial. The proposal must be submitted by Wednesday, September 7, for the fall term and Wednesday, January 18, for the spring term. The final paper is due in the hands of the director of undergraduate studies by Friday, December 9, for the fall term
and Monday, April 23, for the spring term. In special cases, with approval of the director of undergraduate studies, this course may be elected for more than one term, but only one term will count as an elective for the major. Normally, faculty sponsors must be members of the EEB department. Fulfills the senior requirement for the B.A. degree if taken in the senior year.

**E&EB 475a or b, Research**  Marta Martínez Wells

One term of original research in an area relevant to ecology or evolutionary biology. This may involve, for example, laboratory work, fieldwork, or mathematical or computer modeling. Students may also work in areas related to environmental biology such as policy, economics, or ethics. The research project may not be a review of relevant literature but must be original. In all cases students must have a faculty sponsor who oversees the research and is responsible for the rigor of the project. Students are expected to spend ten hours per week on their research projects. Using the form available from the office of undergraduate studies or from the Classes server, students must submit a research proposal that has been approved by the faculty sponsor to the director of undergraduate studies, preferably during the term preceding the research. Proposals are due Wednesday, September 7, for the fall term and Wednesday, January 18, for the spring term. The final research paper is due in the hands of the director of undergraduate studies by Friday, December 9, for the fall term and Monday, April 23, for the spring term. Fulfills the senior requirement for the B.A. degree if taken in the senior year. Two consecutive terms of this course fulfill the senior requirement for the B.S. degree if at least one term is taken in the senior year.

**E&EB 495a and 496b, Intensive Senior Research**  Marta Martínez Wells

Two terms of intensive original research during the senior year under the sponsorship of a faculty member. Similar to other research courses except that a more substantial portion of the student’s time should be spent on the research project (an average of twenty hours per week). A research proposal approved by the sponsoring faculty member must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by September 7, using the form available from the office of undergraduate studies or from the Classes server. Interim oral reports and a final written research paper are required. The final paper is due Monday, April 23. Fulfills the senior requirement for the B.S. degree with an intensive major. 2 Course cr per term Cr/year only

**MCDB COURSES**

MCDB 120 or 200 is a prerequisite for courses numbered 202 and above.

**MCDB 200b, Molecular Biology**  Stephen Dellaporta

A study of the central dogma and fundamental principles of molecular biology, including a detailed discussion of model organisms and experimental methodologies in biological research. Topics include chemistry of biological macromolecules, DNA and RNA structure and function, chromosome and genome organization, transcriptional and translational regulation, microRNAs, protein structure and function, genomics, and bioinformatics. Designed to provide an accelerated venue for MCDB majors entering the department’s core curriculum. Prerequisite: score of 5 on the Advanced Placement test in Biology or permission of instructor. 8cr
MCDB 201Lb, Molecular Biology Laboratory  Maria Moreno
Basic molecular biology training in a project-based laboratory setting. Experiments analyze gene function through techniques of PCR, plasmid and cDNA cloning, DNA sequence analysis, and protein expression and purification. Instruction in experimental design, data analysis, and interpretation. For freshmen and sophomores. Concurrently with or after MCDB 200. Special registration procedures apply. Interested students must contact the instructor and attend an organizational meeting during the first week of classes. WR, SC RP ½ Course cr

MCDB 202a, Genetics  Shirleen Roeder, Stephen Dellaporta
An introduction to classical, molecular, and population genetics of both prokaryotes and eukaryotes and their central importance in biological sciences. Emphasis on analytical approaches and techniques of genetics used to investigate mechanisms of heredity and variation. Topics include transmission genetics, cytogenetics, DNA structure and function, recombination, gene mutation, selection, and recombinant DNA technology. SC

MCDB 203La, Laboratory for Genetics  Iain Dawson
Introduction to laboratory techniques used in genetic analysis. Genetic model organisms—bacteria, yeast, *Drosophila*, and *Arabidopsis*—are used to provide practical experience with various classical and molecular genetic techniques including cytogenetics, mutagenesis and mutant analysis, recombination and gene mapping, isolation and manipulation of DNA, and DNA sequence analysis. Concurrently with or after MCDB 202. SC ½ Course cr

MCDB 205b, Cell Biology  Thomas Pollard and staff
A comprehensive introductory course in cell biology. Emphasis on the general principles that explain the molecular mechanisms of cellular function. Prerequisite: MCDB 120 or 200, or a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement test in Biology, or a score of 710 or above on the SAT Biology M test. SC

MCDB 210b, Developmental Biology  Vivian Irish and staff
Cellular differentiation and its genetic and molecular control; fertilization, cleavage, and morphogenesis of plants and animals; polarity and positional information; organogenesis and development of specialized tissues; evolution and development. SC

MCDB 215a/STAT 101a*, Introduction to Statistics: Life Sciences  Jonathan Reuning-Scherer, Günter Wagner
For description see under Statistics.

*MCDB 230b/MB&B 230b, Rain Forest Expedition and Laboratory  Scott Strobel and staff
For description see under Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry.

MCDB 240b, Biology of Reproduction  Hugh Taylor, Mary Klein
Introduction to reproductive biology, with emphasis on human reproduction. Development and hormonal regulation of reproductive systems; sexuality, fertilization, and pregnancy; modern diagnosis and treatment of reproductive and developmental disorders; social and ethical issues. Prerequisite: MCDB 120, or a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement test in Biology, or a score of 710 or above on the SAT Biology M test. SC
MCDB 241Lb, Laboratory for Biology of Reproduction and Development  Mary Klein
Laboratory investigation of reproductive and developmental processes. Emphasis on mammalian reproduction and embryonic development in classic vertebrate and invertebrate systems. Topics include gametogenesis, ovulation, hormonal control of reproduction, and investigation of embryogenesis in the frog and the fruit fly, Drosophila. Enrollment limited. Concurrently with or after MCDB 240 or 210. Not open to freshmen. Special registration procedures apply; students must consult the instructor prior to the first week of classes.  

MCDB 290b, Microbiology  Christine Jacobs-Wagner, Carol Bascom- Slack
Cell structure of microorganisms, bacterial genetics, microbial evolution and diversity, microbial development, microbial interaction, chemotaxis and motility, gene regulation, microbial genomics, host defense systems, infectious diseases, viruses, and biological weapons. After organic chemistry and one term of biochemistry or cell biology or genetics, or with permission of instructor.  

MCDB 291Lb, Laboratory for Microbiology  Iain Dawson
Practical approaches used when working with microbes, primarily bacteria. Topics include microscopy, culture techniques, biochemical/metabolic assays, and basic environmental and medical microbiology. Concurrently with or after MCDB 290. Electronic permission key required; students should contact the instructor.  

MCDB 300b/MB&B 200b, Biochemistry  Ronald Breaker, Donald Engelman
An introduction to the biochemistry of animals, plants, and microorganisms, emphasizing the relations of chemical principles and structure to the evolution and regulation of living systems. After one term of organic chemistry.  

MCDB 301La/MB&B 251La, Laboratory for Biochemistry  William Konigsberg, Aruna Pawashe
For description see under Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry.  

MCDB 302La and 303Lb, Advanced Biology Laboratory  Maria Moreno, Kenneth Nelson
A two-term laboratory course that provides advanced biological research skills. Weekly workshops focus on grantsmanship, experimental design, data analysis, reading of primary literature, scientific presentations, and scientific writing skills. Application of these skills in project-based laboratory training sponsored by a faculty member. Prerequisite: MCDB 121L or 201L.  

MCDB 310a/b/BENG 350a/b, Physiological Systems  Mark Saltzman, Emile Boulpaep, and staff
For description see under Biomedical Engineering.  

MCDB 315b, Biological Mechanisms of Reaction to Injury  Michael Kashgarian, Joseph Madri, and staff
Human biology and disease as a manifestation of reaction to injury. Organ structure and function, cell injury, circulatory and inflammatory responses, disordered physiology, and neoplasia. Enrollment limited; preference to junior and senior majors in MCDB or MB&B. Prerequisite: MCDB 205, 300, or 310.
MCDB 320a, Neurobiology  Haig Keshishian, Paul Forscher  
The excitability of the nerve cell membrane as a starting point for the study of molecular, cellular, and systems-level mechanisms underlying the generation and control of behavior. After a year of college-level chemistry; a course in physics is strongly recommended. SC

MCDB 321La, Laboratory for Neurobiology  Haig Keshishian and staff  
Introduction to the neurosciences. Projects include the study of neuronal excitability, sensory transduction, CNS function, synaptic physiology, and neuroanatomy. Concurrently with or after MCDB 320. SC ½ Course cr

*MCDB 341La or Lb, Laboratory in Electron Microscopy  Barry Pickos  
Techniques in light and electron microscopy. Enrollment limited; preference to majors in Biology or MB&B. Students must devote two to three laboratory hours per week in addition to the published meeting time. Students should contact the instructor prior to the first week of classes. After or concurrently with MCDB 205. SC RP ½ Course cr

*MCDB 342La, Laboratory in Nucleic Acids I  Kenneth Nelson  
A project from a research laboratory within the MCDB department, using many of the technologies from molecular and cell biology. Laboratories meet twice a week for the first half of the term. Concurrently with or after MCDB 202, 205, or 300. Enrollment limited. Special registration procedures apply; students must consult the instructor prior to the first week of classes. SC ½ Course cr

*MCDB 343La, Laboratory in Nucleic Acids II  Kenneth Nelson  
Continuation of MCDB 342L to more advanced projects in molecular and cell biology, such as making and screening cDNA libraries, microarray screening and analysis, or next-generation DNA sequencing. Laboratories meet twice a week for the second half of the term. Prerequisite: MCDB 342L or permission of instructor. Enrollment limited. Special registration procedures apply; students must consult the instructor prior to the first week of classes. SC ½ Course cr

*MCDB 344Lb, Experimental Techniques in Cellular Biology  Joseph Wolenski  
A problems-based approach to questions in cell and molecular biology, with emphasis on experimental strategies and techniques. Topics include SDS-PAGE, immunoblots, column chromatography, mammalian cell culture, cell fractionation, phase contrast microscopy, confocal microscopy, drug studies, bacterial cultures, and methods of transfection and transformation. Prepares for MCDB 475 or 485, 486 or 495, 496. Enrollment limited. Meets during January and February. Prerequisite: MCDB 205. Special registration procedures apply; students must contact the instructor 12 to 14 months in advance, and are interviewed prior to enrollment. SC ½ Course cr

*MCDB 345Lb, Experimental Strategies in Cellular Biology  Joseph Wolenski  
Continuation of MCDB 344L, with increased emphasis on experimental design and interpretation of data. Research projects involving protein purification are semi-independent. Focus on developing an independent research project in modern biomedical research. Students participate in journal discussions, formal seminars, and presentations of data to peers. Prepares for MCDB 475 or 485, 486 or 495, 496. Enrollment limited. Meets during March and April. Prerequisite: MCDB 344L. Special preregistration procedures apply; students must contact the instructor 12 months in advance. SC ½ Course cr
**MCDB 361b⁶/AMTH 466b⁶, Systems Modeling in Biology**  
Thierry Emonet and staff  
Introduction to the techniques of integrating mathematics, physics, and engineering into the analysis of complex living systems. Use of these techniques to address questions about the design principles of biological systems. Discussion of experiments and corresponding mathematical models. Students build their own models using MATLAB.  
QR, SC

**MCDB 370b⁶, Biotechnology**  
Xing-Wang Deng and staff  
The principles and applications of cellular, molecular, and chemical techniques that advance biotechnology. The most recent tools and strategies used by industrial labs, academic research, and government agencies to adapt biological and chemical compounds as medical treatments, as industrial agents, or for the further study of biological systems. Prerequisite: MCDB 200 or 202 or 300.  
SC

**MCDB 387b, The Eukaryotic Cell Cycle**  
Iain Dawson  
The regulation and coordination of the eukaryotic cell cycle examined by means of a detailed critique of primary literature. Particular attention to the processes of development, differentiation, and oncogenic disease. Enrollment limited, with preference to juniors and seniors. Prerequisite or corequisite: MCDB 202 or 205. Electronic permission key required. Students must contact the instructor prior to the first week of classes.  
SC

**MCDB 415b⁶, Cellular and Molecular Physiology**  
Emile Boulpaep,  
Frederick Sigworth  
Study of the processes that transfer molecules across membranes. Classes of molecular machines that mediate membrane transport. Emphasis on interactions among transport proteins in determining the physiologic behaviors of cells and tissues. Intended for seniors majoring in the biological sciences. Recommended preparation: MCDB 205, 310, 320, or permission of instructor.  
SC

**MCDB 425a⁶/MB&B 425a⁶, Basic Concepts of Genetic Analysis**  
Tian Xu and staff  
For description see under Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry.

**MCDB 430a⁶, Biology of the Immune System**  
Akiko Iwasaki and staff  
SC

**MCDB 435a, Landmark Papers in Cell Biology**  
Joel Rosenbaum, Mark Mooseker  
Discussion and critical evaluation of selected research papers that were important in determining the directions of modern cell biological research. Emphasis on the nature of the problem, evaluation of the experimental approaches and results, and the authors’ interpretation of the results. Weekly discussion by all participants required. Students should contact the instructor prior to the first week of classes. Prerequisites: courses in cell biology, biochemistry, and genetics, or permission of instructor.  
SC

**MCDB 440b⁶, Brain Development and Plasticity**  
Weimin Zhong, Elke Stein  
Recent advances in scientific understanding of brain development and plasticity, including neuronal determination, axon guidance, synaptogenesis, and developmental plasticity. Prerequisite: MCDB 320 or permission of instructor.  
SC
MCDB 450a, The Human Genome  Stephen Dellaporta
Principles of genomic sciences as they are used to understand complex human traits and diseases. How the human genome was sequenced; organization of the genome; the amount and characterization of variation in the human population; variation and phenotypic differences; the human genome compared to that of our closest relatives; genome resequencing and genome association studies. Enrollment limited to 20. Students should contact the instructor prior to the first week of classes. Prerequisite: a course in genetics or permission of instructor.  SC

MCDB 452b/MB&B 452b, Bioinformatics: Practical Application of Simulation and Data Mining  Mark Gerstein
For description see under Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry.

MCDB 460b, Cell Biology of the Neuron  Elke Stein
A comprehensive course in neuronal cell biology. Principles of cell biology reviewed in the context of the developing nervous system. Topics include membrane trafficking, receptor mechanisms, neurotrophin signaling, neuronal cytoskeleton, axon guidance, and synapse formation and maintenance. Prerequisite: a course in cell biology.  SC

MCDB 470a or b, Tutorial  Douglas Kankel
Individual or small-group study for qualified students who wish to investigate a broad area of experimental biology not presently covered by regular courses. A student must be sponsored by a Yale faculty member, who sets the requirements. The course must include one or more written examinations and/or a term paper. This is intended to be a supplementary course and, therefore, to have weekly or biweekly discussion meetings between the student and the sponsoring faculty member. To register, the student must prepare a form, available in the office of the director of undergraduate studies, and a written plan of study with bibliography, approved by the adviser. The form and proposal must be uploaded to the Classes server or submitted to the course instructor in 754 KBT by Friday, September 9, for the fall term and Tuesday, January 17, for the spring term. The final paper is due in the hands of the sponsoring faculty member, with a copy to the course instructor, by the beginning of reading period. In special cases, with approval of the director of undergraduate studies, this course may be elected for more than one term, but only one term will count as an elective for the major. Fulfills the senior requirement for the B.A. degree if taken in the senior year. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China, under the supervision of Xing-Wang Deng. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.

MCDB 475a or b, Research  Staff
Research projects under faculty supervision, ordinarily taken to fulfill the senior requirement. This course may be taken before the senior year, but it cannot substitute for other requirements. Students are expected to spend approximately ten hours per week in the laboratory, and to make presentations to students and advisers at monthly section meetings. Written assignments include a short research proposal summary at the beginning of the term, approved by the Yale faculty sponsor and the instructor in charge of the course. A final research report is required at the end of the term. Seniors taking this course to fulfill the senior requirement must give an oral presentation of their research at the end of the term. Students who take this course more than once must reapply each term; students planning to conduct two terms of research should consider enrolling in
MCDB 485, 486. Students should line up a research laboratory during the term preceding the research. Guidelines for the course should be obtained from the office of the director of undergraduate studies or downloaded from the Classes server. Written proposals are due Friday, September 9, for the fall term and Tuesday, January 17, for the spring term. Fulfills the senior requirement for the B.A. degree if taken in the senior year. Two consecutive terms of this course fulfill the senior requirement for the B.S. degree if at least one term is taken in the senior year. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China, under the supervision of Xing-Wang Deng. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.

*MCDB 485a and 486b, Research in Biology*  Staff  
Individual two-term laboratory research projects under the supervision of a faculty member. Students are expected to spend ten to twelve hours per week in the laboratory, and to make presentations to students and advisers at monthly discussion groups. Written assignments include a short research proposal summary due at the beginning of the first term, a grant proposal due at the end of the first term, and a research report summarizing experimental results due at the end of the second term. Students are also required to present their research in either the fall or the spring term. A poster session is held at the end of the spring term. Students should line up a research laboratory during the term preceding the research. Guidelines for the course should be obtained from the office of the director of undergraduate studies or downloaded from the Classes server. Written proposals are due Friday, September 9. Fulfills the senior requirement for the B.S. degree if taken in the senior year. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China, under the supervision of Xing-Wang Deng. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  Cr/year only

*MCDB 495a and 496b, Intensive Research in Biology*  Weimin Zhong and staff  
Qualified students may undertake directed research in some field of biology during the senior year. Before registering for this course, the student must be accepted for a research project by a Yale faculty member with a research program in experimental biology and obtain the approval of the instructor in charge of the course. Students spend approximately twenty hours per week in the laboratory, and make written and oral presentations of their research to students and advisers. Written assignments include a short research proposal summary due at the beginning of the first term, a grant proposal due at the end of the first term, and a research report summarizing experimental results due at the end of the second term. Students must attend a minimum of three research seminar sessions (including their own) per term. Students are also required to present their research during both the fall and spring terms. A poster session is held at the end of the spring term. Guidelines for the course are covered in detail in an information sheet that students should obtain from the office of the director of undergraduate studies early in the final term of the junior year. A written proposal must be submitted by Friday, September 9. Fulfills the senior requirement for the B.S. degree with an intensive major. 2 Course cr per term  Cr/year only

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Graduate courses in the biological and biomedical sciences that may be of interest to undergraduates are listed in the online bulletin of the Graduate School, and many are posted at bbs.yale.edu. Additional information is available from the directors of undergraduate and
graduate studies. Undergraduates with an appropriate background may enroll with the permission of the director of graduate studies and the instructor.

Biomedical Engineering

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

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Associate Professors  Robin de Graaf, Tarek Fahmy, Fahmeed Hyder, Themis Kyriakides, Evan Morris, Xenophon Papademetris, Lawrence Staib (Electrical Engineering), Hemant Tagare (Electrical Engineering)

Assistant Professors  Rong Fan, Anjelica Gonzalez, Michael Levene, Kathryn Miller-Jensen, Smita Sampath, Erik Shapiro

Lecturer  Jeremy Blum

Engineering methods and strategies are used to address important biomedical problems ranging from studies of physiological function using images to the development of artificial organs and new biomaterials. The major in Biomedical Engineering is designed to provide students with an understanding of the common methodologies that underlie many of these problems as well as the ability to develop quantitative approaches to understanding one of three biomedical engineering fields in more detail.

The flexible course structure of the major permits students to understand and bridge basic concepts in the life sciences and at least one of the traditional engineering disciplines offered at Yale, while also gaining a comprehensive understanding of biomedical engineering as a field of study.

Requirements of the major for the Class of 2013 and previous classes  The B.S. degree program in Biomedical Engineering offers three tracks: the bioimaging track, the biomechanics track, and the molecular engineering track.

During the freshman year, students study basic mathematics, chemistry, and biology. By the end of the sophomore year, they have taken physics, ENAS 194, and BENG 350, Physiological Systems. In the junior year, students obtain a comprehensive grounding in the field through taking BENG 351, Biotransport and Kinetics, 352, Biomedical Signals and Images, 355L, Physiological Systems Laboratory, and 356L, Biomedical Engineering Laboratory. They also take an elective in one of the three areas of concentration in order to prepare for more advanced work. During the remainder of the junior and senior years, students acquire depth in one of the three areas of concentration. A senior seminar and a senior project permit students to gain practical, detailed information about their chosen area of concentration.

The following courses are prerequisite to the major for students in all tracks: MCDB 120; CHEM 112, 114, or 118; ENAS 194; MATH 115; MATH 120 or ENAS 151; PHYS 180,
Students must complete ten term courses, totaling at least nine course credits, beyond the prerequisites, including at least three required courses in the chosen track, two terms of a biomedical engineering laboratory (BENG 355L, 356L), and the two-term senior requirement.

Students in all tracks are required to take the following five term courses: BENG 350, 351, 352, 355L, and 356L. Students in the bioimaging track must also take three courses chosen from EENG 310, BENG 410, 421, 436, 445, 449, or 475. Students in the biomechanics track must also take three courses chosen from MENG 185, 280, 361, BENG 410, 434, or 457. Students in the molecular engineering track must also take three courses chosen from BENG 410, 434, 435, 464, MENG 361, or MB&B 300. Any relevant course may be substituted with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. By the end of senior year, two courses in the life sciences must have been included among the prerequisite and required courses for the major.

Requirements of the major for the Class of 2014 and subsequent classes The B.S. degree program in Biomedical Engineering offers three tracks: the bioimaging track, the biomechanics track, and the molecular engineering track.

During the freshman year, students study basic mathematics, chemistry, and biology. By the end of the sophomore year, they have taken physics, ENAS 194, BENG 249, Introduction to Biomedical Computation, and BENG 350, Physiological Systems. In the junior year, students obtain a comprehensive grounding in the field through taking BENG 351, Biomechanics I, and Introduction to Biomechanics, 355L, Physiological Systems Laboratory, and 356L, Biomedical Engineering Laboratory. They also take an elective in one of the three areas of concentration in order to prepare for more advanced work. During the remainder of the junior and senior years, students acquire depth in one of the three areas of concentration. A senior seminar and a senior project permit students to gain practical, detailed information about their chosen area of concentration.

The following courses are prerequisite to the major for students in all tracks: MCDB 120; CHEM 112, 114, or 118; ENAS 194; MATH 115; MATH 120 or ENAS 151; PHYS 180, 181, 205L, and 206L (or 165L and 166L, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies).

Students must complete twelve term courses, totaling at least eleven course credits, beyond the prerequisites, including at least three required courses in the chosen track, two terms of a biomedical engineering laboratory (BENG 355L, 356L), and the two-term senior requirement.

Students in all tracks are required to take the following seven term courses: BENG 249, 350, 351, 352, 353, 355L, and 356L. Students in the bioimaging track must also take three courses chosen from EENG 310, BENG 410, 421, 436, 445, 449, or 475. Students in the biomechanics track must also take three courses chosen from MENG 185, 280, 361, BENG 410, 434, or 457. Students in the molecular engineering track must also take three courses chosen from BENG 410, 434, 435, 464, MENG 361, or MB&B 300. Any relevant course may be substituted with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. By the end of senior year, two courses in the life sciences must have been included among the prerequisite and required courses for the major.

Senior requirement In their senior year, all students must complete a one-term senior project in their final term of enrollment (BENG 471 or 472) and the senior seminar (BENG 480).
Credit/D/Fail option  No course taken Credit/D/Fail may count toward the major, including prerequisites.

Preparation for graduate study  The Biomedical Engineering curriculum is excellent preparation for graduate study in engineering, science, and medicine. In some cases, organic chemistry and/or certain biology courses may be substituted for courses in any one of the tracks after consultation with the director of undergraduate studies.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  MCDB 120; CHEM 112, 114, or 118; ENAS 194; MATH 115; MATH 120 or ENAS 151; PHYS 180, 181, and 205L, 206L (or 165L, 166L with DUS permission)

Number of courses  Class of 2013 and previous classes — 10 term courses, totaling at least 9 course credits, beyond prerequisites (incl senior req); Class of 2014 and subsequent classes — 12 term courses, totaling at least 11 course credits, beyond prerequisites (incl senior req)

Distribution of courses  2 courses in life sciences among prereq and req courses

Specific courses required  Class of 2013 and previous classes — All tracks — BENG 350, 351, 352, 355L, 356L; Class of 2014 and subsequent classes — All tracks — BENG 249, 350, 351, 352, 353, 355L, 356L; All classes — Bioimaging track — 3 from EENG 310, BENG 410, 421, 436, 445, 449, or 475; Biomechanics track — 3 from MENG 185, 280, 361, BENG 410, 434, or 457; Molecular engineering track — 3 from BENG 410, 434, 435, 464, MENG 361, or MBB 300

Substitution permitted  Relevant course with DUS permission

Senior requirement  Senior project in final term (BENG 471 or 472) and senior sem (BENG 480)

BENG 100b, Frontiers of Biomedical Engineering  Mark Saltzman
The basic concepts of biomedical engineering and their connection with the spectrum of human activity. Introduction to the fundamental science and engineering on which biomedical engineering is based. Case studies of drugs and medical products illustrate the product development–product testing cycle, patent protection, and FDA approval. Designed for science and non-science majors. QR

*BENG 249b, Introduction to Biomedical Computation  Richard Carson
Computational and mathematical tools used in biomedical engineering for the simulation of biological systems and the analysis of biomedical data. Basics of computational programming in MATLAB; applications to modeling, design, and statistical and data analysis. Prerequisite: MATH 120 or ENAS 151. SC

BENG 350a/G/MCDB 310a/G, Physiological Systems  Mark Saltzman, Emile Boulpaep, and staff
Regulation and control in biological systems, emphasizing human physiology and principles of feedback. Biomechanical properties of tissues emphasizing the structural basis of physiological control. Conversion of chemical energy into work in light of metabolic control and temperature regulation. Prerequisites: CHEM 113 or 115, or PHYS 180 and 181; MCDB 120. SC

BENG 351a/G/CENG 351a/G, Biotransport and Kinetics  Kathryn Miller-Jensen
Creation and critical analysis of models of biological transport and reaction processes. Topics include mass and heat transport, biochemical interactions and reactions, and
thermodynamics. Examples from diverse applications including drug delivery, biomedical imaging, and tissue engineering. Prerequisites: MCDB 120, PHYS 180, 181, MATH 115, ENAS 194, and CHEM 112, 114, or 118. QR

BENG 352b, Biomedical Signals and Images  James Duncan, Lawrence Staib
Principles and methods used to represent, model, and process signals and images arising from biomedical sources. Topics include continuous and discrete linear systems analysis, Fourier analysis and frequency response, metrics for signal similarity, and noise filtering. Biomedical examples range from one-dimensional electrical signals in nerves and muscles to two-dimensional images of organs and cells. Prerequisite: MATH 120 or ENAS 151. BENG 249, 350, and ENAS 194 strongly recommended. QR

BENG 353a, Introduction to Biomechanics  Jay Humphrey
An introduction to the biomechanics used in biosolid mechanics, biofluid mechanics, biothermomechanics, and biochemomechanics. Diverse aspects of biomedical engineering, from basic mechanobiology to the design of novel biomaterials, medical devices, and surgical interventions. Prerequisites: PHYS 180, 181, MATH 115, and ENAS 194. QR

*BENG 355La, Physiological Systems Laboratory  Lawrence Staib, Michael Levene
Introduction to laboratory techniques and tools used in biomedical engineering for physiological measurement. Topics include bioelectric measurement, signal processing, and dialysis. Enrollment limited to majors in Biomedical Engineering, except by permission of the director of undergraduate studies. sc ½ Course cr

BENG 356Lb, Biomedical Engineering Laboratory  Lawrence Staib
Continuation of BENG 355L, introducing laboratory techniques and tools used in biomedical engineering. Topics include image processing, ultrasound, and microscopy. Enrollment limited. sc ½ Course cr

BENG 405b/EVST 415b, Biotechnology and the Developing World  Anjelica Gonzalez, Jeremy Blum
Study of technological advances that have global health applications. Ways in which biotechnology has enhanced quality of life in the developing world. The challenges of implementing relevant technologies in resource-limited environments, including technical, practical, social, and ethical aspects. Prerequisite: MCDB 120.

*BENG 410a, Physical and Chemical Basis of Bioimaging and Biosensing  
Douglas Rothman and staff
Basic principles and technologies for sensing the chemical, electrical, and structural properties of living tissues and of biological macromolecules. Topics include magnetic resonance spectroscopy, microelectrodes, fluorescent probes, chip-based biosensors, X-ray and electron tomography, and MRI. Prerequisites: BENG 351 and 352 or permission of instructor. QR, SC

BENG 411b, Biomedical Microtechnology and Nanotechnology  Rong Fan
Principles and applications of micro- and nanotechnologies for biomedicine. Approaches to fabricating micro- and nanostructures. Fluid mechanics, electrokinetics, and molecular transport in microfluidic systems. Integrated biosensors and microTAS for laboratory medicine and point-of-care uses. High-content technologies, including DNA, protein microarrays, and cell-based assays for differential diagnosis and disease stratification. Emerging nanobiotechnology for systems medicine. Prerequisites: CHEM 112, 114, or 118, and ENAS 194. SC
*BENG 431b, Fundamentals of Medical Imaging  R. Todd Constable
The physics of image formation, with special emphasis on techniques with medical applications. Emphasis on concepts common to different types of imaging, along with understanding how information is limited by physical phenomena. Topics include mathematical concepts of image analysis, formation of images by ionizing radiation, ultrasound, NMR and other energy forms, and methods of evaluating image quality. Prerequisites: ENAS 194, and PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201, or permission of instructor.  QR, SC

BENG 434a, Biomaterials  Anjelica Gonzalez and staff
Introduction to the major classes of biomedical materials: ceramics, metals, and polymers. Their structure, properties, and fabrication connected to biological applications, from implants to tissue-engineered devices and drug delivery systems. Prerequisite: CHEM 113 or 115; organic chemistry recommended.  SC

BENG 435b, Biomaterial-Tissue Interactions  Themis Kyriakides
Study of the interactions between tissues and biomaterials, with an emphasis on the importance of molecular- and cellular-level events in dictating the performance and longevity of clinically relevant devices. Attention to specific areas such as biomaterials for tissue engineering and the importance of stem/progenitor cells, as well as biomaterial-mediated gene and drug delivery. Prerequisites: CHEM 112, 114, or 118, and MCDB 120, or equivalents.  SC

*BENG 436b, Biophotonics and Optical Microscopy  Michael Levene
A review of linear and nonlinear optical microscopies and other biophotonics applications. Topics include wide-field techniques, linear and nonlinear laser scanning microscopy, fundamentals of geometrical and physical optics, optical image formation, laser physics, single molecule techniques, fluorescence correlation spectroscopy, and light scattering. Discussion of fluorescence and the underlying physics of light-matter interactions that provide biologically relevant signals.

BENG 445a/EENG 445a, Biomedical Image Processing and Analysis  James Duncan, Lawrence Staib
A study of the basic computational principles related to processing and analysis of biomedical images (e.g., magnetic resonance, computed X-ray tomography, fluorescence microscopy). Basic concepts and techniques related to discrete image representation, multidimensional frequency transforms, image enhancement, motion analysis, image segmentation, and image registration. Prerequisite: EENG 310 or permission of instructors. Recommended preparation: familiarity with probability theory.

BENG 449b, Biomedical Data Analysis  Richard Carson
Study of biological and medical data analysis associated with applications of biomedical engineering. Provides basics of probability and statistics, as well as analytical approaches for determination of quantitative biological parameters from experimental data. Includes substantial programming in MATLAB. Prerequisite: MATH 120 or ENAS 151. After or concurrently with ENAS 194.  QR

BENG 453b, Continuum Biomechanics  Jay Humphrey
Advanced state-of-the-art methods of continuum and computational biomechanics. New theories of soft tissue growth, remodeling, disease progression, healing, and aging. Emphasis on mechanics driven by advances in vascular mechanobiology. Prerequisite: BENG 353.  QR
**[BENG 455b, Vascular Mechanics]**

**BENG 457b/G/MENG 457b, Musculoskeletal Biomechanics**  Staff
Application of mechanical engineering principles to biological materials and systems. Topics include ligament, tendon, bone, muscle; joints, gait analysis; exercise physiology. The basic concepts are directed toward an understanding of the science of orthopedic surgery and sports medicine. Prerequisites: MENG 280 and 383 or permission of instructor.  QR, SC RP

**BENG 464b, Tissue Engineering**  Laura Niklason
Introduction to the major aspects of tissue engineering, including materials selection, scaffold fabrication, cell sources, cell seeding, bioreactor design, and tissue characterization. Class sessions include lectures and hands-on laboratory work. Prerequisite: CHEM 112, 114, or 118. Recommended preparation: organic chemistry, cell biology, and physiology.  SC 1½ Course cr

*BENG 471a and 472b, Special Projects*  James Duncan
Faculty-supervised individual or small-group projects with emphasis on research (laboratory or theory), engineering design, or tutorial study. Students are expected to consult the director of undergraduate studies and appropriate faculty members about ideas and suggestions for suitable topics. This course is usually taken during the spring term of the senior year but with permission of the director of undergraduate studies can be taken any time during a student’s career, and may be taken more than once. Permission of both the instructor and the director of undergraduate studies is required.

**BENG 475a/G/CPSC 475a/G, Computational Vision and Biological Perception**  Steven Zucker
For description see under Computer Science.

*BENG 480a/G, Seminar in Biomedical Engineering*  Xenophon Papademetris
Oral presentations and written reports by students analyzing papers from scientific journals on topics of interest in biomedical engineering, including discussions and advanced seminars from faculty on selected subjects.

*BENG 482b/G, Fundamentals of Neuroimaging*  Douglas Rothman, Fahmeed Hyder
The neuroenergetic and neurochemical basis of several dominant neuroimaging methods, including fMRI. Technical aspects of different methods, interpretation of results, and controversies or challenges regarding the application of fMRI and related methods in medicine.  SC

**Biophysics**

(See under Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry.)

**British Studies**

(COURSES AT THE PAUL MELLON CENTRE IN LONDON)
During the spring term, the Yale-in-London program at the Paul Mellon Centre for Studies in British Art, located in central London, offers four courses in British studies covering British history, history of art or architecture, literature, and drama. Courses taught at the Paul Mellon Centre must be taken for a letter grade. Further information
and application forms are available at ycba.yale.edu/education/edu_yil.html. Inquiries may also be directed to yaleinlondon@yale.edu. The application deadline for spring term 2012 is Friday, October 7, 2011. Students will be notified of acceptance within one month of the application deadline. Inquiries about the summer program, described in chapter I, should be directed to the same address. Applications for summer 2012 are due Wednesday, February 1, 2012.

*BRST 182b, The Tudors and the English Renaissance, 1509–1603  
John Guy
English history between the accession of Henry VIII in 1509 and the death of Elizabeth I in 1603. Political culture and the Reformation; personalities, political and religious structures, and ideas as disseminated in print, literature, and art; the conceptualization of politics, including its expression in public ceremonial and the image of the ruler; the political significance of royal buildings, ceremonies, and iconography.  
HU

*BRST 183b, Modern Irish Drama  
Barry McCrea
Major works and trends in Irish theater from about 1900 to the present day. Irish national identity and politics on the stage; international artistic trends that have manifested themselves in the Irish dramatic imagination.  
HU

*BRST 184b, London in the Literary Imagination  
Barry McCrea
Literary representations of the British capital from the seventeenth century to the present. How the changing social and geographical map of the city has changed the way the novel approaches character, physical space, psychology, desire, and even the representation of time.  
HU

*BRST 188b, The Art Academy in England, Hogarth to Turner  
Martin Postle
The development of the art academy in England from the early decades of the eighteenth century to the mid-nineteenth century. The academy’s role in the education of artists, the dissemination of art theory, and the promotion of the public exhibition; its influence on the careers of artists such as William Hogarth, Joshua Reynolds, Thomas Gainsborough, Richard Wilson, Johan Zoffany, William Blake, John Constable, and J. M. W. Turner. The relative importance of history painting, portraiture, landscape, and genre painting within the evolving academic hierarchy.  
HU

Chemical Engineering

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

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Energy, the environment, and health care are key challenges facing humanity in the twenty-first century. Chemical engineering is a discipline well placed to confront these challenges. Chemical engineering is rooted in the basic sciences of mathematics, chemistry, physics, and biology; a traditional engineering science core of thermodynamics, transport phenomena, and chemical kinetics; a rigorous design component; and an expanding focus on emerging topics in materials, nanotechnology, and life sciences. The discipline has grown from its petrochemical origins to become central to state-of-the-art technologies in microelectronics, alternative energy, biomedicine, and pharmaceutics.

The Chemical Engineering program is principally focused on basic and engineering sciences and on problem solving. Additional emphasis is on communication, analysis of experiments, and chemical process design. A special feature of the program is the accessibility of laboratory research—most Chemical Engineering majors participate in faculty-led research projects, often resulting in publication and/or presentation at national meetings.

Chemical Engineering graduates find a wide range of professional opportunities in academia, industry, government, business, and the nonprofit sector. Many majors go on to graduate programs in chemical, biomedical, or environmental engineering, or to medical, law, or business schools.

The educational objectives of the Chemical Engineering program are the following. Graduating students will achieve positions of leadership within academia, industry, and government; excel in top graduate programs in chemical, biomedical, environmental, and related engineering fields; excel in top professional schools in fields such as law, medicine, or management; join and rise in the ranks of large and small corporations; become successful entrepreneurs; practice engineering toward the benefit of humankind.

Students considering a chemical engineering major are encouraged to take two terms of chemistry and mathematics during the freshman year, and to contact the director of undergraduate studies.

Requirements of the major Two degree programs are offered: a B.S. in Chemical Engineering accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, Inc., and a B.S. in Engineering Sciences (Chemical).

Prerequisites Students in both degree programs take the following prerequisite courses: MATH 112, 115, and ENAS 131 or equivalent; PHYS 180, 181; CHEM 114, 115, and 116L, or CHEM 118; ENAS 130. Students with advanced high school preparation may reduce the number of prerequisites.

B.S. degree program in Chemical Engineering The curriculum for the ABET-accredited B.S. degree in Chemical Engineering includes the following required courses beyond the prerequisites:
1. Mathematics: ENAS 194 or equivalent
2. Chemistry: CHEM 220, 221 or 230, 332, 333, and 330L
3. Engineering science: MENG 361 and three term courses chosen from engineering electives
4. Chemical engineering: CENG 210, 300, 301, 315, 411, 412, 480

**Senior requirement** In their senior year students must pass CENG 416, Chemical Engineering Process Design.

**B.S. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Chemical)** The B.S. degree in Engineering Sciences (Chemical) requires ten term courses beyond the prerequisites, chosen in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. The standard program includes the following courses:
1. Mathematics: ENAS 194 or equivalent
2. Chemistry: CHEM 220, and 221 or 230; or 332, 333
3. Engineering science: MENG 361
4. Chemical engineering: CENG 210, 300, 301, 315, 411

**Senior requirement** In their senior year students must complete a senior research project in CENG 490.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**CHEMICAL ENGINEERING, B.S.**

**Prerequisites** MATH 112, 115, ENAS 151 or equivalent; CHEM 114, 115, and 116L, or CHEM 118; PHYS 180, 181; ENAS 130

**Number of courses** 18 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required** ENAS 194 or equivalent; CHEM 220, 221 or 230, 332, 333, and 330L; MENG 361; CENG 210, 300, 301, 315, 411, 412, 480

**Distribution of courses** 3 addtl electives in engineering

**Senior requirement** CENG 416b

**ENGINEERING SCIENCES (CHEMICAL), B.S.**

**Prerequisites** MATH 112, 115, ENAS 151 or equivalent; CHEM 114, 115, and 116L, or CHEM 118; PHYS 180, 181; ENAS 130

**Number of courses** 10 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required** ENAS 194 or equivalent; CHEM 220, and 221 or 230, or CHEM 332, 333; MENG 361; CENG 210, 300, 301, 315, 411

**Senior requirement** CENG 490

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*CENG 120b/ENAS 120b/ENVE 120b, Introduction to Environmental Engineering*

Jordan Peccia
For description see under Environmental Engineering.

*CENG 210a/ENVE 210a, Principles of Chemical Engineering and Process Modeling*

Lisa Pfefferle
Analysis of the transport and reactions of chemical species as applied to problems in chemical, biochemical, and environmental systems. Emphasis on the interpretation of laboratory
experiments, mathematical modeling, and dimensional analysis. Lectures include classroom demonstrations. Prerequisite: MATH 120 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CENG 300a, Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics**  Chinedum Osuji
Analysis of equilibrium systems. Topics include energy conservation, entropy, heat engines, Legendre transforms, derived thermodynamic potentials and equilibrium criteria, multicomponent systems, chemical reaction and phase equilibria, systematic derivation of thermodynamic identities, criteria for thermodynamic stability, and introduction to statistical thermodynamics. Prerequisite: MATH 120 or ENAS 151 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CENG 301b, Chemical Kinetics and Chemical Reactors**  Lisa Pfefferle
Physical-chemical principles and mathematical modeling of chemical reactors. Topics include homogeneous and heterogeneous reaction kinetics, catalytic reactions, systems of coupled reactions, selectivity and yield, chemical reactions with coupled mass transport, nonisothermal systems, and reactor design. Applications from problems in environmental, biomedical, and materials engineering. Prerequisite: ENAS 194 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CENG 315b/ENVE 315b, Transport Phenomena**  Chinedum Osuji
Unified treatment of momentum, energy, and chemical species transport including conservation laws, flux relations, and boundary conditions. Topics include convective and diffusive transport, transport with homogeneous and heterogeneous chemical reactions and/or phase change, and interfacial transport phenomena. Emphasis on problem analysis and mathematical modeling, including problem formulation, scaling arguments, analytical methods, approximation techniques, and numerical solutions. Prerequisite: ENAS 194 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CENG 351a*/BENG 351a*, Biotransport and Kinetics  Kathryn Miller-Jensen
For description see under Biomedical Engineering.

**CENG 373a/ENVE 373a, Air Pollution Control**  Yehia Khalil
For description see under Environmental Engineering.

*CENG 377b/ENVE 377b, Water Quality Control  William Mitch
For description see under Environmental Engineering.

**CENG 411a, Separation and Purification Processes**  Daniel Rosner
Theory and design of separation processes for multicomponent and/or multiphase mixtures via equilibrium and rate phenomena. Topics include single-stage and cascaded absorption, adsorption, extraction, distillation, partial condensation, filtration, and crystallization processes. Applications to environmental engineering (air and water pollution control), biomedical-chemical engineering (artificial organs, drug purification), food processing, and semiconductor processing. Prerequisite: CENG 300 or 315 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CENG 412a, Chemical Engineering Laboratory and Design**  Corey Wilson, Gary Haller
An introduction to design as practiced by chemical and environmental engineers. Engineering fundamentals, laboratory experiments, and design principles are applied toward
a contemporary chemical process challenge. Sustainability and economic considerations are emphasized. SC

**CENG 416a/ENVE 416a, Chemical Engineering Process Design**  Gary Haller, Corey Wilson
Study of the techniques for and the design of chemical processes and plants, applying the principles of chemical engineering and economics. Emphasis on flowsheet development and equipment selection, cost estimation and economic analysis, design strategy and optimization, safety and hazards analysis, and environmental and ethical considerations.
Prerequisites: CENG 301 and 411. QR, SC RP

**CENG 471a or b, Independent Research**  Paul Van Tassel
Faculty-supervised individual student research and design projects. Emphasis on the integration of mathematics with basic and engineering sciences in the solution of a theoretical, experimental, and/or design problem. May be taken more than once for credit.

**CENG 480a, Chemical Engineering Process Control**  Paul Van Tassel
Transient regime modeling and simulations of chemical processes. Conventional and state-space methods of analysis and control design. Applications of modern control methods in chemical engineering. Course work includes a design project. Prerequisite: ENAS 194 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

* **CENG 490a or b, Senior Research Project**  Paul Van Tassel
Individual research and/or design project supervised by a faculty member in Chemical Engineering, or in a related field with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

**RELATED COURSE THAT COUNTS TOWARD THE MAJOR**

The following course counts equally with Chemical Engineering courses toward the requirements of the major.

**MENG 361a, Mechanical Engineering II: Fluid Mechanics**  Mitchell Smooke

**Chemistry**

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The wide range of courses offered by the Department of Chemistry reflects the position of chemistry as the foundation of all the molecular sciences. In addition to graduate work in chemistry, biochemistry, or health-related disciplines, the department’s graduates find their broad scientific training useful in fields such as technology policy, business management, and law. Chemistry is an especially appropriate major for students interested in energy research or policy and the environment.

Courses for nonmajors without prerequisites  Three one-term courses with no prerequisites are offered for non-science majors: CHEM 101, Chemistry in the Modern World, CHEM 102, Introduction to Green Chemistry, and CHEM 103, Chemistry, Energy, and the Environment. They do not satisfy medical school requirements or the general chemistry requirement for any science major.

Introductory courses and placement  The majority of students begin with a general chemistry sequence: either CHEM 112 and 113, Chemistry with Problem Solving I and II; CHEM 114 and 115, Comprehensive General Chemistry I and II; or CHEM 118, Quantitative Foundations of General Chemistry. Any of these courses fulfills the prerequisite for general chemistry in the Chemistry major. A typical student in CHEM 112 may have taken a year of high school chemistry, but has not been exposed to the problem-solving approach used in many university-level science courses. Students in CHEM 114 may have taken one or possibly two years of chemistry in high school and have had some exposure to quantitative problem-solving scientific methods. A little more than half of the students in CHEM 114 last took chemistry as sophomores in high school. Students who have done well in an advanced placement chemistry course or shown other evidence of high achievement in science and mathematics may start in CHEM 115 or 118. For instance, students with a Chemistry Advanced Placement test score of 5 may elect either CHEM 115 or 118.

Students with a sufficiently strong background in chemistry may initiate their studies with courses in organic or physical chemistry after demonstrating proficiency on the department’s placement examination. CHEM 124 and 125, Freshman Organic Chemistry I and II, are offered expressly for freshmen. Other courses in organic chemistry, CHEM 220 and 230, are also available to qualified freshmen. Students with a strong background in physics and calculus may be eligible for the physical chemistry courses CHEM 332 and 333.

Placement procedures  The Chemistry department reviews the admission records of all freshmen prior to the beginning of the fall term. Using test scores and information supplied by students in preregistration, the department determines the appropriate general chemistry course for every entering freshman, either CHEM 112, 114, 115, or 118. Students will be able to view their initial placement in late August by following links provided at chem.yale.edu/undergrad.

Freshmen wishing to take CHEM 124, 220, or 332, or those wishing to take a higher-level course than their initially assigned placement, are required to take a placement examination on the first day of registration week in the fall term. Students who feel they have
been placed incorrectly at too high a level may discuss changing their placement with a chemistry placement adviser and do not need to take the examination. Students uncertain about their placement are encouraged to sit for the examination, as it provides the best measure of a student’s readiness to enter the wide variety of courses offered to freshmen.

Students with placement questions, or those wishing to change their course preference indicated during preregistration, should attend the department’s orientation meeting prior to the placement examination. Additional sessions with placement advisers are scheduled throughout the first week of the fall term in 1 SCL at times listed in the Calendar for the Opening Days of College. Students wishing to change their placement should consult an adviser as soon as possible.

Students are advised to review general chemistry before taking the placement examination. Use of an electronic calculator is permitted. Times and places for the examination are published in the Calendar for the Opening Days of College. After the examination, final placements are posted at chem.yale.edu/undergrad. For further information about placement and the examination, consult the Calendar for the Opening Days of College, the Freshman Web site (yalecollege.yale.edu/content/chemistry-1), and chem.yale.edu/undergrad.

**Permission keys** Enrollment in any introductory chemistry course requires an electronic permission key. Keys are automatically issued by the department for entering freshmen and are displayed as green key-shaped icons next to the appropriate courses on the online registration page. Students are blocked from enrolling in any chemistry course for which they do not possess a permission key. Students experiencing problems with permission keys should inquire in person at the department office, 1 SCL.

**Section registration in laboratory and lecture courses** Information about online registration for laboratory and discussion sections can be found in the description for each laboratory or lecture course at www.yale.edu/oci. Due to the nature of laboratory exercises, it is impractical to preview laboratory courses during the course selection period.

**Placement information for upperclassmen** Upperclassmen wishing to take CHEM 114, 115, or 118 should confirm their placement online at chem.yale.edu/undergrad and, if needed, obtain permission keys by inquiring at the department office, 1 SCL. Because CHEM 112 and 113 are restricted to freshmen, upperclassmen are placed into either CHEM 114, 115, or 118. Upperclassmen wishing to enroll in CHEM 220 may do so as long as they have satisfied the general chemistry prerequisite.

**Information for premedical students** Medical schools currently require one year of organic chemistry and laboratory as well as one year of general chemistry and laboratory. The general chemistry requirement may be satisfied by CHEM 112 and 113, or 114 and 115, or CHEM 328 or 332 followed by 333. Students with advanced placement taking only CHEM 115 or 118 may complete this requirement by taking a course in biochemistry with laboratory. CHEM 252, Introductory Inorganic Chemistry, with laboratory may be substituted for the biochemistry course, but biochemistry is the preferred option. Students should consult with Undergraduate Career Services for the most up-to-date premedical course advice.

**Major degree programs** Four degree programs are offered: a B.S., an intensive major leading to a B.S., a B.A., and a combined B.S./M.S. The B.S. degree is pursued by the greatest number of majors. It is intended to prepare students for graduate study while permitting
extensive exploration of other disciplines. The B.S. degree with an intensive major provides more focused preparation for a career in chemical research, and requires greater breadth in laboratory courses and electives. Students electing this major program can also satisfy the requirements for a certified degree in chemistry as set forth by the American Chemical Society. The B.A. is intended for students who want solid training in the chemical sciences and who also intend to study other subjects in which chemical training would be an asset, such as technology policy, economics, the environment, or medicine. The combined B.S./M.S. is designed for students whose advanced preparation qualifies them for graduate-level work in their third and fourth years of college.

**Degree requirements common to all Chemistry degree programs** Two terms of general chemistry and laboratory, or the equivalent in advanced placement, are prerequisite to all four degree programs. In addition, all degrees require two terms of organic chemistry (CHEM 124, 220, or <225>, and 125, 221, <227>, or 230) and laboratory (CHEM 126L or 222L, and 127L or 223L), one term of physical chemistry (CHEM 332 or 328), one term of physical chemistry laboratory (CHEM 330L), and one term of inorganic chemistry (CHEM 252 or higher). No chemistry courses taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the major (including substitutions for advanced courses).

**Prerequisites outside the Chemistry department** Each degree program requires a course in physical chemistry. Single-variable calculus and college-level physics are prerequisites for the physical chemistry courses. Students are also encouraged to complete a course in multivariable calculus and a physics course that uses calculus.

**B.S. degree** In addition to the prerequisites and common degree requirements, the B.S. requires completion of a second term of physical chemistry (CHEM 333), an additional half-credit chemistry laboratory elective, and four additional course credits of advanced chemistry lecture or laboratory courses. At least one of the advanced courses must be a lecture course in the Chemistry department. One term of CHEM 490 involving original research may be applied toward the advanced-course requirement.

**B.S. degree, intensive major** The requirements for the B.S. degree with an intensive major are the same as those for the regular B.S., except that the laboratory elective requirement is increased to one full course credit, and five, rather than four, advanced chemistry courses are required. The five advanced courses must include two terms of the independent research course CHEM 490.

**B.A. degree** The B.A. degree requires completion of the prerequisites, the common degree requirements, and three course credits of advanced chemistry lecture or laboratory courses, one of which may be CHEM 490. At least one of the advanced courses must be a lecture course in the Chemistry department. CHEM 333 can be counted toward this requirement, although not as the sole advanced chemistry lecture course offered.

**Combined B.S./M.S. degree program in Chemistry** Exceptionally well-prepared students may complete a course of study leading to the simultaneous award of the B.S. and M.S. degrees after eight terms of enrollment. Formal application for admission to this program must be made by the first day of classes in the sixth term of enrollment. Acceptance into the program requires two-thirds A or A– grades within the major and one-half A or A– grades
overall after five terms. Two terms of CHEM 490 must be taken in the fifth and sixth terms with grades of A or A− earned to continue in the program. Subsequent grades are irrelevant as long as normal progress is maintained. The B.S./M.S. degree program requires completion of the intensive major requirements, a physics course at the level of 200 or higher, and eight graduate courses in chemistry (four of which count toward the B.S.). Four terms of research are required, including two terms of research taken in CHEM 990.

**Advanced courses** For the purposes of degree requirements, all Chemistry courses numbered 410 or higher count as advanced lecture or laboratory courses, as do CHEM 226L, 251L, and 331L.

**Substitutions for required courses** Up to two terms of advanced science courses outside chemistry may be counted as electives, with the written approval of the director of undergraduate studies. Students without advanced placement who complete CHEM 116L and 117L may count one-half course credit of physics laboratory toward the laboratory requirement, with approval of the director of undergraduate studies. CHEM 490 may not in any circumstances be substituted for any of the laboratory requirements. The graduate courses CHEM 562, 564, and 565 may not be counted toward any requirement of the major.

**Senior requirement** Senior B.S. candidates and intensive majors prepare a written report and give an oral presentation on their independent project in CHEM 490. Research papers are expected to be fifteen to twenty-five pages in length (double-spaced, twelve-point font, exclusive of figures and bibliography). Students pursuing the B.A. typically do not pursue independent research, but instead attend the senior seminar CHEM 400 or write a senior essay under the guidance of a faculty member as arranged by the instructor of CHEM 490. The senior seminar or essay options may also be elected by B.S. students. The requirements of the senior essay are the same as those for research papers. Students electing the senior essay must secure a faculty sponsor by the middle of the fall term of senior year.

**Sequence of courses** Majors are encouraged to begin their programs in the freshman year to provide the greatest flexibility in scheduling. It is possible, however, to complete the B.S. in as little as six terms if a student has advanced placement. One sample B.S. program follows, but many others are possible:

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**Approval of major programs of study** All Chemistry majors in the sophomore, junior, and senior years must have their programs approved by the director of undergraduate studies. A program tailored to each major’s goals is created and recorded on a Chemistry Course of Study form kept in the student’s file in the department office. Majors who have a current course of study form on file may have their schedules signed by the director of undergraduate studies or any of the advisers to the major. A current list of advisers to the major may be obtained in the department office, 1 SCL.
Special restrictions on lecture courses Completion of the first term of the general, organic, or physical chemistry sequences CHEM 112 and 113, 124 and 125, 220 and 230, and 332 and 333 with a passing grade is a prerequisite for registration in the subsequent term. Completion of CHEM 114 with a passing grade is a prerequisite for registration in CHEM 115 unless the student’s assigned placement is in 115.

Students receive credit for only one chemistry sequence of any given type. For example, a student who has completed CHEM 112 and 113 may not subsequently enroll in CHEM 114 or 118; a student who has completed CHEM 124 and 125 may not subsequently enroll in CHEM 220 or 230. Similarly, students may not enroll in a course that is a prerequisite to a course they have already taken. Thus, for example, a student who has completed an organic chemistry laboratory cannot subsequently enroll in a general chemistry laboratory.

Special restrictions on laboratory courses Chemistry courses may be taken without the accompanying laboratory, although the department does not recommend it. However, the appropriate lecture course is a prerequisite or corequisite for each laboratory course. This restriction can be waived only by the director of undergraduate studies.

Year or Term Abroad Participation in the Year or Term Abroad program is available for qualified majors at Sussex University (U.K.). Interested students should consult the Chemistry Year Abroad coordinator, Robert Crabtree. For general information about the Year or Term Abroad, see chapter II of this bulletin.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites CHEM 112 and 113, or 114 and 115, or 118; CHEM 116L and 117L, or 119L; MATH 112, 115 (MATH 120 or ENAS 151 suggested); PHYS 180 and 181, or 200 and 201 (170, 171 acceptable); or equivalents in advanced placement

Number of courses B.A. – 10 term courses, totaling 9 course credits; B.S. – 13 term courses, totaling 11½ course credits; B.S., intensive major – 14 or 15 term courses, totaling 13 course credits

Specific courses required All degrees – 2 terms of organic chem (CHEM 124, 220, or <225>, and CHEM 125, 221, <227>, or 230); 2 terms of organic chem lab (CHEM 126L or 222L, and 127L or 223L); physical chem I (CHEM 332 or 328); 1 term of inorganic chem (CHEM 252, 450, 452, or 457); physical chem lab I (CHEM 330L); B.S. – CHEM 333; B.S., intensive major – CHEM 333, two terms of CHEM 490

Distribution of courses B.A. – 3 course credits in advanced lectures or labs; B.S. – addtl lab for ½ course credit; 4 course credits in advanced lectures or labs; B.S., intensive major – addtl labs for 1 course credit; 5 course credits in advanced lectures or labs

Substitution permitted Up to 2 relevant advanced science courses in other depts for advanced chem courses with DUS permission

Senior requirement CHEM 490, 400, or senior essay

COURSES FOR NONMAJORS WITHOUT PREREQUISITES

CHEM 101a, Chemistry in the Modern World N. Ganapathi
Basic concepts necessary to understand how chemistry affects life in the modern world. Laws, events, and other ways that chemistry shapes human lives. Intended for non-science
majors; no prerequisites. Does not satisfy premedical chemistry requirements or requirements for the Chemistry major. Not open to students who have completed another chemistry course at Yale. SC

[CHEM 102a, Introduction to Green Chemistry]
[CHEM 103b, Chemistry, Energy, and the Environment]

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

Freshmen planning to take an introductory Chemistry course during their first term are required to preregister over the summer. Those planning to elect CHEM 124, 220, or 332 must also register in person and take a placement examination as described in the text above and on the Freshman Web site (yalecollege.yale.edu/content/chemistry-1). Placement in other introductory Chemistry courses is made on the basis of test scores and other admissions data, as discussed in the text above. Time and place for the orientation meeting, registration, and placement examination are listed in the Calendar for the Opening Days of College. For further information on placement see the Freshman Web site.

All freshman candidates for CHEM 124, 220, or 332 are required to take the department’s advanced chemistry placement examination.

*CHEM 112a, Chemistry with Problem Solving I  Jonathan Parr
A systematic introduction to chemistry. Topics include atomic/molecular structure, stoichiometry, thermochemistry, chemical periodicity/bonding, and reactions in aqueous solutions. For beginning students in chemistry or for those whose exposure to the subject has been moderate. Special emphasis on scientific problem-solving skills through an additional discussion section devoted to quantitative reasoning. Attendance at one discussion section and one problem-solving section required. Enrollment limited to freshmen, by placement only. QR, SC RP

*CHEM 113b, Chemistry with Problem Solving II  Jonathan Parr
Continuation of CHEM 112. Phase-dependent properties of matter, solutions and their behavior, chemical equilibrium, chemical kinetics, and the chemistry of the elements. Attendance at one discussion section and one problem-solving section required. After CHEM 112. Enrollment limited to freshmen, by placement only. QR, SC RP

*CHEM 114a, Comprehensive General Chemistry I  Staff
A comprehensive survey of modern descriptive, inorganic, and physical chemistry. Atomic theory, stoichiometry, thermochemistry, chemical periodicity, concepts in chemical bonding, and the shapes of molecules. For students with a good secondary school exposure to general chemistry. Attendance at a weekly discussion section required. Normally accompanied by CHEM 116L. Enrollment by placement only. QR, SC RP

*CHEM 114a or b, Comprehensive General Chemistry II  J. Patrick Loria [F], Charles Schmuttenmaer [Sp]
Kinetics, chemical equilibrium, acid-base chemistry, free energy and entropy, electrochemistry, nuclear chemistry, and descriptive chemistry of the elements. Attendance at a weekly discussion section required. Prerequisite: CHEM 114 or the equivalent in advanced placement. Normally accompanied by CHEM 117L. Enrollment by placement only. QR, SC RP
CHEM 116La or Lb, General Chemistry Laboratory I  N. Ganapathi
An introduction to basic chemistry laboratory methods. Techniques required for quantitative analysis of thermodynamic processes and the properties of gases. To accompany or follow CHEM 112 or 114. May not be taken after a higher-numbered laboratory course. SC RP ½ Course cr

CHEM 117La or Lb, General Chemistry Laboratory II  N. Ganapathi
Introduction to rate and equilibrium measurements, acid-base chemistry, synthesis of inorganic compounds, and qualitative/quantitative analysis. After CHEM 116L or the equivalent in advanced placement. To accompany or follow CHEM 113 or 115. May not be taken after a higher-numbered laboratory course. SC RP ½ Course cr

*CHEM 118a, Quantitative Foundations of General Chemistry  Mark Johnson
An advanced course emphasizing conceptual aspects and physical principles in general chemistry. Fulfills the general chemistry prerequisite for organic chemistry. Attendance at a weekly discussion section required. Normally accompanied by CHEM 119L. Enrollment by placement only. QR, SC

CHEM 119La, Laboratory for Comprehensive General Chemistry  Jonathan Parr
Introductory laboratory for students with advanced standing. Emphasis on the fundamental quantitative and physical principles of general chemistry together with quantitative and data analysis. Accompanies CHEM 118. Also suggested for freshmen enrolled in CHEM 332. SC ½ Course cr

*CHEM 124a, Freshman Organic Chemistry I  Jonathan Ellman
An introductory course focused on current theories of structure and mechanism in organic chemistry, their development, and their basis in experimental observation. Open to freshmen with excellent preparation in chemistry, mathematics, and physics who have taken the department’s advanced chemistry placement examination. Attendance at a weekly discussion section required. Normally accompanied by CHEM 222L. Enrollment by placement only. SC RP

CHEM 125b, Freshman Organic Chemistry II  Scott Miller
Continuation of CHEM 124. Survey of simple and complex reaction mechanisms, spectroscopy, organic synthesis, and the molecules of nature. Attendance at a weekly discussion section required. After CHEM 124. Normally accompanied by CHEM 223L. Enrollment by placement only. SC RP

[CHEM 126La, Laboratory for Freshman Organic Chemistry I]

[CHEM 127Lb, Laboratory for Freshman Organic Chemistry II]

INTERMEDIATE COURSES

CHEM 220a or b, Organic Chemistry  Jonathan Ellman [Sp] and staff
An introductory course covering the fundamental principles of organic chemistry. The laboratory for this course is CHEM 222L. After college-level general chemistry. Students who have earned a grade lower than C in general chemistry are cautioned that they may not be sufficiently prepared for this course. Usually followed by CHEM 230. SC RP
[CHEM 221a or b, The Organic Chemistry of Life Processes]

CHEM 222La or Lb, Laboratory for Organic Chemistry I  Christine DiMeglio
First term of an introductory laboratory sequence covering basic synthetic and analytic techniques in organic chemistry. Prerequisite: CHEM 117L or equivalent. After or concurrently with CHEM 124 or 220. SC ½ Course cr

CHEM 223La or Lb, Laboratory for Organic Chemistry II  Christine DiMeglio
Second term of an introductory laboratory sequence covering basic synthetic and analytic techniques in organic chemistry. Prerequisite: CHEM 222L. After or concurrently with CHEM 125, 221, or 230. SC ½ Course cr

CHEM 226Lb, Intensive Advanced Chemistry Laboratory  Christine DiMeglio, Jonathan Parr
An intensive course in advanced organic chemistry laboratory technique intended to bring the student closer to independent research. Included are an independent laboratory project and presentation, introduction to library research, and training in the use of various analytical techniques. Offered subject to available laboratory space and sufficient enrollment. After CHEM 127L or 223L. For enrollment procedures, contact the instructors. WR, SC RP

CHEM 230a or b, Organic Chemistry of Biological Pathways  Andrew Phillips [F], Alanna Schepartz [Sp]
Chemical principles that underpin living systems explored through organic chemistry. Examples drawn from chemistry, medicine, biotechnology, and the emergent field of chemical biology. Key conceptual frameworks such as structure, function, and mechanism and their relations to the chemistry of proteins, nucleic acids, selected drugs, and other topics in the life sciences. Mechanistic principles used to examine enzymatic processes and the role of cofactors in the context of primary metabolism and natural products biosynthesis. After CHEM 220. SC

CHEM 245Lb, Inorganic Chemistry Laboratory  Jonathan Parr
Introductory laboratory course covering synthetic and physical characterization techniques in inorganic chemistry. Prerequisite: CHEM 119L, 126L, or 222L; concurrently with or after CHEM 252. SC ½ Course cr

CHEM 242b, Introductory Inorganic Chemistry  Robert Crabtree
The “vigor and diversity” of modern inorganic chemistry are presented; an introduction to the fundamental concepts of solid-state chemistry, coordination chemistry, and organometallic chemistry. Prerequisite: college-level general chemistry. After or concurrently with CHEM 220 or by permission of instructor. May not be taken after CHEM 450, 452, or 457. SC RP

CHEM 328a, Physical Chemistry with Applications in the Biological Sciences  Elsa Yan
Physical chemical principles and their application to the chemical and life sciences. Thermodynamics, chemical and biochemical kinetics, solution physical chemistry, electrochemistry, and membrane equilibria. CHEM 332 is preferred for Chemistry majors. Prerequisites: introductory physics, college-level general chemistry, and single-variable calculus required; MATH 120 or ENAS 151 suggested; or permission of instructor. May not be taken after CHEM 332. QR, SC RP
**CHEM 330La, Laboratory for Physical Chemistry I**  
Staff  
Introduction to the tools and techniques of modern experimental physical chemistry, including analog/digital electronics, quantitative measurements of basic thermodynamic properties, and nuclear magnetic resonance spectrometry. After or concurrently with CHEM 328 or 332. Meets on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1:30 to 2:20 for the first week of the term.  

**CHEM 331Lb, Laboratory for Physical Chemistry II**  
R. James Cross, Jr., N. Ganapathi  
Application of physical methods to chemical analysis by spectroscopic and spectrometric techniques. After CHEM 330L. After or concurrently with CHEM 333. Meets on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1:30 to 2:20 for the first week of the term.

**CHEM 332a, Physical Chemistry with Applications in the Physical Sciences I**  
Charles Schmuttenmaer  
A comprehensive survey of modern physical and theoretical chemistry, including topics drawn from thermodynamics, chemical equilibrium, electrochemistry, and kinetics. Prerequisites: introductory physics, college-level general chemistry, and single-variable calculus required; MATH 120 or ENAS 151 suggested; or permission of instructor. May not be taken after CHEM 328.

**CHEM 333b, Physical Chemistry with Applications in the Physical Sciences II**  
Kurt Zilm  
Continuation of CHEM 332, including topics drawn from quantum mechanics, atomic/molecular structure, spectroscopy, and statistical thermodynamics. Prerequisites: CHEM 328 or 332 required; familiarity with differential equations recommended; or permission of instructor.

**ADVANCED COURSES**

**CHEM 400a, Current Chemistry Seminar**  
Jonathan Parr  
A seminar-based discussion of current avenues in chemical research. Oral presentations by invited external speakers.

**CHEM 418a, Advanced Organic Chemistry I**  
William Jorgensen  
Concise overview of structure, properties, thermodynamics, kinetics, reactions, and intermolecular interactions for organic molecular systems. Prerequisites: two terms of organic chemistry, CHEM 328 or 332, and CHEM 333.

**CHEM 419b, Advanced Organic Chemistry II**

**CHEM 421a, Chemical Biology**  
Alanna Schepartz  
A one-term introduction to the origins and emerging frontiers of chemical biology. Discussion of the key molecular building blocks of biological systems and the history of macromolecular research in chemistry. Prerequisites: two terms of organic chemistry, and MCDB 120 or equivalent.

**CHEM 423a, Synthetic Methods in Organic Chemistry**  
David Spiegel  
A discussion of modern methods. Functional group manipulation, synthesis and functionalization of stereodefined double bonds, carbonyl addition chemistry, and synthetic
designs. Normally taken only by students with a special interest in organic synthesis; for others, CHEM 418 is more appropriate. Prerequisite: two terms of organic chemistry or permission of instructor. SC RP

**CHEM 425b**, Spectroscopic Methods of Structure Determination
Martin Saunders
Applications of NMR, ESR, infrared, UV, visible, and mass spectroscopy to chemical problems concerning structures and reactions. X-ray crystallography. Computer simulation of NMR spectra. Prerequisites: two terms of organic chemistry and CHEM 333. SC RP

**CHEM 430b**, Statistical Mechanics and Thermodynamics
John Tully
The fundamentals of statistical mechanics developed and used to elucidate gas phase and condensed phase behavior, as well as to establish a microscopic derivation of the postulates of thermodynamics. Topics include ensembles; Fermi, Bose, and Boltzmann statistics; density matrices; mean field theories; phase transitions; chemical reaction dynamics; time-correlation functions; and Monte Carlo and molecular dynamics simulations. Prerequisites: CHEM 328 or 332, and CHEM 333, or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CHEM 440a**, Molecules and Radiation I
Kurt Zilm
An integrated treatment of quantum mechanics and modern spectroscopy. Basic wave and matrix mechanics, perturbation theory, angular momentum, group theory, time-dependent quantum mechanics, selection rules, coherent evolution in two-level systems, line shapes, Bloch equations, and NMR spectroscopy. Prerequisite: CHEM 333 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CHEM 442b**, Molecules and Radiation II
Mark Johnson
An extension of the material covered in CHEM 440 to atomic and molecular spectroscopy, including rotational, vibrational, and electronic spectroscopy, as well as an introduction to laser spectroscopy. Prerequisite: CHEM 440 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CHEM 450b**, Physical Methods in Inorganic Chemistry
Nilay Hazari
Elementary group theory, molecular orbitals, states arising from molecular orbitals containing several electrons, ligand field theory, and electronic structure of metal complexes. Introduction to physical methods used in the determination of molecular structure and the bonding of polyatomic molecules. May be taken independently of CHEM 452. Prerequisites: CHEM 328 or 332 and CHEM 333; CHEM 457 or equivalent. SC RP

**CHEM 452a**, Organometallic Chemistry
Robert Crabtree
A survey of the organometallic chemistry of the transition elements and of homogeneous catalysis. May be taken independently of CHEM 450. Prerequisites: two terms of organic chemistry and CHEM 252. SC RP

**CHEM 457a**, Modern Coordination Chemistry
Nilay Hazari
The principles of modern inorganic chemistry. Main group and transition element chemistry: reactions, bonding, structure, and spectra. Prerequisite: CHEM 252 or permission of instructor. SC RP

**CHEM 470a**, Introductory Quantum Chemistry
Victor Batista
The elements of quantum mechanics developed and illustrated with applications in chemistry and chemical physics. Prerequisites: CHEM 333, and MATH 120 or ENAS 151. QR, SC RP
*CHEM 490a or b, Independent Research in Chemistry  Jonathan Parr
After consulting with the director of undergraduate studies no later than midterm of the preceding term, students choose to work on individual laboratory or theoretical research problems under the direction of a faculty member in Chemistry or a closely related field. Students can familiarize themselves with ongoing research in the department by reviewing the departmental Web site (chem.yale.edu) and by attending an evening seminar series presented during the first weeks of the fall term. Specific dates and times of the evening seminars may be obtained in the department office, 1 SCL. Independent work may also encompass research in chemical education. Occasional required seminars address laboratory safety, literature searching, research methods, and scientific ethics. Students present their research results in a formal seminar series late in the spring term. At least ten hours of research weekly. May be taken multiple times for credit. Enrollment limited to junior and senior Chemistry majors except with permission of the course instructor.

To enroll, the student must complete a CHEM 490 registration form each term (available in the department office, 1 SCL), have it signed by both the intended faculty adviser and the course instructor, and submit it to the department office for approval by the director of undergraduate studies prior to the date on which the student’s schedule is due. All students taking CHEM 490 must also consult with the director of undergraduate studies for approval of their projects by midterm of the term preceding enrollment in CHEM 490.  RP

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Graduate courses in chemistry that may be of particular interest to undergraduates are listed in the online bulletin of the Graduate School. Information about them is available in the office of the director of undergraduate studies. Enrollment requires permission of both the director of graduate studies and the instructor.

**Child Study Center**

The Child Study Center is a department of the School of Medicine that works to further understanding of the problems of children and families. Among the disciplines involved in this work are child psychiatry, pediatrics, genetics, neurobiology, epidemiology, psychology, nursing, social work, and social policy. The mission of the Center is to understand child development, social, behavioral, and emotional adjustment, and psychiatric disorders, and to help children and families in need of care.

*CHLD 125a/PSYC 125a/TPRP 125a, Child Development  Nancy Close, Carla Horwitz

The reading of selected material with supervised participant-observer experience in infant programs, a day-care and kindergarten center, or a family day-care program. Regularly scheduled seminar discussions emphasize both theory and practice. An assumption of the course is that it is not possible to understand children—their behavior and development—without understanding their parents and the relationship between child and parents. The focus is on infancy as well as early childhood. Enrollment limited to juniors and
seniors. For the Class of 2012, meets requirements for Teacher Preparation’s early childhood certification.  WR, SO

*CHLD 126a or b/TPRP 191a or b, Clinical Child Development and Assessment of Young Children  Nancy Close
For description see under Teacher Preparation & Education Studies.

*CHLD 127a/PSYC 127a/TPRP 127a, Theory and Practice of Early Childhood Education  Carla Horwitz
Development of curricula for preschool children — infants, toddlers, three-, four-, and five-year-olds — in light of current research and child development theory. For the Class of 2012, meets requirements for Teacher Preparation’s early childhood certification.  WR, SO  RP

*CHLD 128b/PSYC 128b/TPRP 128b, Language, Literacy, and Play  Nancy Close, Carla Horwitz
The complicated role of play in the development of language and literacy skills among preschool-aged children. Topics include social-emotional, cross-cultural, cognitive, and communicative aspects of play. For the Class of 2012, meets requirements for Teacher Preparation’s early childhood certification.  WR, SO  RP

*CHLD 350a or b/PSYC 350a or b, Autism and Related Disorders  James McPartland, Fred Volkmar
Topics in the etiology, diagnosis, treatment, and natural history of childhood autism and other severe disorders of early onset. Retardation, behavioral disorders, and childhood psychosis. Supervised experience. Prerequisite: an introductory psychology course.  SO

Chinese

(See under East Asian Languages and Literatures and under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.)

Chinese Studies

(See under East Asian Studies and under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.)

Classics

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS

Professors  Egbert Bakker, Victor Bers, Susanne Bobzien, Kirk Freudenburg, Verity Harte, Donald Kagan, Diana Kleiner, Christina Kraus (Chair), Joseph Manning, John Matthews, William Metcalf (Adjunct)

Associate Professors  Milette Gaifman, Emily Greenwood

Assistant Professors  John Fisher, Pauline LeVen, Irene Peirano, Barbara Sattler
The Department of Classics offers a major in Classics, a major in Classical Civilization, and (in conjunction with the Hellenic Studies program) a major in Ancient and Modern Greek. The diversity of subject matter covered by these majors makes classics an excellent partner in interdepartmental major programs.

THE MAJOR IN CLASSICS

The major in Classics is primarily a liberal arts major. It provides an excellent general education in a comprehensive humanistic discipline; it can also give the background necessary for those who wish to do professional graduate work. Students develop a mastery of the classical languages, become acquainted with important periods and major authors in Greek and Roman literature, and develop powers of critical analysis, appreciation of literary values, and understanding of the ancient cultural traditions that constitute the foundation of Western civilization. Courses in other literatures, in history, and in philosophy are strongly recommended for students enrolled in the Classics major.

The candidate for the Classics major may elect either the standard or the intensive major. In both these majors the department recognizes two kinds of concentration, one aiming at knowledge of both ancient literatures, the other concentrating on either Greek or Latin literature. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

The standard major  A standard major in both literatures requires no fewer than ten term courses. These include six term courses in Greek and Latin at the level of 390 or above, surveys of the history of Greek and Latin literature in translation (CLCV 254 and 255), and two additional courses in related areas of history and art. The language courses must include GREK 390 or LATN 390 and five term courses at the level of 400 or above. One of the additional courses in a related field must be a term course in ancient history, and the other must be a term course in ancient history, classical art and archaeology, or classical civilization.

Students majoring in one literature (Greek or Latin) are required to take no fewer than ten term courses. These include six term courses in that literature at the level of 390 or above, surveys of the history of Greek and Latin literature in translation (CLCV 254 and 255), a term course in ancient history related to the chosen literature, and an additional term course in ancient history, classical art and archaeology, or classical civilization. The language courses must include GREK 390 or LATN 390 and at least five term courses at the level of 400 or above. Students are encouraged to do some work in the second language and may substitute two terms at the intermediate level (131 and 141) in the second language for two 400-level courses in the major literature.

Senior requirement  At the end of the senior year the student majoring in both literatures takes a comprehensive examination in the history of Greek and Latin literature and in translation of both languages; the student majoring in one literature takes a senior departmental examination in the history of the literature of the major and in translation of that literature.

The intensive major  Students who desire a larger measure of independence than the standard major offers may elect the intensive major. In addition to fulfilling the requirements
of the standard major (in both literatures, in Greek, or in Latin), students in the intensive major devote two terms in the senior year to writing an essay (CLSS 490 and 491) under the regular guidance of a faculty adviser. A brief prospectus of the essay must be submitted preferably at the end of the junior year and in no case later than October 15 of the senior year. The candidate must submit two copies of the senior essay to the director of undergraduate studies no later than April 1 of the senior year.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites None

Number of courses 10 term courses

Specific courses required GREK 390 or LATN 390; CLCV 254 and 255

Distribution of courses Two literatures — 6 courses in both langs at level 390 or above, with at least 5 at 400 level or above; 1 course in ancient hist; 1 addtl course in ancient hist, classical art and archaeology, or classical civ; One literature — 6 courses in lit at level 390 or above, with at least 5 at 400 level or above; 1 course in ancient hist related to lit of major; 1 addtl course in ancient hist, classical art and archaeology, or classical civ

Substitution permitted One literature — 2 courses in the other lit numbered 131 or higher for 2 courses in major lit at 400 level

Senior requirement Senior dept exam in hist and translation of Greek and Latin lit (two lit) or major lit (one lit)

Intensive major Senior essay (CLSS 490, 491) in addition to above

THE MAJOR IN CLASSICAL CIVILIZATION

The major in Classical Civilization is designed to offer students an opportunity to study an entire Western civilization in its many diverse but related aspects. The literature, history, philosophy, religion, art, archaeology, and other aspects of Greek and Roman antiquity from the earliest beginnings in Greece to the Middle Ages are studied for their intrinsic artistic value, their historical significance, and their power to illuminate problems confronting members of contemporary society. Ancient texts are studied primarily in translation, though under the guidance of instructors who know ancient literature in the original languages.

Candidates for the major complete at least twelve term courses (including the senior seminar) in Classics and related departments. Of these, two must be in ancient history and/or classical art and archaeology; and two must be in Greek or Latin, or both, numbered 131 or higher (the latter courses should be completed by the end of the junior year). Students must also take two survey courses, CLCV 254 and 255. It is strongly recommended that candidates elect one course each in the general areas of ancient epic, drama, philosophy, and Roman civilization. Candidates for the major are encouraged to take related courses in other departments. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

Senior requirement Students devote both terms of the senior year to a significant project of original research, usually an essay, under the guidance of a faculty adviser (CLCV 450, 451). A brief prospectus of the project must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies preferably at the end of the junior year and in no case later than October 15 of the
senior year. The completed project must be submitted to the department no later than April 1 of the senior year. If the student has written an essay, two copies are required.

Programs for all majors must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** None

**Number of courses** 12 term courses (incl two-term senior sem)

**Specific courses required** CLCV 254, 255

**Distribution of courses** 2 courses in ancient hist and/or classical art and archaeology;

2 courses in Greek or Latin (or both) numbered 131 or higher

**Senior requirement** Senior project (CLCV 450, 451)

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**THE MAJOR IN ANCIENT AND MODERN GREEK**

The major in Ancient and Modern Greek offers students an opportunity to integrate the study of postclassical Greek language, history, and culture with the departmental program in ancient Greek and classical civilization. The major covers Hellenic civilization from the Bronze Age to the modern day, and traces the development of the language and the culture across traditionally drawn boundaries. The study of both ancient and modern Greek allows the student to appreciate how familiarity with one enriches understanding of the other, and to chart the development of a language which has one of the oldest continuous written traditions in the world. The literature, history, philosophy, religion, and art of the ancient Greek and Greco-Roman worlds are studied both as ends in themselves and also as a foundation for appreciating later (medieval, Ottoman, and modern) developments in these areas. Students are encouraged to develop a sense of the continuity of Greek language and culture, and an understanding of how Byzantine and modern forms relate to their ancient forebears.

**The standard major** The major in Ancient and Modern Greek requires at least ten term courses. These include four term courses at the level of 390 or above in ancient Greek, surveys of the history of Greek and Latin literature in translation (CLCV 254 and 255), and one term course in ancient Greek history. The language courses should include GREK 390. Candidates are encouraged to take a wide range of courses in the areas of ancient philosophy, religion, art, and architecture. In addition, no fewer than two term courses in modern Greek must be elected at the intermediate level (MGRK 130, 140) or above, as well as at least one additional term course in the history, art history, literature, or culture of the Greek-speaking Balkans or the Hellenic diaspora in the medieval, Ottoman, or modern period. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

**Senior requirement** At the end of the senior year the student takes a comprehensive examination in the history of Greek literature.

**The intensive major** Students who desire a larger measure of independence than the standard major offers may elect the intensive major. In addition to fulfilling the requirements of the standard major, students in the intensive major devote two terms in the senior year to writing an essay (CLSS 490 and 491) under the regular guidance of a faculty member. A brief prospectus of the essay must be submitted, preferably at the end of the junior year and in no case later than October 15 of the senior year. The candidate must
submit two copies of the senior essay to the director of undergraduate studies no later than April 1 of the senior year.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites None
Number of courses 10 term courses
Specific courses required GREK 390, CLCV 254, 255
Distribution of courses 4 term courses in ancient Greek numbered 390 or higher; 1 term course in ancient Greek hist; 2 term courses in modern Greek numbered 130 or higher; 1 term course in postclassical Greek hist or culture
Senior requirement Senior dept exam
Intensive major Senior essay (CLSS 490, 491) in addition to above

PLACEMENT POLICY

Students are encouraged to take courses as advanced as they can handle with profit and pleasure. The department, recognizing the great variety of preparation in ancient languages, wishes to accommodate incoming students in as flexible a manner as possible. Students who plan either to begin or to continue the study of Greek or Latin should consult members of the departmental faculty as soon as practicable.

Students who have had the equivalent of two years of college-level instruction may try a 400-level course. It is possible to take GREK 141 or LATN 141 after a 400-level course, or to be admitted to a 400-level course after completion of GREK 131 or LATN 131. Freshmen are encouraged to take advantage of the initial course selection period before course schedules are due to find the most appropriate course.

GREEK

GREEK 110a, Beginning Greek: The Elements of Greek Grammar Timothy Robinson
and staff
Introduction to ancient Greek. Emphasis on morphology and syntax within a structured program of readings and exercises. Prepares for GREK 120. No prior knowledge of Greek assumed. L1 RP 1½ Course cr

GREEK 120b, Beginning Greek: Review of Grammar and Selected Readings
Timothy Robinson and staff
Continuation of GREK 110. Emphasis on consolidating grammar and on readings from Greek authors. The sequence GREK 110, 120 prepares for 131 or 141. Prerequisite: GREK 110 or equivalent. L2 RP 1½ Course cr

GREEK 131a, Greek Prose: An Introduction Staff
Close reading of selections from classical Greek prose with review of grammar. Counts as L4 if taken after GREK 141 or equivalent. L3

GREEK 141b, Homer: An Introduction Pauline LeVen
A first approach to reading Homeric poetry in Greek. Selected books of the Iliad or the Odyssey. Counts as L4 if taken after GREK 131 or equivalent. L3
**GREK 390aG, Greek Syntax and Stylistics**  Victor Bers
A review of accidence and syntax, elementary composition, and analysis of Greek prose styles of the fifth and fourth centuries B.C., including a comparison of "prosaic" and "poetic" syntax. Prerequisite: previous familiarity with some Greek prose beyond the elementary level, or permission of instructor.  L5, HU

**GREK 411b, Plato: Symposium**  Timothy Robinson
A close reading of Plato's Symposium, with special attention to the philosopher's language and rhetoric and to the development of character and argument. A bridge course between L4 and other L5 courses.  L5

**GREK 427aG/PHIL 400aG, Aristotle's Metaphysics XII**  Verity Harte, John Hare
For description see under Philosophy.

**GREK 434a, Thucydides**  Emily Greenwood
An intensive reading of selections from Thucydides' History, interpreting the Greek text in relation to its historical and intellectual context.  L5, HU

**GREK 443bG, Homer's Iliad**  Egbert Bakker
Reading of selected books of the Iliad, with attention to Homeric language and style, the Homeric view of heroes and gods, and the reception of Homer in antiquity.  L5, HU

**GREK 456bG, Greek Comparative Morphology**  John Fisher
A historical and comparative study of the morphology of the Greek language. Emphasis on the earliest records of Greek, the development of Greek verbal and nominal systems from Proto-Indo-European, and a comparison of this development with that of Latin, English, and other Indo-European languages, including Sanskrit.  L5

**GREK 457b, Rhetoric and Philosophy**  Egbert Bakker
A study of ancient Greek rhetoric and its discussion in the works of Plato and Aristotle. Readings from representative examples of the three genres of rhetorical discourse: judicial, political, and occasional speeches. Ways in which rhetorical practice is reflected in other contemporary literature, such as tragedy and historiography.  L5

**GREK 462a, Hellenistic Poetry**  Egbert Bakker
Close reading of poetic selections from the Hellenistic period. Authors include Callimachus, Theocritus, and Apollonius of Rhodes. Attention to language, style, genre, and the cultural context of Alexandria.  L5, HU

**GREK 475a, Lucian's Fiction and Comic Dialogues**  Pauline Leven
Reading of selections from Lucian of Samosata's comic dialogues and fictional writings. Focus on translation and interpretation of the text in relation to others in the rhetorical tradition. Attention to the work's intellectual, cultural, and historical contexts in the Second Sophistic. A bridge course between L4 and other L5 courses.  L5

**GREK 494a or b, Independent Tutorial in Greek Language and Literature**  Kirk Freudenburg
For students with advanced Greek language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise offered in courses. The work should result in a term paper or examination. A limited number of these courses may be offered toward the major.
LATIN

LATN 110a, Beginning Latin: The Elements of Latin Grammar  Timothy Robinson and staff
Introduction to Latin. Emphasis on morphology and syntax within a structured program of readings and exercises. Prepares for LATN 120. No prior knowledge of Latin assumed. Preregistration, which is required, is on Tuesday, August 30, at the Academic Fair in WLH from 2 to 4 p.m.  L1 RP 1½ Course cr

LATN 120b, Beginning Latin: Review of Grammar and Selected Readings  Timothy Robinson and staff
Continuation of LATN 110. Emphasis on consolidating grammar and on readings from Latin authors. The sequence LATN 110, 120 prepares for 131 or 141. Prerequisite: LATN 110 or equivalent.  L2 RP 1½ Course cr

LATN 131a, Latin Prose: An Introduction  Staff
Close reading of a major work of classical prose; review of grammar as needed. Counts as L4 if taken after LATN 141 or equivalent.  L3

LATN 141b, Latin Poetry: An Introduction  Staff
The course is devoted to Vergil. Counts as L4 if taken after LATN 131 or equivalent.  L3

LATN 390b, Latin Syntax and Stylistics  Joseph Solodow
A systematic review of syntax and an introduction to Latin style. Selections from Latin prose authors are read and analyzed, and students compose short pieces of Latin prose. For students with some experience reading Latin literature who desire a better foundation in forms, syntax, idiom, and style.  L5, HU

*LATN 423b, Roman Tragedy  John Fisher
A close reading of the Phaedra, Thyestes, and Medea of Seneca with particular attention to literary, social, and political contexts.  L5

*LATN 431a, Catullus  Irene Peirano
Reading of most of the Catullan corpus, with close attention to language and style. Topics include Catullus’s cultural context, intertextuality, genre, obscenity, realism, gender, and the reception of Catullus through the ages.  L5

*LATN 447a/HIST 209Ja, Roman Social History in Latin Texts  John Matthews
A study of issues in the social and economic life of the Roman Empire from the first century through the fifth. Readings from legal, documentary, epigraphic, and literary sources of the period.  L5, HU

LATN 451a, Latin Love Elegy  Joseph Solodow
Extensive readings of the Latin love elegists with attention to their literary, social, historical, and political context. A bridge course between L4 and other L5 courses.

*LATN 462b, The Histories of Tacitus  William Metcalf
Close reading of the Histories of Tacitus and related selections from his other works. Attention to syntax and style. Focus on the influence of the author’s background and experience on his narrative.  L5, HU
*LATN 463b, Ciceronian Invective  Irene Peirano
A close reading of Cicero's *Philippics* 1 and 2 in Latin; selected readings from other texts in English. Emphasis on Cicero's language, style, and rhetorical technique, and on invective as a literary genre.  1.5

*LATN 491a, Comparative Latin Grammar  John Fisher
Introduction to the historical and comparative study of the Latin language, with emphasis on the earliest records of archaic Latin, the development of Latin grammar and vocabulary from Proto-Indo-European, and comparison with the grammar and vocabulary of Greek, English, and other Italic languages, including South Picene, Oscan, and Umbrian.  1.5

*LATN 494a or b, Independent Tutorial in Latin Language and Literature  Kirk Freudenburg
For students with advanced Latin language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise offered in courses. The work should result in a term paper or examination. A limited number of these courses may be offered toward the major.

CLASSICS

*CLSS 405a, Greek Papyrology  Ann Ellis Hanson
Literary and documentary papyri of Greek and Roman Egypt, concentrating on documents housed in the Beinecke Library from the late Ptolemaic and Roman periods. Topics include using papyri as sources for social and other histories; gaining familiarity with the language of the papyri; and the reading of literary and documentary hands. Prerequisites: proficiency in Greek; reading knowledge of German and French.  HU

*CLSS 405a and 405b, Senior Essay for the Intensive Major in Classics  Kirk Freudenburg
Qualified students may write a senior essay in ancient literature or classical archaeology under the guidance of a faculty adviser. A written statement of purpose must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies.

CLASSICAL CIVILIZATION

*CLCV 109b/HUMS 433b/NELC 240b, Law in the Ancient World  Kathryn Slanski, Joseph Manning
For description see under Humanities.

*CLCV 113a/HUMS 434a/NE LC 230a, Mesopotamia's Literary Legacy  Kathryn Slanski
For description see under Humanities.

*CLCV 117b/ER&M 302b/HUMS 303b, Citizenship in Classical Athens  Demetra Kasimis
For description see under Humanities.

*CLCV 119a/HUMS 301a/LITR 165a, The Invention of the Classic  Irene Peirano
The discourse of classicism from antiquity to modern times. Contemporary debates over the value of the classics in education; the emergence of classics as a discipline; changing definitions of the classic across time; notions commonly associated with the classics such as

**CLCV 125a/PHIL 125a, Introduction: Ancient Philosophy**  Verity Harte  
For description see under Philosophy.

**CLCV 170a/ARG 170a/HSAR 250a, Roman Art: Empire, Identity, and Society**  Diana Kleiner  
For description see under History of Art.

**CLCV 175b/ARG 252b/HSAR 252b, Roman Architecture**  Diana Kleiner  
For description see under History of Art.

* **CLCV 201b/PHIL 211b, Aristotle's Natural Philosophy**  Verity Harte, Timothy Clarke  
For description see under Philosophy.

**CLCV 205a/HIST 205a, Introduction to Ancient Greek History**  Donald Kagan  
An introductory course in Greek history tracing the development of Greek civilization as manifested in political, intellectual, and creative achievements from the Bronze Age to the end of the classical period. Students read original sources in translation as well as the works of modern scholars.  

**CLCV 205a/HIST 205a, Introduction to Ancient Greek History**  Donald Kagan  
An introductory course in Greek history tracing the development of Greek civilization as manifested in political, intellectual, and creative achievements from the Bronze Age to the end of the classical period. Students read original sources in translation as well as the works of modern scholars.  

* **CLCV 206a/HIST 217a, The Roman Empire**  John Matthews  
The history of the Roman Empire from its establishment by Augustus to the reign of Justinian. Attention to social, intellectual, and religious changes, as well as to the framework of historical events within which these changes took place, and to the processes by which the Roman Empire was replaced by the institutions of the Western Middle Ages and the Byzantine Empire.  

* **CLCV 209a/HUMS 213a/LITR 230a/MGRK 215a, Nikos Kazantzakis: From Revolution to Nihilism**  George Syrimis  
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

* **CLCV 216b/HUMS 214b/LITR 226b/MGRK 216b, Dionysus in Modernity**  George Syrimis  
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

* **CLCV 219a/HUMS 313a/RLST 178a, Conflict and Discourse in Roman Religion**  Matthew McCarty  
For description see under Humanities.

* **CLCV 221b/LITR 166b, Imperialism in the Ancient and Modern Worlds**  Christina Kraus, Thomas Beasley  
Works of Greek and Latin literature that address the material advantages furnished by imperialism and the moral cost at which they are purchased. Comparison with films,
graphic novels, and art installations that engage with similar issues in relation to modern empires. Current problems of globalization and imperialism situated in the context of historical empires. HU

*CLCV 230b/ARCG 424b/HSAR 424b, eClavdia: Women in Ancient Rome
   Diana Kleiner
   For description see under History of Art.

CLCV 232b/HIST 208b/HUMS 233b, Food and Diet in Greco-Roman Antiquity
   Veronika Grimm
   A review of evidence concerning dietary habits and attitudes in the Greco-Roman world, examining the various meanings of eating and drinking in literary texts and the significance of food and drink in social and religious life and in health care. Readings in translation. HU

CLCV 254a/LITR 158a, Introduction to Greek Literature
   Victor Bers
   Survey of the literature of ancient Greece from the Archaic period to the Second Sophistic. Readings and discussion in English. HU Tr

[CLCV 255b/LITR 159b, Introduction to Latin Literature]

*CLCV 405b/HIST 201b, Spartan Hegemony, 404–362 B.C.
   Donald Kagan
   A history of Greece during the period 404–362 B.C. Focus on the relationship between domestic constitutions and politics and diplomacy and war. Prerequisite: CLCV 205 or equivalent. HU

*CLCV 407a/HIST 207a, Thucydides and the Peloponnesian War
   Donald Kagan
   A study both of the great war between Athens and Sparta that transformed the world of the Greek city-states and of the brilliant historian and political thinker who described it. Prerequisite: CLCV 205 or equivalent. HU

*CLCV 412b/PHIL 402b, Plato’s Philebus
   Verity Harte
   For description see under Philosophy.

*CLCV 415a/HIST 200a, Greek Intellectuals under Roman Rule
   Veronika Grimm
   Aspects of intellectual life in the high Empire, focusing on the concerns, reminiscences, and character types of the Greek upper classes living under Roman rule as reflected in the discussions of the learned dinner guests of Athenaeus. HU

*CLCV 450a and 451b, Senior Project for the Major in Classical Civilization
   Kirk Freudenburg
   An appropriate instructor is assigned to each student by the director of undergraduate studies in consultation with the student. In the first term, selected readings compensate for individual deficiencies and help the student achieve a balanced overview. In the second term, each student explores in depth a subject of personal interest in literature, archaeology, art, philosophy, or history.

*CLCV 488b/HUMS 343b/PHIL 401b, Ancient Philosophy of Science
   Barbara Sattler
   For description see under Philosophy.
**CLCV 494a or b, Independent Tutorial in Classical Civilization**  Kirk Freudenburg
For students who wish to pursue a specialized subject in classical civilization not otherwise covered in courses. Students are expected to provide a detailed reading list and a clear outline of their project early in the term. The work should result in a term paper or examination. A limited number of these courses may be offered toward the major. Readings in translation.

**GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES**

Various graduate seminars are open to juniors and seniors with the qualifications expected of graduate students, i.e., proficiency in the pertinent ancient and modern languages. Descriptions of the courses are available from the director of undergraduate studies. Permission is required of the instructor, the director of undergraduate studies, and the director of graduate studies.

**Cognitive Science**

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**FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM IN COGNITIVE SCIENCE**

**Professors**  Woo-kyoung Ahn (Psychology), Stephen Anderson (Linguistics), Amy Arnsten (School of Medicine), John Bargh (Psychology), Paul Bloom (Psychology), Hal Blumenfeld (School of Medicine), Marvin Chun (Psychology), Michael Della Rocca (Philosophy), Ravi Dhar (School of Management), Julie Dorsey (Computer Science), Carol Fowler (Adjunct) (Psychology), Robert Frank (Linguistics), David Gelernter (Computer Science), Tamar Gendler (Philosophy), Donald Green (Political Science), Laurence Horn (Linguistics), Marcia Johnson (Psychology), Dan Kahan (Law School), Frank Keil (Psychology, Linguistics), Lawrence Marks (Psychology), Gregory McCarthy (Psychology), Drew McDermott (Computer Science), Nathan Novemsky (School of Management), Rhea Paul (School of Medicine), Kenneth Pugh (School of Medicine), Holly Rushmeier (Computer Science), Brian Scholl (Psychology), Sun-Joo Shin (Philosophy), Zoltán Szabó (Philosophy), Fred Volkmar (School of Medicine), Xiao-Jing Wang (School of Medicine), David Watts (Anthropology), Bruce Wexler (School of Medicine), Karen Wynn (Psychology), Raffaella Zanuttti (Linguistics), Steven Zucker (Computer Science)

**Associate Professors**  Keith Chen (School of Management), Jeremy Gray (Psychology), Joshua Knobe (Philosophy), Daeypeol Lee (School of Medicine), James Mazer (School of Medicine), Kevin Pelphrey (School of Medicine), Maria Piñango (Linguistics), Ian Quinn (Music), Laurie Santos (Psychology), Brian Scassellati (Computer Science)

**Assistant Professors**  Daylan Cain (School of Management), June Gruber (Psychology), Gaja Jarosz (Linguistics), Hedy Kober (School of Medicine), John Morrell (Mechanical Engineering), George Newman (School of Management), Kristina Olson (Psychology), Eve Poudrier (Music), Joseph Simmons (School of Management)

**Lecturer**  Eric Mandelbaum (Philosophy)
Cognitive science explores the nature of cognitive processes such as perception, reasoning, memory, attention, language, decision making, imagery, motor control, and problem solving. The goal of cognitive science, stated simply, is to understand how the mind works. Cognitive science is an inherently interdisciplinary endeavor, drawing on tools and ideas from fields such as psychology, computer science, linguistics, philosophy, and neuroscience. Approaches include empirical studies of the ontogenetic and phylogenetic development of cognitive abilities, experimental work on cognitive processing in adults, attempts to understand perception and cognition based on patterns of breakdown in pathology, computational and robotic research that strives to simulate aspects of cognition and behavior, neuroscientific investigations of the neural bases of cognition using neural recording and brain scanning, and the development of philosophical theories of the nature of mind.

**Introductory courses** An introductory survey course, CGSC 110, is normally taken by the end of the fall term of the sophomore year and prior to admission to the major. An introductory survey course in psychology, linguistics, computer science, neuroscience, or philosophy should also be taken by the end of the fall term of the sophomore year.

**Requirements of the major** Fifteen course credits are required for the major, including the two introductory courses and the senior colloquium and project. The remaining twelve term courses are chosen from an approved list that includes courses in psychology, linguistics, computer science, neuroscience, and philosophy bearing on the study of the mind and its relation to the brain. Beyond these core areas, the program also draws on relevant courses in anthropology, art, biology, economics, and music. Majors take four courses in one core field, three in another, two in a third, and one in a fourth, with the remaining two courses selected (with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies) from courses relevant to the student’s program in Cognitive Science. The particular selection of courses must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies in order to assure overall coherence and breadth. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major, except with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

Specific programs will vary considerably depending on the student’s choice of areas of concentration, as well as the offerings of participating departments from year to year. Themes that have structured course work in the major in recent years include irrationality, visual neuroscience, the self and moral cognition, language, cognition and the arts, and connecting the brain and behavior.

**Senior requirement** In the senior year, majors take the senior colloquium and project, CGSC 490 and 491. In the fall term students begin researching and writing a senior essay under the guidance of an appropriate faculty member in an area of cognitive science. In the spring term students complete the senior essay. Throughout the senior year, students meet regularly with one another and with the faculty in the context of this course to discuss current work in cognitive science and their own developing research projects.

**Application to the major** Students apply to enter the major at the end of the fall term of the sophomore year. Applications must be made in writing to the director of undergraduate studies no later than Friday, December 9, in 109 K. Applications must include
both an official or unofficial transcript of work at Yale that lists fall-term 2011 courses and
a brief statement of purpose, which serves to indicate academic interests and expected
focus within the areas of the Cognitive Science major. Application forms and answers to
frequently asked questions are available online at www.yale.edu/cogsci. Applicants will be
notified of decisions concerning admission to the major in January 2012.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites CGSC 110 or equivalent; 1 intro survey course in related discipline, as
specified
Number of courses 15 course credits (incl prereqs and senior req)
Distribution of courses 4 term courses from one core field, 3 from another, 2 from a third,
and 1 from a fourth; 2 addtl term courses from relevant area
Senior requirement CGSC 490, 491

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

CGSC 110a/PSYC 130a, Introduction to Cognitive Science  Brian Scholl
An introduction to the interdisciplinary study of how the mind works. Discussion of tools,
theories, and assumptions from psychology, computer science, neuroscience, linguistics,
and philosophy.  SO

*CGSC 201a/PSYC 120a, Brain and Thought: An Introduction to the Human Brain
Amy Arnsten
An introduction to human brain anatomy, physiology, and function for Cognitive Science
and nonscience majors. Focus on basic concepts of neural function and on brain mecha-
nisms underlying higher cognitive abilities. Includes readings about and videos of patients
with neuropsychiatric disorders or brain lesions.  SC

CGSC 281b/PHIL 181b/PSYC 181b, Philosophy and the Science of Human Nature
Tamar Gendler
For description see under Philosophy.

ADVANCED COURSES

*CGSC 301a/LING 201a, Neurological Basis of Prosody and Meaning
Maria Piñango
For description see under Linguistics.

*CGSC 343a/MUSI 343a, Music Cognition  Ian Quinn
For description see under Music.

*CGSC 390b, Junior Seminar in Cognitive Science  Eric Mandelbaum
Discussion of historically important papers in cognitive science. Topics are varied and
reflect student interests. Some attention to planning for the senior project. Intended for
juniors in the Cognitive Science major.

*CGSC 408b/PSYC 408b, Cognitive Science of Ignorance  Frank Keil
For description see under Psychology.
*CGSC 430b/PHIL 430b/PSYC 427b, Mind Perception  Joshua Knobe
For description see under Philosophy.

*CGSC 431a/PHIL 431a, Cognitive Architecture: Belief and Modularity  Eric Mandelbaum
For description see under Philosophy.

*CGSC 471a and 472b, Directed Research in Cognitive Science  Brian Scholl
Research projects for qualified students. The student must be supervised by a member of the Cognitive Science faculty, who sets the requirements and directs the research. To register, a student must submit a written plan of study to the director of undergraduate studies and the faculty supervisor. The normal minimum requirement is a written report of the completed research, but individual faculty members may set alternative equivalent requirements. May be elected for one or two terms.

*CGSC 473a and 474b, Directed Reading in Cognitive Science  Brian Scholl
Individual study for qualified students who wish to investigate an area of cognitive science not covered in regular courses. The student must be supervised by a member of the Cognitive Science faculty, who sets the requirements and meets regularly with the student. To register, a student must submit a written plan of study to the director of undergraduate studies and the faculty supervisor. The normal minimum requirement is a term paper, but individual faculty members may set alternative equivalent requirements. May be elected for one or two terms.

*CGSC 490a and 491b, Senior Colloquium and Project  Joshua Knobe
A research colloquium leading to the selection of a topic for, and the completion of, the senior essay. Students attend regular colloquium presentations by outside scholars. By the end of the fall term students choose an essay topic. During the spring term presentations become more narrowly focused on students’ senior projects. ½ Course cr per term Cr/year only

RELATED COURSES THAT MAY COUNT TOWARD THE MAJOR

ANTH 267b/ARCG 267b, Human Evolution  Andrew Hill
For description see under Anthropology.

ANTH 270b, Evolution and Human Behavior  David Watts

*CHLD 350a or b/PSYC 350a or b, Autism and Related Disorders  James McPartland, Fred Volkmar
For description see under Child Study Center.

CPSC 201a or b, Introduction to Computer Science  Holly Rushmeier [F], Dana Angluin [Sp]

CPSC 202a, Mathematical Tools for Computer Science  Dana Angluin

CPSC 470a, Artificial Intelligence  Drew McDermott
CPSC 473b, Intelligent Robotics  Brian Scassellati

CPSC 475a/BENG 475a, Computational Vision and Biological Perception  Steven Zucker
For description see under Computer Science.

E&EB 122b, Principles of Evolution, Ecology, and Behavior  Stephen Stearns
For description see under Biology.

E&EB 240a, Animal Behavior  Suzanne Alonzo
For description see under Biology.

ECON 159a, Game Theory  Benjamin Polak

ECON 351b, Mathematical Economics: Game Theory  Johannes Horner

*HUMS 476b/MUSI 267b, Music and Human Evolution  Gary Tomlinson
For description see under Humanities.

LING 117a/PSYC 137a, Language and Mind  Maria Piñango
For description see under Linguistics.

LING 120a/PSYC 318a, General Phonetics  Jelena Krivokapic
For description see under Linguistics.

LING 130b/PSYC 322b, Evolution of Language  Stephen Anderson
For description see under Linguistics.

LING 132a, Introduction to Phonological Analysis  Gaja Jarosz

LING 135b, Phonological Theory  Gaja Jarosz

LING 141a/PSYC 327a, Language and Computation  Gaja Jarosz
For description see under Linguistics.

LING 146b/PSYC 329b, Language, Sex, and Gender  Laurence Horn
For description see under Linguistics.

LING 149a/PSYC 149a, Animal Communication and Human Language  Stephen Anderson
For description see under Linguistics.

LING 153a, Syntax I  Raffaella Zanuttini

*LING 180b, Morphology  Stephen Anderson

*LING 212b, Linguistic Change  Ashwini Deo

*LING 222b, Speech Timing  Jelena Krivokapic

LING 224a, Formal Foundations of Linguistic Theories I  Robert Frank

*LING 225b, Computing Meanings  Timothy Hunter, Robert Frank

*LING 242b, Topics in Phonology: Probability  Gaja Jarosz
LING 254b, Syntax II  Robert Frank
*LING 263a, Semantics  Ashwini Deo
*LING 265a, Semantic Change  Ashwini Deo
*LING 270a, Topics in Semantics: Pragmatic Models  Tamina Stephenson
LING 275b, Pragmatics  Laurence Horn, Tamina Stephenson
*MCDB 135b, How the Brain Works  David Wells, Mitchell Kundel
For description see under Biology.
MCDB 320a, Neurobiology  Haig Keshishian, Paul Forscher
For description see under Biology.
MCDB 321La, Laboratory for Neurobiology  Haig Keshishian and staff
For description see under Biology.
*MCDB 440b, Brain Development and Plasticity  Weimin Zhong, Elke Stein
For description see under Biology.
PHIL 115a, First-Order Logic  Kenneth Winkler
PHIL 267a, Mathematical Logic  Sun-Joo Shin
PHIL 269a, Philosophy of Science  Eric Mandelbaum
PHIL 271a/LING 271a, Philosophy of Language  Zoltán Szabó
For description see under Philosophy.
*PHIL 272a, Philosophy of Mind  George Bealer
*PHIL 432a, Convention  Zoltán Szabó
*PHIL 434b, Propositional Attitudes  Bruno Whittle
PSYC 160b, Human Neuroscience  Gregory McCarthy
PSYC 170a, Fundamentals of Neuroscience  Glenn Schafe
PSYC 171a, Sex, Evolution, and Human Nature  Laurie Santos
PSYC 230La, Research Methods in Human Neuroscience  Gregory McCarthy
PSYC 231Lb, Research Methods in Happiness  June Gruber
*PSYC 402b, Topics in Infant Studies  Karen Wynn
*PSYC 433a, Social Cognitive Development  Kristina Olson

College Seminars in the Residential Colleges

Residential college seminars for the fall and spring terms are described on the Web at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/residential-college-seminar-program. The online listings
contain course titles, descriptions, and prerequisites. Course syllabi are available on line at classesv2.yale.edu.

Students apply to college seminars before classes begin through an online tool at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/application-information. In any given term, students may apply to a maximum of three college seminars; choices are not ranked by order of preference. Students may enroll in no more than two college seminars per term and may enroll in no more than four total during their time at Yale.

Comparative Literature

The Comparative Literature department offers undergraduate courses under the rubric “The Literature Major,” and a graduate degree in Comparative Literature. For a listing of Yale College courses, see under The Literature Major.

Computer Science

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Professors Dana Angluin, James Aspnes, Julie Dorsey, Stanley Eisenstat, Joan Feigenbaum, Michael Fischer, David Gelernter, Paul Hudak, Drew McDermott, Vladimir Rokhlin, Holly Rushmeier, Martin Schultz (Emeritus), Zhong Shao, Avi Silberschatz (Chair), Daniel Spielman, Steven Zucker

Associate Professors Brian Scassellati, Yang Richard Yang

Assistant Professors Daniel Abadi, Bryan Ford

Lecturers Brad Rosen, Andrew Sherman

The Department of Computer Science offers both B.S. and B.A. degree programs, as well as combined majors with the Departments of Electrical Engineering (see Electrical Engineering and Computer Science), Mathematics (see Computer Science and Mathematics), and Psychology (see Computer Science and Psychology). Each major program not only provides a solid technical education but also allows students either to take a broad range of courses in other disciplines or to complete the requirements of a second major.

The Computer Science and combined major programs share a common core of five computer science courses. The first is CPSC 201, Introduction to Computer Science, a survey that demonstrates the breadth and depth of the field to students who have taken the equivalent of an introductory programming course. The remaining core courses cover discrete mathematics; data structures; systems programming and computer architecture; and algorithm analysis and design. Together these courses include the material that every major should know.
The core courses are supplemented by electives (and, for the joint majors, core courses in the other discipline) that offer great flexibility in tailoring a program to each student’s interests. The capstone is the senior project, through which students experience the challenges and rewards of original research under the guidance of a faculty mentor.

Prospective majors are encouraged to discuss their programs with the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible.

**Introductory courses** The department offers a broad range of introductory courses to meet the needs of students with varying backgrounds and interests. With the exception of CPSC 201, none assumes previous knowledge of computers.

1. CPSC 079a examines the methods used to define shapes, materials, and lighting in computer-generated images. Students use a modeling/rendering system to create an animated video with rich visual effects. Proficiency in high school–level mathematics is assumed.

2. CPSC 112a or b teaches students majoring in any subject area how to program a computer and solve problems using the language Java or C#. Students with previous programming experience should consider taking CPSC 201 instead.

3. CPSC 150a explores how some of the key ideas in computer science have affected philosophy of mind, cognitivism, connectionism, and related areas. This humanities-style course has significant readings and a paper, and satisfies the writing distributional requirement.

4. CPSC 151b studies the history of the graphical user interface in an attempt to guess its future. This course also satisfies the writing distributional requirement.

5. CPSC 183a explores the myriad ways that law and technology intersect, with a special focus on the role of cyberspace. This course satisfies the social science distributional requirement.

6. CPSC 201a or b surveys the field of computer science, including systems (computers and their languages) and theory (algorithms, complexity, and computability). Students with sufficient programming experience may elect CPSC 201 without taking CPSC 112. (These courses meet at the same time so that students are easily able to change levels if necessary.)

7. CPSC 202a presents the formal methods of reasoning and the concepts of discrete mathematics and linear algebra used in computer science and related disciplines.

**Requirements of the major** The B.S. and the B.A. degree programs have the same required core courses: CPSC 201; CPSC 202 or MATH 244; CPSC 223, 323, 365, and 490. The B.S. degree program requires six additional intermediate or advanced courses in Computer Science, for a total of twelve; the B.A. degree program, four, for a total of ten. CPSC 480 and 490 may not be counted toward these electives. All courses in the major must be taken for a letter grade.

Students majoring in Computer Science are advised to complete CPSC 201 and 223 by the end of the sophomore year.

For students who already know how to program, typical B.S. programs starting in the freshman and sophomore years are:
Freshman

CPSC 201a

Sophomore

CPSC 202a
CPSC 323a

Junior

Two electives

Senior

CPSC 490a

Freshman

CPSC 223b

Sophomore

CPSC 365b
One elective

Junior

Two electives

Senior

One elective

and

Sophomore

CPSC 201a
CPSC 202a

Junior

CPSC 323a
One elective

Senior

CPSC 490a
Two electives

CPSC 223b
CPSC 365b
One elective

Two electives

For typical B.A. programs, two of the electives would be omitted.

Electives The Computer Science department encourages interdisciplinary study in which computer science plays a major role. Advanced courses in other departments that involve concepts from computer science and are relevant to an individual program may, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, be counted toward the requirements.

Students considering graduate study in computer science are advised to take CPSC 421 and 422, as well as courses covering the breadth of computer science, including programming languages and systems, artificial intelligence, scientific computing, and theoretical computer science.

Students interested in using computers to solve scientific and engineering problems are advised to take CPSC 440 as well as computational courses offered in Applied Mathematics and in Engineering and Applied Science.

The core mathematical background necessary to complete the Computer Science major is provided in CPSC 202. However, many advanced courses in graphics, computer vision, neural networks, and numerical analysis assume additional knowledge of linear algebra and calculus. Students who plan to take such courses as electives and who are unsure whether they have the appropriate mathematical background are encouraged to take MATH 222, 225, or 230, 231, and MATH 112, 115, or 120.

Senior requirement In the senior year students must take CPSC 490, an independent project course in which students select an adviser to guide them in research in a subfield of computer science. With permission of the director of undergraduate studies, students may enroll in 490 more than once or before their senior year.

Schedule approval All Computer Science majors in the sophomore, junior, and senior years should have their programs approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

Combined B.S./M.S. degree program in Computer Science Exceptionally able and well-prepared students may complete a course of study leading to the simultaneous award of the B.S. and M.S. degrees after eight terms of enrollment. The requirements are as follows:
1. Candidates must satisfy the Yale College requirements for the B.S. degree in Computer Science.

2. In fulfilling these requirements, students must complete eight graduate courses from the approved list, up to two of which may, with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies and the director of graduate studies, also be applied toward completion of the B.S. degree. At most one of these eight courses may be CPSC 690, 691, or 692.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites None

Number of courses B.S. — 12 term courses taken for letter grades (incl senior project); B.A. — 10 term courses taken for letter grades (incl senior project)

Specific courses required B.S. and B.A. — CPSC 201; CPSC 202 or MATH 244; CPSC 223, 323, 365

Distribution of courses B.S. — 6 addtl intermediate or advanced Comp Sci courses; B.A. — four addtl intermediate or advanced Comp Sci courses

Substitution permitted Advanced courses in other depts, with DUS permission

Senior requirement Senior project (CPSC 490)

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

*CPSC 079a, Digital Photorealism Julie Dorsey
Basic methods used to define shapes, materials, and lighting when creating computer-generated images. Mathematical models for shape, texture models, and lighting techniques. Principles are applied through the use of modeling/rendering/animation software. Proficiency in high school–level mathematics is assumed. No previous programming experience necessary. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. QR Fr sem

CPSC 112a or b, Introduction to Programming Daniel Abadi [F], Zhong Shao [Sp]
Development on the computer of programming skills, problem-solving methods, and selected applications. No previous experience with computers necessary. Q R

CPSC 150a/HUMS 407a, Computer Science and the Modern Intellectual Agenda David Gelernter
Introduction to the basic ideas of computer science (computability, algorithm, virtual machine, symbol processing system), and of several ongoing relationships between computer science and other fields, particularly philosophy of mind. No previous experience with computers necessary. Enrollment limited to 25. WR, HU

[CPSC 151b/HUMS 408b, The Graphical User Interface]

CPSC 163b/ARCG 163b/HUMS 338b/NELC 163b, From Pictograph to Pixel: Changing Ways of Human Communication John Darnell and staff
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

CPSC 183a, Introduction to Law and Technology Brad Rosen
An exploration of the myriad ways in which law and technology intersect, with a special focus on the role of cyberspace. Topics include digital copyright, free speech, privacy and
anonymity, information security, innovation, online communities, the impact of technology on society, and emerging trends. No previous experience with computers or law necessary.

[CPSC 184b, Intellectual Property in the Digital Age]

*CPSC 185b, Control, Privacy, and Technology Brad Rosen
The evolution of various legal doctrines with and around technological development. Topics include criminal law, privacy, search and seizure, digital rights, and the implications of technologically permitted methods of control on the law. Special attention to case law and policy. After CPSC 183. WR, SO

CPSB 201a or b, Introduction to Computer Science Holly Rushmeier [F], Dana Angluin [Sp]
Introduction to the concepts, techniques, and applications of computer science. Topics include computer systems (the design of computers and their languages); theoretical foundations of computing (computability, complexity, algorithm design); and artificial intelligence (the organization of knowledge and its representation for efficient search). Examples stress the importance of different problem-solving methods. After CPSC 112 or equivalent. QR

CPSC 202a, Mathematical Tools for Computer Science Dana Angluin
Introduction to formal methods for reasoning and to mathematical techniques basic to computer science. Topics include propositional logic, discrete mathematics, and linear algebra. Emphasis on applications to computer science: recurrences, sorting, graph traversal, Gaussian elimination. QR

CPSC 223b, Data Structures and Programming Techniques James Aspnes
Topics include programming in C; data structures (arrays, stacks, queues, lists, trees, heaps, graphs); sorting and searching; storage allocation and management; data abstraction; programming style; testing and debugging; writing efficient programs. After CPSC 201 or equivalent. QR RP

*CPSC 290a or b, Directed Research Stanley Eisenstat
Individual research. Requires a faculty supervisor and the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. May be taken more than once for credit.

MATH 244a/AMTH 244a, Discrete Mathematics Matthew Hirn
For description see under Mathematics.

INTERMEDIATE COURSES

CPSC 323a, Introduction to Systems Programming and Computer Organization Stanley Eisenstat
Machine architecture and computer organization, systems programming in a high-level language, assembly language, issues in operating systems, software engineering, prototyping in nonprogramming languages. After CPSC 223. QR RP

CPSC 365b, Design and Analysis of Algorithms Daniel Spielman
Paradigms for problem solving: divide and conquer, recursion, greedy algorithms, dynamic programming, randomized and probabilistic algorithms. Techniques for analyzing the efficiency of algorithms and designing efficient algorithms and data structures.
Algorithms for graph theoretic problems, network flows, and numerical linear algebra. Provides algorithmic background essential to further study of computer science. After CPSC 202 and 223. QR

EENG 348a, Digital Systems Staff

ADVANCED COURSES

[CPSC 421a\textsuperscript{G}, Compilers and Interpreters]

[CPSC 422b\textsuperscript{G}, Operating Systems]

CPSC 424b\textsuperscript{G}, Parallel Programming Techniques Andrew Sherman Practical introduction to parallel programming, emphasizing techniques and algorithms suitable for scientific and engineering computations. Aspects of processor and machine architecture. Techniques such as multithreading, message passing, and data parallel computing using graphics processing units. Performance measurement, tuning, and debugging of parallel programs. Parallel file systems and I/O. After CPSC 223 and MATH 222 or 225, or equivalents. QR

[CPSC 426a\textsuperscript{G}, Building Decentralized Systems]

CPSC 427a\textsuperscript{G}, Object-Oriented Programming Michael Fischer Object-oriented programming as a means to efficient, reliable, modular, reusable code. Use of classes, derivation, templates, name-hiding, exceptions, polymorphic functions, and other features of C++. After CPSC 223. QR

[CPSC 428b\textsuperscript{G}, Language-Based Security]

CPSC 430a\textsuperscript{G}, Formal Semantics Zhong Shao Introduction to formal approaches to programming language design and implementation. Topics include lambda calculus, type theory, denotational semantics, type-directed compilation, higher-order modules, and application of formal methods to systems software and Internet programming. After CPSC 202 and 323. QR

[CPSC 431a\textsuperscript{G}, Computer Music: Algorithmic and Heuristic Composition]

CPSC 432b\textsuperscript{G}, Computer Music: Sound Representation and Synthesis Paul Hudak Study of the theoretical and practical fundamentals of computer-generated music, with a focus on low-level sound representation, acoustics and sound synthesis, scales and tuning systems, and programming languages for computer music generation. Theoretical concepts are supplemented with pragmatic issues expressed in a high-level programming language. Ability to read music is assumed. After CPSC 202 and 223. QR

CPSC 433b\textsuperscript{G}, Computer Networks Yang Richard Yang An introduction to the design, implementation, analysis, and evaluation of computer networks and their protocols. Topics include layered network architectures, applications, transport, congestion, routing, data link protocols, local area networks, performance analysis, multimedia networking, network security, and network management. Emphasis on protocols used in the Internet. After CPSC 323. QR

[CPSC 434b\textsuperscript{G}, Mobile Computing and Wireless Networking]
[CPSC 435b, Internet-Scale Applications]

*CPSC 436a/EENG 460a, Networked Embedded Systems and Sensor Networks
Andreas Savvides
For description see under Electrical Engineering.

[CPSC 437b, Introduction to Databases]

CPSC 438b, Database System Implementation and Architectures  Daniel Abadi
A study of systems programming techniques, with a focus on database systems. In the first half of the term, students analyze the design of a traditional DBMS and build components of a DBMS prototype, e.g., a catalog-manager, a buffer-manager, and a query execution engine. In the second half, students examine nontraditional architectures such as parallel databases, data warehouses, stream databases, and Web databases. After or concurrently with CPSC 202 and 323. QR

CPSC 440b, Numerical Computation  Vladimir Rokhlin
Algorithms for numerical problems in the physical, biological, and social sciences: solution of linear and nonlinear systems of equations, interpolation and approximation of functions, numerical differentiation and integration, optimization. After CPSC 112 or an equivalent introductory programming course; MATH 120; and MATH 222 or 225 or CPSC 202. QR

CPSC 445a, Introduction to Data Mining  Vladimir Rokhlin
A study of algorithms and systems that allow computers to find patterns and regularities in databases, to perform prediction and forecasting, and to improve their performance generally through interaction with data. After CPSC 202, 223, and MATH 222, or equivalents. QR

CPSC 455b/ECON 425a, Economics and Computation  Joan Feigenbaum
A mathematically rigorous investigation of the interplay of economic theory and computer science, with an emphasis on the relationship of incentive-compatibility and algorithmic efficiency. Particular attention to the formulation and solution of mechanism-design problems that are relevant to data networking and Internet-based commerce. After CPSC 365 or with permission of instructor. Familiarity with basic microeconomic theory is helpful but not required. QR

CPSC 457a, Sensitive Information in a Wired World  Joan Feigenbaum
Issues of ownership, control, privacy, and accuracy of the huge amount of sensitive information about people and organizations that is collected, stored, and used by today’s ubiquitous information systems. Readings consist of research papers that explore both the power and the limitations of existing privacy-enhancing technologies such as encryption and “trusted platforms.” After or concurrently with CPSC 365 and 467. QR

[CPSC 462b, Graphs and Networks]

[CPSC 463b, Machine Learning]
Computer Science

geometric constraints, time and space complexity, and distributed algorithms. After CPSC 323 and 365. QR

**CPSC 467bG, Cryptography and Computer Security**  Michael Fischer
A survey of such private and public key cryptographic techniques as DES, RSA, and zero-knowledge proofs, and their application to problems of maintaining privacy and security in computer networks. Focus on technology, with consideration of such societal issues as balancing individual privacy concerns against the needs of law enforcement, vulnerability of societal institutions to electronic attack, export regulations and international competitiveness, and development of secure information systems. Some programming may be required. After CPSC 202 and 223. QR

**[CPSC 468aG, Computational Complexity]**

**[CPSC 469bG, Randomized Algorithms]**

**CPSC 470aG, Artificial Intelligence**  Drew McDermott
Introduction to artificial intelligence research, focusing on reasoning and perception. Topics include knowledge representation, predicate calculus, temporal reasoning, vision, robotics, planning, and learning. After CPSC 201 and 202. QR

**CPSC 473bG, Intelligent Robotics**  Brian Scassellati
Introduction to the construction of intelligent, autonomous systems. Sensory-motor coordination and task-based perception. Implementation techniques for behavior selection and arbitration, including behavior-based design, evolutionary design, dynamical systems, and hybrid deliberative-reactive systems. Situated learning and adaptive behavior. After CPSC 202; after or concurrently with CPSC 223. QR

**CPSC 475aG/BENG 475aG, Computational Vision and Biological Perception**  Steven Zucker
An overview of computational vision with a biological emphasis. Suitable as an introduction to biological perception for computer science and engineering students, as well as an introduction to computational vision for mathematics, psychology, and physiology students. After MATH 120 and CPSC 112, or with permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

**CPSC 478bG, Computer Graphics**  Holly Rushmeier
Introduction to the basic concepts of two- and three-dimensional computer graphics. Topics include affine and projective transformations, clipping and windowing, visual perception, scene modeling and animation, algorithms for visible surface determination, reflection models, illumination algorithms, and color theory. After CPSC 202 and 223. QR

**CPSC 479aG, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics**  Julie Dorsey
An in-depth study of advanced algorithms and systems for rendering, modeling, and animation in computer graphics. Topics vary and may include reflectance modeling, global illumination, subdivision surfaces, NURBS, physically-based fluids systems, and character animation. After CPSC 202 and 223. QR

**•CPSC 48oa or b, Directed Reading**  Stanley Eisenstat
Individual study for qualified students who wish to investigate an area of computer science not covered in regular courses. A student must be sponsored by a faculty member who sets the requirements and meets regularly with the student. Requires a written plan of study
approved by the faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies. May be taken more than once for credit.

*CPSC 490a or b, Special Projects*  
Stanley Eisenstat  
Individual research. Requires a faculty supervisor and the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. The student must submit a written report about the results of the project. May be taken more than once for credit.

**Computer Science and Electrical Engineering**  
(See under Electrical Engineering and Computer Science.)

**Computer Science and Mathematics**

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Computer Science and Mathematics is an interdepartmental major for students who are interested in computational mathematics, the use of computers in mathematics, mathematical aspects of algorithm design and analysis, and theoretical foundations of computing.

The major requires fourteen term courses as well as a senior project. Six of the fourteen courses must be in computer science: CPSC 201, 223, 323, and 365; one from CPSC 440, 462, 468, or 469; and one additional advanced term course other than CPSC 480 or 490. The remaining eight courses must be in mathematics: MATH 120, either 222 or 225, 244, and five additional term courses numbered above 200 other than MATH 470. MATH 230, 231 may replace MATH 120 and 222 or 225.

The senior requirement is a project or an essay on a topic acceptable to both departments. An oral report on the mathematical aspects of the project must be presented to the Mathematics faculty.

The entire program of each student majoring in Computer Science and Mathematics must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies in each department. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the major.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites**  None

**Number of courses**  14 term courses (not incl senior req)

**Specific courses required**  CPSC 201, 223, 323, 365; one from CPSC 440, 462, 468, or 469; MATH 120, 222 or 225, 244

**Distribution of courses**  5 addtl courses in math numbered above 200 (may not be MATH 470); 1 addtl advanced course in comp sci (may not be CPSC 480 or 490)

**Substitution permitted**  MATH 230, 231 for MATH 120 and 222 or 225

**Senior requirement**  Senior project or senior essay on topic acceptable to Comp Sci and Math depts; oral report to Math dept on mathematical aspects of project
Computer Science and Psychology

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Computer Science and Psychology is an interdepartmental major designed for students interested in integrating work in these two fields. Each area provides tools and theories that can be applied to problems in the other. Examples of this interaction include cognitive science, artificial intelligence, neural modes of computation, and biological perception.

The prerequisite for the major is PSYC 110, from which students who have scored 5 on the Advanced Placement test in Psychology are exempt. Beyond the prerequisite, the major requires fourteen term courses as well as a senior project.

Eight of the fourteen courses must be in computer science: CPSC 201, 202, 223, 323, 365, and three advanced computer science courses in artificial intelligence or neural computing. MATH 244 may substitute for CPSC 202. CPSC 480 and 490 may not be counted as one of these courses.

The remaining six courses must be in psychology, including PSYC 200, at least one from PSYC 210–299, at least two courses from the social science point of view, indicated as List A under Psychology, and at least one course in cognitive psychology or cognitive science listed in Psychology. PSYC 490, 491, 492, and 493 may not be counted as one of these courses.

A second course in cognitive psychology or cognitive science may substitute for one of the courses in artificial intelligence or neural computing. An additional course in psychology and an examination arranged with the instructor of PSYC 200 may substitute for PSYC 200.

**Senior requirement** Students must take CPSC 490 or PSYC 492 or 493, and the project must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies in each department.

The entire program of each student majoring in Computer Science and Psychology must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies in each department. No course in Computer Science taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the major; a maximum of one course in Psychology taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the major.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisite** PSYC 110

**Number of courses** 14 term courses beyond prereq (not incl senior project)

**Specific courses required** CPSC 201, 202, 223, 323, 365; PSYC 200

**Distribution of courses** 8 courses in Comp Sci, with 3 advanced AI or neural computing courses; 6 courses in Psych, with at least 1 from PSYC 210–299, at least 2 from List A under Psych, and at least 1 in cognitive psych or cognitive science listed in Psych

**Substitution permitted** For CPSC 202, MATH 244; for 1 course in AI or neural computing, 1 addtl course in cognitive psych or cognitive science; for PSYC 200, 1 addtl course in Psych and exam arranged with instructor

**Senior requirement** CPSC 490 or PSYC 492 or 493 with project approved by DUS in each dept
Computing and the Arts

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Computing and the Arts is an interdepartmental major designed for students who wish to integrate work in computing with work in one of the arts disciplines: Art, History of Art, Music, or Theater Studies.

For students with a computing perspective, issues in these disciplines present interesting and substantive problems: how musicians use computers to compose; the limitations of current software tools used by artists; the types of analyses done by art historians; challenges in designing and using virtual sets in the theater; ways that virtual worlds might help to envision new forms of artistic expression; lessons that can be learned from trying to create a robotic conductor or performer.

For students with an artistic perspective, computing methods offer a systematic approach to achieving their vision. A foundation in computer science allows artists to understand existing computing tools more comprehensively and to use them more effectively. Furthermore, it gives them insight into what fundamentally can and cannot be done with computers, so they can anticipate the future development of new tools for computing in their field.

**Prerequisites** The prerequisite for all students in the major is CPSC 112, which should be taken during the freshman year. Additional prerequisites for the Art track are ART 111 and 114. There are no additional prerequisites for the History of Art track. An additional prerequisite for the Music track is MUSI 210, as determined by the music theory placement test. (Students who do not place into or out of MUSI 210 may need to take a lower-level course first.) Additional prerequisites for the Theater Studies track are THST 110 and 111. There is no required favorable review of studio work for admission to the major in any track.

**The major** Twelve term courses are required beyond the prerequisites, not including the two-term senior project. Six of the courses must be in Computer Science, including CPSC 201, 202, and 223. Students are advised to complete CPSC 202 and 223 by the end of the sophomore year. MATH 244 may be substituted for CPSC 202.

The six remaining courses are selected from one of the arts disciplines. Students choose a track in art, history of art, music, or theater studies. All requirements for a single track must be satisfied, as specified below.

The Art track requires the following courses in addition to the Computer Science courses listed above: (1) two 100-level courses beyond ART 111 and 114, such as ART 132, 138, or 145; (2) two courses in Art at the 200 or 300 level; (3) ART 395; (4) one course in Art at the 400 level; (5) two courses selected from CPSC 475, 478, and 479; (6) one additional intermediate or advanced Computer Science course (excluding CPSC 490).

The History of Art track requires the following courses in addition to the Computer Science courses listed above: (1) one introductory History of Art course: HSAR 112, 115, <116>, 142, or 143; (2) two History of Art courses at the 200, 300, or 400 level (the courses
must represent two different areas as defined in the History of Art program description; (3) one studio art course (students may need to take a prerequisite course in Art to prepare for the studio course); (4) HSAR 401; (5) one 400-level seminar in History of Art; (6) two courses selected from CPSC 437, 475, 478, or 479, one of which must be CPSC 478 or 479; (7) one additional intermediate or advanced Computer Science course (excluding CPSC 490).

The Music track requires the following courses in addition to the Computer Science courses listed above: (1) MUSI 325; (2) five term courses chosen from MUSI 309, 312, 313, 343, 395, 412, 413, 450, 471, and 472; (3) CPSC 431; (4) CPSC 432; (5) one additional intermediate or advanced Computer Science course (excluding CPSC 490).

The Theater Studies track requires the following courses in addition to the Computer Science courses listed above: (1) THST 210; (2) three courses in dramatic literature or theater history; (3) two upper-level Theater Studies production seminars in design, directing, or playwriting; (4) CPSC 431 or 432; (5) CPSC 478 or 479; (6) one additional intermediate or advanced Computer Science course (excluding CPSC 490).

Senior requirement The senior project requires two terms: one term of CPAR 491, and one term of ART 495, HSAR 499, MUSI 490 or 491, or THST 491, depending on the track chosen. The project must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies and be acceptable to both departments. Students must submit a written report, including an electronic abstract and Web page(s).

The entire program of each student majoring in Computing and the Arts must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the major.

Requirements of the Major

Prerequisites All tracks — CPSC 112; Art track — ART 111, 114; Music track — MUSI 210; Theater Studies track — THST 110, 111

Number of courses 12 term courses beyond prereqs (not incl senior project)

Specific courses required All tracks — CPSC 201, 202, 223; Art track — ART 395, 2 from CPSC 475, 478, 479; History of Art track — 2 from CPSC 437, 475, 478, 479, including 1 of CPSC 478, 479; 1 from HSAR 112, 115, <116>, 142, 143; HSAR 401; Music track — CPSC 431, 432; MUSI 325; Theater Studies track — CPSC 431 or 432; CPSC 478 or 479; THST 210

Distribution of courses All tracks — 6 courses in Comp Sci, incl 1 addtl intermediate or advanced course beyond specific reqs (excluding CPSC 490); Art track — 2 courses in Art at 100 level (excluding prereqs), 2 at 200 or 300 level, and 1 at 400 level (in addition to senior req); History of Art track — 2 courses in different areas of History of Art at 200, 300, or 400 level; one 400-level sem in History of Art; 1 studio art course; Music track — 5 term courses from MUSI 309, 312, 313, 343, 395, 412, 413, 450, 471, 472; Theater Studies track — 3 courses in dramatic lit or theater history; 2 production sems, as specified

Substitution permitted MATH 244 for CPSC 202

Senior requirement All tracks — Two-term senior project approved by DUS; Art track — Senior project completed in CPAR 491 and ART 495; History of Art track — Senior project completed in CPAR 491 and HSAR 499; Music track — Senior project completed in CPAR 491 and MUSI 490 or 491; Theater Studies track — Senior project completed in CPAR 491 and THST 491
*CPAR 291 a or b, Special Projects  Stanley Eisenstat
Individual research project in computing and the arts. Requires a faculty supervisor and permission of the director of undergraduate studies. May be taken more than once for credit.

*CPAR 491 a or b, Senior Project in Computing and the Arts  Stanley Eisenstat
Individual research project for majors in Computing and the Arts. Requires two faculty supervisors, one from Computer Science and one from the department in the chosen track. Requires permission of the director of undergraduate studies. The student must present both a verbal and a written report describing the results of the project. May be taken more than once for credit.

Czech
(See under Slavic Languages and Literatures.)

DeVane Lecture Courses

DEVN 193a/PHIL 116a/PSYC 152a, Moralities of Everyday Life  Paul Bloom
The modern science of moral thought and moral action explored through disciplines such as cognitive science, social and developmental psychology, neuroscience, behavioral economics, and analytic philosophy. Empathy and compassion in babies and young children; emotional reactions to family, friends, and strangers; the origins of prejudice and bigotry; sexuality, disgust, and purity; punishment, revenge, and forgiveness; the relationship between morality and religion.  so

DEVN 194b/AFAM 194b/AMST 194b/ENGL 194b, African American Arts Today  Elizabeth Alexander
The renaissance in African American culture from 1980 to the present. Great works of poetry, fiction, creative nonfiction, drama, film, music, dance, painting, photography, and hip-hop by living African American artists. Critical vocabularies and approaches with which to think about questions of genre; writing knowledgeable and persuasively about art across multiple genres and in historical context. Artists include Anna Deavere Smith, Suzan-Lori Parks, Toni Morrison, Edwidge Danticat, Colson Whitehead, Hilton Als, Rita Dove, Terrance Hayes, Bill T. Jones, Kerry James Marshall, Lorna Simpson, Jason Moran, and Jay-Z. Lectures feature public conversations with several of the artists studied.  HU

Directed Studies

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Directed Studies, a selective program for freshmen, is an interdisciplinary study of Western civilization. One hundred twenty-five students are accepted each year.

Each course meets weekly for one lecture and two seminars; seminars have eighteen students and one faculty member. The regular lectures and seminars are complemented
by a series of colloquia. Distinguished members of the faculty are invited to speak on major issues arising from the work in the program, on related disciplines not included in the program, and on the relationship between Western civilization and the non-Western world. Colloquium topics in recent years have included the use of the humanities, the Christian reception of Aristotle, and ancient art and property rights. Directed Studies fulfills the following distributional requirements: two course credits in the humanities and arts, two course credits in the social sciences, and two course credits in writing. The program serves as a strong foundation for all majors in Yale College, including those in the sciences.

*DRST 001a and 002b, Directed Studies: Literature  Jane Levin, Egbert Bakker, Mark Bauer, Angela Capodivacca, Kirk Freudenburg, Bella Grigoryan, Peter Hawkins, Virginia Jewiss, David Scott Kastan, Claude Rawson, John Rogers, Christopher Semk, Ruth Yeazell
An examination of major literary works with an aim of understanding how a tradition develops. In the fall term, works and authors include Homer, Aeschylus, Sophocles, Virgil, the Bible, and Dante. In the spring term, authors vary somewhat from year to year and include Petrarch, Cervantes, Shakespeare, Milton, Wordsworth, Goethe, Tolstoy, Proust, and Eliot.  WR, HU

*DRST 003a and 004b, Directed Studies: Philosophy  Stephen Darwall, Jay Elliott, Jonathan Gilmore, Gwenda-lin Grewal, Paul Grimstad, John Hare, Verity Harte, David Possen, Barbara Sattler, Kenneth Winkler
An examination of major figures in the history of Western philosophy with an aim of discerning characteristic philosophical problems and their interconnections. Emphasis on Plato and Aristotle in the fall term. In the spring term, modern philosophers include Descartes, Berkeley, Hume, Kant, and Nietzsche.  WR, HU

*DRST 005a and 006b, Directed Studies: Historical and Political Thought
Emily Greenwood, Gwenda-lin Grewal, Charles Hill, Demetra Kasimis, Anthony Kronman, Hélène Landemore, Karuna Mantena, Matthew McCarty, Kathryn Slanski, Steven Smith, Norma Thompson
A study of works of primary importance to political thought and intellectual history. Focus on the role of ideas in shaping events, institutions, and the fate of the individual. In the fall term, Herodotus, Thucydides, Plato, Aristotle, Augustine, and Aquinas. In the spring term, Machiavelli, Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, Burke, Tocqueville, Emerson, Marx, Nietzsche, and Arendt.  SO

Drama
(See under Theater Studies.)

Dutch
(See under Germanic Languages and Literatures.)
East Asian Languages and Literatures

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

Professors Kang-i Sun Chang, Aaron Gerow, Edward Kamens (Chair), Tina Lu, John Treat, Jing Tsu

Assistant Professor Chloe Starr

Senior Lecturer Koichi Shinohara

Senior Lectors Hsiu-hsien Chan, Min Chen, Seungja Choi, Koichi Hiroe, Zhengguo Kang, Angela Lee-Smith, Rongzhen Li, Ninghui Liang, Yukie Mamamoto, Yoshiko Maruyama, Ling Mu, Michiaki Murata, Hiroyo Nishimura, Masahiko Seto, Jianhua Shen, Mari Stever, Wei Su, Haiwen Wang, Yu-lin Wang-Saussay, Peisong Xu, William Zhou

The Department of East Asian Languages and Literatures offers majors in Chinese and Japanese. These are liberal arts majors intended to give the student a general knowledge of Chinese or Japanese literature and the techniques of literary analysis, and advanced oral and written skills in one of these languages. The department also offers language courses in Korean and courses in East Asian humanities. Courses in Indonesian and Vietnamese are listed under Southeast Asia Studies.

Because the study of an East Asian language presents special challenges, all students interested in these languages are encouraged to begin their studies as early as possible in their careers at Yale. Students must begin language study no later than the sophomore year in order to complete the requirements of either major in the department. Students considering a major in East Asian Languages and Literatures should consult the director of undergraduate studies. The Richard U. Light Fellowship, administered by the Office of Fellowship Programs, provides opportunities for qualified Yale students to study East Asian languages in East Asia. Numerous other fellowships are also available. Language requirements may be met in part by taking accelerated language courses elsewhere, but students wishing to receive credit for language study completed at another university must take a placement examination to determine their level of proficiency. It is a departmental policy that Yale College students may not audit language courses.

Course numbering Courses with numbers up to 099 are freshman seminars on East Asian literature, film, and humanities. Language courses are numbered from 100 to 199. Courses with numbers from 200 to 399 address literature, film, and the humanities: introductory courses in premodern periods are numbered from 200 to 249; introductory courses in the modern period are numbered from 250 to 299; more advanced courses in premodern periods are numbered from 300 to 349; and more advanced courses in the modern period are numbered from 350 to 399.
Placement examination  Students who are enrolling in the department’s language classes for the first time but who have studied Chinese, Japanese, or Korean elsewhere, and students who have skills in one of these languages because of family background, must take a placement examination at the beginning of the academic year. The times and places of the examinations are listed on the departmental Web site (eall.yale.edu/undergraduate-program) in late August. The Chinese and Japanese examinations have online components accessed through the same site. Students of Japanese, Chinese, and Korean returning from programs abroad must take a placement examination unless the coursework was completed at an institution preapproved by the Light Fellowship program with a grade of B or higher. For questions, consult with the associate director of undergraduate studies.

THE MAJOR IN CHINESE

The major in Chinese is designed to give the student a broad understanding of the chief forms and themes of Chinese literature through reading in the original language. By the senior year, the student majoring in Chinese can acquire advanced skills in speaking and reading Chinese and in interpreting Chinese literature.

Prerequisite to the major is CHNS 140 or the equivalent. The major consists of at least eleven other courses, which fall into the following seven categories: (1) Chinese literature in translation: two term courses at the 200 or 300 level, of which one must be in premodern literature; (2) third-year Chinese: CHNS 150 and 151 or equivalents; (3) two terms of literary Chinese: CHNS 170 and 171 or equivalents; (4) one general literature course, such as ENGL 129, 130, LITR 120, or 300, or a course on Japanese literature at the 200 level; (5) one course conducted in English that gives an overview of Chinese culture, such as ANTH 170 or HIST 316; (6) Chinese literature in the original language: two term courses that involve the study of literary texts (premodern or modern vernacular) to be chosen from the fourth-year Chinese language courses in which literary texts are used (such as CHNS 160 or 161), CHNS 190, or other courses at the discretion of the director of undergraduate studies; (7) the senior essay. A maximum of one course taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the requirements of the major with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

In order to acquaint themselves with the breadth of the field, students majoring in Chinese should take one or more courses in Chinese literature in translation as early as possible in their careers at Yale. Graduate courses in Chinese may count toward the major; enrollment in them requires permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies.

Senior requirement  Students prepare a senior essay in CHNS 491 or in CHNS 492, 493.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisite  CHNS 140 or equivalent

Number of courses  11 term courses beyond prereq (incl one-term senior essay) or 12 term courses (incl two-term senior essay)

Specific courses required  CHNS 150, 151 and 170, 171 or equivalents

Distribution of courses  2 courses in Chinese lit in translation, incl 1 in premodern lit; 1 general lit course; 1 overview of Chinese culture in English; 2 courses in Chinese lit in Chinese

Senior requirement  Senior essay (CHNS 491, or 492 and 493)
THE MAJOR IN JAPANESE

The Japanese major immerses the student in the breadth and depth of the Japanese literary tradition, premodern through modern. By the senior year, the student majoring in Japanese can acquire advanced skills in speaking and reading Japanese and in interpreting Japanese literature.

Prerequisite to the major is JAPN 140 or the equivalent. The major consists of at least eleven other courses, which fall into the following seven categories: (1) Japanese literature in translation or Japanese film: three term courses at the 200 or 300 level, of which one must be in premodern literature and one in modern literature; (2) advanced modern Japanese: JAPN 150 and 151 or equivalents; (3) literary Japanese: JAPN 170; (4) one general literature or film course, such as ENGL 129, 130, LITR 120, 300, FILM 150, or a course on Chinese literature at the 200 level; (5) one course in English that gives an overview of Japanese culture, such as HIST 303; (6) Japanese literature in the original language: two term courses that involve the study of literary or other types of texts, premodern or modern, such as JAPN 156, 157, 171, or other courses as approved by the director of undergraduate studies; (7) the senior essay. A maximum of one course taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the requirements of the major with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

In order to acquaint themselves with the breadth of the field, students majoring in Japanese should take one or more courses in Japanese literature in translation as early as possible in their careers at Yale. Graduate courses in Japanese may count toward the major; enrollment in them requires permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies.

Senior requirement Students prepare a senior essay in JAPN 491 or in JAPN 492, 493.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisite JAPN 140 or equivalent

Number of courses 11 term courses beyond prereq (incl one-term senior essay) or 12 term courses (incl two-term senior essay)

Specific courses required JAPN 150, 151 or equivalent; JAPN 170

Distribution of courses 3 courses in Japanese lit in translation or Japanese film, incl 1 in premodern lit and 1 in modern lit; 1 general lit or film course; 1 overview of Japanese culture in English; 2 courses in Japanese lit in Japanese

Senior requirement Senior essay (JAPN 491, or 492 and 493)

EAST ASIAN HUMANITIES

EALL 200b/RLST 134b, Buddhism in China and Japan Koichi Shinohara
For description see under Religious Studies.

*EALL 202a/HUMS 418a/RLST 130a/SAST 367a, Traditional Literature of India, China, and Japan Koichi Shinohara, Phyllis Granoff
For description see under Humanities.

*EALL 330a6/WGSS 402a6, Homosexual Desire in East Asian Literatures John Treat
Survey of homosexual themes in traditional and modern Chinese, Japanese, and Korean literature. Prerequisite: WGSS 296. HU Tr
CHINESE

*CHNS 110a, Elementary Modern Chinese I  Jianhua Shen and staff
Intended for students with no background in Chinese. An intensive course with emphasis on spoken language and drills. Pronunciation, grammatical analysis, conversation practice, and introduction to reading and writing Chinese characters. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program. Credit only on completion of CHNS 120.  L1  RP  1½ Course cr

*CHNS 112a, Elementary Modern Chinese for Advanced Learners I  Fan Liu and staff
First level of the advanced learner sequence, intended for students with some aural proficiency but limited ability in reading and writing Chinese. Training in listening and speaking, with emphasis on reading and writing. Placement confirmed by placement test and by instructor. Credit only on completion of CHNS 122.  L1  RP  1½ Course cr

*CHNS 120b, Elementary Modern Chinese II  Jianhua Shen and staff
Continuation of CHNS 110. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr

*CHNS 122b, Elementary Modern Chinese for Advanced Learners II  Fan Liu
and staff
Continuation of CHNS 112.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr

CHNS 125a or b, Intensive Elementary Modern Chinese  Staff
An intensive immersion course that covers the material of CHNS 110 and 120 in one term. Emphasis on spoken language and drills, pronunciation, grammatical analysis, conversation practice, and introduction to reading and writing Chinese characters. Intended for students with no background in Chinese. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  L1–L2  2 Course cr

*CHNS 130a, Intermediate Modern Chinese I  Ling Mu and staff
An intermediate course that continues intensive training in listening, speaking, reading, and writing and consolidates achievements from the first year of study. Students improve oral fluency, study more complex grammatical structures, and enlarge both reading and writing vocabulary. Prerequisite: CHNS 120 or equivalent. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  L3  RP  1½ Course cr

*CHNS 132a, Intermediate Modern Chinese for Advanced Learners I  Peisong Xu
The second level of the advanced learner sequence. Intended for students with intermediate to advanced oral proficiency and high elementary reading and writing proficiency. Students receive intensive training in listening, speaking, reading, and writing, supplemented by audio and video materials. The objective of the course is to balance these four skills and work toward attaining an advanced level in all of them. Prerequisite: CHNS 122 or equivalent.  L3  RP  1½ Course cr

*CHNS 140b, Intermediate Modern Chinese II  Ling Mu and staff
Continuation of CHNS 130. To be followed by CHNS 150. Prerequisite: CHNS 130 or equivalent. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  L4  RP  1½ Course cr
CHNS 142b, Intermediate Modern Chinese for Advanced Learners II  Peisong Xu
Continuation of CHNS 132. Admits to CHNS 152. Prerequisite: CHNS 132 or equivalent.
L4  RP  1½ Course cr

CHNS 150a, Advanced Modern Chinese I  Haiwen Wang and staff
Third level of the standard foundational sequence of modern Chinese, with study in speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Use of audiovisual materials, oral presentations, skits, and longer and more frequent writing assignments to assimilate more sophisticated grammatical structures. Further introduction to a wide variety of written forms and styles. Use of both traditional and simplified forms of Chinese characters. After CHNS 140. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  L5  1½ Course cr

CHNS 151b, Advanced Modern Chinese II  Rongzhen Li, Haiwen Wang, and staff
Continuation of CHNS 150. Prerequisite: CHNS 150 or equivalent. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  L5  1½ Course cr

CHNS 152a, Advanced Modern Chinese I for Advanced Learners  Zhengguo Kang
Third level of the advanced learner sequence in Chinese. Intended for students with advanced speaking and listening skills (able to conduct conversations fluently) and with high intermediate reading and writing skills (able to write 1,000–1,200 characters). Further readings on contemporary life in China and Taiwan, supplemented with authentic video materials. Class discussion, presentations, and regular written assignments. Texts in simplified characters with vocabulary in both simplified and traditional characters. Prerequisite: CHNS 142 or equivalent.  L5

CHNS 153b, Advanced Modern Chinese II for Advanced Learners  Zhengguo Kang
Continuation of CHNS 152. Prerequisite: CHNS 152 or equivalent.  L5

CHNS 154a, Advanced Modern Chinese III  William Zhou
Fourth level of the standard foundational sequence of modern Chinese, with study in speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Readings in a wide range of subjects form the basis of discussion and other activities. Students consolidate their skills, especially speaking proficiency, at an advanced level. Materials use both simplified and traditional characters. Prerequisite: CHNS 151 or equivalent.  L5

CHNS 155b, Advanced Modern Chinese IV  William Zhou
Continuation of CHNS 154. Prerequisite: CHNS 154 or equivalent.  L5

CHNS 156a, Chinese through Film  William Zhou
A survey of Chinese films of the past twenty years, optimized for language teaching. Texts include plot summaries, critical essays, and some scripts. Discussions, screenings, presentations, and writing workshops consolidate the four language skills. Prerequisite: CHNS 151 or equivalent.  L5

CHNS 158a, Readings in Contemporary Chinese Texts I  Wei Su
Selected readings in Chinese fiction of the past twenty years. Lectures, discussions, and written work in Chinese aim at integrated mastery of the modern language. Prerequisite: CHNS 151 or equivalent.  L5  RP
*CHNS 159b, Readings in Contemporary Chinese Texts II  Wei Su  
Continuation of CHNS 158. Selected readings in Chinese essays and articles of the past twenty years. Prerequisite: CHNS 151 or equivalent.  L5  RP

*CHNS 160a, Readings in Modern Chinese Texts I  Wei Su  
An advanced language course designed to continue the development of students’ overall language skills through reading and discussion of modern short stories. After CHNS 151 or equivalent.  L5

*CHNS 161b, Readings in Modern Chinese Texts II  Wei Su  
Continuation of CHNS 160. Readings in modern Chinese essays and articles. After CHNS 151 or equivalent.  L5

CHNS 165b, Chinese Composition  William Zhou  
A writing course for advanced students with solid oral and reading proficiency. A systematic writing program, from simple assignments such as descriptions, narratives, and expositions to more sophisticated critical essays. Prerequisite: a course conducted in Chinese numbered 154 or higher.  L5

CHNS 170a*, Introduction to Literary Chinese I  Zhengguo Kang  
Reading and interpretation of texts in various styles of literary Chinese (wenyan), with attention to basic problems of syntax and literary style. After CHNS 142, 151, or equivalent.  L5  RP

CHNS 171b*, Introduction to Literary Chinese II  Zhengguo Kang  
Continuation of CHNS 170. After CHNS 142, 151, 170, or equivalent.  L5  RP

*CHNS 180b, Classical Tales from Tang to Qing  Tina Lu  
Close reading and translation of classical tales from the Tang, Ming, and Qing dynasties. Focus on strengthening students’ reading ability in classical Chinese. Attention to canonical Chinese narratives as well as some lesser-known texts. Discussion of themes such as romance, magical transformations, and proto-martial arts, including how these themes were transformed over time. After CHNS 171b or equivalent.  L5, HU

*CHNS 190b, Advanced Readings in Modern Chinese Literature  Staff  
A rigorous introduction to literary criticism and analysis using texts in the original language. Focus on the contemporary period, drawing from fiction written in Chinese in different parts of the world, from mainland China to Taiwan and from Malaysia to Hong Kong. Texts in both simplified and traditional characters. After CHNS 153 or 159 or equivalent.  L5, HU

CHNS 200a*, LITR 172a*, Man and Nature in Chinese Literature  
Kang-i Sun Chang  
Concepts of man and nature in traditional Chinese literature, with special attention to aesthetic and cultural meanings. Topics include Taoism, Buddhism, and lyricism; body and sexuality; contemplation and self-cultivation; travel in literature; landscape and the art of description; images of Utopian communities as compared to the Western notion of Utopia; ideas of self-identity; and dream, pilgrimage, and allegory. No knowledge of Chinese required.  HU  Tr
CHNS 201b/WGSS 405b, Women and Literature in Traditional China
Kang-i Sun Chang
Major women writers in traditional China, as well as representations of women in works by male authors. Topics include the dichotomy of yin and yang, women and the fox spirits, the power of women's writing, women in exile, Taoist nuns, widow poets, courtesans and the literati culture, women's poetry clubs, women's script (nushu), the cross-dressing ladies, footbinding and representations of the female body, food and sexuality, notions of qing (love), aesthetics of illness, women and revolution, and the function of memory in women's literature. No knowledge of Chinese required. HU Tr

*CHNS 220b, Romance in Late Imperial Literature  Tina Lu
Introduction to the drama and fiction of late imperial China. Focus on the theme of romance with examples from the Tang to the Qing dynasty. Ways in which literature about romantic love negotiated social constraints that proscribed contact between unrelated men and women. No knowledge of Chinese required. HU Tr

[CHNS 225a, The Dream of the Red Chamber]

CHNS 250a/LITR 254a, Modern Chinese Literature  Staff
An introduction to modern Chinese literature. Themes include cultural go-betweens; sensations in the body; sexuality; diaspora, translation, and nationalism; globalization and homeland; and everyday life. No knowledge of Chinese required. HU Tr

[CHNS 265a/ER&M 300a/FILM 435a/LITR 258a, Chinese Diaspora and the Americas in Fiction and Film]

*CHNS 302b, Readings in Classical Chinese Prose  Kang-i Sun Chang
Readings in classical Chinese prose with commentaries and notes in modern Chinese. Exploration of a variety of themes and styles. Conducted in English and in Chinese. HU

*CHNS 303a, Readings in Classical Chinese Poetry  Kang-i Sun Chang
Fundamentals of classical Chinese poetry and poetics. Primary readings in Chinese; conducted in English and in Chinese. HU

*CHNS 340a/FILM 408a/ RUSS 248a, Chinese and Russian Cinema after Socialism
John MacKay
For description see under Film Studies.

*CHNS 470a and 471b, Independent Tutorial  Edward Kamens [F], Tina Lu [Sp], Seungja Choi
For students with advanced Chinese language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on literary works in a manner not otherwise offered in courses. The work must be supervised by a specialist and must terminate in a term paper or its equivalent. Ordinarily only one term may be offered toward the major or for credit toward the degree. Permission to enroll requires submission of a detailed project proposal by the end of the first week of classes and its approval by the director of undergraduate studies.

*CHNS 491a or b, Senior Essay  Edward Kamens [F], Tina Lu [Sp]
Preparation of a one-term senior essay under faculty supervision.

*CHNS 492a and 493b, Yearlong Senior Essay  Edward Kamens [F], Tina Lu [Sp]
Preparation of a two-term senior essay under faculty supervision. Cr/year only
JAPANESE

*JAPN 110a, Elementary Japanese I  Hiroyo Nishimura and staff
An introductory course in spoken Japanese. Drills in pronunciation and conversation; lectures on grammar; and an introduction to reading and writing, including hiragana, katakana, and kanji. Credit only on completion of JAPN 120.  L1  RP  1½ Course cr

*JAPN 120b, Elementary Japanese II  Hiroyo Nishimura and staff
Continuation of JAPN 110. Prerequisite: JAPN 110.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr

*JAPN 130a, Intermediate Japanese I  Masahiko Seto and staff
Continued development in both written and spoken Japanese, with reinforcement of grammatical structures using texts, films, and animation. Materials expose students to aspects of Japanese culture. Computer software and multimedia are used to develop proficiency. Prerequisite: JAPN 120 or equivalent.  L3  RP  1½ Course cr

*JAPN 140b, Intermediate Japanese II  Masahiko Seto and staff
Continuation of JAPN 130. Prerequisite: JAPN 130 or equivalent.  L4  RP  1½ Course cr

*JAPN 150a, Advanced Japanese I  Mari Stever and staff
Continued development of proficiency in aural and reading comprehension, as well as speaking and writing skills. Reading and discussion of short stories, essays, and journal articles. Viewing and discussion of Japanese anime, television shows, and films. Writing practice includes a diary, letters, essays, and criticism. After JAPN 140 or equivalent.  L5  RP  1½ Course cr

*JAPN 151b, Advanced Japanese II  Mari Stever and staff
Continuation of JAPN 150. After JAPN 150 or equivalent.  L5  RP  1½ Course cr

*JAPN 156a, Advanced Japanese III  Michiaki Murata and staff
Close reading of modern Japanese writings in current affairs, social science, cultural history, and modern literature. Students develop their speaking, listening, and writing skills through discussion and written exercises. Drama and films are included. After JAPN 151 or equivalent.  L5  1½ Course cr

*JAPN 157b, Advanced Japanese IV  Michiaki Murata and staff
Continuation of JAPN 156. After JAPN 156 or equivalent.  L5  1½ Course cr

[JAPN 159a, Literature and the Humanities]

*JAPN 162a, Advanced Japanese V  Koichi Hiroe
Further development of skills used in academic settings, including public speaking, formal presentations, and expository writing based on research. Materials include lectures, scholarly papers, criticism, fiction, and films. After JAPN 157 or equivalent; recommended to be taken after or concurrently with JAPN 170.  L5

*JAPN 163b, Advanced Japanese VI  Koichi Hiroe
Continuation of JAPN 162. After JAPN 162 or equivalent; recommended to be taken after JAPN 170.  L5

JAPN 170a, Introduction to Literary Japanese  Edward Kamens
Introduction to the grammar and style of the premodern literary language (bungotai) through a variety of texts. After JAPN 151 or equivalent.  L5
*JAPN 171b, Readings in Literary Japanese  Edward Kamens
Close analytical reading of a selection of texts from the Nara through the Tokugawa periods: prose, poetry, and various genres. Introduction to *kanbun*. After JAPN 170 or equivalent.  15 RP

JAPN 200a/b/HUMS 431a/LITR 175a, Japan’s Classics in Text and Image  Edward Kamens
Fiction, poetry, and plays from the eighth century through the nineteenth, studied alongside related works of art and illustrated books housed in collections at Yale and in New York. An introduction to the Japanese classics as well as an example of interdisciplinary study in the humanities. No knowledge of Japanese required.  HU Tr

JAPN 250a/LITR 260a, Modern Japanese Fiction  John Treat
An introduction to Japanese fiction from the 1890s to the 1980s. Novels and stories by such writers as Natsume Soseki, Tanizaki Jun’ichiro, and Oe Kenzaburo; discussion of major trends such as modernism and writing by women. No knowledge of Japanese required.  HU Tr

[JAPN 251b/LITR 251b, Japanese Literature after 1970 ]

[JAPN 270a/FILM 446a/LITR 384a, Japanese Cinema before 1960 ]

[JAPN 272a, Japanese Popular Culture ]

*JAPN 274b/FILM 440b/LITR 358b, The Japanese Period Film  Aaron Gerow
For description see under Film Studies.

*JAPN 301b/EAST 415b, Popular Culture in Early Modern Japan  William Fleming
For description see under East Asian Studies.

*JAPN 470a and 471b, Independent Tutorial  Edward Kamens [F], Tina Lu [Sp], Seungja Choi
For students with advanced Japanese language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on literary works in a manner not otherwise offered in courses. The work must be supervised by a specialist and must terminate in a term paper or its equivalent. Ordinarily only one term may be offered toward the major or for credit toward the degree. Permission to enroll requires submission of a detailed project proposal by the end of the first week of classes and its approval by the director of undergraduate studies.

*JAPN 491a or b, Senior Essay  Edward Kamens [F], Tina Lu [Sp]
Preparation of a one-term senior essay under faculty supervision.

*JAPN 492a and 493b, Yearlong Senior Essay  Edward Kamens [F], Tina Lu [Sp]
Preparation of a two-term senior essay under faculty supervision.  Cr/year only

KOREAN

*KREN 110a, Elementary Korean I  Angela Lee-Smith, Hyunsung Lim, and staff
A beginning course in modern Korean. Pronunciation, lectures on grammar, conversation practice, and introduction to the writing system (*Hankul*). Credit only on completion of KREN 120.  L1 RP  1½ Course cr

*KREN 120b, Elementary Korean II  Angela Lee-Smith, Hyunsung Lim, and staff
Continuation of KREN 110. After KREN 110 or equivalent.  L2 RP  1½ Course cr
Continuation

Languages (Film Literatures Professors)

STUDIES FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF EAST ASIAN

Classes to supervised reading. For sive comprehension, the standard spoken language, and intensive training in reading and writing. An * and articles, An * and on intermediate-level writing. Intended for students with some oral proficiency but little or no training in Hankul. Focus on grammatical analysis, the standard spoken language, and intensive training in reading and writing. An * and articles, An * and on intermediate-level writing. Intended for students with some oral proficiency but little or no training in Hankul. Focus on grammatical analysis, the standard spoken language, and intensive training in reading and writing. An * and articles, An * and on intermediate-level writing. Intended for students with some oral proficiency but little or no training in Hankul. Focus on grammatical analysis, the standard spoken language, and intensive training in reading and writing.

KREN 130a, Intermediate Korean I  Angela Lee-Smith, Hyunsung Lim
Continued development of skills in modern Korean, spoken and written, leading to intermediate-level proficiency. After KREN 120 or equivalent.  1½ Course cr

KREN 132a, Intermediate Korean for Advanced Learners I  Angela Lee-Smith
Intended for students with some oral proficiency but little or no training in Hankul. Focus on grammatical analysis, the standard spoken language, and intensive training in reading and writing. An * and articles, An * and on intermediate-level writing. Intended for students with some oral proficiency but little or no training in Hankul. Focus on grammatical analysis, the standard spoken language, and intensive training in reading and writing. An * and articles, An * and on intermediate-level writing. Intended for students with some oral proficiency but little or no training in Hankul. Focus on grammatical analysis, the standard spoken language, and intensive training in reading and writing.

KREN 140b, Intermediate Korean II  Angela Lee-Smith, Hyunsung Lim
Continuation of KREN 130. After KREN 130 or equivalent.  1½ Course cr

KREN 142b, Intermediate Korean for Advanced Learners II  Angela Lee-Smith
Continuation of KREN 132. After KREN 132 or equivalent.  1½ Course cr

KREN 150a, Advanced Korean I  Seungja Choi
An advanced course in modern Korean. Reading of short stories, essays, and journal articles, and introduction of 200 Chinese characters. Students develop their speaking and writing skills through discussions and written exercises. Conducted in Korean. After KREN 140 or equivalent.  1½ Course cr

KREN 151b, Advanced Korean II  Seungja Choi
Continuation of KREN 150. After KREN 150 or equivalent.  1½ Course cr

KREN 154b, Advanced Korean III  Seungja Choi
An advanced language course designed to develop reading and writing skills using Web-based texts in a variety of genres. Students read texts independently and complete comprehension and vocabulary exercises through the Web. Discussions, tests, and intensive writing training in class. After KREN 151 or equivalent.  1½

KREN 470a and 471b, Independent Tutorial  Edward Kamens [F], Tina Lu [Sp], Seungja Choi
For students with advanced Korean language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise offered in courses. The work must be supervised by an adviser and must terminate in a term paper or its equivalent. Permission to enroll requires submission of a detailed project proposal by the end of the first week of classes and its approval by the director of undergraduate studies.

East Asian Studies

Director of undergraduate studies: to be announced, research.yale.edu/eastasianstudies

FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF EAST ASIAN STUDIES

Professors  Daniel Botsman (History), Kang-i Sun Chang (East Asian Languages & Literatures), Deborah Davis (Sociology), Aaron Gerow (East Asian Languages & Literatures, Film Studies), Koichi Hamada (Economics), Valerie Hansen (History), Edward Kamens (East Asian Languages & Literatures), William Kelly (Anthropology), Tina Lu (East Asian Languages & Literatures), Peter Perdue (History), Frances Rosenbluth (Political Science),
Helen Siu (Anthropology), William Summers (History of Science, History of Medicine), John Treat (East Asian Languages & Literatures), Jing Tsu (East Asian Languages & Literatures), Anne Underhill (Anthropology), Mimi Yiengpruksawan (History of Art)

**Assistant Professors** Seok-ju Cho (Political Science), Fabian Drixler (History), William Honeychurch (Anthropology), Karen Nakamura (Anthropology), Andrew Quintman (Religious Studies), Jun Saito (Political Science), Chloe Starr (Divinity School), Eric Weese (Economics), Jessica Weiss (Political Science)

**Senior Lecturers** Annping Chin (History), Stephen Roach (Global Affairs), Koichi Shinohara (Religious Studies, East Asian Languages & Literatures)

**Lecturers** William Fleming, Fumiko Joo, Jin Woong Kang, Yuhang Li

**Senior Lectors** Hsiu-hsien Chan, Min Chen, Seungja Choi, Koichi Hiroe, Zhengguo Kang, Angela Lee-Smith, Rongzhen Li, Ninghui Liang, Yukie Mamamoto, Yoshiko Maruyama, Ling Mu, Michiaki Murata, Hiroyo Nishimura, Masahiko Seto, Jianhua Shen, Mari Stever, Wei Su, Haiwen Wang, Yu-lin Wang-Saussy, Peisong Xu, William Zhou

In the East Asian Studies major, students concentrate on a country or an area within East Asia and organize their work in the humanities or the social sciences. The major offers a liberal education that serves as excellent preparation for graduate study or for business and professional careers in which an understanding of East Asia is essential.

**The major** The major in East Asian Studies is interdisciplinary, and students typically select classes from a wide variety of disciplines. The proposed course of study must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

The prerequisite to the major is completion of study at the L2 level of an East Asian language taught at Yale. Beyond this prerequisite, the major consists of thirteen course credits, which may include up to six taken in a preapproved program of study abroad. Six course credits must be taken in East Asian language courses, including a course at the L4 level and one year of advanced study (L5) with readings in the East Asian language.

Beyond the language requirement, the major includes seven course credits, six in the country or area of concentration and one outside it. Of the course credits in the area of concentration, one must be in the premodern period, at least two must be seminars, and one is the senior requirement (a senior seminar culminating in a senior thesis, a one-term senior essay, or a two-term directed research project). These courses are normally taken at Yale during the academic year, but with prior approval of the director of undergraduate studies the requirement may be fulfilled through successful course work undertaken elsewhere.

A maximum of one course taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the requirements of the major, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

**Senior requirement** All students must satisfy a senior requirement undertaken during the senior year. This requirement can be met in one of three ways. Students may take one seminar in the country or area of concentration, culminating in a senior thesis. Alternatively, students who are unable to write a senior essay in a seminar may complete a one-term senior essay in EAST 480 or a one-credit, two-term senior research project in EAST 491, 492 culminating in an essay.
Upon entering the major, students are expected to draw up an intellectually coherent sequence of courses in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. They must consult with the director of undergraduate studies each term concerning their course schedules. They should identify as soon as possible a faculty adviser in their area of specialization. As a multidisciplinary program, East Asian Studies draws on the resources of other departments and programs in the University. Students are encouraged to examine the offerings of other departments in both the humanities and the social sciences, as well as residential college seminars, for additional relevant courses. The stated area of concentration of each student determines the relevance and acceptability of other courses. For a complete listing of courses approved for the major, see the East Asian Studies Council Web site at research.yale.edu/eastasianstudies. Students are also encouraged to visit the IplanYale Web site, iplan.yale.yale.edu, for help in planning the major.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisite** L2 level of an East Asian language taught at Yale

**Number of courses** 13 course credits beyond prereq (incl senior req); up to 6 may be in preapproved study abroad

**Distribution of courses** 6 course credits in East Asian lang courses, incl 1 L4 course and 1 year at L5 level with readings in the lang; 6 addtl course credits in country or area of concentration, incl 1 in premodern era and 2 sems; 1 course on East Asia outside country or area of concentration

**Senior requirement** 1 senior-year sem culminating in a senior thesis, or one-term senior essay in EAST 480, or one-credit, two-term senior research project in EAST 491, 492

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**EAST 212a/INTS 321a/PLSC 369a, Politics in South and North Korea**  Seok-Ju Cho

For description see under Political Science.

**EAST 291a/INTS 391a, Chinese Law and Society**  Bin Ling

For description see under International Studies.

*EAST 338a/ECON 338a/GLBL 318a/INTS 338a*, **The Next China**  Stephen Roach

For description see under Global Affairs.

*EAST 408a/EP&E 269a/SOCY 395a*, **Wealth and Poverty in Modern China**  Deborah Davis

For description see under Sociology.

*EAST 410b/SOCY 310b*, **Civic Life in Modern China**  Deborah Davis

For description see under Sociology.

*EAST 412b/SOCY 323b, Understanding North Korea**  Jin Woong Kang

A detailed view of North Korean society. The historical development of North Korean socialism and the political system; analysis of state-society relations and sociocultural transformation.  so

*EAST 414a, Gender in East Asian Art History**  Yuhang Li

Ideas of gender applied to the canons of East Asian art. The representation of women, and art objects created by women, in premodern China, Japan, and Korea.  HU
**EAST 415b/JAPN 301b, Popular Culture in Early Modern Japan**  William Fleming  
Popular culture of early modern (Edo) Japan, with particular attention to the concepts of curiosity and spectacle. Intellectual movements predicated on curiosity: the study of nature, of foreign cultures, and of Japan’s own past.

**EAST 454b/ECON 474b/GLBL 312b/INTS 258b, Economic and Policy Lessons from Japan**  Stephen Roach  
For description see under Global Affairs.

**EAST 479a/ECON 479a, Economic Development of Japan**  Koichi Hamada  
For description see under Economics.

**EAST 480a or b, One-Term Senior Essay**  Jun Saito  
Preparation of a one-term senior essay under the guidance of a faculty adviser. Students must receive the prior agreement of the director of undergraduate studies and of the faculty member who will serve as the senior essay adviser. Students must arrange to meet with that adviser on a regular basis throughout the term.

**EAST 491a and 492b, Senior Research Project**  Jun Saito  
Two-term directed research project under the supervision of a ladder faculty member. Students should write essays using materials in East Asian languages when possible. Essays should be based on primary material, whether in an East Asian language or English. Summary of secondary material is not acceptable.  \( \frac{1}{2} \) Course cr per term  Cr/year only

**ELECTIVES WITHIN THE MAJOR**

**Premodern Period**

**ANTH 215b/ARCG 215b, Archaeology of China**  Anne Underhill  
For description see under Anthropology.

**CHNS 170a\(^c\), Introduction to Literary Chinese I**  Zhengguo Kang  
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

**CHNS 171b\(^c\), Introduction to Literary Chinese II**  Zhengguo Kang  
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

**CHNS 201b\(^c\)/WGSS 405b\(^c\), Women and Literature in Traditional China**  Kang-i Sun Chang  
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*CHNS 302b\(^c\), Readings in Classical Chinese Prose**  Kang-i Sun Chang  
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*CHNS 303a\(^c\), Readings in Classical Chinese Poetry**  Kang-i Sun Chang  
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

**HIST 305b, Chinese Archaeology to 1275 C.E.**  Valerie Hansen

*HIST 374Jb, The Confucian Tradition**  Annping Chin

**HSAR 142a, Introduction to the History of Art: The Classical Buddhist World**  
Mimi Yiengpruksawan
**HSAR 143b, Introduction to the History of Art: Buddhist Art and Architecture to 1600**
Mimi Yiengpruksawan

*HUMS 418a/EALL 202a/RLST 130a/SAST 367a, Traditional Literature of India, China, and Japan*  Koichi Shinohara, Phyllis Granoff
For description see under Humanities.

*JAPN 171b, Readings in Literary Japanese*  Edward Kamens
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

**RLST 134b/EALL 200b, Buddhism in China and Japan**  Koichi Shinohara
For description see under Religious Studies.

**Modern Period**

*ANTH 012b, Exploring Sport, Society, and Culture*  William Kelly

ANTH 254a, Japan: Culture, Society, Modernity  William Kelly

*ANTH 342a, Markets and Cultures in Asia*  Helen Siu

*ANTH 415b, Culture, History, Power, and Representation*  Helen Siu

**ARCH 341a/INTS 342a/LAST 318a, Globalization Space**  Keller Easterling
For description see under Architecture.

**CHNS 200a/LITR 172a, Man and Nature in Chinese Literature**  Kang-i Sun Chang
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*EALL 330a, WGSS 402a, Homosexual Desire in East Asian Literatures*  John Treat
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*FILM 408a/CHNS 340a/RUSS 248a, Chinese and Russian Cinema after Socialism*  John MacKay
For description see under Film Studies.

*FILM 440b/JAPN 274b/LITR 358b, The Japanese Period Film*  Aaron Gerow
For description see under Film Studies.

**HIST 303a, Japan’s Modern Revolution**  Daniel Botsman

*HIST 308a, Beijing and China, 900 to the Present*  Valerie Hansen

*HIST 310Ja, Visualizing Asia*  Peter Perdue

**HIST 316b, History of China, 1600 to the Present**  Peter Perdue

*HIST 340Jb, Journeys to Japan*  Daniel Botsman

**JAPN 200a/HUMS 431a/LITR 175a, Japan’s Classics in Text and Image**  Edward Kamens
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

**JAPN 250a/LITR 260a, Modern Japanese Fiction**  John Treat
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.
*RLST 103b/EVST 103b, World Religions and Ecology: Asian Religions
Mary Evelyn Tucker, John Grim
For description see under Religious Studies.

COURSES IN THE GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS

Qualified students may elect pertinent courses in the Graduate School and in some of the professional schools with permission of the instructor, the director of undergraduate studies, and the director of graduate studies.

Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Director of undergraduate studies: Jeffrey Powell, 172 ESC, 432-3887, karen.broderick@yale.edu, www.eeb.yale.edu

Students interested in the area of ecology and evolutionary biology may find courses and major requirements listed under Biology, Area I. Students should consult an adviser from the appropriate list in that section.

The faculty roster for the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology may be found under Biology. The department offers undergraduate courses in an area of concentration in the Biology major. See under Biology, Area I.

Economics

Director of undergraduate studies: Anthony Smith, Rm. 306, 28 Hillhouse Ave., 432-3583 or 432-3574, qazi.azam@yale.edu

FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS


Associate Professors  †Sheila Olmstead, Ebonya Washington

Assistant Professors  Costas Arkolakis, David Atkin, †Christopher Blattman, Bjocern Bruegemann, Eduardo Faingold, Manolis Galenianos (Visiting), Amanda Kowalski, Fabian Lange, Guillermo Ordoñez, Taisuke Otsu, Nancy Qian, Kareen Rozen, Melissa Tartari, Eric Weese
Lecturers  Seven Agir, Irasema Alonso, Sigrídur Benediktsdóttir, Michael Boozer, Cheryl Doss, Tolga Koker, Douglas McKee, Nicholas Perna, Michael Schmertzler, Katerina Simons, David Swenzien, Dean Takahashi

†Primary appointment in another department or school.

Economics concerns the wealth of nations, its origins in production and exchange, its allocation among competing uses, its distribution among individuals, and its accumulation or decline. Economics at Yale is regarded and taught as part of a liberal education, not as a preparation for any particular vocation. Nonetheless, economics provides an especially relevant background for a number of professions.

Requirements of the major  Students majoring in Economics are required to take twelve term courses. Two of these may be introductory economics courses, one in microeconomics and one in macroeconomics. All majors must take the following courses: one term of intermediate microeconomics (chosen from ECON 121 or 125); one term of intermediate macroeconomics (chosen from ECON 122 or 126); one term of econometrics (chosen from ECON 131, 132, or 136); and one Yale mathematics course, usually selected from MATH 112, 115, 118, or 120. Students who place out of these mathematics courses must take a higher-level mathematics course at Yale and should consult the director of undergraduate studies in Economics. All of these required courses should be completed prior to the senior year. Majors must also take two courses numbered ECON 400 – 491. At least one of these must be taken in the senior year, and, for the Class of 2013 and subsequent classes, at least one must be either a seminar or the senior essay.

Subject to approval by the director of undergraduate studies, students may count toward the major one course related to economics but taught in another field, in addition to the required course in mathematics.

Students who take a term abroad or take summer courses not at Yale may petition the director of undergraduate studies to count at most two courses from outside Yale toward the requirements of the major. Students who take a year abroad may petition to count at most three courses. Many economics courses taken outside Yale do not meet the requirements of the Economics major; students should consult with the director of undergraduate studies before taking such courses. Courses taken outside Yale may not be counted toward the major requirements in intermediate microeconomics, intermediate macroeconomics, or econometrics.

Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

Introductory courses  These courses serve students considering a major in Economics as well as others who would like an introduction to the subject. Most students enroll in ECON 115 and 116, lecture courses with a discussion section. ECON 115 is concerned with microeconomics and includes such topics as markets, prices, production, distribution, and the allocation of resources. ECON 116 covers such macroeconomic issues as unemployment, inflation, growth, and international economics; it has a microeconomics prerequisite. ECON 110 and 111 are limited-enrollment alternatives to ECON 115 and 116; they are open only to freshmen selected from those who preregister. ECON 108 also covers microeconomics, but with a greater emphasis on quantitative methods and examples. It is intended
for, but not restricted to, freshmen with little or no experience with calculus. Enrollment is limited, and requires the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. The substance of ECON 108, 110, and 115 is similar, and ECON 111 and 116 are similar as well. A student may receive credit for only one course each in introductory micro- and macroeconomics.

The department recommends that students interested in majoring in Economics take introductory economics in the freshman year. In order to make the introductory courses available to all freshmen and to students majoring in other subjects, the introductory courses do not have a mathematics requirement.

**Introductory courses: placement and exemptions** Students with a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement tests for microeconomics and macroeconomics and a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement Calculus BC test may petition the director of undergraduate studies to place out of introductory microeconomics and enroll directly in intermediate microeconomics. It is recommended that students with a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement economics tests but without a 5 on the Calculus BC test take a Yale mathematics course such as MATH 115 or 120, and then petition the director of undergraduate studies to place out of introductory microeconomics and instead take intermediate microeconomics in the following term. Students with high scores on examinations equivalent to Advanced Placement, such as the GCE A-level or Higher Level International Baccalaureate, may also petition to be exempted from the introductory courses. For other placement and exemption questions, consult the Economics Web site, [www.econ.yale.edu/undergrad/ugrad.htm](http://www.econ.yale.edu/undergrad/ugrad.htm).

**Mathematics** Students are advised to meet the mathematics requirement for the major during their freshman year. The department also recommends that majors either complete MATH 118 or complete two term courses including MATH 120 and either 222 or 225. The latter two-term sequence is preferable for students who wish to take further mathematics courses or who plan to pursue a graduate degree in economics.

**Econometrics** Students are advised to take a two-term sequence of statistics and econometrics courses, especially if they are considering a senior essay. One option is to take ECON 131 followed by 132. Students with a stronger mathematics background or who plan to pursue a graduate degree in economics are encouraged to take either ECON 135 or STAT 241 and 242, followed by ECON 136. Prospective majors are urged to start their econometrics sequence in the fall of sophomore year.

**Intermediate microeconomics and macroeconomics** Along with econometrics, intermediate microeconomics and macroeconomics form the core of the major. Two options are available in both micro- and macroeconomics. The standard intermediate courses are ECON 121 and 122. Students with a stronger mathematics background are encouraged to take ECON 125 and 126 instead. The intermediate courses need not be taken in sequence: in particular, ECON 125 is not required for 126.

**Field courses** The department offers a wide selection of upper-level courses that explore in greater detail material presented in introductory courses. Advanced fields of economics include theoretical, quantitative, and mathematical economics; market organization; human resources; finance; international and development economics; public policy and
the public sector; and economic history. Some advanced field courses have only introductory microeconomics as a prerequisite. Others apply intermediate-level theory or econometrics to economic problems and institutions, and for this reason list one or more of the theory or econometrics courses as prerequisites.

**Starred lecture courses** These advanced courses, numbered ECON 400–449, are limited-enrollment courses that cover relatively advanced material in more depth than regular field courses. Prerequisites usually include two of intermediate microeconomics, intermediate macroeconomics, and econometrics or a mathematics course such as MATH 120. Advanced lecture courses may be applied toward the senior requirement.

**Seminars** Although there is diversity in approaches in the various seminars (courses numbered ECON 450–489), all have in common an emphasis on class interaction, the writing of papers, and the reading of journal articles. Seminars represent an opportunity for students to apply and extend the economics they have learned in the advanced courses.

There is preregistration for departmental seminars, and enrollment is limited. Applications are received in the Undergraduate Studies office, Room 101, 28 Hillhouse Avenue, during the designated sign-up period in the preceding term. Students must take two of three core courses before enrolling in a seminar. Underclassmen and nonmajors may apply for places in Economics seminars, but priority is given to senior Economics majors (including those in Economics and Mathematics) who have not yet completed two seminars: all other students will be put on a wait list. Seminar enrollment lists (including the wait lists) will be posted outside Room 101, 28 Hillhouse Avenue, and on the Economics undergraduate Web page. The senior requirement must be met by Yale Economics courses; seminars in other departments or taken elsewhere do not suffice. Residential college seminars do not count toward the major.

**Senior requirement** Majors are required to take two departmental courses numbered ECON 400–491. At least one of these courses must be taken in the senior year, and, for the Class of 2013 and subsequent classes, at least one must be either a seminar or the senior essay.

**Senior essay** Only those majors who submit a senior essay are eligible for Distinction in the Major. There are three types of senior essay: (1) students may write a one-term essay in an advanced departmental course (numbered 400–489) taken during the senior year; (2) students may write a one-term essay in the fall of the senior year as an independent project on a topic of their own design under the close and regular supervision of a faculty adviser (ECON 491); or (3) students may write a two-term essay starting in the fall of the senior year as an independent project on a topic of their own design under the close and regular supervision of a faculty adviser (ECON 491 and 492). The department does not permit one-term senior essays in the spring term except those written in advanced departmental courses (ECON 400–489). Meetings to discuss the senior essay will be held at the beginning of the fall term; see below under "Distinction in the Major."

**Distinction in the Major** To be considered for distinction, students must meet the appropriate grade standards (see chapter 1) and submit a senior essay to the Economics department by the end of the next-to-last week of classes in the spring term. Students who fail
to submit such a paper will not be considered for Distinction in the Major. Note that the paper must be written during the senior year and that students may submit a senior essay only if they have an approved prospectus and a senior essay adviser. Senior essays that are not submitted on time will receive a grade of Incomplete. Senior essays with grades of Incomplete without permission of the residential college dean are subject to grade penalties when submitted. Grade computation for Distinction does not include the introductory economics courses, the required mathematics course, related-credit courses, or courses taken outside Yale. Meetings for seniors to discuss the senior essay will be held on Wednesday, August 31, at 4:30 p.m. and Thursday, September 1, at 1:30 p.m. in Room 106, 28 Hillhouse Avenue. Details regarding calculations for Distinction in the Major will be discussed in these meetings, and senior essay guidelines will be distributed. Senior essay prospectus forms are due Monday, October 3, 2011.

**Graduate courses** Well-qualified students who have acquired the requisite background in undergraduate courses may, with written permission of the instructor, the director of undergraduate studies, and the director of graduate studies, be admitted to graduate courses and seminars.

Students who are planning graduate work in economics should take additional mathematics courses beyond the one-term course required for the major. Many graduate programs in economics require courses in multivariate calculus and linear algebra. Students are urged to discuss their plans for graduate work with the director of undergraduate studies as early in their college careers as possible.

**Combined B.A./M.A. program** Students interested in the B.A./M.A. program in Economics may submit a preliminary application in the fall of their junior year to the directors of undergraduate and graduate studies. Admission to this program is limited to students who have achieved A grades in at least two-thirds of all of their undergraduate courses and have also achieved A grades in all courses relating to the major. Applicants must have taken MATH 120 and 222 or equivalent. If granted permission, applicants take two of the following three graduate courses: ECON 500, 510, and 550. Only students who earn a grade of at least A– in each course will be considered for candidacy in the B.A./M.A. program. Applications are forwarded to a joint committee of Yale College and the Graduate School. This committee makes the final decision on admission of students to the program. It is not possible to enter the B.A./M.A. program except in the fall of the junior year. If admitted to the program, a student completes eight term courses of graduate work in the junior and senior years; these eight courses must be economics courses designed primarily for Ph.D. students (courses in the International and Development Economics program do not count toward this requirement). The eight graduate courses include the two required for candidacy in the program as well as two chosen from the six core courses in the graduate sequence of microeconomics, macroeconomics, and econometrics. In addition, the student must complete the two-term senior departmental essay by enrollment in ECON 491 and 492. All students in the program must complete ECON 132 or 136 or a graduate course in econometrics. It is recommended that students complete the distributional requirements before the senior year. Appropriate graduate theory courses may be substituted for the core Economics courses 121 and 122 as well as
the one-term econometrics course required of majors. The eight graduate courses must not be entirely concentrated in the final two terms, and students in the program must take at least six term courses outside the major during their last four terms at Yale and at least two undergraduate courses during their last two terms. Course schedules must be approved each term by both the director of undergraduate studies in Economics and the director of graduate studies in Economics. To receive the M.A. as well as the B.A. at the end of the senior year, the student must receive two terms of A in the graduate courses, an average of B in the remaining graduate courses, and a reader’s grade of B+ or higher on the senior essay.

Students interested in this program should see the director of undergraduate studies before or during registration for the first term of the junior year.

Faculty representatives The Economics department has faculty representatives associated with each residential college. Students majoring in Economics should secure written approval of their course selection from one of their college representatives. Changes in their major program must be approved by a representative. Questions concerning the major or programs of study should be directed to a college representative. For 2011–2012 the college representatives are as follows:

- BK, D. Karlan, E. Weese
- BR, C. Arkolakis, S. Benediktsdóttir
- CC, N. Lamoreaux, J. Horner
- DC, C. Udry, K. Meghir
- TD, D. Andrews, K. Rozen
- JE, E. Vyltacil, X. Chen
- MC, M. Tartari, G. Jaynes
- PC, D. Bergemann, E. Engel
- SY, T. Bewley, E. Washington
- SM, E. Faingold, T. Otsu
- ES, R. Fair, Y. Kitamura
- TC, L. Samuelson, J. Geanakoplos

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites None

Number of courses 12 term courses (incl senior req)

Distribution of courses 1 intro course in microeconomics, 1 in macroeconomics (or equivalents with DUS permission); 1 math course, as specified

Specific courses required ECON 121 or 125; 122 or 126; 131, 132, or 136

Substitution permitted 1 related course in another dept, as specified

Senior requirement Class of 2012 — 2 courses numbered ECON 400–491, at least 1 in senior year; Class of 2013 and subsequent classes — 2 courses numbered ECON 400–491, at least 1 in senior year, and at least 1 a sem or the senior essay

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

*ECON 108a or b, Quantitative Foundations of Microeconomics* Tolga Koker

Introductory microeconomics with a special emphasis on quantitative methods and examples. Intended for students with limited or no experience with calculus. Enrollment limited. Preregistration is required at www.econ.yale.edu/undergrad/ugrad.htm. May not be taken after ECON 110, 115, or <117>. QR, SO
**ECON 110a, An Introduction to Microeconomic Analysis**  Tolga Koker and staff
Similar to ECON 115, but taught as a lecture discussion with limited enrollment. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration is required at www.econ.yale.edu/undergrad/ugrad.htm. May not be taken after ECON 108 or 115 or <117>. QR, SO

**ECON 111b, An Introduction to Macroeconomic Analysis**  Sigrídur Benediktsdóttir and staff
Similar to ECON 116, but taught as a lecture discussion with limited enrollment. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration is required at www.econ.yale.edu/undergrad/ugrad.htm. May not be taken after ECON 116. Prerequisite: ECON 108, 110, or 115. SO

**ECON 115a or b, Introductory Microeconomics**  Christopher Udry [F], Eric Weese [Sp]
An introduction to the basic tools of microeconomics to provide a rigorous framework for understanding how individuals, firms, markets, and governments allocate scarce resources. The design and evaluation of public policy. May not be taken after ECON 108, 110, or <117>. QR, SO

**ECON 116a or b, Introductory Macroeconomics**  Ray Fair [F], Anthony Smith [Sp]
An introduction that stresses how the macroeconomy works, including the determination of output, unemployment, inflation, interest rates, and exchange rates. Economic theory is applied to current events. May not be taken after ECON 111. Prerequisite: ECON 108, 110, or 115. SO

**INTERMEDIATE CORE COURSES**

**ECON 121a or b, Intermediate Microeconomics**  Larry Samuelson [F], Dirk Bergemann [Sp]
The theory of resource allocation and its applications. Topics include the theory of choice, consumer and firm behavior, production, price determination in different market structures, welfare, and market failure. After introductory microeconomics and completion of the mathematics requirement for the major or its equivalent. Elementary techniques from multivariate calculus are introduced and applied, but prior knowledge is not assumed. May not be taken after ECON 125. QR, SO Core

**ECON 122a or b, Intermediate Macroeconomics**  William Nordhaus [F], Giuseppe Moscarini [Sp]
Contemporary theories of employment, finance, money, business fluctuations, and economic growth. Their implications for monetary and fiscal policy. Emphasis on empirical studies, financial and monetary crises, and recent policies and problems. Enrollment limited in ECON 122a. After two terms of introductory economics and completion of the mathematics requirement for the major or its equivalent. May not be taken after ECON 126. QR, SO Core

**ECON 125a, Microeconomic Theory**  Kareen Rozen
Similar to ECON 121 but with a more intensive treatment of consumer and producer theory, and covering additional topics including choice under uncertainty, game theory, contracting under hidden actions or hidden information, externalities and public goods,
and general equilibrium theory. Recommended for students considering graduate study in economics. After introductory economics, and MATH 118 or 120 or equivalent. May not be taken after ECON 121. QR, SO Core

*ECON 126b, Macroeconomic Theory  Manolis Galenianos
Similar to ECON 122 but with a more intensive treatment of the mathematical foundations of macroeconomic modeling, and with rigorous study of additional topics. Recommended for students considering graduate study in economics. After two terms of introductory economics, and MATH 118 or 120 or equivalent. May not be taken after ECON 122. QR, SO Core

ECONOMETRICS CORE COURSES

ECON 131a or b, Econometrics and Data Analysis I  Yuichi Kitamura [F], Taisuke Otsu [Sp]
Basic probability theory and statistics, distribution theory, estimation and inference, bivariate regression, introduction to multivariate regression, introduction to statistical computing. After introductory microeconomics and MATH 112 or equivalent. QR, SO Core

ECON 132b, Econometrics and Data Analysis II  Konstantinos Meghir
Continuation of ECON 131, with a focus on multivariate regression. Topics include statistical inference, choice of functional form, heteroskedasticity, serial correlation, two-stage least squares, qualitative choice models, time series models, and forecasting. Emphasis on statistical computing and the mechanics of how to conduct and present empirical research. After two terms of introductory economics, completion of the mathematics requirement for the major, and ECON 131 or 135 or a course in the STAT 101–106 series. QR, SO Core

ECON 135a, Introduction to Probability and Statistics  Taisuke Otsu
Foundations of mathematical statistics: probability theory, distribution theory, parameter estimation, hypothesis testing, regression, and computer programming. Recommended for students considering graduate study in economics. After introductory microeconomics and either MATH 118 or MATH 120 and 222 or 225. QR, SO

ECON 136b, Econometrics  Edward Vytlacil
Continuation of ECON 135 with a focus on econometric theory and practice: problems that arise from the specification, estimation, and interpretation of models of economic behavior. Topics include classical regression and simultaneous equations models; panel data; and limited dependent variables. Recommended for students considering graduate study in economics. After ECON 135 or STAT 241 and 242. QR, SO

FIELD COURSES

ECON 159a, Game Theory  Benjamin Polak
An introduction to game theory and strategic thinking. Ideas such as dominance, backward induction, Nash equilibrium, evolutionary stability, commitment, credibility, asymmetric information, adverse selection, and signaling are applied to games played in class and to examples drawn from economics, politics, the movies, and elsewhere. After introductory microeconomics. No prior knowledge of game theory assumed. QR, SO
ECON 170a, Health Economics and Public Policy  Howard Forman
Application of economic principles to the study of the U.S. health care system. Emphasis on basic principles about the structure of the U.S. system, current problems, proposed solutions, and the context of health policy making and politics. After introductory microeconomics. May not be taken after ECON <467>. so

*ECON 180a or b, Introduction to the Chinese Economy  Dong Chen
An overview of the Chinese economy, with attention to its rapid growth in the past two decades and its current challenges. The cultural and political background of the economy, China’s market transition, manufacturing and financial sectors, foreign trade, foreign direct investment and technology transfer, and the reform of state-owned enterprises. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program. so

ECON 182a/HIST 135a, American Economic History  Naomi Lamoreaux
The growth of the American economy since 1790, both as a unique historical record and as an illustration of factors in the process of economic development. The American experience viewed in the context of its European background and patterns of industrialization overseas. After two terms of introductory economics. so

ECON 184b, International Economics  Peter Schott
Introduction to conceptual tools useful for understanding the strategic choices made by countries, firms, and unions in a globalized world. After two terms of introductory economics. so

ECON 185a/GLBL 237a, Debates in Macroeconomics  Aleh Tsyvinski, Stephen Roach
For description see under Global Affairs.

[ECON 186a, European Economic History, 1700–1815]

*ECON 211a/GLBL 211a, Economic Performance and Challenges in India  Rakesh Mohan
For description see under Global Affairs.

ECON 251b, Financial Theory  John Geanakoplos
Capital asset pricing model, arbitrage pricing theory, option pricing, social security, operation of security exchanges, investment banks, securitization, mortgage derivatives, interest rate derivatives, hedge funds, financial crises, agency theory, and financial incentives. After introductory microeconomics. QR, SO

[ECON 252b, Financial Markets]

ECON 275b/PLSC 218b, Public Economics  Ebonya Washington
The role of government in the economy and in our economic lives. Reasons for government intervention in the market economy and the impact of government expenditure programs and taxation systems on welfare and behavior. Tools of microeconomics applied to issues such as government response to global warming, the impact of redistribution and social insurance on individual behavior, school choice, social security vs. private retirement savings accounts, and government vs. private health insurance. After introductory microeconomics. so
ECON 280a/AFAM 282a, Poverty under Postindustrial Capitalism  Gerald Jaynes
For description see under African American Studies.

[ECON 300a/INTS 358a, International Trade Theory and Policy]

ECON 320a, Economic Policy in Latin America  Eduardo Engel
The economic, social, and political impact of reforms implemented in Latin America during the 1990s. Review of the inward-oriented development model pursued from the 1950s to the early 1980s; the debt crisis of the 1980s and the policy consensus that followed. After two terms of introductory economics.  SO

[ECON 325b/INTS 352b, Economics of Developing Countries]

ECON 330a/G/EVST 340a, Economics of Natural Resources  Robert Mendelsohn
Microeconomic theory brought to bear on current issues in natural resource policy. Topics include regulation of pollution, hazardous waste management, depletion of the world’s forests and fisheries, wilderness and wildlife preservation, and energy planning. After introductory microeconomics.  QR, SO

ECON 337b/EP&E 254b/GLBL 337b/INTS 337b/PLSC 145b, International Political Economy  Kenneth Scheve
For description see under Political Science.

*ECON 338a/EAST 338a/GLBL 318a/INTS 338a/G, The Next China  Stephen Roach
For description see under Global Affairs.

ECON 350a, Mathematical Economics: General Equilibrium Theory  Truman Bewley
An introduction to general equilibrium theory and its extension to equilibria involving uncertainty and time. Discussion of the economic role of insurance and of intertemporal models, namely, the overlapping generations model and the optimal growth theory model. Recommended for students considering graduate study in economics. After MATH 118 or 120, and intermediate microeconomics.  QR, SO

ECON 351b, Mathematical Economics: Game Theory  Johannes Horner
Introduction to game theory and choice under uncertainty. Analysis of the role of information and uncertainty for individual choice behavior, as well as application to the decision theory under uncertainty. Analysis of strategic interaction among economic agents, leading to the theory of auctions and mechanism design. Recommended for students considering graduate study in economics. After MATH 118, 120, and intermediate microeconomics.  QR, SO
ADVANCED LECTURE COURSES

*ECON 401a, Labor Economics and Welfare Policies  Joseph Altonji, Melissa Tartari
Overview of the state of knowledge in the field of labor economics; introduction to research methods. Labor markets, labor supply and welfare programs, retirement and social security, wage determination, human capital, migration, and theories of unemployment. Prerequisites: intermediate microeconomics and econometrics.  so 

[ECON 403b, Trade and Development]

[ECON 404b¢, Population Economics]

[ECON 405b, Health Economics and Public Policy]

[ECON 406a, Macroeconomics of Financial Markets]

*ECON 407b, International Finance  Costas Arkolakis
A study of how consumers and firms are affected by the globalization of the world economy. Topics include trade costs, the current account, exchange rate pass-through, international macroeconomic co-movement, multinational production, and gains from globalization. Prerequisite: intermediate macroeconomics or equivalent.  so 

ECON 425a/CPSC 455a¢, Economics and Computation  Joan Feigenbaum
For description see under Computer Science.

SEMINARS

Preregistration for junior and senior majors, held in Room 101, 28 Hillhouse Ave., is required during the designated sign-up period.

*ECON 450a, Investment Analysis  David Swensen, Dean Takahashi
Examination of investment management in theory and practice. Discussion of asset allocation, investment strategy, and manager selection from the perspective of an institutional investor. Focus on the degree of market efficiency and opportunity for generating attractive returns.  so 

*ECON 451b/EP&E 393b, Global Financial Systems, Financial Crises, and Regulations  Sigríður Benediktsdóttir
The global financial system, with emphasis on financial crisis. The role of central banks and regulatory agencies. Focus on the global financial crisis of 2007–2009 and the resulting changes being proposed and implemented. Prerequisites: intermediate microeconomics and intermediate macroeconomics.  so 

[ECON 453a, Antitrust Law and Economics] 

*ECON 454a/GLBL 331a¢/INTS 259a¢, Evolution of Central Banking and Responses to Crises  Rakesh Mohan
For description see under Global Affairs.

*ECON 455b, Information Economy  Judith Chevalier
The economics of information, communication, and electronic commerce. The communications infrastructure—telephone, broadband, and wireless communications—and the
regulation and adoption of these technologies; the basic economics of selected uses of the Internet; the organization of businesses as they are affected by new communications technologies; intellectual property and antitrust issues in the information economy. Prerequisite: introductory microeconomics.  

*ECON 456a, Private Equity Investing  Michael Schmertzler
A case-oriented study of principal issues and investment types found in substantial private equity portfolios. Discussion of enterprise valuation, value creation, business economics, negotiation, and legal structure, based on primary source materials and original cases. Prerequisites: intermediate microeconomics or equivalent, and econometrics.  

*ECON 461b, Economics, Addiction, and Public Policy  Jody Sindelar
Smoking, alcoholism, illicit drugs, and obesity studied from economic and policy perspectives. Focus on causes of and solutions to problems. After introductory microeconomics.  

*ECON 462b/EP&E 228b/LAST 410b, The Economics of Human Capital in Latin America  Douglas McKee
Economic issues related to a population's education, skills, and health; focus on contemporary Latin American societies. Determinants of health and education; evaluation of human capital development policies; the role of human capital in a variety of economic contexts, including the labor market, immigration, child investment, intrahousehold bargaining, inequality, and poverty. Prerequisites: intermediate microeconomics and econometrics.  

*ECON 465a/EP&E 224a, Debating Globalization  Ernesto Zedillo
Facets of contemporary economic globalization, including trade, investment, and migration. Challenges and threats of globalization: inclusion and inequality, emerging global players, global governance, climate change, and nuclear weapons proliferation. After two terms of introductory economics. Preference to seniors majoring in Economics or EP&E.  

*ECON 466a/EP&E 448a, Economics of Aging  Douglas McKee
Overview of the economics of aging and retirement. Saving for retirement, the decision to retire, design of social security systems, how families decide who cares for the elderly, and how older people decide to whom to leave their assets. Prerequisites: intermediate microeconomics and econometrics.  

[ECON 468b, Institutions and Incentives in Economic Development]  

*ECON 469a/GLBL 325a, Health Inequality and Development  Nicoli Nattrass
For description see under Global Affairs.  

*ECON 472a, Economic History of the Middle East  Seven Agir
The economic history of the Middle East from the eighteenth century to World War II. The role of political and cultural institutions, colonization, and markets. Prerequisites: introductory microeconomics and macroeconomics.  

*ECON 474b/EAST 454b/GLBL 312b/INTS 258b, Economic and Policy Lessons from Japan  Stephen Roach
For description see under Global Affairs.
*ECON 475b, Discrimination in Law, Theory, and Practice
Gerald Jaynes
How law and economic theory define and conceptualize economic discrimination; whether economic models adequately describe behaviors of discriminators as documented in court cases and government hearings; the extent to which economic theory and econometric techniques aid our understanding of actual marketplace discrimination. Prerequisites: introductory microeconomics and at least one additional course in Economics, African American Studies, Ethnicity, Race, and Migration, or Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies.

[ECON 476a/LAST 476a, Topics in International Economics]

*ECON 477a/EP&E 240a/GLBL 333a/INTS 333a etc./PLSC 428a, Comparative Welfare Policy in Developing Countries  Jeremy Seekings
For description see under Global Affairs.

*ECON 479a/EAST 479a, Economic Development of Japan  Koichi Hamada
Japan’s economic development, with attention to the period of tremendous success in the 1960s and the recession of the 1990s. The nature of incentive mechanisms; institutions behind the history of modern and contemporary Japan. After introductory microeconomics and macroeconomics.  SO

[ECON 481b, Economic and Social Inequality: Measurement and Theory]

*ECON 482b/EP&E 256b, Labor and Public Policy  Melissa Tartari
Study of how individuals choose whether to participate in the labor market, and of ways in which those decisions are influenced by factors such as market prices, public assistance programs, taxation, and health and disability insurance. Case studies include the negative income tax experiments of the 1970s, tax reform in the 1980s, welfare programs and the earned income tax credit in the 1990s, and recent Medicaid expansion. Prerequisites: intermediate microeconomics and econometrics.  SO

*ECON 484a, The United States Banking System  Nicholas Perna
The structure and functions of the U.S. banking system, with special attention to the role of the Federal Reserve, private sector banks, and related financial institutions in the overall economy. The role of monetary policy in promoting economic growth and stability; the U.S. banking system as compared with foreign systems; and future evolution of U.S. banking, including the role of electronic commerce. After intermediate macroeconomics.  SO

[ECON 486a/EP&E 225a, Topics in Labor Economics]

*ECON 487a/EP&E 365a/GLBL 313a/INTS 347a/PLSC 417a, The Political Economy of AIDS in Africa  Nicoli Nattrass
For description see under Global Affairs.

[ECON 489b, Separatism and Annexation]

*ECON 491a and 492b, The Senior Essay  Anthony Smith
Students deciding to write one-term senior essays by enrolling in ECON 491, or two-term senior essays by enrolling in ECON 491 and 492, must choose their topics and advisers
by Monday, October 3, 2011. One-term senior essays are due at the end of the last week of classes in the fall term. In order to be considered for Distinction in the Major, students must submit three copies of their essay to the Economics department office two weeks prior to the last week of classes in the spring term. This is also the due date for two-term senior essays. Advisers are chosen with the assistance of the director of undergraduate studies. The format and character of the departmental senior essay may vary to suit the interest of the student and the demands of the topic, but it is expected that the tools and concepts of economic analysis will be employed and that the essay will contain original research. Paper lengths may vary; the normal expectation is thirty pages. Students may receive up to two credits for the senior essay, though it counts as only one departmental seminar whether one or two terms are taken. The first meeting is on Wednesday, August 31, from 4:30 to 5:20, or on Thursday, September 1, from 1:30 to 2:20, in Room 106, 28 Hillhouse Ave. Seniors planning to write a senior essay, including those who plan to write a spring-term essay, should attend this meeting. Details regarding calculation of Distinction will be discussed and senior essay guidelines will be distributed.

*ECON 498a and 499b, Directed Reading*  Anthony Smith

Students desiring a directed reading course in special topics in economics not covered in other graduate or undergraduate courses may elect this course, usually not more than once, with written permission of the director of undergraduate studies and of the instructor. The instructor meets with the student regularly, typically for an hour a week, and the student writes a paper or a series of short essays. Does not meet the requirement for a departmental seminar.

**GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES**

Graduate courses in Economics are open to qualified undergraduates. Descriptions of courses are available in the Economics department office. Permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies is required.

**Economics and Mathematics**

Director of undergraduate studies (Economics): Anthony Smith, Rm. 306, 28 Hillhouse Ave., 432-3583 or 432-3574, qazi.azam@yale.edu; director of undergraduate studies (Mathematics): Andrew Casson, 216 LOM, 432-7056, andrew.casson@yale.edu

The Economics and Mathematics major is intended for students with a strong intellectual interest in both mathematics and economics and for students who may pursue a graduate degree in economics.

**Prerequisites**  The major has prerequisites in both mathematics and economics: MATH 120; ECON 110 or 115; and ECON 111 or 116. With permission of the directors of undergraduate studies, upper-level courses may be substituted for prerequisite courses. Upper-level courses substituted for prerequisites do not count toward the total of twelve term courses (beyond the introductory level in economics and mathematics) required for the major.
Requirements of the major

A total of twelve term courses is required beyond the introductory level in economics and in mathematics: seven term courses in economics and five term courses in mathematics. These courses must include:

1. One intermediate microeconomics course chosen from ECON 125 or 121, and one intermediate macroeconomics course chosen from ECON 126 or 122
2. A year of mathematical economics, ECON 350 and 351
3. Two term courses of econometrics, ECON 135 and 136 (with permission of the director of undergraduate studies in Economics, STAT 241 and 242 may be taken instead of ECON 135, in which case they count as one economics course and not as mathematics courses)
4. A term course in linear algebra, MATH 222 or 225 (or 230 and 231, for two course credits)
5. An introductory term course in analysis, MATH 300 or 301
6. Senior seminar in mathematics, MATH 480

Because optimization is an important theme in mathematics and is particularly relevant for economics, OPRS 235 is recommended for students majoring in Economics and Mathematics and can be counted toward either the Mathematics or Economics course requirements.

To be considered for Distinction in the Major, students must meet specified grade standards (see chapter I) and submit a senior essay written either in an Economics department seminar or in ECON 491 or in 491 and 492 to the Economics department; for details see under Economics. (The paper must be written in a course taken in the senior year.) All courses beyond the introductory level in Mathematics and Economics are counted in the computation of grades for Distinction.

Students interested in the major should consult both directors of undergraduate studies, and verify with each that their proposed program meets the relevant guidelines. Registration forms must be signed by both directors of undergraduate studies each term.

Requirements of the Major

Prerequisites

MATH 120; ECON 110 or 115; ECON 111 or 116

Number of courses

12 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

Distribution of courses

5 courses in math and 7 in econ

Specific courses required

ECON 121 or 125, 122 or 126, 135, 136, 350, 351; MATH 222 or 225 (or 230, 231); MATH 300 or 301

Substitution permitted

STAT 241 and 242 for ECON 135, with permission of DUS in Econ

Senior requirement

Senior sem in math (MATH 480); optional senior essay in Econ

Education

(See under Teacher Preparation and Education Studies.)

Egyptian

(See under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)
Electrical Engineering

Director of undergraduate studies: Mark Reed, 523 BCT, 432-4306, mark.reed@yale.edu

FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Professors  James Duncan, Jung Han, Peter Kindlmann (Adjunct), Roman Kuc, Tso-Ping Ma, A. Stephen Morse, Kumpati Narendra, Mark Reed, Peter Schultheiss (Emeritus), J. Rimas Vaišnys

Associate Professors  Eugenio Culurciello, Hür Köser, Richard Lethin (Adjunct), Yiorgos Makris, Andreas Savvides, Lawrence Staib, Hemant Tagare, Sekhar Tatikonda, Edmund Yeh

Assistant Professors  Minjoo Lee, Hongxing Tang

Electrical Engineering broadly encompasses disciplines such as microelectronics, photonics, computer engineering, signal processing, control systems, and communications, all of which enable and underpin a modern technological society. Three degree programs are offered that allow students to select the level of technical depth appropriate for individual goals. The B.A. in Engineering Sciences (Electrical) is suitable for a career outside technology, in which a student nevertheless benefits from an appreciation of electrical engineering perspectives. The B.S. in Engineering Sciences (Electrical) provides more technical exposure while retaining academic options outside the electrical engineering core area. The B.S. in Electrical Engineering, accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, Inc., is appropriate for highly motivated students who are interested in learning the scientific fundamentals and the technologies and creative processes of contemporary electrical engineering. In a world deeply dependent on technology, recent ABET graduates have found their degree a particularly effective credential not only for further work in engineering, but also for careers in business, management consulting, investment banking, medicine, and intellectual property law.

Because the introductory courses are common to all three degree programs, the student does not usually need to make a final choice before the junior year. An interdepartmental program with Computer Science is also offered (see under Electrical Engineering and Computer Science), and students can pursue interdisciplinary studies in other areas of engineering and science.

Prerequisites  All three degree programs require MATH 112, 115, ENAS 151 or MATH 120 or higher, ENAS 130 or CPSC 112 or higher, and PHYS 180, 181 or higher (PHYS 170, 171 is acceptable for the B.A. degree). Acceleration credits awarded on entrance can be used to satisfy the MATH 112 and 115 requirements. Students whose preparation exceeds the level of ENAS 151 or MATH 120 are asked to take a higher-level mathematics course instead, such as MATH 250. Similarly, students whose preparation at entrance exceeds the level of PHYS 180, 181 are asked to take higher-level physics courses instead, such as PHYS 200, 201. Students whose programming skills exceed the level of ENAS 130 or CPSC 112 are asked to take a more advanced programming course instead, such as CPSC 201; consult with the director of undergraduate studies.
B.S. degree program in Electrical Engineering  The ABET-accredited B.S. in Electrical Engineering requires, beyond the prerequisites, four term courses in mathematics and science and thirteen term courses in topics in engineering. These courses include:
1. Mathematics and basic science (four term courses): ENAS 194; MATH 222 or 225; APHY 322 or equivalent; STAT 241 or equivalent.
2. Electrical engineering and related subjects (thirteen term courses): EENG 200, 201, 202, 203, 310, 320, 325, 348, 481 (the senior project); and four engineering electives, at least three of which should be at the 400 level. CPSC 365 and all 400-level Computer Science courses qualify as ABET electives.

Each student’s program must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

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B.S. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Electrical)  This program requires fewer technical courses and allows more freedom for work in technical areas outside the traditional electrical engineering disciplines (e.g., economics or cognitive psychology). It requires thirteen technical term courses beyond the prerequisites, specifically: MATH 222 or 225; ENAS 194; EENG 200, 201, 202, 203; EENG 471 or, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, 481 (the senior project); and six electives approved by the director of undergraduate studies, at least three of which must be at the 400 level.

For students who have taken the equivalent of one year of calculus in high school, a typical program for this degree might include:
Electrical Engineering

**Freshman**
- EENG 200
- EENG 201
- ENAS 151 or MATH 120
- MATH 222
- PHYS 180
- PHYS 181

**Sophomor**e
- CPSC 112
- EENG 202
- EENG 203
- ENAS 194

**Junior**
- Three electives

**Senior**
- EENG 471
- Three electives

For students who start with MATH 112, a typical program for this degree might include:

**Freshman**
- CPSC 112
- EENG 201
- MATH 112
- MATH 115

**Sophomore**
- EENG 200
- ENAS 151 or MATH 120
- ENAS 194
- MATH 222
- PHYS 180
- PHYS 181

**Junior**
- EENG 202
- EENG 203
- Two electives

**Senior**
- EENG 471
- Four electives

Faster-paced and slower-paced variations are possible, depending on the student’s level of preparation and commitment to the major; consult with the director of undergraduate studies. The implied flexibility during the junior and senior years in the schedules above is often used to accommodate a second major, such as Economics, or to master a related technical area, such as recent developments in biology or environmental studies.

**B.A. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Electrical)** This program is appropriate for those planning a career in fields such as business, law, or medicine where scientific and technical knowledge is likely to be useful. It requires eight technical term courses beyond the prerequisites, specifically: MATH 222 or 225, or ENAS 194; EENG 200, 201, 202, and 471 (the senior requirement); and three approved electives.

**Senior requirement** A research or design project carried out in the fall term of the senior year is required in all three programs. The student must take EENG 471 or 481, present a written report, and make an oral presentation. The written report is due in the departmental office by the last day of reading period. Arrangements to undertake a project in fulfillment of the senior requirement must be made by the end of the reading period of the preceding term, when a registration form (available from the departmental office), signed by the intended faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies, must be submitted.

**Approval of programs** All Electrical Engineering and Engineering Sciences majors must have their programs approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Arrangements to take EENG 471, 472, or 481 must be made during the term preceding enrollment in the course. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.
REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, B.S.

Prerequisites  MATH 112, 115; ENAS 151 or MATH 120 or higher; ENAS 130 or CPSC 112 or higher; PHYS 180, 181 or higher

Number of courses  17 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req

Specific courses required  ENAS 194; MATH 222 or 225; APHY 322; STAT 241; EENG 200, 201, 202, 203, 310, 320, 325, 348

Senior requirement  One-term design project (EENG 481)

ENGINEERING SCIENCES (ELECTRICAL), B.S. AND B.A.

Prerequisites  Both degrees — MATH 112, 115; ENAS 151 or MATH 120 or higher; ENAS 130 or CPSC 112 or higher; B.S. — PHYS 180, 181 or higher; B.A. — PHYS 170, 171 or higher

Number of courses  B.S. — 13 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req; B.A. — 8 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req

Specific courses required  B.S. — ENAS 194; MATH 222 or 225; EENG 200, 201, 202, 203; B.A. — 1 from ENAS 194, or MATH 222 or 225; EENG 200, 201, 202

Senior requirement  B.S. — one-term research or design project (EENG 471 or, with permission of DUS, 481); B.A. — one-term research or design project (EENG 471)

EENG 111A, The Science of Science Fiction  Mark Reed

An exploration of the scientific basis, and inaccuracies, of modern science fiction. Technologies explored include nanotechnology, the theory of relativity, information technology, and environmental sustainability and terraforming.

EENG 200A, Introduction to Electronics  Tso-Ping Ma

Introduction to the basic principles of analog and digital electronics. Analysis, design, and synthesis of electronic circuits and systems. Topics include current and voltage laws that govern electronic circuit behavior, node and loop methods for solving circuit problems, DC and AC circuit elements, frequency response, nonlinear circuits, semiconductor devices, and small-signal amplifiers. A lab session approximately every other week. After or concurrently with MATH 115 or equivalent. QR

EENG 201B, Introduction to Computer Engineering  Andreas Savvides

Introduction to the theoretical principles underlying the design and programming of simple processors that can perform algorithmic computational tasks. Topics include data representation in digital form, combinational logic design and Boolean algebra, sequential logic design and finite state machines, and basic computer architecture principles. Hands-on laboratory involving the active design, construction, and programming of a simple processor. QR

EENG 202A, Communications, Computation, and Control  Sekhar Tatikonda

Introduction to systems that sense, process, control, and communicate. Techniques that analyze system performance are applied to first- and second-order systems that operate on continuous-time waveforms and numerical data. Applications include robotics, digital image processing, and voice recognition systems. MATLAB programming and laboratory experiments illustrate concepts. Prerequisite: MATH 115. QR
EENG 203b, Circuits and Systems Design  Hongxing Tang, Mark Reed
Introduction to design in a laboratory setting. A wide variety of practical systems are designed and implemented to exemplify the basic principles of systems theory. Systems include audio filters and equalizers, electrical and electromechanical feedback systems, radio transmitters and receivers, and circuits for sampling and reconstructing music. Prerequisites: EENG 200 and 202. QR RP

*EENG 235a and 236b, Special Projects  Mark Reed
Faculty-supervised individual or small-group projects with emphasis on laboratory experience, engineering design, or tutorial study. Students are expected to consult the director of undergraduate studies and appropriate faculty members about ideas and suggestions for suitable topics during the term preceding enrollment. These courses may be taken at any time during the student’s career. Enrollment requires permission of both the instructor and the director of undergraduate studies, and submission to the latter of a one- to two-page prospectus signed by the instructor. The prospectus is due in the departmental office one day prior to the date that the student’s course schedule is due. Additional sections offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program. ½ Course cr per term

EENG 310b, Signals and Systems  Kumpati Narendra
Concepts for the analysis of continuous and discrete-time signals including time series. Techniques for modeling continuous and discrete-time linear dynamical systems including linear recursions, difference equations, and shift sequences. Topics include continuous and discrete Fourier analysis, Laplace and Z transforms, convolution, sampling, data smoothing, and filtering. Prerequisite: MATH 115. Recommended preparation: EENG 202. QR

*EENG 320a, Introduction to Semiconductor Devices  Mark Reed
An introduction to the physics of semiconductors and semiconductor devices. Topics include crystal structure; energy bands in solids; charge carriers with their statistics and dynamics; junctions, p-n diodes, and LEDs; bipolar and field-effect transistors; and device fabrication. Additional laboratory session one afternoon per week. Prepares for EENG 325 and 401. Prerequisites: PHYS 180 and 181 or permission of instructor. Recommended preparation: EENG 200. QR, SC

EENG 325b, Electronic Circuits  Eugenio Culurciello
Models for active devices; single-ended and differential amplifiers; current sources and active loads; operational amplifiers; feedback; design of analog circuits for particular functions and specifications, in actual applications wherever possible, using design-oriented methods. Includes a team-oriented design project for real-world applications, such as a high-power stereo amplifier design. Electronics Workbench is used as a tool in computer-aided design. Additional laboratory session one afternoon per week. Prerequisite: EENG 200. QR RP

EENG 348a, Digital Systems  Staff
Development of engineering skills through the design and analysis of digital logic components and circuits. Introduction to gate-level circuit design, beginning with single gates and building up to complex systems. Hands-on experience with circuit design using computer-aided design tools and microcontroller programming. Recommended preparation: EENG 201. QR
EENG 397b/ENAS 397b, Mathematical Methods in Engineering  J. Rimas Vašnys
Exploration of several areas of mathematics useful in engineering. Topics are drawn from complex analysis and differential equations: complex variables, Fourier series, Fourier transforms, Laplace transforms, Z transforms, boundary value problems, and linear partial differential equations. Application to physical problems. Prerequisites: MATH 222, and ENAS 194 or MATH 246, or equivalents. QR

EENG 401b⁶/APHY 321b⁶, Semiconductor Silicon Devices and Technology  Tso-Ping Ma
Introduction to integrated circuit technology, theory of semiconductor devices, and principles of device design and fabrication. Laboratory involves the fabrication and analysis of semiconductor devices, including Ohmic contacts, Schottky diodes, p-n junctions, solar cells, MOS capacitors, MOSFETs, and integrated circuits. Prerequisite: EENG 320 or equivalent or permission of instructor. QR, SC

EENG 406b⁶, Photovoltaic Energy  Minjoo Lee
Survey of photovoltaic energy devices, systems, and applications, including review of optical and electrical properties of semiconductors. Topics include solar radiation, solar cell design, performance analysis, solar cell materials, device processing, photovoltaic systems, and economic analysis. Prerequisite: EENG 320 or permission of instructor. QR, SC

EENG 408a⁶, Electronic Materials: Fundamentals and Applications  Minjoo Lee
Survey and review of fundamental issues associated with modern microelectronic and optoelectronic materials. Topics include band theory, electronic transport, surface kinetics, diffusion, materials defects, elasticity in thin films, epitaxy, and Si integrated circuits. Prerequisite: EENG 320 or permission of instructor. QR, SC

*EENG 410a⁶, Physics and Devices of Optical Communication  Jung Han
A survey of the enabling components and devices that constitute modern optical communication systems. Focus on the physics and principles of each functional unit, its current technological status, design issues relevant to overall performance, and future directions. QR, SC

*EENG 425a⁶, Introduction to VLSI System Design  Richard Lethin
Chip design; integrated devices, circuits, and digital subsystems needed for design and implementation of silicon logic chips. CMOS fabrication overview, complementary logic circuits, design methodology, computer-aided design techniques, timing, and area estimation. Exploration of recent and future chip technologies. A course project is the design, through layout, of a digital CMOS subsystem chip; selected projects are fabricated for students. Prerequisite: familiarity with computer programming and with circuits at the level of introductory physics. QR

EENG 428a⁶, Sensors and Biosensors  Eugenio Culurciello
Analysis of the design of integrated sensors, using modern fabrication technologies and recent circuit topologies. Creation of a framework for sensor design that attains performance as close as possible to the fundamental limits of transduction and processing. Particular attention to mapping algorithms and topologies into circuits that can match the physical level of the quantities to be sensed. Students develop sensory systems for biomedical application and for sensor networks. QR
EENG 436b, Systems and Control  Kumpati Narendra
Design of feedback control systems with applications to engineering, biological, and economic systems. Topics include state-space representation, stability, controllability, and observability of discrete-time systems; system identification; optimal control of systems with multiple outputs. Prerequisites: ENAS 194, MATH 222 or 225, and EENG 310 or permission of instructor.  QR

*EENG 437a/AMTH 437a, Optimization Techniques  A. Stephen Morse
For description see under Applied Mathematics.

*EENG 442a/AMTH 342a, Linear Systems  A. Stephen Morse
Introduction to finite-dimensional, continuous, and discrete-time linear dynamical systems. Exploration of the basic properties and mathematical structure of the linear systems used for modeling dynamical processes in robotics, signal and image processing, economics, statistics, environmental and biomedical engineering, and control theory. Prerequisite: MATH 222 or permission of instructor.  QR

EENG 444b, Digital Communication Systems  Staff
Introduction to the fundamental theory underlying modern digital communication. Quantitative measures of information and data compression: the Huffman and Lempel-Ziv algorithms, scalar and vector quantization. Representations of signal waveforms: sampling, orthonormal expansions, waveforms as vectors in signal space. Transmission of signals through noisy channels; pulse amplitude and quadrature amplitude modulation, orthogonal signaling, signal design, noise processes, optimal detection, and error probability analysis. Applications to practical systems such as CD players, telephone modems, and wireless networks. Prerequisites: knowledge of signals and systems at the level of EENG 310; knowledge of basic probability at the level of STAT 241 (may be taken concurrently).  QR

EENG 445a/BENG 445a, Biomedical Image Processing and Analysis  
James Duncan, Lawrence Staib
For description see under Biomedical Engineering.

EENG 450a, Applied Digital Signal Processing  Roman Kuc
An analysis, by computer, of processing requirements. Relevant probability and estimation theories applied to measurements corrupted by noise. Point estimates and system identification from random processes. MATLAB simulations verify the analysis. Prerequisite: EENG 310 or permission of instructor.  QR

EENG 454b/AMTH 364b/STAT 364b, Information Theory  Mokshay Madiman
For description see under Statistics.

*EENG 460a/CPSC 436a, Networked Embedded Systems and Sensor Networks  
Andreas Savvides
Introduction to the fundamental concepts of networked embedded systems and wireless sensor networks, presenting a cross-disciplinary approach to the design and implementation of smart wireless embedded systems. Topics include embedded systems programming concepts, low-power and power-aware design, radio technologies, communication protocols for ubiquitous computing systems, and mathematical foundations of sensor behavior. Laboratory work includes programming assignments on low-power wireless
devices. Open to seniors in Electrical Engineering or Computer Science only. Prerequisite: CPSC 223 or equivalent programming experience in a high-level language.

*EENG 471a and 472b, Advanced Special Projects  Mark Reed
Faculty-supervised individual or small-group projects with emphasis on research (laboratory or theory), engineering design, or tutorial study. Students are expected to consult the director of undergraduate studies and appropriate faculty members about ideas and suggestions for suitable topics during the term preceding enrollment. These courses may be taken at any appropriate time during the student's career and may be taken more than once. Enrollment requires permission of both the instructor and the director of undergraduate studies, and submission to the latter of a one- to two-page prospectus signed by the instructor. The prospectus is due in the departmental office one day prior to the date that the student's course schedule is due.

*EENG 481b, Advanced ABET Projects  Roman Kuc
Study of the process of designing an electrical device that meets performance specifications, including project initiation and management, part specification, teamwork, design evolution according to real-world constraints, testing, ethics, and communication skills. Design project consists of electronic sensor, computer hardware, and signal analysis components developed by multidisciplinary teams. Prerequisites: EENG 310, 320, 325, and 348. RP

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Directors of undergraduate studies: Mark Reed (Electrical Engineering), 523 BCT, 432-4306, mark.reed@yale.edu; Stanley Eisenstat (Computer Science), 208 AKW, 432-1246, stanley.eisenstat@yale.edu

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science is an interdepartmental major designed for students who want to integrate work in these two fields. It covers discrete and continuous mathematics, algorithm analysis and design, digital and analog circuits, signals and systems, systems programming, and computer engineering. It provides coherence in its core program, but allows flexibility to pursue technical electives.

The prerequisites for the major are MATH 112, 115, and ENAS 151 or MATH 120; CPSC 112; and PHYS 180 and 181, or 200 and 201. Acceleration credits may be used to satisfy some of these requirements. However, since the B.S. programs in Electrical Engineering and in Engineering Sciences (Electrical) both limit the use of such credits, students who wish to retain the option of switching to these programs should consult the director of undergraduate studies in Electrical Engineering when planning their course schedules.

The major requires fifteen term courses beyond the prerequisites: CPSC 201, 202, 223, 323, and 365; EENG 200, 201, 202, and 203; one from MATH 222, 225, or STAT 241; four advanced electives, two in electrical engineering, two in computer science; and a senior project. MATH 244 may be substituted for CPSC 202. Electives must be 300- or 400-level courses in the departments of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, or must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies in each department. Double-titled
courses may be counted either way to fulfill this requirement. CPSC 480 and 490 may not be used as electives. With permission of the director of undergraduate studies in each department, EENG 471 or 472 may be used as an electrical engineering elective.

Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

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Students who start with MATH 112 may satisfy the physics prerequisite by taking PHYS 170 and 171 in their freshman year, as shown in the table above. However, since the B.S. programs in Electrical Engineering and in Engineering Sciences (Electrical) do not allow this substitution, students who wish to retain the option of switching to these programs should postpone physics until their sophomore year.
**Senior requirement** The senior project must be completed in CPSC 490 or EENG 471 or 472, depending on the adviser’s department, and must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies in each department.

**Approval of programs** The entire program of a student majoring in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies in each department.

**Accreditation** Students interested in pursuing an ABET-accredited degree should consider the B.S. program in Electrical Engineering. See under Electrical Engineering.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** MATH 112, 115, and ENAS 151 or MATH 120; CPSC 112; PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201 (PHYS 170, 171 is acceptable for students who need to take MATH 112)

**Number of courses** 15 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior project)

**Specific courses required** CPSC 201, 202, 223, 323, and 365; EENG 200, 201, 202, and 203; one from MATH 222 or 225 or STAT 241

**Distribution of courses** 4 addtl 300- or 400-level electives, 2 in electrical engineering, 2 in comp sci

**Substitution permitted** MATH 244 for CPSC 202; advanced courses in other depts, with permission of DUS in each dept

**Senior requirement** Independent project (CPSC 490 or EENG 471 or 472) approved by DUS in each dept

**Engineering**

Dean of the School of Engineering & Applied Science: T. Kyle Vanderlick, 222 DL, 432-4200, engineering@yale.edu

Engineering programs are offered in the departments of Biomedical Engineering, Chemical and Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science. These departments are administered by the dean of the School of Engineering & Applied Science. The School also offers interdisciplinary courses bearing on engineering programs.

Curricula in Yale’s undergraduate engineering programs range from technically intensive ones to those with lesser technical content that allow students considerable freedom to include courses of a nontechnical nature in their studies. Programs accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, Inc., the accreditor for university programs in engineering, are the most intensive. ABET-accredited programs include B.S. degrees in Chemical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering.

Some students find that less intensive programs better meet their needs when considering a joint major and/or careers in fields requiring less comprehensive technical knowledge. Such non-ABET programs include the B.S. in Engineering Sciences (Chemical, Electrical, Environmental, or Mechanical), as well as the B.A. in Engineering Sciences (Electrical, Environmental, or Mechanical) designed for students planning careers in business, law, medicine, journalism, or politics who want their liberal arts education to include study of the impact science and technology have on society. A related major in Applied Mathematics is also available.
For engineering courses and descriptions of the major programs mentioned above, see under Applied Mathematics, Biomedical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Engineering and Applied Science, Environmental Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering in this chapter.

Engineering and Applied Science

Director of undergraduate studies: Roman Kuc, 233 DL, 432-0159, roman.kuc@yale.edu

Courses in Engineering and Applied Science fall into three categories: those intended primarily for students majoring in one of the several engineering disciplines; those designed for students majoring in subjects other than engineering and the natural sciences; and those designed to meet common interests of students majoring in engineering or the natural sciences.

In the first category, the departments of Biomedical Engineering, Chemical and Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science offer courses intended primarily for majors in engineering disciplines. Courses in these departments may also be relevant for students with appropriate backgrounds who are majoring in chemistry, physics, biology, geology and geophysics, mathematics, and computer science. For information about majors in engineering and their related courses, see under Biomedical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Environmental Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering in this chapter.

The School of Engineering and Applied Science is responsible for courses in the other two categories: technology for students majoring in subjects other than engineering and the natural sciences, and topics common to students majoring in engineering or the natural sciences. Courses for non-science majors are intended for all students seeking a broad perspective on issues of scientific and technological import, and they introduce students who may be planning careers in law, business, or public service to concepts and methods of engineering and applied science. Courses for science and engineering majors include topics in applied mathematics and computation.

COURSES WITHOUT PREREQUISITES IN ENGINEERING

*ENAS 060b/APHY 060b/PHYS 060b, Energy Technology and Society*  Paul Fleury  
The technology and use of energy. Effects on the environment, climate, security, and economy. Application of scientific reasoning and quantitative analysis. Intended for non-science majors with strong backgrounds in math and science. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  QR, SC Fr sem

*ENAS 110b/APHY 110b, The Technological World*  Victor Henrich  
For description see under Applied Physics.

*ENAS 120b/CENG 120b/ENVE 120b, Introduction to Environmental Engineering*  Jordan Peccia  
For description see under Environmental Engineering.
*ENAS 323a, Creativity and New Product Development  Henry Bolanos
An overview of the stages of product development in a competitive marketplace, with simulation of the process in class. A hands-on approach to creativity and the development process.  So

ENAS 335a/EP&E 204a, Professional Ethics  Mercedes Carreras
A theoretical and case-oriented approach to ethical decision making. Concepts, tools, and methods for constructing and justifying solutions to moral problems that students may face as professionals.  So

ENAS 360b/ENVE 360b, Green Engineering and Sustainable Design
Julie Zimmerman, Matthew Eckelman
For description see under Environmental Engineering.

ENAS 443a/ENVE 443a/F&ES 380a, Greening Business Operations
Thomas Graedel and staff
For description see under Environmental Engineering.

APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTATION COURSES

ENAS 130b, Introduction to Computing for Engineers and Scientists  Marshall Long
An introduction to the use of the Fortran and C++ programming languages and the software packages Mathematica and MATLAB to solve a variety of problems encountered in mathematics, the natural sciences, and engineering. General problem-solving techniques, object-oriented programming, elementary numerical methods, data analysis, and a brief introduction to numerical simulations. Prerequisite: MATH 115 or equivalent.  QR

ENAS 151a or b, Multivariable Calculus for Engineers  Victor Henrich [F], Mitchell Smooke [Sp]
An introduction to multivariable calculus focusing on applications to engineering problems. Topics include vector-valued functions, vector analysis, partial differentiation, multiple integrals, vector calculus, and the theorems of Green, Stokes, and Gauss. Prerequisite: MATH 115 or equivalent.  QR  RP

ENAS 194a or b, Ordinary and Partial Differential Equations with Applications
Charles Ahn and staff
Basic theory of ordinary and partial differential equations useful in applications. First- and second-order equations, separation of variables, power series solutions, Fourier series, Laplace transforms. Prerequisites: ENAS 151 or equivalent, and knowledge of matrix-based operations.  QR  RP

ENAS 391a, Dynamics of Evolving Systems  J. Rimas Vašnys
Use of a computer to investigate the behavior of increasingly complex natural systems; construction of quantitative theories about natural phenomena. Emphasis on systems of biological interest. After ENAS 194 or equivalent.  QR  RP

ENAS 397b/EENG 397b, Mathematical Methods in Engineering  J. Rimas Vašnys
For description see under Electrical Engineering.

ENAS 428b, Sensors and Biosensors  Eugenio Culurciello
Analysis of the design of integrated sensors, using modern fabrication technologies and recent circuit topologies. Creation of a framework for sensor design that attains
performance as close as possible to the fundamental limits of transduction and processing. Particular attention to mapping algorithms and topologies into circuits that can match the physical level of the quantities to be sensed. Students develop sensory systems for biomedical application and for sensor networks.  

**ENAS 440a**/**MENG 440a, Applied Numerical Methods I**  Beth Anne Bennett  
The derivation, analysis, and implementation of various numerical methods. Topics include root-finding methods, numerical solution of systems of linear and nonlinear equations, eigenvalue/eigenvector approximation, polynomial-based interpolation, and numerical integration. Additional topics such as computational cost, error analysis, and convergence explored in selected contexts. Prerequisites: MATH 115, and 222 or 225, or equivalents; ENAS 130 or some knowledge of MATLAB, C++, or Fortran programming.  

**ENAS 441b**/**MENG 441b, Applied Numerical Methods II**  Beth Anne Bennett  
The derivation, analysis, and implementation of numerical methods for the solution of ordinary and partial differential equations, both linear and nonlinear. Additional topics such as computational cost, error estimation, and stability analysis explored in selected contexts. Prerequisites: MATH 115, and 222 or 225, or equivalents; ENAS 130 or some knowledge of MATLAB, C++, or Fortran programming; ENAS 194 or equivalent. ENAS 440 is not a prerequisite.  

**ENAS 452a, MEMS Design**  Hür Köser  
An introduction to the broad field of microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), using examples and design projects drawn from real-world MEMS applications. Topics include material properties, microfabrication technologies, structural behavior, sensing techniques, actuation schemes, fluid behavior, simple electronic circuits, and feedback systems. Prerequisites: ENAS 194 or equivalent, and knowledge of MATLAB. Recommended preparation: EENG 325 and some familiarity with microfabrication. Open only to seniors majoring in engineering disciplines except with permission of instructor.  

**ENAS 496b**, **Probability and Stochastic Processes**  Sekhar Tatikonda and staff  

**English Language and Literature**

Director of undergraduate studies: John Rogers; associate director of undergraduate studies: Caleb Smith; 107 LC, 432-2224; registrar: Erica Sayers (erica.sayers@yale.edu); assistant registrar: Jennifer Sholtis (jennifer.sholtis@yale.edu), english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program

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**Lecturers** Jill Abramson, Edward Barnaby, Emily Barton, Steven Brill, Richard Deming, Andrew Ehrgood, Joseph Gordon, Karin Gosselink, Alfred Guy, Gordon Harvey, Rosemary Jones, Penelope Laurans, John Loge, Mark Oppenheimer, Paula Resch, Pamela Schirmeister, Kim Shirkhani, Joel Silverman, Margaret Spillane, Michele Stepto, Barbara Stuart, Leslie Woodard

Courses offered by the Department of English are designed to develop students’ understanding of important works of English, American, and world literatures in English; to provide historical perspectives from which to read and analyze these works; and to deepen students’ insight into their own experience. Courses also aim to develop students’ abilities to express their ideas orally and in writing.

**Introductory courses** Courses numbered from 114 to 135 are introductory. Students planning to elect an introductory course in English should refer to the departmental Web site, english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program, for information about preregistration.

**Prerequisite** It is valuable for students majoring in English to have both a detailed understanding of major poets who have written in English and some acquaintance with the classics of European and American literature. The prerequisite for the major is ENGL 125, 126. It is strongly recommended that prospective English majors take at least ENGL 125 or 126 by the end of the sophomore year. If a student takes both ENGL 125 and 126, then any two terms of ENGL 114, 115, 120, 121, 127–130, or DRST 001, 002 in the Directed Studies program, or THST 110, 111 may count toward the twelve remaining term courses required for the major. If ENGL 125 and 126 are not taken, two terms of ENGL 114, 115, 127–130, or DRST 001, 002 may count as the prerequisite so long as the student also takes, as part of the major, four advanced courses that deal substantially and intensively with poets included in ENGL 125 and 126. Two of these courses should substitute for two of the three units in ENGL 125 (Chaucer, Spenser, and a Renaissance lyric poet), and two should substitute for two of the four units in ENGL 126 (Milton, Pope, Wordsworth, and a major modern poet). Courses that deal with more than one poet are acceptable for this purpose. Such courses may also count toward the requirement of three term courses in English literature before 1800 and one term course in English literature before 1900.
Regardless of how the prerequisite is fulfilled, the total number of term courses toward
the major may not be fewer than fourteen, of which no more than four may be introductory
(below the level of 150).

Advanced courses Courses numbered 150 and above are open to upperclassmen; the faculty
recommends that students both within and outside the major prepare for such work with
two terms of introductory English. Starred courses, limited in enrollment, are seminars
intended primarily for junior and senior English majors. Sophomores and nonmajors may
be admitted where openings are available. Students are strongly encouraged to consult the
director of undergraduate studies, the departmental representative in their residential col-
lege, and their departmental adviser for advice about their course choices.

When choosing courses, students should bear in mind that the English department’s
lecture courses and seminars play different roles in the curriculum. Lecture courses cover
major periods, genres, and figures of English and American literature. They serve as general
surveys of their subjects, and are typically offered every year or every other year. Seminars,
by contrast, offer more specialized or intensive treatment of their topics, or engage topics not
addressed in the lecture courses (for example, topics that span periods and genres). While
seminars are often offered more than once, students should not expect the same seminars
to be offered from one year to the next. Sophomores and juniors are encouraged to enroll in
lecture courses in order to gain broad perspectives in preparation for more specialized study.

The major Each student, in consultation with a departmental faculty adviser, bears the
responsibility for designing a coherent program, which must include the following elements.

Each student must take: (1) three term courses in literature written in English before
1800, one term course in literature written in English before 1900, and one term course in
American literature, all representing a variety of periods and figures. Courses satisfying this
requirement are indicated by the phrase “Pre-1800,” “Pre-1900,” or “Amer” at the end of the
course description. Pre-1800 courses can, by definition, satisfy the pre-1900 requirement.
Courses in American literature in the pre-1800 or pre-1900 periods can satisfy both one of
the period requirements and the American requirement; (2) at least one seminar in both the
junior and the senior years. The nature of senior seminars (400-level literature seminars)
is discussed below.

Certain residential college seminars, with permission of the director of undergraduate
studies, may be substituted for a departmental seminar; courses in creative writing may
not. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may be counted toward the major.

A student whose program meets these requirements may count toward the major two
upper-level literature courses in other departments, whether in English translation or in
another language; alternatively, the student may count one such literature course and, with
the permission of an adviser, one other upper-level course in any subject that is relevant
to the student’s major in English. Such courses may not be counted toward the pre-1800
or the pre-1900 requirement. Two courses in creative writing may be counted toward the
major. A student may petition the director of undergraduate studies for permission to
include a third writing course.

In exceptional cases, a student whose interests and aims are well defined may, in consul-
tation with the director of undergraduate studies, work out a program of study departing
from the usual requirements of the major. Such a program must, however, meet the stated
general criteria of range and coherence. For interdepartmental programs that include
courses covering English literature, see the Literature Major; Directed Studies; American
Studies; African American Studies; Ethnicity, Race, and Migration; Theater Studies; and
Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies.

Students considering graduate work in English should be aware that a reading knowl-
edge of certain classical and modern European languages is ordinarily required for admis-
sion to graduate study, and that a course orienting them to critical theory can be especially
helpful preparation for graduate study.

**Senior requirement** Students must complete a two-course senior requirement consisting
of one of the following combinations: (1) a senior seminar and a senior essay; (2) two senior
seminars; (3) a senior seminar or senior essay, and a junior seminar in which the student,
with the permission of the instructor, fulfills the senior requirement; (4) a two-term senior
essay, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies; (5) a senior seminar or
senior essay followed by the senior project in the writing concentration. Students who wish
to complete the senior requirement by the end of the fall term of the senior year may begin
it in the spring of the junior year.

**Senior seminar** Senior seminars are open to interested juniors as well, but one must be
taken in the senior year to fulfill the senior requirement. These courses, usually numbered
400–449, are listed in the section “Senior Seminars.” The final essays written for senior
seminars should provide an appropriate culmination to the student’s work in the major
and in Yale College. Such essays should rest on substantial independent work and should
be approximately twenty double-spaced pages in length. In researching and writing the
essay, the student should consult regularly with the seminar instructor, and may consult
with other faculty members as well. Seniors, with the permission of the director of under-
graduate studies and the instructor, may arrange to take a junior seminar for one term of
the senior requirement. At the start of term the student must arrange with the instructor to
do any additional work necessary to make the course an appropriate capstone experience.

**The senior essay** The senior essay is an independent literary-critical project on a topic
of the student’s own design, which is undertaken in regular consultation with a faculty
adviser. It should ordinarily be written on a topic in an area on which the student has
focused in previous studies. It may be written during one or two terms; single-term essays
may be converted to yearlong essays through application to the director of undergraduate
studies. See the course listings for ENGL 490 and 491 for procedures. Students fulfilling
the senior requirement through a two-term senior essay or through a senior essay followed
by the senior writing concentration project must take a seminar during their senior year,
but it need not be a 400-level seminar.

**Writing courses** Besides introductory courses that concentrate on the writing of expository
prose (ENGL 114, 115, 120, 121), the English department offers several creative writing courses
(ENGL 245, 246, and 450–469). These courses are open to all students on the basis of the
instructor’s judgment of their work. Instructions for the submission of writing samples
for admission to creative writing seminars and workshops are available in 107 LC and on
the English department Web site at english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program. Students may in some cases arrange a tutorial in writing (ENGL 470), normally after having taken intermediate and advanced writing courses. All students interested in creative writing courses should also consult the current listing of residential college seminars.

**The writing concentration** The writing concentration is a special course of study open to students in the English major with demonstrated interest and achievement in writing. Admission is competitive. Interested English majors normally apply for admission to the concentration during the second term of their junior year. Application can also be made during the first term of the senior year. Every student admitted to the concentration must complete at least eleven literature courses as well as the other requirements of the major. Students admitted to the writing concentration may count up to four creative writing courses toward completion of the B.A. degree in English; the four courses must include at least two courses in one genre and at least one course in another genre; at least three must be at the 400 level; only one of the four courses may be introductory (ENGL 245 or 246). Residential college seminars are not acceptable for credit toward the writing concentration, except by permission of the director of undergraduate studies. As one of the four writing courses, each student must complete ENGL 480, The Writing Concentration Senior Project, a tutorial in which students produce a single sustained piece of writing or a portfolio of shorter works. The writing concentration senior project may be offered in partial fulfillment of the senior requirement.

Seniors applying for the spring of 2012 must do so by November 18, 2011. Juniors applying to the writing concentration for the fall of 2012 must do so by noon on April 9, 2012. Students are admitted selectively on the overall strength of their performance in the major and on the quality of their writing samples.

**Advising** A student planning a program of study in English should consult as early as possible with the appropriate residential college departmental representative:

- BK, J. Rogers
- BR, L. Peterson [F]; R. Frank [Sp]
- CC, A. Hungerford
- DC, M. Warner
- TD, C. Nicholson
- JE, D. Bromwich
- MC, L. Brisman
- PC, S. Markovits
- SY, M. Robinson
- SM, J. Brantley
- ES, P. Fry [F]; to be announced [Sp]
- TC, J. Carlisle

Schedules for all majors must be discussed with, and approved by, a faculty adviser from the English department, the director of undergraduate studies, or the associate director of undergraduate studies. Only then may they be submitted to the residential college dean’s office. During the sixth term, each student completes a statement outlining progress in the major, in consultation with the student’s adviser.

Applications and prospectuses for ENGL 490 and 491 and writing samples for admission to writing courses are received in the office of the English major in 107 LC or on line as directed on the English department Web site. Prospectuses and applications for senior essays should be submitted during the designated sign-up period in the term before enrollment is intended. Students will receive e-mail notification of acceptances; students with
any questions about admission should come to the office of the director of undergraduate studies, 107 LC.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisite** ENGL 125, 126 or, with 4 addtl courses in major English poets, 2 terms selected from DRST 001 or 002 or ENGL 114, 115, 127, 129, or 130

**Number of courses** 14 term courses (incl prereq and senior req)

**Distribution of courses** 3 courses in lit in English before 1800, 1 course in lit in English before 1900, and 1 course in American lit, all representing a variety of figures and periods; 2 sems, 1 in junior, 1 in senior year; no more than 4 intro-level courses (ENGL 114–135)

**Substitution permitted** 2 upper-level lit courses in other depts or, with permission, 1 upper-level lit course and 1 addtl upper-level course in other depts may count toward the major; 2 creative writing courses (ENGL 245, 246, 450–469) may count toward the major; college sem designated by DUS for sem

**Senior requirement** 1 senior sem (ENGL 400–449) and senior essay (ENGL 490); or 2 sems in senior year, 1 of which is a senior sem, the other certified for senior req; or, with DUS permission, two-term senior essay; or 1 senior sem or senior essay and writing concentration senior project (ENGL 489)

**INTRODUCTORY COURSES**

Freshmen who wish to take a fall-term introductory course in English must register for a specific section during the online registration on Tuesday, August 30. Details about electronic registration will be available on the English department Web site at [english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program](http://english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program). Syllabi showing the different topics taught in sections of ENGL 114a, 115a, and 121a will be posted on this site approximately two weeks before the beginning of classes. For further information about the levels of introductory courses and the guidelines for placement, see the Freshman Web site, [yalecollege.yale.edu/content/english-language-and-literature-1](http://yalecollege.yale.edu/content/english-language-and-literature-1). Students uncertain about which course to take or with questions about enrollment in introductory courses should consult with a faculty member during English Department Placement on August 30 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. in 102 LC. Those who miss the initial registration may attend the section they would like to join, where, if there is space, they may be admitted by the instructor; if the section is full, they may be placed on a waiting list. Upperclassmen should register for introductory courses during the same electronic registration period on August 30. Students wishing to begin or to continue introductory English study in the spring can preregister for courses on line starting the first week of December. Consult the English department Web site for details. If, after consulting the departmental Web site, you have questions about English courses, call 432-2226 or send an e-mail message to erica.sayers@yale.edu.

A note about class attendance: (1) to retain their place in a section, students must attend the first and all subsequent meetings of the class until the end of the second week of classes. If a student misses a class without informing the instructor beforehand, his or her place will immediately be filled from the waiting list; (2) students may change their section by attending the desired section. If there are no available seats, the student may be placed on the instructor’s waiting list for that section.
English for Freshmen

**ENGL 010a, Jane Austen**  Stefanie Markovits
Close study of Austen’s novels, with special attention to the critique of social and literary convention. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  wr, hu  fr sem, Pre-1900

**ENGL 011a/PLSC 025a, Lincoln in Thought and Action**  David Bromwich
An intensive examination of the career, political thought, and speeches of Abraham Lincoln in their historical context. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  wr, hu  fr sem, Amer, Pre-1900

**ENGL 114a or b, Writing Seminars**  Janice Carlisle [F], Karin Gosselink [Sp], and staff
Instruction in writing well-reasoned analyses and academic arguments, with emphasis on the importance of reading, research, and revision. Using examples of nonfiction prose from a variety of academic disciplines, individual sections focus on topics such as vision, word games, science and education, experts and expertise, the good life, and dissent in American culture.  wr

**ENGL 115a or b, Literature Seminars**  Staff
Exploration of major themes in selected works of literature. Individual sections focus on topics such as war, justice, childhood, and the natural world. Emphasis on the development of writing skills and the analysis of fiction, poetry, drama, and nonfiction prose.  wr, hu

English for Freshmen and Sophomores

Courses numbered 120 through 130 are especially appropriate for freshmen whose SAT and English Advanced Placement test scores fall within the range specified on the Freshman Web site, yalecollege.yale.edu/content/english-language-and-literature-1:

**ENGL 120a or b, Reading and Writing the Modern Essay**  Fred Strebeigh and staff
Close study of selected works of nonfiction prepares students to become critical readers and to apply professionals’ strategies to their own writing. Readings from such authors as Joan Didion, Malcolm Gladwell, Maxine Hong Kingston, N. Scott Momaday, George Orwell, Brent Staples, Jonathan Swift, Henry David Thoreau, Tom Wolfe, and Alice Walker. Written assignments, involving frequent revision, include autobiography, portraiture, nature writing, cultural critique, and formal argument.  wr

**ENGL 121a or b, Styles of Academic and Professional Prose**  Andrew Ehrgood and staff
A seminar and workshop in the conventions of good writing in a specific field. Each section focuses on one academic or professional kind of writing and explores its distinctive features through a variety of written and oral assignments, in which students both analyze and practice writing in the field. Planned sections for 2011–2012 include reviewing the performing arts, writing about food, legal writing, writing in the social sciences, nature writing, and writing about visual art. Prerequisite: ENGL 114 or 120 or permission of instructor. Not open to freshmen in the fall term.  wr

**ENGL 125a and 126b, Major English Poets**  John Rogers and staff
A study of the diversity and the continuity of the English literary tradition through close reading of the work of its major poets. Emphasis on developing skills of interpretation
and critical writing. In the fall term, Chaucer, Spenser, and a Renaissance lyric poet. In the spring term, Milton, Pope, Wordsworth, and a modern poet. WR, HU

*ENGL 127a or b, Readings in American Literature* GerShun Avilez and staff
Major works of the American literary tradition in a variety of poetic and narrative forms and in diverse historical contexts. Emphasis on analytical reading and critical writing. Authors may include Melville, Poe, Hawthorne, Bryant, Whitman, Dickinson, Thoreau, Emerson, Douglass, Stowe, Twain, Wharton, Cather, H. Crane, Stevens, Stein, L. Hughes, Paredes, Ellison, O’Connor, Ginsberg, Lowell, O’Hara, M. Robinson, C. McCarthy, Morrison, E. P. Jones, J. Díaz. WR, HU Amer

*ENGL 129a, Tragedy* Margaret Homans and staff
The genre of tragedy from its origins in ancient Greece and Rome through the European Renaissance to the present day. Themes of justice, religion, free will, family, gender, race, and dramaturgy in classics of stage and page. Works include Homer’s *Iliad* and plays by Aeschylus, Sophocles, Euripides, Seneca, Shakespeare, Racine, Ibsen, Chekhov, Brecht, Beckett, and Soyinka. Focus on textual analysis and developing the craft of persuasive argument through writing. WR, HU

*ENGL 130b, Epic* Stefanie Markovits and staff
The epic tradition traced from its foundations in ancient Greece and Rome to the modern novel. Consideration of the creation of cultural values and identities; issues of exile and homecoming; the heroic in times of war and of peace; the role of the individual within society; memory and history; politics of gender, race, and religion. Works include Homer’s *Odyssey*, Vergil’s *Aeneid*, Dante’s *Inferno*, Cervantes’s *Don Quixote*, and Joyce’s *Ulysses*. Focus on textual analysis and developing the craft of persuasive argument through writing. WR, HU

**Sophomore Seminar**

*ENGL 131a, Versification* Penelope Laurans
A course in history and practice: at once a historical study of the evolving technical aspects of English verse from Anglo-Saxon through modern times and a writing course that requires regular exercises in meters and stanza forms. Intended principally for aspiring poets who wish to learn the history of their craft, but open also to students of poetry who wish to have a firmer command of historical and technical poetic matters. HU

**ADVANCED COURSES**

Starred courses numbered 150 or above may be used to fulfill the two-seminar requirement for English majors.

*ENGL 154b/HIST 228b, Vikings* Roberta Frank, Anders Winroth
Introduction to the history, literature, and culture of Scandinavia between 700 and 1250. Viking raids, skaldic and eddic poetry, Icelandic sagas, and northern myths; rune-stones, ships, halls, and swords in literature and history; Viking women, northern trade, colonization, Christianization, and Viking landings in America. HU Pre-1800

*ENGL 170b, Chaucer: The Canterbury Tales* Alastair Minnis
A reading of selected Canterbury Tales, with reference to the work as a whole. The significance of the tales within medieval culture, including issues of pilgrimage, chivalry,
tolerance and intolerance for non-Christian peoples, courtly love, discourses of class and
gender, the balance of tragedy and comedy, beast fable and moral truth, and the purpose
and ends of literature.  

ENGL 194b/AFAM 194b/AMST 194b/DEVN 194b, African American Arts Today
Elizabeth Alexander
For description see under DeVane Lecture Courses.  

ENGL 200b, Shakespeare: Comedies and Romances  Lawrence Manley
Love, sex, gender, society, and theater practice in Shakespeare's comic genres, from the early
farces and romantic comedies to the problem plays and late romances.  Pre-1800

ENGL 201a, Shakespeare: Histories and Tragedies  David Scott Kastan
A study of Shakespeare's histories and tragedies, focusing on attentive reading of the play
texts and consideration of the theatrical, literary, intellectual, political, and social worlds
in which the plays were written and performed.  Pre-1800

*ENGL 215b, English Comic Drama, 1660–1800  Jill Campbell
A survey of Restoration and eighteenth-century comic drama: plays, criticism, and
performance histories of Etherege, Wycherley, Behn, Congreve, Steele, Gay, Fielding,
Goldsmith, and Sheridan.  Pre-1800

ENGL 220a, Milton  John Rogers
A study of Milton's poetry, with some attention to his literary sources, his contempo-
raries, his controversial prose, and his decisive influence on the course of English poetry.
Pre-1800

*ENGL 229a/AFAM 245a, Representing U.S. Slavery  Anthony Reed
The strategies, limitations, and ethics of representing slavery in a range of texts from the
eighteenth, nineteenth, and twentieth centuries. Shifting meanings of race, gender, free-
dom, and emancipation in these texts. Pre-1900 with permission of instructor.  Pre-1800

*ENGL 235b, The Eighteenth-Century British Novel  Wendy Lee
The genesis of the modern novel in British fiction of the eighteenth century. The quirks
of eighteenth-century fiction: its violent sense of humor, outrageous sexuality, unhinged
narrative economy, and staple characters of orphans, maids, and castaways.  Pre-1800

*ENGL 236a/AMST 330a, Dystopic and Utopian Fictions  James Berger
For description see under American Studies.  Pre-1800

*ENGL 248a/EVST 325a, Nature Writing in the English-Speaking World
Linda Peterson
Natural history and environmental writing in the English-speaking world from the late
eighteenth century to the present. Readings include Gilbert White's Natural History
of Selborne, Thoreau's Walden, and Darwin's Voyage of the Beagle, as well as recent work
by writers from Canada, the United States, India, and South Africa.  Pre-1900

*ENGL 249b/HUMS 361b/LITR 202b, English Literature and the French Revolution
David Bromwich
A survey of political, moral, and literary works evoked by the revolution controversy,
including those by Burke, Wordsworth, and Wollstonecraft.  Pre-1800
*ENGL 250a, Romantic Poetry  Leslie Brisman
An introduction to the work of Blake, Coleridge, Wordsworth, Shelley, and Keats, with some attention to Byron and the minor poets of this rich period of poetic innovation and revolutionary spirit. If there is sufficient interest, a second section will be offered.
WR, HU  RP  Pre-1900

ENGL 251b, Major British Romantic Poetry  Paul Fry
The major works of Blake, Wordsworth, Coleridge, Byron, Shelley, and Keats. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University-Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.
HU  Pre-1900

ENGL 265b, The Victorian Novel  Stefanie Markovits
A selection of nineteenth-century novels, with attention to cultural contexts. Authors chosen from the Brontës, Gaskell, Dickens, Collins, Eliot, Hardy, and Trollope.
HU  Pre-1900

ENGL 266a, Dickens  Janice Carlisle
Charles Dickens as storyteller, social critic, and literary artist. Fiction from Dickens’s early career (selections from Pickwick Papers; Oliver Twist), his middle years (Bleak House), and the last decade of his life (Great Expectations and The Mystery of Edwin Drood).
HU  Pre-1900

*ENGL 276a/HUMS 354a, Ways of Knowing in Nineteenth-Century American Literature  Pamela Schirmeister
An examination of the ways in which nineteenth-century literary texts embody and express contested philosophical, epistemological, and historical claims about the developing American nation. Works by Brockden Brown, Poe, Emerson, Hawthorne, Melville, Thoreau, Henry James, and William James, with some attention to concurrent historical materials such as the Federalist Papers, the Journals of Lewis and Clark, and political speeches.
WR, HU  Amer, Pre-1900

ENGL 280b/AMST 210b, Nineteenth-Century American Literature, the Revolution to 1865  Michael Warner
A survey of antebellum American literature, with emphasis on the relationships of law, literature, and democracy in the works of Emerson, Thoreau, Poe, Hawthorne, Stowe, Douglass, Melville, Whitman, and Dickinson. Definitions of “the people”; the expansion of the literary public sphere; market relations and literary democracy; and concepts of public voice in law and literature as inflected by the contexts of race and gender.
HU  Amer, Pre-1900

*ENGL 284b/LING 151b, Linguistics and Literature  Raffaella Zanuttini, Erica Miao
For description see under Linguistics.

ENGL 289a/AMST 246a, Hemingway, Fitzgerald, Faulkner  Wai Chee Dimock
Interconnections in novels and short stories by Hemingway, Fitzgerald, and Faulkner, using three analytic scales: the macro history of the United States and the world; the formal and stylistic innovations of modernism; and the small details of sensory input and psychic life.
HU  Amer

*ENGL 294a/AFAM 294a, African American Literature I: 1740–1900  Robert Stepto
For description see under African American Studies.
Amer, Pre-1900
*ENGL 295b/AFAM 295b/AMST 295b, African American Literature II: 1900–1970  
Jacqueline Goldsby  
For description see under African American Studies.  
Amer

*ENGL 297b, Issues in Modern Literary Theory  
Paul Fry  
An introduction to four central issues in modern literary theory: intention and meaning;  
form and content; sign and referent (the linguistic conditioning of speech); community  
and utterance (the social conditioning of speech). Offered in Beijing, China. See under  
Peking University—Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  
HU

ENGL 300b/LITR 300b, Introduction to Theory of Literature  
Carol Jacobs  
For description see under Literature.

*ENGL 304a/AFAM 344a/WGSS 331a, Black Women Writers of the 1940s and 1950s  
Jacqueline Goldsby  
An examination of short fiction, autobiographies, poetry, plays, and novels by African  
American women from the end of World War II to 1965. Works by Lorraine Hansberry,  
Zora Neale Hurston, Era Bell Thompson, Margaret Walker, Gwendolyn Brooks, Ann  
Petry, Dorothy West, Paule Marshall, and Adrienne Kennedy. The paradox of the formalist  
breakthroughs of this generation’s writings and its critical neglect as a literary  
movement.  
HU  
Amer

*ENGL 306b/AFAM 423b/AMST 384b, American Artists and the African American  
Book  
Robert Stepto  
For description see under African American Studies.  
Amer

ENGL 310b, Modern Poetry  
Susan Chambers  
Major twentieth-century poets, including Yeats, Frost, Pound, Eliot, Moore, Stevens, and  
Auden. Counts as an American literature course with permission of instructor.  
HU

*ENGL 312b, Modernisms in Canada  
Dean Irvine  
Modernist literature and theater in Canada from the end of World War I through the  
decade following World War II. Aesthetic responses to ideas of the modern, the  
processes and technologies of modernization, and the conditions of social, cultural, economic,  
and political modernity as articulated by Canadian poets, novelists, short-story writers, and  
dramatists.  
HU

*ENGL 314a, The Irish Literary Revival  
Joe Cleary  
A broad overview of Irish culture and literature between roughly 1890 and the end  
of World War II. The efforts of Irish writers to end Ireland’s long-standing cultural  
subordination to England and to create a distinctive and distinguished Irish national litera-  
ture. Discussion of recent postcolonial, Marxist, and world literature critical approaches  
to the period. Authors include Oscar Wilde, W. B. Yeats, James Joyce, Elizabeth Bowen,  
and Samuel Beckett.  
HU

*ENGL 318b, British Literature since World War II  
Joseph Gordon  
A survey of British novels and some plays written since the end of the Second World  
War. Authors include Anthony Burgess, A. S. Byatt, Caryl Churchill, Ian McEwan,  
V. S. Naipaul, George Orwell, Tom Stoppard, and Muriel Spark.  
WR, HU
*ENGL 321a/HUMS 246a/LITR 357a, Visual Culture in Literature, Drama, and Film
Edward Barnaby
For description see under Literature.

*ENGL 325b/AMST 257b, Modern Apocalyptic Narratives  James Berger
For description see under American Studies.

*ENGL 329b/AMST 406b, The Spectacle of Disability  James Berger
For description see under American Studies.

*ENGL 336b/LITR 323b/THST 303b, The Opera Libretto  J. D. McClatchy
A selective survey of the genre from its seventeenth-century Italian origins to the present day. The libretto’s history, from opera seria to opéra comique to melodrama, featuring librettos by Hofmannsthal, W. S. Gilbert, and Auden. Emphasis on literary adaptations, from Da Ponte and Beaumarchais to Britten and Thomas Mann. Source material includes works by Shakespeare, Schiller, Hugo, Melville, and Tennessee Williams. Readings in English; musical background not required.  WR, HU

*ENGL 339a/AFAM 327a/AMST 373a/WGSS 336a, American Literary Nationalisms  GerShun Avilez
For description see under African American Studies.  Amer

*ENGL 341b/AMST 346b, American Literature and the World  Wai Chee Dimock
American literature as a gateway to the rest of the world. Key texts from the eighteenth century to the twenty-first, including works by Olaudah Equiano, Paul Bowles, Dave Eggers, Ernest Hemingway, Gertrude Stein, Monique Truong, Amy Tan, Ruth Ozeki, Jhumpa Lahiri, Cristina Garcia, Edwidge Danticat, and Junot Díaz.  HU  Amer

*ENGL 343a/LITR 268a/SAST 371a, Postcolonial Studies  Shital Pravinchandra
Introduction to key writers, literary works, concepts, and issues in the field of postcolonial studies. Definitions of the term “postcolonial,” including to whom it can be applied; the cultural, psychological, and political consequences of colonization; opinions of non-Western writers about current cultural and political climates and the historical processes that shaped them.  HU

*ENGL 358b, Literature for Young People  Michele Stepto
An eclectic approach to stories and storytelling for and by children. Authors include Nathaniel Hawthorne, Louisa May Alcott, J. K. Rowling, Leo Lionni, Laurent de Brunhoff, Dr. Seuss, Maurice Sendak, and children themselves.  HU  RP

*ENGL 361b/THST 329b, Theater Now  Marc Robinson
For description see under Theater Studies.

*ENGL 364b/AFAM 369b/AMST 378b/LITR 271b/THST 369b, African American Theater  Paige McGinley
For description see under Theater Studies.  Amer

*ENGL 369a/ER&M 367a/WGSS 369a, Adoption Narratives  Margaret Homans
A survey of nineteenth- and twentieth-century U.S. and British representations of adoption in fiction, memoir, poetry, drama, film, and social science writing. Special attention to the implications for adoption narratives of recent theories of race, gender, identity, and trauma.  WR, HU
*ENGL 371b/AFAM 389b/WGSS 389b, Sexuality in African American Literature and Popular Culture  GerShun Avilez
For description see under African American Studies.  Amer

*ENGL 374b, Renaissance Lyric  Lawrence Manley
A survey of English lyric poetry from the early sixteenth century through the mid-seventeenth, focusing on poetic forms and traditions and the place of poetry in the social, political, and religious life of the time. Authors include Wyatt, Sidney, Marlowe, Shakespeare, Aemylia Lanyer, Donne, Jonson, Herbert, Herrick, Milton, Lovelace, and Marvell.  WR, HU  RP  Pre-1800

*ENGL 377b/HUMS 209b/THST 377b, Problem Plays  Murray Biggs
For description see under Theater Studies.

*ENGL 385b/WGSS 339b, Feminist Fictions  Margaret Homans
Historical survey of works of fiction that have shaped feminist and queer thought from the late eighteenth century to the present. Authors include Wollstonecraft, C. Brontë, H. Jacobs, C. P. Gilman, Chopin, Woolf, Hurston, Wittig, LeGuin, Morrison, Anzaldua, and Winterson.  WR, HU

*ENGL 395b/LITR 154b, The Bible as Literature  Leslie Brisman
Study of the Bible as a literature—a collection of works exhibiting a variety of attitudes toward the conflicting claims of tradition and originality, historicity and literariness. Pre-1800 with completion of supplementary assignments in the language of the King James Bible. If there is sufficient interest, a second section will be offered.  WR, HU  RP

SENIOR SEMINARS

Senior English majors fulfilling the senior requirement have priority placement in senior seminars. These courses are also open to interested juniors and seniors outside the major when space is available.

*ENGL 405b/AFAM 406b/AMST 405b, Autobiography in America  Robert Stepto
For description see under American Studies.  Amer

*ENGL 410b, The World of James Merrill  Langdon Hammer
James Merrill's life and writing in the context of Keats, Proust, Stevens, Yeats, Cavafy, Rilke, Mallarmé, Auden, Bishop, Mozart, and Wagner. Topics include the occult, homosexuality from the era of the Closet to AIDS, psychoanalysis, New York School painting and poetry, Japanese theater, cosmopolitanism, Greece in the 1960s, environmental catastrophe, and the use of biography in literary criticism.  Amer

*ENGL 411b/FILM 355b, Shakespeare on Film  Brian Walsh
A survey of the lively tradition of putting Shakespeare's plays on film, from the beginnings of cinema at the close of the nineteenth century to the present day.  HU

*ENGL 412b, Victorian Poetry  Leslie Brisman
The major Victorian poets, Tennyson and Browning, in the context of the romanticism they inherit and transform. Significant attention to Barrett Browning's *Aurora Leigh*, and some attention to Swinburne, the Rossettis, and Morris.  WR, HU  RP  Pre-1900
*ENGL 416a, Contemporary British Fiction  Caryl Phillips
A study of literature that responds to a changing post–World War II Britain, with attention to the problem of who “belongs” and who is an “outsider.” Authors include Alan Hollinghurst, Kazuo Ishiguro, Colin McInnes, Samuel Selvon, Ruth Prawer Jhabvala, and John Osborne.  WR, HU  RP

*ENGL 419a/AMST 366a/THST 355a, Modernism and American Theater  Marc Robinson
For description see under Theater Studies.  Amer

*ENGL 431a, The Brontës and Their Afterlives  Linda Peterson
The novels of Charlotte, Emily, and Anne Brontë, with modern adaptations in film and fiction. Additional readings include Gaskell’s Life of Charlotte Brontë, Sinclair’s Three Sisters, and Rhys’s Wide Sargasso Sea; films include Jane Eyre, Wuthering Heights, and “biographies” of the Brontë sisters.  WR, HU  Pre-1900

*ENGL 435a, Henry James  Ruth Yeazell
Selected novels by Henry James, from Roderick Hudson through The Golden Bowl. Particular attention to the international theme and to the ways in which James’s later novels revisit and transform the matter of his earlier ones.  WR, HU  Amer, Pre-1900

*ENGL 437b, William Faulkner  Caleb Smith
The fiction of William Faulkner, with attention to literary, historical, and critical sources. Problems of history, memory, race, sexuality, and power. Other authors may include Poe, Hawthorne, Douglass, Anderson, Welty, and Morrison.  WR, HU  Amer

*ENGL 438a and 439b/THST 473a and 474b, Directed Independent Study:  Eugene O’Neill  Murray Biggs
For description see under Theater Studies.

*ENGL 442a/AFAM 434a, Music and Poetics in the African Diaspora  Anthony Reed
Reading of canonical and recent poetry and criticism to discern the connections between music and poetics in the anglophone literature of the African diaspora. Techniques and uses of music, sound, and sound engineering in black literary culture. Emphasis on jazz, blues, and poetry.  WR, HU  (Formerly ENGL 332)

*ENGL 443a©/AFAM 408a©/AMST 460a©, African American Poets of the Modern Era  Robert Stepto
For description see under African American Studies.  Amer

*ENGL 446b©, Virginia Woolf  Margaret Homans
A study of the major novels and other writings by Virginia Woolf, with additional readings in twentieth-century culture and politics and in Woolf biography and criticism. Focus on Woolf’s responses and contributions to literary and political movements of her day and on the contemporary and recent reception of her work.  WR, HU

COURSES IN WRITING

With the exception of ENGL 134 and 135, creative writing courses require an application. Consult the English department Web site for details. Applications, with portfolios, are due Friday, September 2, 2011, for fall-term courses, and Friday, December 9, 2011, for spring-term courses.
*ENGL 134b, Reading Fiction for Craft  Michael Cunningham
Fundamentals of the craft of fiction writing explored through readings from classic and contemporary short stories and novels. Focus on how each author has used the fundamentals of craft. Writing exercises emphasize elements such as voice, structure, point of view, character, and tone.  HU

*ENGL 135b, Reading Poetry for Craft  David Gorin
An introduction to reading and writing poetry. Classic examples from Shakespeare and Milton, the modernist poetics of Stein, Pound, Moore, and Stevens, and recent work in a variety of forms and traditions. Students develop a portfolio of poems and write an essay on the poetic craft of poets who have influenced their work.  HU

*ENGL 445a or b, Introduction to Writing Fiction  Leslie Woodard [F],
John Crowley [Sp]
An intensive introduction to the craft of fiction, designed for aspiring creative writers. Focus on the fundamentals of narrative technique and peer review. Not open to freshmen in the fall term. Prerequisite: a previous course in English or in another literature.

*ENGL 246a, Introduction to Verse Writing  Louise Glück
A seminar workshop for students who are beginning to write poetry (or students without prior workshop experience at Yale). Preference given to freshmen and sophomores.  RP

*ENGL 450b, Daily Themes  Langdon Hammer
Writing of prose at the intermediate level. Daily assignments of c. 300 words, a weekly lecture, and a weekly tutorial. Application forms available on theWeb by mid-November. Application deadline: noon on Friday, December 9, 2011. Not open to freshmen. Counts as a nonfiction course in the writing concentration.  WR

*ENGL 453a/THST 320a, Playwriting  Donald Margulies
A seminar and workshop in writing for the stage. Readings include modern American and British plays by Pinter, Mamet, Churchill, Kushner, Williams, and Wilder. Emphasis on play structure, character, and conflict. In addition to weekly exercises, students write a one-act play.

*ENGL 454a, Nonfiction Writing: Voice and Structure  Fred Strebeigh
A nonfiction workshop, confronting the challenges of journalism as an art. Emphasis on voice and structure. Study of texts that may suggest modes, voices, forms, and styles for nonfiction pieces. Frequent writing projects and revisions.  WR  RP

*ENGL 455b, Writing about Oneself  Anne Fadiman
A seminar and workshop in first-person writing. Students explore a series of themes (e.g., family, love, loss, identity) both by writing about their own lives and by reading British and American memoirs, autobiographies, and personal essays. An older work, usually from the nineteenth or early twentieth century, is paired each week with a more recent one on the same theme.  WR

*ENGL 457b, Profiles and Portraits  Cynthia Zarin
An advanced seminar and workshop that addresses the challenges of how to write about other people. Readings are drawn from a wide range of historical and contemporary examples, including portraits and profiles by J. Henric Fabre, Giorgio Vasari, Virginia Woolf, Joseph Mitchell, Janet Malcolm, Tom Wolfe, and Natalia Ginzburg.
*ENGL 458b, The Writing of Fiction*  John Crowley, Michael Cunningham, and staff
A workshop in the craft of writing fiction. May be repeated for credit.

*ENGL 459a/EVST 215a, Scientific and Environmental Writing*  Carl Zimmer
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*ENGL 460a or b, The Writing of Verse*  Louise Glück [F], J. D. McClatchy [Sp]
A seminar and workshop in the writing of verse. May be repeated for credit.  RP

*ENGL 463a, Writing Fantasy, Science Fiction, and Related Genres*  John Crowley
A writing workshop that addresses aspects of the craft of fiction that the genres of romance share with all fiction, including tactics and strategy of narrative, point of view and voice, and reader expectations.  RP

*ENGL 465a, Advanced Fiction Writing*  Caryl Phillips
An advanced workshop in the craft of writing fiction. May be repeated for credit.

*ENGL 467a or b, Journalism*  Steven Brill [F], Jill Abramson [Sp]
An intensive workshop in the art and changing role of journalism. Definitions of journalism; the role of journalism in a democracy and a free market; differences between information, news, vicarious news, and entertainment; knowing and telling a good story; the structure of newspaper articles, magazine features, television reports, and nonfiction books; interviewing; fairness; sourcing; the economics of journalism; and audience. Fulfills the core seminar requirement for Yale Journalism Scholars. No prerequisites.  WR

*ENGL 468b/THST 327b, Advanced Playwriting Workshop*  Donald Margulies
An intensive workshop in advanced playwriting techniques. Discussion of works by contemporary playwrights. In addition to weekly exercises, students write a full-length play. Prerequisite: an intermediate course in playwriting or screenwriting, or with permission of the instructor.  RP

*ENGL 469a, Advanced Nonfiction Writing*  Anne Fadiman
A seminar and workshop with the theme “At Home in America.” Students consider the varied ways in which modern American literary journalists write about place, and address the theme themselves in both reportorial and first-person work. No prerequisites.  WR, Hu

*ENGL 470a or b, Tutorial in Writing*  John Rogers
A writing tutorial in fiction, poetry, playwriting, screenwriting, or nonfiction for students who have already taken writing courses at the intermediate and advanced levels. Conducted with a faculty member after approval by the director of undergraduate studies. Prerequisites: two courses in writing.

**SPECIAL PROJECTS**

*ENGL 471a or b, Special Projects for Juniors or Seniors*  John Rogers
Special projects set up by the student in an area of particular interest with the help of a faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies, intended to enable the student to cover material not otherwise offered by the department. The course may be used for research or for directed reading, but in either case a term paper or its equivalent is normally required. The student meets regularly with the faculty adviser. To apply for admission, a
student must submit an application and prospectus signed by the faculty adviser to the office of the director of undergraduate studies. Students must apply by December 2, 2011, for spring-term projects and by April 13, 2012, for fall-term projects. Application details and forms are available at english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program.

**ENGL 489a or b, The Writing Concentration Senior Project**  
John Rogers  
A term-long project in writing, under tutorial supervision, aimed at producing a single longer work (or a collection of related shorter works). An application and prospectus signed by the student’s adviser must be submitted to the office of the director of undergraduate studies by December 2, 2011, for spring-term projects and by April 13, 2012, for fall-term projects. The project is due by the end of the last week of classes (fall term), or the end of the next-to-last week of classes (spring term). Application details and forms are available at english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program.

**THE SENIOR ESSAY COURSE**

**ENGL 490a or b, The Senior Essay I**  
John Rogers  
Students wishing to undertake an independent senior essay in English must apply through the office of the director of undergraduate studies. Applications are due by December 2, 2011, for spring-term essays or for yearlong essays beginning in the spring term; applications are due by April 13, 2012, for fall-term essays or for yearlong essays beginning in the fall term. Application details and forms are available at english.yale.edu/undergraduate-program. For one-term senior essays, the essay itself is due in the office of the director of undergraduate studies according to the following schedule: (1) end of the fourth week of classes: five to ten pages of writing and/or an annotated bibliography; (2) end of the ninth week of classes: a rough draft of the complete essay; (3) end of the last week of classes (fall term) or end of the next-to-last week of classes (spring term): the completed essay. Consult the director of undergraduate studies regarding the schedule for submission of the yearlong senior essay.

**ENGL 491a or b, The Senior Essay II**  
John Rogers  
Second term of the optional yearlong senior essay. Students may begin the yearlong essay in the spring term of the junior year, allowing for significant summer research, with permission of the instructor. After ENGL 490.

**Environment**

At Yale, the environment is studied from a variety of perspectives. Majors are offered in Architecture, Biology, Chemical Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Environmental Studies, and Geology and Geophysics. Forestry & Environmental Studies offers courses in environmental science, policy, and management. Many other departments and programs offer courses pertinent to the study of environment, including American Studies, Anthropology, Chemistry, Economics, English, Global Affairs, History, History of Art, Philosophy, Political Science, Sociology, and Study of the City. Some professional schools and programs offer relevant courses that may admit undergraduates, including Public Health, Forestry & Environmental Studies, the Law School, and the School of Management.
Environmental Engineering

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Associate Professors Michelle Bell (Chemical & Environmental Engineering, Forestry & Environmental Studies), William Mitch (Chemical & Environmental Engineering), Jordan Peccia (Chemical & Environmental Engineering)

Assistant Professor Julie Zimmerman (Chemical & Environmental Engineering, Forestry & Environmental Studies)

Lecturer Matthew Eckelman (Forestry & Environmental Studies)

Environmental engineering encompasses the scientific assessment and development of engineering solutions to environmental problems affecting land, water, and air (the biosphere). The field embraces broad environmental concerns, including the safety of drinking water, groundwater protection and remediation, wastewater treatment, indoor and outdoor air pollution, solid and hazardous waste disposal, cleanup of contaminated sites, preservation of sensitive wetlands, and the prevention of pollution through product and process design. Implementation of strategies for sustainable water and energy usage is also of critical importance.

Environmental engineers must balance competing technical, social, and legal issues concerning the use of environmental resources. Because of the complexity of these challenges, environmental engineers need a broad understanding not only of engineering disciplines but also of chemistry, biology, geology, economics, and management. Accordingly, the program allows students in the major to select an emphasis on technology, sustainability, public health, environmental economics and management, or chemical, biological, and geological systems.

The program prepares students for leadership positions in industry and government agencies or for further studies in engineering, science, business, law, and medicine.

Three degree programs are offered: the B.S. in Environmental Engineering, the B.S. in Engineering Sciences (Environmental), and the B.A. in Engineering Sciences (Environmental). The B.S. degree program in Environmental Engineering is for students who may be interested in a career as a practicing environmental engineer. The B.S. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Environmental) is for students who desire a strong background in environmental engineering and more flexibility for course work in other, sometimes
indirectly related, fields. The B.A. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Environmental) is intended for students whose careers will involve, but not be dominated by, the skills of environmental engineering. The B.A. program is appropriate for those contemplating a career in which scientific and technological problems can play an important role, as is often the case in law, business, medicine, or public service.

**Prerequisites** The B.S. degree programs in Environmental Engineering and in Engineering Sciences (Environmental) both have the following prerequisites in mathematics and basic sciences: MATH 112, 115; MATH 120 or ENAS 151; either CHEM 112 and 113 or 114 and 115 with 116L and 117L, or CHEM 118 and 119L by Advanced Placement test only, or one from CHEM 328, 332, or 333 with 330L or 331L by Advanced Placement test only; and PHYS 180, 181. The B.A. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Environmental) requires MATH 112 and 115; CHEM 112 and 113 or 114 and 115; and PHYS 170, 171.

**B.S. degree program in Environmental Engineering** This program requires at least eighteen term courses beyond the prerequisites, including the senior requirement (seventeen courses are required if CHEM 118, 328, 332, or 333 is used to satisfy the chemistry prerequisite).

1. Required courses: CHEM 102; CENG 300 or MENG 211 or one from CHEM 328, 332, or 333 (not required after CHEM 118); ENAS 194; ENVE 120, 210, 360, 373, and 377; ENVE 448 or 315; EVST 344; MENG 290; MENG 351; F&ES 714

2. At least four electives within one of the following tracks must be chosen in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies:

   - Environmental engineering technology: ENAS 130, ENVE 441, or any statistics course
   - Green engineering and sustainability: ECON 330, MENG 280, or other courses approved by the director of undergraduate studies
   - Public health: courses approved by the director of undergraduate studies that are listed in the bulletin of the School of Public Health

**B.S. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Environmental)** This program offers four specialization tracks: the environmental engineering technology track for students desiring an environmental technology emphasis; the environmental engineering science track for students desiring an environmental and Earth science emphasis; the environmental chemical and biological science track for students desiring a chemical, biological, and public health emphasis; and the environmental resource management track for students desiring an emphasis on environmental policy and management. At least fifteen term courses are required beyond the prerequisites, including the senior requirement.

1. Required courses: CHEM 102; ENAS 194; ENVE 120, 360, 373, and 377; ENVE 448 or 315; EVST 344; MCD 290; F&ES 714

2. At least four electives must be chosen in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies within one of the four specialization tracks according to the following guidelines:

   - For the environmental engineering technology track, two electives must be technical and one must be selected from each of the following categories: Earth sciences, biological sciences, and sustainable engineering.
   - For the environmental engineering science track, one elective must be selected from each of the following categories: Earth sciences, biological sciences, and sustainable engineering.
For the environmental chemical and biological science track, two electives must be chemical and one must be selected from each of the following categories: biological sciences, public health or toxicology, and Earth sciences.

For the environmental resource management track, one elective must be selected from each of the following categories: economics, management, and sustainable engineering.

**B.A. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Environmental)** This program includes the following required courses or their equivalents, totaling nine term courses beyond prerequisites, including the senior requirement:

1. Environmental engineering: ENVE 120, F&ES 714
2. Six electives must be chosen in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies.
   One of these electives must be selected from the following: CENG 300, CHEM 328, 332, MENG 361, ENVE 315, 360, 373, 377, 441, 448, or EVST 344

**Senior requirement** Students in all three programs must pass ENVE 490 in their senior year.

**Requirements of the major**

**Environmental Engineering, B.S.**

**Prerequisites** MATH 112, 115; MATH 120 or ENAS 151; either CHEM 112, 113 or 114, 115 with 116L, 117L, or CHEM 118 and 119L by AP test only, or 1 from CHEM 328, 332, or 333 with 330L or 331L by AP test only; PHYS 180, 181

**Number of courses** At least 18 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req (17 if CHEM 118, 328, 332, or 333 is used for chem prereq)

**Specific courses required** CHEM 102; CENG 300 or MENG 211 or 1 from CHEM 328, 332, or 333 (not required after CHEM 118); ENAS 194; ENVE 120, 210, 360, 373, 377; ENVE 448 or 315; EVST 344; MCDB 290; MENG 361; F&ES 714

**Distribution of courses** 4 electives as specified

**Senior requirement** ENVE 490

**Engineering Sciences (Environmental), B.S.**

**Prerequisites** MATH 112, 115; MATH 120 or ENAS 151; either CHEM 112, 113 or 114, 115 with 116L, 117L, or CHEM 118 and 119L by AP test only, or 1 from CHEM 328, 332, or 333 with 330L or 331L by AP test only; PHYS 180, 181

**Number of courses** At least 15 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required** CHEM 102; ENAS 194; ENVE 120, 360, 373, 377; ENVE 448 or 315; EVST 344; MCDB 290; F&ES 714

**Distribution of courses** 4 electives as specified

**Senior requirement** ENVE 490

**Engineering Sciences (Environmental), B.A.**

**Prerequisites** MATH 112, 115; either CHEM 112, 113 or 114, 115; PHYS 170, 171

**Number of courses** 9 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required** ENVE 120, F&ES 714

**Distribution of courses** 6 electives approved by DUS

**Senior requirement** ENVE 490
ENVE 120b/CENG 120b/ENAS 120b, Introduction to Environmental Engineering  
Jordan Peccia
Introduction to engineering principles related to the environment, with emphasis on causes of problems and technologies for abatement. Topics include air and water pollution, global climate change, hazardous chemical and emerging environmental technologies. Prerequisites: high school calculus and chemistry or CHEM 114, 115 (may be taken concurrently) or permission of instructor. QR, SC

ENVE 210a/CENG 210a, Principles of Chemical Engineering and Process Modeling  
Lisa Pfefferle
For description see under Chemical Engineering.

ENVE 315b/CENG 315b, Transport Phenomena  
Chinedum Osuji
For description see under Chemical Engineering.

ENVE 360b/ENAS 360b, Green Engineering and Sustainable Design  
Julie Zimmerman, Matthew Eckelman
Study of green engineering, focusing on key approaches to advancing sustainability through engineering design. Topics include current design, manufacturing, and disposal processes; toxicity and benign alternatives; policy implications; pollution prevention and source reduction; separations and disassembly; material and energy efficiencies and flows; systems analysis; biomimicry; and life cycle design, management, and analysis. Prerequisites: CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or permission of instructor.

ENVE 373a/CENG 373a, Air Pollution Control  
Yehia Khalil
Kinetics, thermodynamics, and transport of chemical reactions of common air pollutants including suspended particulate matter. The role of surface chemistry and transport phenomena in air pollution. Pollutant dispersion modeling. Technology available to prevent or control air pollutants. Prerequisite: ENVE 210 or permission of instructor. QR, SC, RP

ENVE 377b/CENG 377b, Water Quality Control  
William Mitch
Study of the preparation of water for domestic and other uses and treatment of wastewater for recycling or discharge to the environment. Topics include processes for removal of organics and inorganics, regulation of dissolved oxygen, and techniques such as ion exchange, electrode dialysis, reverse osmosis, activated carbon adsorption, and biological methods. Prerequisite: ENVE 120 or permission of instructor. SC, RP

ENVE 416a/CENG 416a, Chemical Engineering Process Design  
Gary Haller, Corey Wilson
For description see under Chemical Engineering.

ENVE 441a, Biological Processes in Environmental Engineering  
Jordan Peccia
Fundamental aspects of microbiology and biochemistry, including stoichiometry, kinetics, and energetics of biochemical reactions, microbial growth, and microbial ecology, as they pertain to biological processes for the transformation of environmental contaminants; principles for analysis and design of aerobic and anaerobic processes, including suspended- and attached-growth systems, for treatment of conventional and hazardous pollutants in municipal and industrial wastewaters and in groundwater. Prerequisites: CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118; MCDB 290 or equivalent; or with permission of instructor. SC
ENVE 443a/G/ENAS 443a/F&ES 380a, Greening Business Operations  
Thomas Graedel and staff  
Engineering, environmental, and financial perspectives applied to selected industries. Methods from operations management, industrial ecology, green chemistry and engineering, and accounting and finance are used to investigate sustainability approaches and the relationship between environmental and economic considerations. Tools include discounted cash-flow analysis, life-cycle assessment, and environmental cost accounting. Field trips to companies.

ENVE 448a, Environmental Transport Processes  
William Mitch  
Analysis of transport phenomena governing the fate of chemical and biological contaminants in environmental systems. Emphasis on quantifying contaminant transport rates and distributions in natural and engineered environments. Topics include distribution of chemicals between phases; diffusive and convective transport; interfacial mass transfer; contaminant transport in groundwater, lakes, and rivers; analysis of transport phenomena involving particulate and microbial contaminants. Prerequisite: ENVE 120 or permission of instructor.  
QR, SC

*ENVE 490a or b, Senior Project  
Jordan Peccia  
Individual research and design projects supervised by a faculty member in Environmental Engineering, or in a related field with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

Environmental Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

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Environmental Studies provides an interdisciplinary approach to understanding and solving environmental problems. From the natural sciences, students learn experimental techniques and methods of analysis needed to make accurate observations, to document change, to distinguish those changes resulting from human activity, and to understand what comprises healthy landscapes and functioning ecosystems. Students look to the humanities and social sciences for explanations of the ways people behave and for analyses of our institutions and their social, political, and economic activities. The Environmental Studies major prepares students for graduate study in a range of disciplines including law, medicine, and public health, and for careers in business, environmental management and conservation, teaching, and writing.

**Prerequisites** The major requires a general chemistry course chosen from CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118; an introductory biology course, MCDB 120 or E&EB 122; a natural science laboratory chosen from CHEM 117L, 119L, MCDB 121L, or E&EB 123L; and a term course in mathematics (MATH 112 or above, except MATH 190) or in physics (PHYS 170 or above). Students are advised to take chemistry and biology during the freshman year before enrolling in the EVST core courses in natural sciences. Students should complete the prerequisites by the end of the fall term in their sophomore year, prior to application to the major (see below). Where relevant, students may employ acceleration credit to fulfill the prerequisites. Students entering Yale with advanced placement in both biology

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**Lecturers** Shimon Anisfeld (Forestry & Environmental Studies), Carol Carpenter (Forestry & Environmental Studies), Mary Beth Decker (Forestry & Environmental Studies), Amity Doolittle (Forestry & Environmental Studies), Gordon Geballe (Forestry & Environmental Studies), John Grim (Religious Studies), Julie Newman (Forestry & Environmental Studies), Kathleen Prudic, Catherine Skinner (Geology & Geophysics), Carl Zimmer
and chemistry must complete one term of introductory laboratory science. Students with advanced placement in only one of these subjects must take the remaining science prerequisite and its associated laboratory.

**Requirements of the major** In addition to the prerequisites, twelve and one-half or thirteen and one-half course credits are required for the major, including four core courses, one core laboratory, a departmental seminar, a concentration of six courses, and a one- or two-term senior project and colloquium (EVST 496). All courses in the major must be taken for a letter grade.

**Core courses** Students are required to take at least two core courses from Group A (humanities and social sciences), and two from Group B (environmental sciences) with the associated lab. Completing one course in each group is recommended before the end of the sophomore year.

- **Group A, humanities and social sciences:** EVST 120, 226, 255, 340, 345
- **Group B, environmental sciences:** EVST 201, 202L, 223

**Application to the Environmental Studies major** Students must apply to enter the major during the spring term of their sophomore year. Application must be made in writing to the director of undergraduate studies no later than Thursday, March 1, 2012, in the program office, Room G04 KRN. For more information about the application process, visit [www.yale.edu/evst](http://www.yale.edu/evst). Students considering a major in Environmental Studies should consult the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible in the freshman year.

**Departmental seminar** All majors must complete a departmental seminar approved by the director of undergraduate studies. This requirement may be completed in any year of study. See under “Departmental Seminars” in the course listings for approved seminars.

**Area of concentration** Prior to the end of the sophomore year, students plan an area of concentration. They should consult with their adviser and the director of undergraduate studies in developing a coherent interdisciplinary program of six courses for their third and fourth years. Students may select up to four electives at the intermediate and upper level from the same department and at least two additional electives from relevant disciplines outside the immediate area of concentration. Students also may use core courses to fulfill the requirement for interdisciplinary electives during the third and fourth years. Students interested in history as an area of concentration should plan to include at least one of the history department's junior seminars dealing with environmental history in their program. These seminars provide instruction in analyzing sources, interpreting evidence, and the art of historical writing.

Study in the area of concentration prepares students to select and undertake a research project in the senior year. Possible areas of concentration include environmental issues in technologically advanced societies; the environment and the developing world; problems of continuing growth of human population; pollution, environmental medicine, and public health; sustainable environmental management; the impact of globalization and multinational corporations on development and natural resources; conservation of biodiversity; energy supplies for the future; ecological restoration of urban landscapes;
remediation of polluted sites and restoration of degraded landscapes; assessment of the extent of environmental change; ethical and religious beliefs of different cultures regarding the natural world.

**Summer environmental internship**  During the summer between the junior and senior years, many students gain experience in the field through research or internships in an area pertinent to their senior research project. Internships may be arranged with nonprofit organizations, government agencies, or corporations. Although the summer program is optional, many students take advantage of this opportunity with some financial support from the program.

**Senior requirement**  Seniors must complete one or two terms of an independent research project and colloquium, taken as EVST 496. In the junior year, students consult with their advisers on the design of the project and submit a preliminary plan for approval to the director of undergraduate studies.

**Requirements of the major**

**Prerequisites**  CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118; MCDB 120 or E&EB 122; CHEM 117L, 119L, MCDB 121L, or E&EB 123L; MATH 112 or above (except MATH 190) or PHYS 170 or above

**Number of courses**  12½ or 13½ course credits beyond prereqs, incl one- or two-term senior project

**Distribution of courses**  2 core courses from Group A and 2 from Group B with the associated lab, 1 departmental sem, 6 courses in area of concentration

**Senior requirement**  One- or two-term research project and colloq (EVST 496)

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**Introductory course**

*ENVE 120b/CENG 120b/ENAS 120b, Introduction to Environmental Engineering*

Jordan Peccia

For description see under Environmental Engineering.

**Core Courses**

**Group A**

**EVST 120b/HIST 120b, Introduction to Environmental History**  Paul Sabin

Ways in which people have shaped and been shaped by the changing environments of North America from precolonial times to the present. Migration of species and trade in commodities; contrasting uses of land; the impact of industry and markets; the rise of modern conservation and environmental movements; the development of public policy; the global search for resources by the United States.  **HU**

**EVST 226a/ARC 226a, Global Environmental History**  Harvey Weiss

The dynamic relationship between environmental and social forces from the Pleistocene glaciations to the Anthropocene present. Pleistocene extinctions; transition from hunting and gathering to agriculture; origins of cities, states, and civilization; adaptations and collapses of Old and New World civilizations in the face of climate disasters; the destruction
and reconstruction of the New World by the Old. Focus on issues of adaptation, resilience, and sustainability, including forces that caused long-term societal change.  

**EVST 255b/F&ES 255b/PLSC 213b, Environmental Politics and Law**  
John Wargo  
Exploration of the politics, policy, and law associated with attempts to manage environmental quality and natural resources. Themes of democracy, liberty, power, property, equality, causation, and risk. Case histories include air quality, water quality and quantity, pesticides and toxic substances, land use, agriculture and food, parks and protected areas, and energy.  

**EVST 340a/ECON 330a**, *Economics of Natural Resources*  
Robert Mendelsohn  
For description see under Economics.  

*EVST 345a/ANTH 382a/F&ES 384a, Environmental Anthropology*  
Michael Dove  
History of the anthropological study of the environment: nature-culture dichotomy, ecology and social organization, methodological debates, politics of the environment, and knowing the environment.  

**Group B**  

**EVST 201a/G&G 140a, Atmosphere, Ocean, and Environmental Change**  
Ronald Smith  
Physical processes that control Earth’s atmosphere, ocean, and climate. Quantitative methods for constructing energy and water budgets. Topics include clouds, rain, severe storms, regional climate, the ozone layer, air pollution, ocean currents and productivity, the seasons, El Niño, the history of Earth’s climate, global warming, energy, and water resources. Must be taken concurrently with EVST 202L.  

* EVST 202La/G&G 141La, Laboratory for Atmosphere, Ocean, and Environmental Change  
Ronald Smith  
Laboratory and field exercises to accompany EVST 201. Must be taken concurrently with EVST 201.  

**EVST 223a/E&EB 220a**, *General Ecology*  
David Vasseur  
For description see under Biology.  

**INTERMEDIATE AND ADVANCED COURSES**  
The following courses have been approved for developing areas of concentration. Other courses may be suitable for designing an area of concentration with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.  

**Humanities**  

*EVST 103b/RLST 103b, World Religions and Ecology: Asian Religions*  
Mary Evelyn Tucker, John Grim  
For description see under Religious Studies.  

*EVST 325a/ENGL 248a, Nature Writing in the English-Speaking World*  
Linda Peterson  
For description see under English Language & Literature.
EVST 326a/HSAR 326a, Contemporary Art and the Environment Andrea Rager
For description see under History of Art.

*EVST 386a/HIST 386Ja/MMES 146a, Environmental History of the Middle East Alan Mikhail
For description see under History.

Social Sciences

*EVST 170a, Sustainability and Institutions: Innovation and Transformation Julie Newman
Sustainable development as it relates to institutional change, decision-making processes, and systems thinking. The origins, theory, and grounding principles of sustainable development. The application of those principles, using Yale University as a case study.  

EVST 206b/AMST 176b/HIST 144b/HSHM 206b/HUMS 323b, Science and Technology in the United States Daniel Kevles
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

EVST 245a/F&ES 245a/PLSC 146a, International Environmental Policy and Governance Benjamin Cashore
The development of international environmental policy and the functioning of global environmental governance. Critical evaluation of theoretical claims in the literature and the reasoning of policy makers. Introduction of analytical and theoretical tools used to assess environmental problems. Case studies emphasize climate, forestry, and fisheries.  

*EVST 252aG, Management and Environment Garry Brewer
Management issues and opportunities driven by climate change, energy, and so-called green businesses. Emerging approaches to attaining sustainability, including green accounting and boards, industrial ecology, and the triple bottom line. The role of science in environmental policy. Ecological and public health perspectives contrasted with economic and political approaches. The role of special interests, public perception, negotiation, and conflict resolution.  

*EVST 270a/RLST 263a, Indigenous Religions and Ecology John Grim
For description see under Religious Studies.

*EVST 320a/F&ES 320a, International Environmental Law Nicholas Robinson
Examination of how nations negotiate, establish, and implement international environmental law and how the United Nations and other international agencies function. Simulated negotiations; discussion of diplomatic negotiations regarding climate change that occur during the term.  

*EVST 322a/ANTH 332a/SAST 306a, Environment, History, and Society in India Kalyanakrishnan Sivaramakrishnan
For description see under Anthropology.

[EVST 410b, Communities and Conservation in Costa Rica]

*EVST 424a/ANTH 406a/PLSC 420a, Rivers: Nature and Politics James Scott
For description see under Political Science.
*EVST 473b/ANTH 473b6/ARCG 473b6/NELC 188b6, Civilizations and Collapse
  Harvey Weiss
For description see under Anthropology.

**Natural Sciences**

*EVST 260a6/F&ES 260a6, Structure, Function, and Development of Vascular Plants
  Graeme Berlyn
Morphogenesis and adaptation of trees from seed formation and germination to maturity. Physiological and developmental processes associated with structural changes in response to environment are discussed from both a phylogenetic and an adaptive point of view. After MCDB 120.  SC

*EVST 261a6/F&ES 261a6/G&G 261a6, Minerals and Human Health
  Catherine Skinner, Ruth Blake
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.

*EVST 265b/G&G 255b, Environmental Geomicrobiology
  Ruth Blake
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.

*EVST 275b/F&ES 275b6, Ecosystems Patterns and Processes
  Peter Raymond, Mark Bradford
Introduction to the ecosystem concept. Topics include the structure and functioning of ecological systems, the response of systems to changing environmental conditions, and preservation and management issues. Discussion of both terrestrial and marine/aquatic systems. Undergraduate enrollment limited to 15.  SC  RP

[EVST 305b, Topics in Environmental Science]

EVST 307b/F&ES 307b6, Organic Pollutants in the Environment
  Shimon Anisfeld
An overview of pollution problems posed by organic chemicals, including petroleum, pesticides, PCBs, dioxins, chlorinated solvents, and emerging contaminants. Processes governing the environmental fate of organic pollutants, e.g., evaporation, sorption, bioconcentration, and biodegradation. Technologies for prevention and remediation of organic pollution. No background in organic chemistry required.

*EVST 330a/E&EB 330a/F&ES 330a, Ecosystem Ecology
  Melinda Smith, Peter Raymond
For description see under Biology.

*EVST 344b/F&ES 344b6, Aquatic Chemistry
  Gaboury Benoit
A detailed examination of the principles governing chemical reactions in water. Emphasis on developing the ability to predict the aqueous chemistry of natural, engineered, and perturbed systems based on a knowledge of their biogeochemical setting. Calculation of quantitative solutions to chemical equilibria. Focus on inorganic chemistry. Topics include elementary thermodynamics, acid-base equilibria, alkalinity, speciation, solubility, mineral stability, redox chemistry, and surface complexation reactions.  SC

*EVST 362b/ARCG 362b/G&G 362b, Observing Earth from Space
  Ronald Smith
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.
EVST 365a/E&EB 365a, Landscape Ecology  David Skelly
An introduction to the study of large-scale ecological patterns and processes. Topics include species-area relationships, island biogeography, metapopulation theory, individual-based models, cellular automata, and models of biodiversity. Emphasis on when and how to integrate a spatial perspective into consideration of major ecological questions.  SC

*EVST 400a/E&EB 275a, Biological Oceanography  Mary Beth Decker
Exploration of a range of coastal and pelagic ecosystems. Relationships between biological systems and the physical processes that control the movements of water and productivity of marine systems. Anthropogenic impacts on oceans, such as the effects of fishing and climate change. Includes three Friday field trips. Enrollment limited to 15.  SC

Environmental Engineering

EVST 415b/BENG 405b, Biotechnology and the Developing World  Anjelica Gonzalez, Jeremy Blum
For description see under Biomedical Engineering.

DEPARTMENTAL SEMINARS

*EVST 200b/G&G 200b, Earth System Science  Jeffrey Park
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.

*EVST 215a/ENGL 459a, Scientific and Environmental Writing  Carl Zimmer
An intensive workshop in writing about science and the environment for a broad audience. Translating complex subjects into elegant prose, conducting interviews, handling controversies, researching articles, and finding one's voice. Readings include exemplary works ranging from newspaper articles to book excerpts.  WR  RP

Study of the relationship between society and the environment. Global processes of environmental conservation, development, and conflicts over natural resource use; political-economic contexts of environmental change; ways in which understandings of nature are discursively bound up with notions of culture and identity.  SO

*EVST 290a/F&ES 290a, Geographic Information Systems  Charles Tomlin
A practical introduction to the nature and use of geographic information systems (GIS) in environmental science and management. Applied techniques for the acquisition, creation, storage, management, visualization, animation, transformation, analysis, and synthesis of cartographic data in digital form.

*EVST 367b/F&ES 367b, Water Resources and Environmental Change  James Saiers
The effects of variations in the hydrologic cycle on the global distribution of freshwater. The role of environmental change in regulating freshwater supply and quality. The influences of agriculture, industry, mining, urbanization, climate change, and energy-production alternatives on freshwater resources in the United States and abroad.  SC
*EVST 398a, Energy, Climate, Law, and Policy  John Wargo
Overview of the legal norms governing patterns of energy use and associated adverse effects on climate stability, environmental quality, and human health. Focus on U.S. law and policy, with some consideration of relevant international treaties. Special attention to building efficiency and to land-use regulation and urban growth, particularly coastal prospecting and development.

SENIOR PROJECT

*EVST 496a or b, Senior Research Project and Colloquium  John Wargo
Independent research under the supervision of members of the faculty, resulting in a senior essay. Students meet with peers and faculty members regularly throughout the fall term to discuss the progress of their research. Projects should offer substantial opportunity for interdisciplinary work on environmental problems. Students may choose to do either a one- or a two-term senior project.

Epidemiology and Public Health
(See under Public Health.)

Ethics, Politics, and Economics

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF ETHICS, POLITICS, AND ECONOMICS

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Associate Professors  Pierre Landry (Political Science), Ellen Lust (Political Science), Matthew Smith (Philosophy)

Assistant Professors  Karuna Mantena (Political Science), Paulina Ochoa Espejo (Political Science), Peter Stamatov (Sociology), Ana De La O Torres (Political Science)

Senior Lecturer  Boris Kapustin (Global Affairs)
Lecturers  Thomas Donahue (Political Science), Alexandra Dufresne (Political Science), Howard Forman (School of Medicine), Alexander Kirshner (Political Science), Jean Krasno (Political Science), James Mahon, Jonathan Schell (Global Affairs), David Simon (Political Science), James Sleeper (Political Science)

In an era of global interdependence and rapid technological change, we need to think practically about the institutional dynamics of power and governance. We have to understand the technical complexities of economic and statistical analysis at the same time that we think critically about basic moral and political choices. Constructive responses to such problems as coping with natural and social hazards, allocation of limited social resources (e.g., medical care), or morally sensitive political issues (e.g., affirmative action and war crimes) require close knowledge of their political, economic, and social dimensions, and a capacity to think rigorously about the basic questions they raise.

The major in Ethics, Politics, and Economics joins the analytic rigor of the social sciences and the enduring normative questions of philosophy to promote an integrative and critical understanding of the institutions, practices, and policies that shape the contemporary world.

Requirements of the major  Fourteen term courses are required for the major, including five introductory courses, one intermediate microeconomics course, three core courses, one advanced seminar, and four courses comprising a student’s individual area of concentration. The concentration is developed in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies and should culminate in a senior essay written in the area defined by the concentration.

Introductory courses  Introductory courses provide a basic familiarity with contemporary economic analysis and survey central issues in ethics and political philosophy. Such a background is necessary to understand theories that combine different approaches to the three areas of inquiry and to assess policies with complex social, economic, and moral implications.

The five introductory courses include two in economics (microeconomics and macroeconomics), one in political philosophy, one in ethics, and one in statistics. An intermediate course in microeconomics is also required.

Core courses  Three core courses comprise the center of the major in Ethics, Politics, and Economics. The first core course, required for all majors, is EP&E 215, Classics of Ethics, Politics, and Economics. Students must complete two additional core courses, each selected from a different one of the following three groups: rationality and social choice, political systems, and social theory and cultural analysis. The three core courses must be taken before the senior year. Core courses are listed by group on the program’s Web site at www.yale.edu/epe/undergrad/requirements.

Advanced seminars  All majors must complete one advanced seminar. The course is selected from an approved group of seminars that focus on how core modes of reasoning drawn from the major’s three areas of inquiry can be applied to a particular area or problem. For information about which courses fulfill the advanced seminar requirement, see the program’s Web site at www.yale.edu/epe/undergrad/requirements.

Area of concentration  Each student defines an area of concentration in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. The concentration enables students to frame an
important problem and shape a systematic course of inquiry, employing analytical methods and substantive theories drawn from the three fields. Students should not only recognize the accomplishments of varied interdisciplinary efforts, but also attempt to represent and in some cases further develop those accomplishments in their own work.

For many students the concentration will treat a contemporary problem with a substantial policy dimension (domestic or international), but some students may wish to emphasize philosophical and methodological issues. Areas of concentration must consist of four courses appropriate to the theme, including the seminar or independent study course in which the senior essay is written (see “Senior essay” below). In designing the area of concentration, students are encouraged to include seminars from other departments and programs. The director of undergraduate studies will also require students to show adequate competence in data analysis when the area of concentration requires it.

The following are examples of possible areas of concentration: distributive justice; government regulation of market economies; environmental policy; philosophy of law; gender relations; democracy and multiculturalism; contemporary approaches to public policy; war and coercion; war crimes and crimes against humanity; medical ethics; international political economy; philosophy of the social sciences; social theory and ethics; cultural analysis and political thought; civil society and its normative implications.

**Senior essay**  A senior essay is required for the major and should constitute an intellectual culmination of the student’s work in Ethics, Politics, and Economics. The essay should fall within the student’s area of concentration and may be written within a relevant seminar, with the consent of the instructor and approval of the director of undergraduate studies. If no appropriate seminar is offered in which the essay might be written, the student may instead enroll in EP&E 491 with approval of the director of undergraduate studies and a faculty member who will supervise the essay. Students who wish to undertake a more substantial yearlong essay may enroll in EP&E 492, 493.

The senior essay reflects more extensive research than an ordinary Yale College seminar paper and employs a method of research appropriate to its topic. Some papers might be written entirely from library sources; others may employ field interviews and direct observation; still others may require statistical or econometric analysis. The student should consult frequently with the seminar instructor or adviser, offering partial and preliminary drafts for criticism.

Senior essays written in the fall term are due December 5, 2011. Senior essays written in the spring term and yearlong essays are due April 16, 2012. One-term essays are normally expected to be forty to fifty pages in length; yearlong essays are normally expected to be eighty to one hundred pages in length.

**Credit/D/Fail option**  Students admitted to the major may take any one of their Ethics, Politics, and Economics courses Credit/D/Fail. Such courses count as non-A grades in calculations for Distinction in the Major.

**Application to the Ethics, Politics, and Economics major**  Students must apply to enter the major at the end of the fall term of their sophomore year. Application must be made in writing to the director of undergraduate studies no later than Monday, December 5, 2011,
in the program registrar’s office, 31 Hillhouse Avenue. Applications must include the application cover sheet (available on the program’s Web site), a transcript of work at Yale that indicates fall-term 2011 courses, and a brief application essay. If possible, applicants should include a copy of a paper written for a course related to the subject matter of Ethics, Politics, and Economics. More information regarding the application process will be posted at www.yale.edu/epe. A list of accepted applicants will be posted on the same site by December 31, 2011.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  None

Number of courses  14 (incl senior req)

Specific course required  EP&E 215

Distribution of courses  1 intro course each in microeconomics, macroeconomics, political phil, ethics, and stat; 1 intermediate microeconomics course; 2 addtl core courses, as specified; 1 advanced sem, as specified; 4 courses, incl course for senior req, in area of concentration defined by student in consultation with DUS

Senior requirement  Senior essay in area of concentration (in a sem or in EP&E 491 or in EP&E 492 and 493)

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EP&E 203a/PLSC 452a/STAT 102a, Introduction to Statistics: Political Science  
Jonathan Reuning-Scherer, Conor Dowling  
For description see under Statistics.

EP&E 204a/ENAS 335a, Professional Ethics  
Mercedes Carreras  
For description see under Engineering & Applied Science.

EP&E 209a/PLSC 453a/STAT 103a, Introduction to Statistics: Social Sciences  
Jonathan Reuning-Scherer  
For description see under Statistics.

*EP&E 215a or b, Classics of Ethics, Politics, and Economics  
Boris Kapustin, Thomas Donahue  
A critical examination of classic and contemporary works that treat problems of ethics, politics, and economics as unities. Topics include changing conceptions of private and public spheres, the content and domain of individual freedom, and ethical and political limits to the market. Readings from the works of Aristotle, Hobbes, Locke, Smith, Bentham, Mill, Hegel, Marx, Hayek, Rawls, and others.  
HU, SO  Core

*EP&E 220a/PLSC 327a, Collective Choice and Political Morality  
Thomas Donahue  
Social choice theory and its implications for political morality. Challenges involved in creating a collective choice procedure, given diverse individual preferences. Philosophical foundations of social choice theory, including its assumptions about the nature of liberty. The feasibility of democracy and the existence of a public interest.  
SO  Core

[EP&E 221a, Health Care Challenges in the Twenty-First Century]  
[EP&E 223b, Formal Modeling and Institutional Design]
*EP&E 224a/ECON 465a, Debating Globalization  Ernesto Zedillo
For description see under Economics.  Core

[EP&E 226a, Fundamentals of Game Theory]

[EP&E 227b/ECON 473b/PLSC 343b, Equality]

*EP&E 228b/ECON 462b/LAST 410b, The Economics of Human Capital in Latin America  Douglas McKee
For description see under Economics.

*EP&E 230a, Theories of Social Justice  Casiano Hacker-Cordon
Conceptual tools for detecting social injustice; standards for weighing the severity of injustice’s various forms; plausible ideals of a less unjust world. Focus on theory, with some contemporary applications to problems surrounding class, gender, international, and racial inequalities. Recommended preparation: EP&E 215 and a course in political philosophy.  so

*EP&E 231a/PHIL 452a, Recognition  Stephen Darwall, Matthew Smith
For description see under Philosophy.

*EP&E 240a/ECON 477a/GLBL 333a/INTS 333a/PLSC 428a, Comparative Welfare Policy in Developing Countries  Jeremy Seekings
For description see under Global Affairs.  Core

*EP&E 243b/LAST 423b/PLSC 423b, Political Economy of Poverty Alleviation  Ana De La O Torres
For description see under Political Science.  Core

*EP&E 245a/PLSC 152a, Global Firms and National Governments  Joseph LaPalombara
For description see under Political Science.  Core

*EP&E 246b/AFST 420b/LAST 406b/PLSC 430b, The Politics of Development Assistance  David Simon
Study of development assistance, a dominant feature of the political economies of some of the world’s poorest countries. The motivations and politics of aid from donors’ perspectives; the political and economic impact of aid on developing countries. Proposals to make aid a more effective instrument of development.  so  Core

*EP&E 248b/PLSC 256b, American Political Institutions  Michael Fotos
For description see under Political Science.

The role of the United Nations in global politics. Analysis of the workings of the UN Security Council, the General Assembly, the International Court of Justice, and other UN agencies, funds, and programs. Topics include the International Criminal Court, cases of UN peacekeeping, and the imposition of sanctions.  so  Core

*EP&E 250a/INTS 357a/PLSC 354a, The European Union  David Cameron
For description see under Political Science.  Core
**Ethics, Politics, and Economics**

*EP&E 252b/PLSC 401b, Promoting Democracy in Developing Countries*
Harry Blair
For description see under Political Science. Core

EP&E 254b/ECON 337b/GLBL 337b/INTS 337b/PLSC 145b, International Political Economy
Kenneth Scheve
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 255b/PLSC 306b, Sovereignty*
Paulina Ochoa Espejo
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 256b/ECON 482b, Labor and Public Policy*
Melissa Tartari
For description see under Economics.

*EP&E 257a/INTS 371a/PLSC 150a, State Building*
Keith Darden
Examination of state building in the contemporary world, with a focus on efforts by occupying powers, international organizations, and historical empires to construct stable governance on foreign soil. Theories of state formation; historical state-building efforts by the British, French, Hapsburg, and Romanov empires; contemporary cases in Central Asia and Africa. Core

*EP&E 261b/PHIL 450b, Animal Ethics*
Shelly Kagan
For description see under Philosophy.

*EP&E 269a/EAST 408a/SOCY 395a, Wealth and Poverty in Modern China*
Deborah Davis
For description see under Sociology. Core

*EP&E 270a, Lies and Deception*
James Mahon
Introduction to the philosophical debate about the nature of lies and deception. Definitions of lying and deception, including whether all lies necessarily aim to deceive; moral justifications for lying and deceit and their counterarguments; ways in which the moral arguments against deception of others can apply to self-deception. Recommended preparation: EP&E 215 and a course in political philosophy. Core

*EP&E 271a/AFST 447a/PLSC 447a, The Rwandan Genocide in Comparative Context*
David Simon
An examination of the 1994 Rwandan genocide: historical sources of the conflict, the motivations of the killers, actions and reactions of outside actors, efforts to reconstruct a post-genocide society, and continuation of the genocidal dynamic within the Great Lakes region. Consideration of other countries in similar situations, as well as other genocides in recent decades. Core

*EP&E 272a/PLSC 332a, The People*
Paulina Ochoa Espejo
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 310b/PLSC 227b, Refugee Law and Policy*
Alexandra Dufresne
Controversies and challenges in U.S. and international refugee law and policy, with a focus on asylum law and practice in the United States. Emphasis on legal reasoning and analysis through close reading of statutes, regulations, and case law. Final project is a legal brief on behalf of a client. Core
*EP&E 312a/INTS 269a/PLSC 297a, Moral Choices in Politics  
Boris Kapustin
For description see under International Studies.  Core

*EP&E 317a/PLSC 141a, Ethics of Humanitarian Intervention  
Annalisa Zinn
For description see under Political Science.  Core

*EP&E 334b/PHIL 455b, Normative Ethics  
Shelly Kagan
A systematic examination of normative ethics, the part of moral philosophy that attempts to articulate and defend the basic principles of morality. The course surveys and explores some of the main normative factors relevant in determining the moral status of a given act or policy (features that help make a given act right or wrong). Brief consideration of some of the main views about the foundations of normative ethics (the ultimate basis or ground for the various moral principles). Prerequisite: a course in moral philosophy.  
HU  Core

*EP&E 353b/INTS 363b/PLSC 305b, Critique of Political Violence  
Boris Kapustin
For description see under International Studies.  Core

*EP&E 365a/ECON 487a/GLBL 313a/INTS 347a/PLSC 417a, The Political Economy of AIDS in Africa  
Nicoli Nattrass
For description see under Global Affairs.

*EP&E 366a/HUMS 292a/PHIL 456a, Freedom of Expression  
Jonathan Gilmore
For description see under Philosophy.  Core

*EP&E 369a/PLSC 246a, Ethics and American Business  
Prakash Sethi
Ethical norms and values as they are incorporated in business decisions in the United States. Corporate culture and reward systems that influence ethical concerns; corporate responses to societal pressures to protect individuals and groups; emerging trends in corporate social responsibility, shareholder activism, and civil society organizations; changes in core concepts of economic efficiency and profitability.  
SU  Core

*EP&E 373a/AFST 403a/PLSC 403a, The Politics of Human Rights  
Ato Kwamena Onoma
For description see under Political Science.  Core

*EP&E 381a/PLSC 120a, Ethics in the Age of Globalization and Multinational Corporations  
Prakash Sethi
Multinational corporations and their impact—both positive and negative—on national cultures, ethical norms, business practices, and political governance structures in the host countries. Attempts by corporations, civil society organizations, and national, multilateral, and international political entities to ameliorate the negative side effects of globalization while supporting efforts toward continued economic growth.  
SU  Core

*EP&E 389b/PLSC 234b, The Politics, Law, and Economics of Affirmative Action  
Ian Shapiro, Michael Graetz
For description see under Political Science.  Core

*EP&E 390a/PLSC 212a, Democracy and Sustainability  
Michael Fotos
For description see under Political Science.
*EP&E 393b/ECON 451b, Global Financial Systems, Financial Crises, and Regulations  
Sigridur Benediktsdottir 
For description see under Economics.

*EP&E 394b/PLSC 339b, Hannah Arendt's Political Thought  
Gaye Ilhan Demiryol 
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 395a/PLSC 333a, Non-Domination as a Political Ideal  
Ian Shapiro 
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 396b/PHIL 453b, Metaethics  
Matthew Smith 
For description see under Philosophy.

*EP&E 397b/PHIL 454b, Kant’s Ethical Theory  
Sonny Elizondo 
For description see under Philosophy.

*EP&E 400a/PLSC 408a, Capitalism as a Political Order  
Ian Shapiro, Douglas Rae 
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 412a/INTS 328a/PLSC 158a, Nationalism and Identity  
Keith Darden 
The formation of national identity and the expression of nationalist sentiments through 
etnic parties, autonomy movements, resistance to occupation, and warfare. Focus on 
Europe and post-Soviet Eurasia.  
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*EP&E 425b/PLSC 181b/SAST 342b, South Asia in World Politics  
Elizabeth Hanson 
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 426a/ARCH 347a/PLSC 250a, Infrastructure: Politics and Design  
Elihu Rubin 
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 440b, Nonviolence and Political Power in the Twentieth Century  
Jonathan Schell 
A study of nonviolent movements in the twentieth century. Topics include Gandhi in India, 
Solidarity in Poland, the fall of the Soviet Union, and the democracy movements of the 
late twentieth century. Consideration of democratic government, nuclear deterrence, and 
changes in the character of war and political power itself. Readings from case histories 
and from the works of such authors as Hobbes, Clausewitz, Mao Zedong, Hannah Arendt, 
Max Weber, and Vaclav Havel.  
so  
Core

EP&E 442b/GLBL 265b/HIST 133b/INTS 345b, Strategic, Political, and Moral 
Dilemmas of the Nuclear Age  
Jonathan Schell 
For description see under Global Affairs.

*EP&E 443b/PLSC 240b, Public Schools and Public Policy  
John Starr 
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 447b/PLSC 412b, Global Journalism, National Identities  
James Sleeper 
For description see under Political Science.

*EP&E 448a/ECON 466a, Economics of Aging  
Douglas McKee 
For description see under Economics.
\*EP&E 450b/INTS 371b/PLSC 164b, The Causes of War  
Keith Darden  
Examination of classical and contemporary theories of the causes of war. Consideration of historical cases that spawned such theories, including the Peloponnesian War, the Thirty Years’ War, and World Wars I and II.  
so

\*EP&E 452b/PLSC 319b, Theory and Practice in Recent Bioethics  
David Smith  
Justice as a theme in bioethics. Issues of justice in neuroethics and in care for the dying.  
so

INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH AND SENIOR ESSAY COURSES

\*EP&E 471a or b, Directed Reading and Research  
Steven Wilkinson  
For individual reading and research unrelated to the senior essay. Students must obtain the signature of the faculty member supervising their independent work on an Independent Study Form (available from the Ethics, Politics, and Economics registrar’s office). This form must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies at the time the student’s class schedule is submitted.

\*EP&E 491a or b, The Senior Essay  
Steven Wilkinson  
A one-term senior essay. The essay should fall within the student’s area of concentration. If no appropriate seminar is offered in which the essay might be written, the student, in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies, should choose an appropriate member of the faculty to supervise the senior essay.

Students must obtain the signature of the faculty member supervising their independent work on an Independent Study Form (available from the Ethics, Politics, and Economics registrar’s office). This form must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies at the time the student’s class schedule is submitted.

\*EP&E 492a and 493b, The Yearlong Senior Essay  
Steven Wilkinson  
A two-term senior essay. The essay should fall within the student’s area of concentration. The student, in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies, should choose an appropriate member of the faculty to supervise the senior essay.

Students must obtain the signature of the faculty member supervising their independent work on an Independent Study Form (available from the Ethics, Politics, and Economics registrar’s office). This form must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies at the time the student’s class schedule is submitted.  
Cr/year only

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Some graduate and professional school courses are open to qualified undergraduates and may be of interest to EP&E majors (e.g., courses in the Schools of Nursing, Forestry & Environmental Studies, Management, and Public Health). Permission to enroll is required from the instructor as well as the appropriate representative of the graduate or professional program. Note that not all professional school courses yield a full course credit in Yale College. (See “Courses in the Yale Graduate and Professional Schools” in chapter II, section K.)
Ethnicity, Race, and Migration

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF ETHNICITY, RACE, AND MIGRATION

Professors  Rolena Adorno (Spanish & Portuguese), Ned Blackhawk (History, American Studies), Alicia Schmidt Camacho (American Studies), Hazel Carby (African American Studies, American Studies), Michael Denning (American Studies, English), John Mack Faragher (History, American Studies), Donald Green (Political Science), Inderpal Grewal (American Studies, Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Dolores Hayden (Architecture, American Studies), Jonathan Holloway (History, African American Studies), Margaret Homans (English, Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Paula Hyman (History, Religious Studies), Matthew Jacobson (American Studies, African American Studies, History), Gilbert Joseph (History), Kenneth Kidd (School of Medicine), Benedict Kiernan (History), Jennifer Klein (History), Mary Lui (American Studies, History), Enrique Mayer (Anthropology), Patricia Pessar (Adjunct) (American Studies, Anthropology), Stephen Pitti (History, American Studies), Jeremy Seekings (Global Affairs) (Visiting), Michael Veal (Music, African American Studies), Laura Wexler (American Studies, Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies)

Assistant Professors  Jafari Allen (Anthropology, African American Studies), Rene Almeling (Sociology), Khalilah Brown-Dean (Political Science, African American Studies), Terri Francis (Film Studies, African American Studies), Zareena Grewal (American Studies), Vida Maralani (Sociology), Paige McGinley (Theater Studies), Alyssa Mt. Pleasant (History), Justin Neuman (English), Ato Kwamena Onoma (Political Science), Naomi Pabst (African American Studies), Birgit Brander Rasmussen (American Studies), Jing Tso (East Asian Languages & Literatures)

Senior Lecturer  Geetanjali Singh Chanda (Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies)

Lecturers  Oluseye Adesola (African Studies), Jasmina Beširević-Regan (Sociology), Julio Capo, Jr., Alexandra Dufresne (Political Science), Demetra Kasimis (Humanities), Mikaela Rogozen-Soltar (Middle East Studies), Wilson Valentin-Escobar

The program in Ethnicity, Race, and Migration enables students to combine a disciplinary requirement of a first major with an interdisciplinary, comparative study of forces that have created a multicultural, multiethnic, and multiracial world. The major emphasizes familiarity with the intellectual traditions and debates surrounding the concepts of ethnicity, nationality, and race; grounding in both the history of migration and its contemporary manifestations; and knowledge of the cultures, structures, and peoples formed by these migrations.

Second major  Ethnicity, Race, and Migration can be taken only as a second major; students may combine it with a first major in any traditional discipline that provides the tools for a rigorous senior project on issues of ethnicity, race, and migration. Previous graduates have successfully paired Ethnicity, Race, and Migration with a wide range of programs in the
humanities, social sciences, and sciences. Prospective majors should consult the director of undergraduate studies early in their academic careers to discuss an individual plan of study. Course selections and choices of linked majors must be approved by the appropriate directors of undergraduate studies.

In working out programs for their two majors, students should note that, in accordance with the academic regulations concerning two majors (see “Two Majors” in chapter II, section K), each major must be completed independently, with no more than two term courses overlapping. This overlap must not be in the senior essay or senior project unless the essay or project is unusually substantial and represents at least the equivalent of the minimum essay or project requirement of the one major in addition to the minimum essay or project requirement of the other major.

Permission to complete two majors must be secured from the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing; forms are available from the residential college deans. Assistance in completing the form is available from the director of undergraduate studies in Ethnicity, Race, and Migration.

**Requirements of the major** In addition to fulfilling the requirements of the other major, a student must complete twelve term courses in Ethnicity, Race, and Migration, including the senior colloquium and the senior essay or project. There are no prerequisites.

**Introductory course** ER&M 200 offers an introduction to the issues and disciplines involved in the study of ethnicity, race, and migration. Students interested in the major should take this course early in their studies, preferably during the sophomore year.

**Area of concentration** In consultation with the director of undergraduate studies, each student defines an area of concentration consisting of six term courses including the one-term senior essay or project. Advanced work in the foreign language related to a student’s area of concentration is advised.

**Distributional requirements** In order to acquire a comparative sense of ethnicity, race, and migration, students are expected to take at least two courses in each of two distinct geographic areas. To gain familiarity with global movements of people within and across national borders, majors must take at least one course that examines historical or contemporary migrations. Students must also demonstrate evidence of interdisciplinary work related to ethnicity, race, and migration in at least two departments or academic fields.

As a multidisciplinary program, Ethnicity, Race, and Migration draws on the resources of other departments and programs in the University. Students are encouraged to examine the offerings of other departments in both the humanities and the social sciences, interdisciplinary programs of study housed in the MacMillan Center and elsewhere, and residential college seminars for additional relevant courses. The stated area of concentration of each student determines the relevance and acceptability of other courses. Majors are encouraged to pursue academic research and other experiences abroad.

**Senior requirement** Students must take the senior colloquium (ER&M 491) on theoretical and methodological issues and complete a one-term senior essay or project (ER&M 492).
REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

**Prerequisites**  None

**Number of courses**  12 term courses (incl senior req)

**Specific course required**  ER&M 200

**Distribution of courses**  6 term courses in area of concentration (1 term of senior req may count); at least 2 term courses in each of 2 distinct geographic areas; at least 1 term course on historical or contemporary migrations; at least 2 term courses demonstrating interdisciplinary engagement with ethnicity, race, and migration

**Senior requirement**  Senior colloq (ER&M 491) and senior essay or project (ER&M 492)

INTRODUCTORY COURSE

**ER&M 200a, Introduction to Ethnicity, Race, and Migration**  
Alicia Schmidt Camacho

Historical roots of contemporary ethnic and racial formations and competing theories of ethnicity, race, and migration. Cultural constructions and social practices of race, ethnicity, and migration in the United States and around the world.  
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ELECTIVES WITHIN THE MAJOR

**ER&M 187b/AMST 133b/HIST 107b, Introduction to American Indian History**  
Alyssa Mt. Pleasant

For description see under History.

**ER&M 229a/AMST 369a, Socialism and Marxism in the Twentieth Century**  
Michael Denning

For description see under American Studies.

**ER&M 250b/AFST 180b, Nigeria and Its Diaspora**  
Oluseye Adesola

For description see under African Studies.

**ER&M 282a/AMST 272a/HIST 183a/WGSS 272a, Asian American History, 1800 to the Present**  
Mary Lui

For description see under American Studies.

**ER&M 288b/AMST 349b/WGSS 434b, Border Feminism**  
Alicia Schmidt Camacho

For description see under American Studies.

**ER&M 302b/CLCV 117b/HUMS 303b, Citizenship in Classical Athens**  
Demetra Kasimis

For description see under Humanities.

**ER&M 328b/SAST 458b/WGSS 328b, Popular Culture and Postcolonial India**  
Geetanjali Singh Chanda

For description see under Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

**ER&M 341b/HIST 358b/LAST 358b, History of Mexico since Independence**  
Gilbert Joseph

For description see under History.
*ER&M 342a/HIST 372Ja, Revolutionary Change and Cold War in Latin America
Gilbert Joseph
For description see under History.

*ER&M 362b/GLBL 384b/INTS 384b/SOCY 363b, Genocide and Ethnic Conflict
Jasmina Beširević-Regan
For description see under Sociology.

*ER&M 367a/ENGL 369a/WGSS 369a, Adoption Narratives
Margaret Homans
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*ER&M 370a/AMST 441a/HIST 130Ja, Indians and the Spanish Borderlands
Ned Blackhawk
For description see under History.

*ER&M 391b/AMST 395b/HIST 154Jb, Radical California
Stephen Pitti
For description see under American Studies.

*ER&M 398a/AFST 398a/INTS 398a/SOCY 398a, Race and Class in Comparative Perspective
Jeremy Seekings
For description see under International Studies.

*ER&M 415a/AMST 467a, Investigating the Present
Alicia Schmidt Camacho
An interdisciplinary approach to the processes of social documentation, as practiced in the fields of cultural and ethnic studies. The challenges of representing ongoing social processes with authority and integrity; writing as a social act; methods for developing a contemporary archive. Readings from the works of authors whose narratives cross the boundary between scholarship and literature.  

*ER&M 450a/AMST 419a/HIST 152Ja, Land, Homelands, and American Indian Histories
Alyssa Mt. Pleasant
For description see under American Studies.

*ER&M 498b/ANTH 398b/MMES 118b/WGSS 368b, Anthropology of Immigration
Mikaela Rogozen-Soltar
For description see under Anthropology.

AFAM 282a/ECON 280a, Poverty under Postindustrial Capitalism
Gerald Jaynes
For description see under African American Studies.

*AFAM 295b/AMST 295b/ENGL 295b, African American Literature II: 1900–1970
Jacqueline Goldsby
For description see under African American Studies.

*AFAM 368a/AMST 321a, Interraciality and Hybridxity
Naomi Pabst
For description see under African American Studies.

*AFAM 410a/WGSS 410a, Interdisciplinary Approaches to African American Studies
Deborah Thomas
For description see under African American Studies.
AMST 150a*/HIST 145a/RLST 108a, Religion in Modern America, 1865–2000
Kathryn Lofton
For description see under American Studies.

*AMST 343b, Muslim Diasporas in America  Zareena Grewal
*AMST 416a/FILM 438a, U.S. Cinema from 1960 to the Mid-1970s  Michael Kerbel
For description see under American Studies.

*ECON 465a/EP&E 224a, Debating Globalization  Ernesto Zedillo
For description see under Economics.

*EP&E 310b/PLSC 227b, Refugee Law and Policy  Alexandra Dufresne
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*HIST 119Jb, Immigration and Xenophobia in American History  Kyle Farley

*HIST 131Jb, Urban History in the United States, 1870 to the Present  Jennifer Klein

HIST 148a/JDST 280a/RLST 215a, America and Its Jews, 1654 to the Present
Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

*HIST 166Ja/AMST 410a/WGSS 409a, Asian American Women and Gender, 1830 to the Present  Mary Lui
For description see under History.

HIST 348b, Empire, Nationalism, and Revolution in the Modern Middle East
Abbas Amanat

HSAR 375b/AFAM 183b, Afro-Modernism in the Twentieth Century  Kobena Mercer
For description see under History of Art.

*PLSC 264b, Big City Politics in America: New York, Los Angeles, Chicago
Cynthia Horan

*PLSC 403a/AFST 403a/EP&E 373a, The Politics of Human Rights
Ato Kwamena Onoma
For description see under Political Science.

*SAST 237a, South Asia and the Gulf  Sana Haroon

SOCY 134a/WGSS 110a, Sex and Gender in Society  Rene Almeling
For description see under Sociology.

*WGSS 296a, Introduction to LGBT Studies  Liz Montegary

*WGSS 319a, Queer Mobilities  Liz Montegary

INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH AND SENIOR ESSAY COURSES

*ER&M 471a and 472b, Individual Reading and Research for Juniors and Seniors
Patricia Pessar
For students who wish to cover material not otherwise offered by the program. The course may be used for research or for directed reading. In either case a term paper or its equivalent
is required. Students meet regularly with a faculty adviser. To apply for admission, students submit a prospectus signed by the faculty adviser to the director of undergraduate studies.

*ER&M 491a, The Senior Colloquium: Theoretical and Methodological Issues
Patricia Pessar
A research seminar intended to move students toward the successful completion of their senior projects, combining discussions of methodological and theoretical issues with discussions of students' fields of research.

*ER&M 492b, The Senior Essay or Project  Patricia Pessar
Independent research on a one-term senior essay or project.

Film Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF FILM STUDIES

Professors  *Dudley Andrew (Comparative Literature, Film Studies), Ora Avni (French), Hazel Carby (African American Studies, American Studies), *Francesco Casetti (Humanities, Film Studies), *Katerina Clark (Comparative Literature, Slavic Languages & Literatures), Michael Denning (American Studies, English), *John Mack Faragher (History), *Aaron Gerow (East Asian Languages & Literatures, Film Studies), Inderpal Grewal (Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Benjamin Harshav (Comparative Literature), *David Joselit (History of Art), Stathis Kalyvas (Political Science), *Thomas Kavanagh (French), *John MacKay (Chair) (Film Studies, Slavic Languages & Literatures), *Millicent Marcus (Italian), Donald Margulies (Adjunct) (English, Theater Studies), Giuseppe Mazzotta (Italian), Christopher L. Miller (African American Studies, French), *Charles Musser (American Studies, Film Studies), Alexander Nemerov (History of Art), *Brigitte Peucker (German, Film Studies), Joseph Roach (English, Theater Studies), *Michael Roemer (Adjunct) (Art, American Studies), John Szwed (Emeritus) (African American Studies), Alan Trachtenberg (Emeritus), *Katie Trumpener (Comparative Literature, English), *Laura Wexler (American Studies, Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies)

Associate Professors  *Murray Biggs (Adjunct) (Theater Studies, English), Moira Fradinger (Comparative Literature), *Terri Francis (African American Studies, Film Studies)

Assistant Professors  *J. D. Connor (History of Art), Zareena Grewal (Ethnicity, Race, & Migration), Karen Nakamura (Anthropology), Brian Walsh (English)

Senior Lecturers  *John Crowley (English), *Ron Gregg (Film Studies)

Lecturers  James Charney (School of Medicine), *Michael Kerbel (American Studies), *Marc Lapadula (Film Studies)

Critics  *Jonathan Andrews (Art, Film Studies), *Sandra Luckow (Art)

Senior Lector II  Risa Sodi (Italian)
**Senior Lectors**  Seungja Choi (*East Asian Languages & Literatures*), Karen von Kunes (*Slavic Languages & Literatures*)

*Member of the Film Studies Committee.

Film Studies is an interdisciplinary major that focuses on the history, theory, and criticism of film. Courses examine cinema’s role as a unique modern art form and the contributions of moving image media as cultural practices of enduring social significance. Film Studies offers students latitude in defining their course of study within the framework established by the Film Studies Committee. With this freedom comes the responsibility of carefully planning a coherent and well-focused program. Because of the special demands of Film Studies and the diversity of its offerings, potential majors are encouraged to consult with the director of undergraduate studies early in their academic careers.

The major in Film Studies consists of fourteen term courses, including the prerequisite. A maximum of one course taken Credit/D/Fail may count toward the major with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

**Prerequisite**  Students normally take FILM 150, Introduction to Film Studies, in their freshman or sophomore year. It is useful preparation, and in some cases a prerequisite, for many other courses in the major.

**Required courses**  Students are required to take FILM 320, Close Analysis of Film, preferably during their sophomore year. They must also take FILM 312, Theory of Media, or FILM 333, Early Film Theory and Modernity, preferably by the end of their junior year. Students are encouraged to take both. In addition, students must devote two term courses, preferably upper-level courses, to the study of representative films from at least two different nations or cultures (for example, German expressionist cinema, Italian cinema, American comedy).

Students must take one term course on the creative process in film. Appropriate courses are listed under “Production Seminars,” but other courses in art, theater studies, or creative writing may be substituted with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

**Area of concentration**  With the help of the director of undergraduate studies in Film Studies, each student defines an area of concentration comprising six courses. The six courses should form a coherent program in which the study of film is integrated with a particular discipline (history of art, literature, philosophy, the social sciences) or area of investigation (film theory, production, race and gender, photography, national or regional cultures and their cinemas). The focus of the concentration might also be a given historical or theoretical problem drawn from two areas, such as German expressionism in film and in art or narrative theory in film and in the novel. Students choosing a production-related concentration often start by completing ART 141, 142, and/or FILM 350 by the end of their sophomore year, and continue with ART 341, 342, and/or FILM 395 by the end of their junior year, to prepare for FILM 455, 456, or 483, 484, or 487, 488 in their senior year. They must take at least seven critical studies courses in the major. FILM 150, 312, 320, 333, and the two required courses on national cinemas may be counted among the seven. Critical studies courses are defined as those not listed under “Production Seminars.”
Senior requirement  During the senior year, each student takes one or two senior-level seminars or the equivalent and submits a senior essay or senior project, which should represent a culmination of work in the major and in Yale College. For the student writing a senior essay, several options are possible. First, the student may enroll in two terms of relevant senior-level seminars (usually courses numbered in the 400s) and write a substantial term paper of twenty-five pages, double-spaced, for one of these courses. Second, the student may do independent research on a yearlong senior essay (FILM 491, 492). This option is intended for students with clearly defined topics that do not relate closely to a senior-level seminar. During the first two weeks of the first term of senior year, a petition for permission to do independent research should be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies in the form of a brief prospectus, approved by the proposed faculty adviser to the essay. Such research receives two terms of credit; the product of a two-term research essay is a work of at least fifty pages. Third, the senior requirement may be completed by combining one single-term senior-level seminar with one term of an independent research project (FILM 491 or 492), resulting in a paper of thirty-five pages. Whichever option is chosen, the essay should be written on a topic informed by the student’s area of concentration. In researching and writing the essay, the student should consult regularly with the seminar instructor, supplying preliminary drafts as appropriate, and may consult with other faculty members as well.

Students who wish to complete a senior project as an alternative to an essay petition the Film Studies Committee for approval of their project at the end of the junior year. Projects might include writing a screenplay in Advanced Screenwriting (FILM 487, 488) or producing a video. Students electing such an alternative should note that the project must be undertaken and accomplished over two terms. A limited number of students making films or videos are admitted to either the Advanced Fiction Film Workshop (FILM 483, 484) or the Documentary Film Workshop (FILM 455, 456), and receive three credits for their projects (two credits for FILM 483, 484 or 455, 456, and one for FILM 493 or 494). Such a choice effectively commits students to one course in addition to the fourteen courses required for the major, because FILM 493 or 494 does not count toward the fourteen required courses when taken in conjunction with FILM 483, 484 or 455, 456. Students may undertake a production project outside the workshops if (1) the Film Studies Committee approves their petition, (2) they have found a primary adviser qualified and willing to provide the necessary supervision, and (3) they have identified the equipment necessary to execute the project. Such students may count FILM 493 and 494 toward the fourteen courses required for the major.

Majors graduating in December must submit their senior essays or senior projects to the director of undergraduate studies by December 2; those graduating in May, by April 23. A second reader assigned by the director of undergraduate studies participates in evaluating the essay or project. In order to graduate from Yale College, a student majoring in Film Studies must achieve a passing grade on the senior essay or senior project.

Admission to senior-level seminars is at the instructor’s discretion, but the Film Studies program will ensure that every senior major gains admission to the required number of seminars.

The intensive major  Students of substantial accomplishment and commitment to film studies may wish to pursue the intensive major. Students in the intensive major
complete a senior project in production and also write a senior essay on an unrelated topic. The intensive major in Film Studies is intended for students who are not pursuing two majors. Students must request approval from the Film Studies Committee at the end of their junior year by submitting a proposal that outlines their objectives and general area of study.

**All majors** Study of relevant foreign languages is urged for all Film Studies majors. Students considering graduate work should become proficient in French or another modern language. Those choosing to study film in relation to a foreign culture must have good listening and reading abilities in that language.

Film Studies draws on the resources of many other departments and programs in the University. Students are encouraged to examine the offerings of other departments in both the humanities and the social sciences, as well as residential college seminars, for additional relevant courses. The stated area of concentration for each student normally determines the relevance and acceptability of other courses.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisite** FILM 150

**Number of courses** 14 term courses, incl prereq and senior req

**Distribution of courses** 6 courses in area of concentration; 2 courses in different national cinemas; 1 production course; if concentration is production-related, at least 7 critical studies courses

**Specific courses required** FILM 320; FILM 312 or 333

**Senior requirement** 2 terms of senior-level temps, or 2 terms of senior essay (FILM 491, 492), or 1 term of each; or 2 terms of senior project (FILM 455, 456, or 483, 484, or 487, 488)

**Intensive major** Both senior essay and senior project

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**REQUIRED COURSES**

**FILM 150a, Introduction to Film Studies** Ron Gregg
A survey of film studies concentrating on theory, analysis, and criticism. Students learn the critical and technical vocabulary of the subject and study important films in weekly screenings. Prerequisite for the major. WR, HU

**FILM 312a**/HUMS 216a/LITR 354a, **Theory of Media** Francesco Casetti
Introduction to key issues in media studies. Relationships between commodity, artwork, and networks of exchange; media and public sphere; the analysis of radio and television; alternative or counter-hegemonic conceptions of media; and the viability of the concept “media” itself. HU

*FILM 320b/HSAR 490b, Close Analysis of Film** J. D. Connor
Ways in which traditional genres and alternative film forms establish or subvert convention and expectation and express thematic and ideological concerns. The balancing of narrative containment and excess, as well as action and image. Use of body and voice, space and music. Examples include films by Lang, Bresson, Ozu, and Hitchcock. Prerequisite: FILM 150. HU
FILM 333b/HUMS 375b/LITR 351b, Early Film Theory and Modernity
Francesco Casetti
Introduction to film theory from its beginnings to c. 1930, including its emphasis on the spectator’s experience. Ways in which early theory highlighted characteristics of modern life such as speed, economy, contingency, and excitation. The role of national identity in defining topics of theoretical research explored through comparison of American and European debates. HU

NATIONAL CINEMAS

[FILM 260a/FREN 395a/LITR 381a, French New Wave Cinema]

*FILM 323b, The Avant-Garde Film  Terri Francis
Study of the history and aesthetics of American avant-garde films from the 1940s to the present. HU

FILM 334a/HSAR 324a, Art and Industry in Contemporary Hollywood  J. D. Connor
For description see under History of Art.

FILM 335b/HSAR 325b, Classical Hollywood: Art and Industry  J. D. Connor
For description see under History of Art.

*FILM 337b/FREN 396b, World War II in French Cinema  Alice Kaplan
For description see under French.

*FILM 363b/LITR 360b, Radical Cinemas of Latin America  Moira Fradinger
Introduction to Latin American cinema, with an emphasis on post–World War II films produced in Cuba, Argentina, Brazil, and Mexico. Examination of each film in its historical and aesthetic aspects, and in light of questions concerning national cinema and “third cinema.” Examples from both pre-1945 and contemporary films. Conducted in English; knowledge of Spanish and Portuguese helpful but not required. HU

*FILM 408a/CHNS 340a/RUSS 248a, Chinese and Russian Cinema after Socialism  John MacKay
Comparative analysis of major Russian and mainland Chinese films, both fiction and non-fiction, from the mid-1980s to the present. The films’ formal structures and reception, as well as their relationships with the revolutionary political and cultural legacies of both countries. The effects of social and economic changes in China and Russia during the period. Films by Wang Bing, Sergei Dvortsevoy, Alexei German, Chen Kaige, Alexander Sokurov, and Jia Zhangke. No knowledge of Russian or Chinese required. HU

*FILM 438a/AMST 416a, U.S. Cinema from 1960 to the Mid-1970s  Michael Kerbel
For description see under American Studies.

*FILM 440b/JAPN 274b/LITR 358b, The Japanese Period Film  Aaron Gerow
An exploration of Japan’s most popular category of cinema: the period or samurai film. Survey of transformations from the silent era to the present day, with a focus on the period film’s relationship with Japan’s cultural history and world cinema, as well as with related media such as literature, theater, television, and comic books. Special attention to the problem of genre in Japanese film. Directors discussed include Kurosawa, Ito, Itami, Yamanaka, Miike, and Yamada. HU
*FILM 457a/ITAL 303a/LITR 359a, Italian Film from Postwar to Postmodern
   Millicent Marcus
   For description see under Italian.

[FILM 468a/GMAN 405a/GMST 405a/LITR 394a, Weimar Cinema]

FILM THEORY, VISUAL MEDIA, AND SPECIAL TOPICS

*FILM 040a/AFAM 040a, Spike Lee  Terri Francis
   Introduction to the study of film and issues in contemporary black culture through study
   of Spike Lee’s films and writings. Close analysis of Lee’s style, sources, creative dilemmas,
   and collaborations, as well as the conversations he and his films generate. Topics include
   concepts of black leadership, cinematic reflexivity, early film history, race and racism,
   stereotypes, auteurism, cinema of attractions, defining black cinema, and questions of
   audience and authenticity. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see
   under Freshman Seminar Program.   HU  Fr sem

FILM 240b/LITR 143b, World Cinema  Dudley Andrew
   For description see under Literature.

*FILM 325a/AMST 225a, American Film Comedy  Michael Roemer
   For description see under American Studies.

*FILM 355b/ENGL 411b, Shakespeare on Film  Brian Walsh
   For description see under English Language & Literature.

*FILM 364a/CZEC 246a/RSEE 240a, Milos Forman and His Films  Karen von Kunes
   For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*FILM 370a/AFAM 242a, Spectacle, Stereotypes, and Black Film  Terri Francis
   A survey of African American cinema from Oscar Micheaux’s Within Our Gates (1919) to
   Julie Dash’s Daughters of the Dust (1991) and beyond. Topics include the concept of a black
   aesthetic, the relationship between commercial and independent filmmaking practices,
   and the question of genre.   HU

*FILM 373b/AFAM 277b, Blaxploitation Reexamined  Terri Francis
   For description see under African American Studies.

*FILM 390a/LITR 390a, Genre Study: The Western  Aaron Gerow
   An exploration of approaches to film genre, using the Western as a case study. Ways in
   which the Western has served to define the concept of genre; attempts by scholars to delineate
   what is and is not a Western. The Western genre’s relationship to other media and to
   the American West; its usage in defining American and racial identity. Native American,
   European, and Japanese attempts to critique, appropriate, and redefine the Western.   HU

[FILM 407a/THST 357a, The Cinema of War]

*FILM 411b/LITR 380b, The Films of Alfred Hitchcock  Brigitte Peucker
   An examination of Hitchcock’s career as a filmmaker from Blackmail to Frenzy, with close
   attention to the wide variety of critical and theoretical approaches to his work. Topics
   include the status of the image; the representation of the feminine and of the body;
   spectatorship; painterliness and theatricality; generic and psychoanalytic issues. Offered
in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  HU

[FILM 415b/G/AMST 393b/G, Digital Documentary and the Internet]

*FILM 423b/G/AMST 364b, Documentary and the Environment  Charles Musser
Survey of documentaries about environmental issues; focus on Darwin’s Nightmare (2004), An Inconvenient Truth (2006), Food, Inc. (2009), GasLand (2010), and related films. Brief historical overview, from early films such as The River (1937) to the proliferation of environmental film festivals.  HU  RP

*FILM 432a/AMST 222a, World Documentary  Charles Musser
A survey of international documentaries that have emerged since the end of the Cold War. The new political alignments, moving image technologies, and exhibition practices that have made possible a new phase in documentary practice. Filmmakers include Wu Wenguang, Agnes Varda, Michael Apted, Anand Patwardhan, and Jean-Marie Teno.  RP

*FILM 439b, Detection and the City in Film Noir and Fiction  Alan Trachtenberg
Study of the themes of crime, detection, and the city in postwar American film noir and fiction. Focus on American films and related novels of the 1940s and 1950s in which cities, crime, and detective work figure prominently.  HU

*FILM 444b/G/AMST 136b/WGST 376b, Sexual Modernity and Censorship in American Film  Ron Gregg
Romantic comedy, censorship, and the representation of sexual modernity in Hollywood film from the 1920s to the 1960s. Tensions between the studios’ censorship code and émigré filmmakers’ strategies to subvert it. Focus on the romantic comedies of Ernst Lubitsch and Billy Wilder, with some attention to the films of Cecil B. DeMille and Howard Hawks.  HU  RP

*FILM 445a/LITR 450a, Adaptation and Representation in Cinema  Dudley Andrew
For description see under Literature.

*FILM 459a/GMAN 354a/G/LITR 355a, The Films of Fassbinder, Herzog, and Haneke  Brigitte Peucker
For description see under Germanic Languages & Literatures.

PRODUCTION SEMINARS

*FILM 350a or b, Screenwriting  Marc Lapadula
A beginning course in screenplay writing. Foundations of the craft introduced through the reading of professional scripts and the analysis of classic films. A series of classroom exercises culminates in intensive scene work. Prerequisite: FILM 150. Not open to freshmen.

*FILM 351b/ART 342b, Intermediate Documentary Film Workshop  Sandra Luckow
For description see under Art.

*FILM 395b, Intermediate Screenwriting  Marc Lapadula
A workshop in writing short screenplays. Frequent revisions of each student’s script focus on uniting narrative, well-delineated characters, dramatic action, tone, and dialogue into a polished final screenplay. Prerequisite: FILM 350. Priority to Film Studies majors.
*FILM 455a and 456b, Documentary Film Workshop  
Charles Musser
A yearlong workshop designed primarily for Film Studies majors making documentaries as senior projects. Seniors in majors other than Film Studies admitted as space permits.  

*FILM 483a and 484b/ART 442a and 443b, Advanced Fiction Film Workshop  
Jonathan Andrews
For description see under Art.

*FILM 487a and 488b, Advanced Screenwriting  
Marc Lapadula
Students write a feature-length screenplay. Emphasis on multiple drafts and revision. Admission in the fall term based on acceptance of a complete step-sheet outline for the story to be written during the coming year. Primarily for Film Studies majors working on senior projects. Prerequisite: FILM 395 or permission of instructor.

*ART 141a and 142b, The Language of Film Workshop  
Michael Roemer
*MUSI 325a, Fundamentals of Music, Multimedia Art, and Technology  
Michael Klingbeil

THST 111b, Survey of Theater and Drama

*THST 300a, The Director and the Text I  
Toni Dorfman

INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH AND SENIOR ESSAY COURSE OR PROJECT

*FILM 471a or b, Independent Directed Study  
Staff
For students who wish to explore an aspect of film studies not covered by existing courses. The course may be used for research or directed readings and should include one lengthy essay or several short ones as well as regular meetings with the adviser. To apply, students should present a prospectus, a bibliography for the work proposed, and a letter of support from the adviser to the director of undergraduate studies. Term credit for independent research or reading may be granted and applied to any of the requisite areas upon application and approval by the director of undergraduate studies.

*FILM 491a and 492b, The Senior Essay  
Aaron Gerow
An independent writing and research project. A prospectus signed by the student’s adviser must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the second week of the term in which the essay project is to commence. A rough draft must be submitted to the adviser and the director of undergraduate studies approximately one month before the final draft is due. Essays are normally thirty-five pages long (one term) or fifty pages (two terms).

*FILM 493a and 494b, The Senior Project  
Aaron Gerow
For students making a film or video, either fiction or nonfiction, as their senior project. Senior projects require the approval of the Film Studies Committee and are based on proposals submitted at the end of the junior year. An interim project review takes place at the end of the fall term, and permission to complete the senior project can be withdrawn if satisfactory progress has not been made. For guidelines, consult the director of undergraduate studies. Does not count toward the fourteen courses required for the major when taken in conjunction with FILM 455, 456 or FILM 483, 484.
OTHER COURSES RELATED TO FILM

*ART 341a or b, Intermediate Fiction Film Workshop  Michael Roemer [F], Jonathan Andrews [Sp]

*GMST 050a, Spectatorship and Visual Culture  Brigitte Peucker

*HEBR 158a/G/ JDST 305a, Contemporary Israeli Society in Film  Shiri Goren
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

HSAR 346b, Twentieth-Century Photography  Carol Armstrong

HSHM 202a/G/AMST 247a/G/HIST 147a/G/HLTH 170a, Media and Medicine in Modern America  John Warner, Gretchen Berland
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

LITR 120a, Introduction to Narrative  Barry McCrea, Katerina Clark, Moira Fradinger

*LITR 357a/ENGL 321a/HUMS 246a, Visual Culture in Literature, Drama, and Film  Edward Barnaby
For description see under Literature.

*PHYS 101a or b, Movie Physics  Frank Robinson [F], Stephen Irons [Sp]

PORT 246a/LAST 245a/SPAN 245a, Latin American Film: Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina  Paulo Moreira
For description see under Portuguese.

*SOCY 352b/HUMS 247b, Material Culture and Iconic Consciousness  Jeffrey Alexander
For description see under Sociology.

*SPAN 223b/LAST 223b, Spanish in Film: An Introduction to the New Latin American Cinema  Margherita Tórtora
For description see under Spanish.

*WGSS 328b/ER&M 328b/SAST 458b, Popular Culture and Postcolonial India  Geetanjali Singh Chanda
For description see under Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

*WGSS 451b/G/AMST 449b, Photography and Memory: Public and Private Lives  Laura Wexler
For description see under Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

Forestry & Environmental Studies

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The School of Forestry & Environmental Studies is primarily a graduate and professional program designed to train leaders to solve worldwide environmental problems and to provide new understanding of local and global environments through interdisciplinary research in the natural and social sciences. The School offers numerous
courses to undergraduates in Environmental Studies, and undergraduates from any major can take courses in the School. Those undergraduates with significant interest should contact the School’s undergraduate program adviser to discuss a joint degree program that allows Yale College students to earn both a bachelor’s degree from Yale College and an M.E.M. degree from the School of Forestry & Environmental Studies in five years. For more information on the joint program, see the School’s Web site at environment.yale.edu/prospective/masters-degrees. Most graduate-level courses are open to qualified undergraduates. These courses are listed in the bulletin of the School of Forestry & Environmental Studies and most also appear in the online bulletin of the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

Information about the programs of the School of Forestry & Environmental Studies may be found on the Web at environment.yale.edu. Most lectures and symposia are open to undergraduates.

*F&ES 012a, Urban Ecology in New Haven  Gordon Geballe
Methods from ecosystem ecology, landscape ecology, and industrial ecology applied to questions of how cities work and how they can be more sustainable. Guest speakers, community projects, and field trips in New Haven. Application of theory to New Haven and to cities around the world. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  Fr sem

F&ES 245a/EVST 245a/PLSC 146a, International Environmental Policy and Governance  Benjamin Cashore
For description see under Environmental Studies.

F&ES 255b/EVST 255b/PLSC 215b, Environmental Politics and Law  John Wargo
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*F&ES 260a/G/EVST 260a/G, Structure, Function, and Development of Vascular Plants  Graeme Berlyn
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*F&ES 261a/G/EVST 261a/G/G&G 261a/G, Minerals and Human Health  Catherine Skinner, Ruth Blake
For description see under Geology & Geophysics.

*F&ES 275b/G/EVST 275b, Ecosystems Patterns and Processes  Peter Raymond,  Mark Bradford
For description see under Environmental Studies.

For description see under Environmental Studies.

*F&ES 290a/EVST 290a, Geographic Information Systems  Charles Tomlin
For description see under Environmental Studies.

F&ES 307b/G/EVST 307b, Organic Pollutants in the Environment  Shimon Anisfeld
For description see under Environmental Studies.
**F&ES 315a/E&EB 115a, Conservation Biology**  Jeffrey Powell, Walter Jetz
For description see under Biology.

*F&ES 320a/EVST 320a, International Environmental Law*

Nicholas Robinson
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*F&ES 330a/E&EB 330a/EVST 330a, Ecosystem Ecology*  Melinda Smith, Peter Raymond
For description see under Biology.

*F&ES 344b/G/EVST 344b, Aquatic Chemistry*  Gaboury Benoit
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*F&ES 367b/EVST 367b, Water Resources and Environmental Change*  James Saiers
For description see under Environmental Studies.

**F&ES 380a/G/ENAS 443a/ENVE 443a, Greening Business Operations**  Thomas Graedel and staff
For description see under Environmental Engineering.

*F&ES 384a/ANTH 382a/EVST 345a, Environmental Anthropology*  Michael Dove
For description see under Environmental Studies.

**COURSES IN THE SCHOOL OF FORESTRY & ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

For listings and detailed descriptions of professional school courses, consult the bulletin of the School of Forestry & Environmental Studies, or see environment.yale.edu.

**French**

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**FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FRENCH**

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The Department of French has two distinct but complementary missions: to provide instruction in the French language at all levels of competence, and to lead students to a broad appreciation and deep understanding of the literatures and cultures of France and other French-speaking countries.

The major in French is a liberal arts major, designed for those who wish to study one of the world’s greatest and richest literatures in depth. The department offers courses devoted to authors, works, and literary and cultural movements that span ten centuries and four continents. The curriculum also includes interdisciplinary courses on relations between literature and other areas of study such as history, law, religion, politics, and the arts. Majors are encouraged to explore all periods and genres of literature in French, as well as a wide variety of critical approaches.

Excellent knowledge of a foreign language and a mature, informed appreciation of a foreign literature open doors to many professions. The French major provides ideal preparation for careers not only in academics but also in a wide range of fields from law and diplomacy to journalism and the arts. Recent graduates have gone on to selective law schools and graduate programs in French and comparative literature. Others work in primary and secondary education, business, government, and a variety of nongovernmental agencies and international organizations.

French can be taken either as a primary major or as one of two majors, in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. Appropriate majors to combine with French might include, but are not limited to, African American Studies, African Studies, English, Film Studies, Global Affairs, History, History of Art, Humanities, Literature, Music, Philosophy, Political Science, Theater Studies, and Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies. (Regulations concerning the completion of two majors can be found in chapter II, section K, of this bulletin.)

**Study abroad** Students are encouraged to spend a year or a term abroad, for which appropriate course credit is granted. Summer study abroad may also, in some cases, receive course credit. Further information may be obtained from the Center for International Experience (www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international) and from Ruth Koizim, the study abroad adviser for the Department of French. The Kenneth Cornell Charitable Foundation provides some financial support for majors and prospective majors who undertake research projects related to their work in the major in France or a francophone country. Contact the director of undergraduate studies for details.

**The major for the Class of 2012** Students in the Class of 2012 may fulfill the requirements of the French major as described below for the Class of 2013 and subsequent classes. Alternatively, they may fulfill the requirements of the major that were in place when they entered the major, as described in previous editions of this bulletin.

**Prerequisites** Candidates for the major should take two courses in the FREN 150–159 range, or a reasonable equivalent, during the freshman or sophomore year. Prospective majors are strongly encouraged to take at least one literature course numbered 170 or above before the end of the sophomore year.

**The standard major for the Class of 2013 and subsequent classes** The standard major consists of ten term courses numbered 160 or above, including a one-term senior essay
(see below). At least four of these must be Group B courses numbered 200 or above. Students may count no more than three courses in the FREN 160–199 range and no more than two courses conducted in English (Group C) toward the major. With prior approval of the director of undergraduate studies, a maximum of four term courses taught outside the Yale Department of French but bearing directly on the student’s principal interest may be counted toward the major. Up to two of these may be taken in other departments at Yale, and up to four may be taken as part of a Year or Term Abroad or summer study abroad program. However, the combined number of courses from other departments and from study abroad may not exceed four. (The director of undergraduate studies may grant exceptions to this limit for students who spend two academic terms in an approved study abroad program.) Relevant freshman seminars may count toward the major, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

**The intensive major** The intensive major is designed for students who wish to undertake a more concentrated study of literature in French. It is recommended for students considering graduate study in French or in comparative literature. The intensive major consists of twelve term courses numbered 160 or above, including a one-term or two-term senior essay (see below). At least five courses must be from Group B and numbered 200 or above. Stipulations for courses in the 160–199 range, courses conducted in English, and courses taken outside the department are identical to those for the standard major.

**Senior requirement** All majors must write a senior essay showing evidence of careful reading and research and substantial independent thought. Essays may be written in either French or English and must be prepared under the direction of a ladder faculty member in the Department of French. Students planning to pursue advanced work in French after graduation are encouraged to write their senior essay in French. Students writing a one-term essay enroll in FREN 491 in the senior year. A one-term essay may be written in either the fall or the spring term and should be approximately thirty pages in length. A preliminary statement indicating the general area to be addressed and the name of the adviser must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by September 16 (fall-term essay) or November 11 (spring-term essay). A one-page prospectus and bibliography are due September 23 (fall term) or January 20 (spring term). A rough draft must be submitted to the adviser by October 21 (fall term) or March 23 (spring term). Two copies of the final essay are due in the department by November 11 (fall term) or April 16 (spring term).

Students electing a two-term essay for the intensive major must select their subject and adviser by the end of the junior year and enroll in FREN 493 and 494 during the senior year. The essay should be approximately sixty pages in length. A preliminary statement indicating the general area to be addressed and the name of the adviser must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by September 16. A one-page prospectus and bibliography are due October 14. Students must submit an initial rough draft to their adviser by January 20 and a complete draft by March 23. Two copies of the final essay are due in the department by April 16.

**All majors** It is strongly recommended that all majors complete at least one term course in the FREN 170–179 sequence early in their studies. They are also encouraged to take as many
advanced courses as possible in all historical periods from the Middle Ages to the present. Candidates for the major should consult the director of undergraduate studies no later than the fall term of the junior year. Schedules must be approved and signed by the director of undergraduate studies. Students planning to study abroad or to petition for completion of two majors should contact the director of undergraduate studies during the sophomore year. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

**Special Divisional Major** The department will support the application of qualified students who wish to pursue an interdisciplinary course in French studies. Under the provisions of the Special Divisional Major, students may combine courses offered by the French department with subjects elected from other departments. Close consultation with departmental advisers is required; candidates for a Special Divisional Major should consult the director of undergraduate studies in French by the fall term of the junior year. For further information about the Special Divisional Major see under that heading in this chapter.

**Group A courses** (FREN 110–159) This group consists of language courses that lead directly to courses counting toward the major. For further details, students should consult the Freshman Web site at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/french-0 or see the director of undergraduate studies.

**Group B courses** (FREN 160–449, not including Group C courses) This group contains more advanced courses that are taught in French and count toward the major. Courses in the FREN 170–179 range are gateway courses that introduce students to the study of French and francophone literatures, societies, and cultures. Courses in the FREN 180–199 range are advanced language courses. Courses numbered 200–449 are advanced courses in literature and culture. The 200–299 range contains courses devoted to broad, general fields defined by century or genre; the 300–449 range contains courses devoted to specific topics within or across those general fields.

**Group C courses** This group comprises courses taught in English; readings may be in French or English. Two term courses from this group may be counted for credit toward the major.

**Placement** Proper placement is essential for productive language study. All students who have not yet taken French at Yale are expected to take the departmental placement test, with the following exceptions:

1. Students who have no previous knowledge of French whatsoever should attend preregistration and sign up for FREN 110.
2. True beginners of French who are prospective majors are encouraged to enroll in FREN 125, for which there is no preregistration.
3. Students who received a score of 5 on the Advanced Placement examination in French, a score of 6 or 7 on the higher-level International Baccalaureate examination, or a grade of A or B on the GCE A-level examination should discuss their proper course placement with the director of undergraduate studies, who will be present during preregistration.

*Please note that the departmental placement test is given only once a year, in the fall.* Students who wish to begin taking French in the spring must take the test in the fall. Times and locations for the placement test will be posted on the departmental Web site, french.yale.edu. Results
will be posted on the same Web site, outside 206 LC, and outside the French department offices, 82–90 Wall St., third floor. For additional information about placement, visit the departmental Web site. Preregistration will be held on Tuesday, August 30, from 2 to 4 p.m. in 209 LC.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** 2 term courses numbered FREN 150–159 or equivalent

**Number of courses** Standard major—10 term courses numbered 160 or above; Intensive major—12 term courses numbered 160 or above

**Distribution of courses** Standard major— at least 4 term courses in Group B numbered 200 or above; no more than 3 term courses numbered FREN 160–199; no more than 2 term courses conducted in English; Intensive major— same, plus 1 addtl Group B course numbered 200 or above

**Substitution permitted** With prior approval of DUS, up to 4 term courses outside French dept, as specified

**Senior requirement** Standard major— one-term senior essay in French or English (FREN 491); Intensive major— one-term (FREN 491) or two-term (FREN 493, 494) senior essay in French or English

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**GROUP A COURSES**

Preregistration, which is required for all fall-term courses numbered from 110 to 159 (except FREN 125), is held on Tuesday, August 30, from 2 to 4 p.m. See french.yale.edu for details. Preregistration is not required for spring-term courses.

**FREN 110a, Elementary and Intermediate French I**  Matuku Ngame, Candace Skorupa, and staff

Through extensive use of audio and video material, the course provides intensive training and practice in all the language skills, with an initial emphasis on listening and speaking. Emphasis on communicative proficiency, self-expression, and cultural insights. Mandatory weekly tests given on Mondays at 30-minute intervals from 5 to 8:30 p.m. To be followed by FREN 120. Conducted entirely in French. Daily classroom and laboratory attendance is required. For students with no previous experience of French. Preregistration required. Credit only on completion of FREN 120.  L1  RP  1½ Course cr

**FREN 120b, Elementary and Intermediate French II**  Matuku Ngame, Candace Skorupa, and staff

Continuation of FREN 110. To be followed by FREN 130. After FREN 110.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr

**FREN 121a, Intermediate French**  Matuku Ngame, Kathleen Burton, and staff

Designed for initiated beginners, this course develops all the language skills with an emphasis on listening and speaking. Activities include role playing, self-expression, and discussion of cultural and literary texts. Emphasis on grammar review and acquisition of vocabulary. Frequent audio and video exercises. Conducted entirely in French. Daily classroom attendance is required. Placement according to placement test score. Preregistration required.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr
FREN 125a, **Intensive Elementary French**  Constance Sherak
An accelerated course that covers in one term the material taught in FREN 110 and 120. Practice in all language skills, with emphasis on communicative proficiency. Admits to FREN 145. For students of superior linguistic ability. Conducted entirely in French. No preregistration required. L1–L2  RP  2 Course cr

FREN 130a or b, **Intermediate and Advanced French I**  Ruth Koizim and staff
The first half of a two-term sequence designed to develop students’ proficiency in the four language skill areas. Prepares students for further work in literary, language, and cultural studies, as well as for nonacademic use of French. Oral communication skills, writing practice, vocabulary development, and a comprehensive review of fundamental grammatical structures are integrated with the study of short stories, plays, novels, and films. Admits to FREN 140. Conducted entirely in French. After FREN 120, 121, or a satisfactory placement test score. Preregistration required for the fall term. L3  RP  1½ Course cr

FREN 140a or b, **Intermediate and Advanced French II**  Soumia Koundi and staff
The second half of a two-term sequence designed to develop students’ proficiency in the four language skill areas. Introduction of more complex grammatical structures. Films and other authentic media accompany literary readings from throughout the francophone world, culminating with the reading of a longer novel and in-class presentation of student research projects. Admits to FREN 150 or 151. Conducted entirely in French. After FREN 130 or a satisfactory placement test score. Preregistration required for the fall term. L4  RP  1½ Course cr

FREN 145b, **Intensive Intermediate and Advanced French**  Constance Sherak
An accelerated course that covers in one term the material taught in FREN 130 and 140. Emphasis on speaking, writing, and the conversion of grammatical knowledge into reading competence. Admits to FREN 150 or 151. For students of superior linguistic ability. Conducted entirely in French. After FREN 120 or 125. No preregistration required. L3–L4  RP  2 Course cr

*FREN 150a, Advanced Language Practice I*  Françoise Schneider, Lauren Pinzka, and staff
An advanced language course intended to improve students’ comprehension of spoken and written French as well as their speaking and writing skills. Modern fiction and nonfiction texts familiarize students with idiomatic French. Special attention to grammar review and vocabulary acquisition. After FREN 140, 145, or a satisfactory placement test score. May be taken after FREN 151. L5

FREN 151b, **Advanced Language Practice II**  Françoise Schneider, Diane Charney, and staff
An advanced language course intended to improve students’ comprehension of spoken and written French as well as their speaking and writing skills. Modern fiction and nonfiction texts familiarize students with idiomatic French. Emphasis on oral practice through debates and presentations on current events. After FREN 140, 145, or a satisfactory placement test score. May be taken independently of FREN 150. L5

GROUP B COURSES

Group B courses are conducted entirely in French. Courses numbered from 160 to 199 are open to students who have passed two courses in the FREN 150–159 range or the equivalent, and to
others with consent of the department. Courses numbered from 200 to 449 are open to students who have passed a course in the FREN 170–175 range, or with permission of the instructor. Students who have taken a course at the 200 level or higher may not ordinarily take a 100-level course for credit, with the exception of advanced language courses numbered 185 or higher. Students may take 200-, 300-, and 400-level courses in any order. Courses in the 200-299 range are devoted to general fields; courses in the 300-449 range are devoted to specific topics.

FREN 160a or b, Advanced Culture and Conversation Françoise Schneider and staff
Intensive oral practice designed to further skills in listening comprehension, speaking, and reading through the use of videos, films, fiction, and articles. Emphasis on contemporary French and francophone cultures. Prerequisites: FREN 150 and 151, or a satisfactory placement test score, or permission of the course director. May be taken concurrently with or after FREN 170. L5 RP

Gateway Courses

*FREN 170a or b, Introduction to the Study of Literature in French
  Marie-Hélène Girard and staff
Introduction to close reading and analysis of literary texts written in French. Works by authors such as Marie de France, Molière, Balzac, Hugo, Baudelaire, Césaire, and Duras. May not be taken after FREN 171. L5, HU

*FREN 171b, Introduction to the Study of Literature in French for Students of Directed Studies Edwin M. Duval
An introduction to close reading and analysis of literary texts written in French, for current and former students of Directed Studies. Similar in content to FREN 170, but specifically designed to build on readings in DRST 001 and 002. Works by Du Bellay, Racine, Baudelaire, Giraudoux, Sartre, Apollinaire, Flaubert, and Proust. Prerequisites: DRST 001 or 002; FREN 150, or equivalent with permission of instructor and the director of undergraduate studies. May not be taken after FREN 170. L5, HU

*FREN 172b, French and Francophone Cultural History Lauren Pinzka
An interdisciplinary introduction to French and francophone cultural history organized around a particular theme or topic. In 2012 the theme is the representation of America as myth and metaphor by prominent French intellectuals. L5, HU

*FREN 175a, Literary Analysis and Theory Yue Zhuo
Intensive practice in key techniques of writing about French literature, with a focus on acquiring and developing analytical tools and critical vocabulary. Study of selected literary and critical texts, including works of poetry, fiction, and theater, culled from various eras. Designed to supplement FREN 170. L5, HU

Advanced Language Courses

*FREN 185a, Translation Alyson Waters
An introduction to the practice and theory of literary translation, conducted in workshop format. Stress on close reading, with emphasis initially on grammatical structures and vocabulary, subsequently on stylistics and aesthetics. Translation as a means to understand and communicate cultural difference in the case of French, African, Caribbean, and
Québécois authors. Texts by Benjamin, Beckett, Borges, Steiner, and others. Readings in French and in English. After FREN 150 and 151 or with permission of instructor. Preference to juniors and seniors.  L5, HU

General Fields

*FREN 219a, Seventeenth-Century French Literature  Christopher Semk
An introduction to the principal literary genres of seventeenth-century France in their historical context. Genres include comic and tragic theater (Molière, Corneille, Racine), religious oratory (Bossuet), the early psychological novel (La Princesse de Clèves), the maxim (La Rochefoucauld), and the fable (La Fontaine).  L5, HU

*FREN 228b, Introduction to World Literature in French  Christopher L. Miller
Relations between France and the world beyond Europe, as seen in French-language literary texts from around the globe. Patterns of intercultural contact include discovery, colonialism, orientalism, exoticism, exile, and globalization. Texts by Montaigne, Voltaire, Grégoire, Mérimée, Baudelaire, Louis Hémon, Camara Laye, Maryse Condé, and Amélie Nothomb.  L5, HU

*FREN 230a/AFAM 191a/AFST 330a/LITR 266a, Francophone African and Caribbean Literature  Christopher L. Miller
A comprehensive survey of literature written in French from sub-Saharan Africa and the Caribbean. The context of French colonialism and its institutions; the rise of Negritude and nationalism; independence and the postcolonial era. Authors include Senghor, Césaire, Sembène (including film), Kourouma, Bâ, Belaya, Condé, and Lopes.  L5, HU

*FREN 245a/THST 245a, Twentieth-Century French Theater  Christopher Semk
An introduction to the works of major twentieth-century playwrights, including Anouilh, Ionesco, Beckett, Sartre, and Genet. Special emphasis on theater of the absurd. The social, cultural, and political contexts of the plays; questions relating to theater in performance.  L5, HU

Special Topics

FREN 314a, Lyric Poetry of the French Renaissance  Edwin M. Duval
Traditions and masterpieces of lyric poetry in France from the end of the Middle Ages to the beginning of the seventeenth century. Topics include court poetry and devotional lyric of the generation of Francis I (Marot and Marguerite de Navarre), love poetry inspired by the Italian Renaissance (Scève, Labé), the poetic revolution of the Pléïade (Du Bellay, Ronsard), and libertine poetry of the early seventeenth century (Théophile de Viau, Saint-Amant).  L5, HU

*FREN 329b, Exoticism and Enlightenment  Thomas Kavanagh
Works from eighteenth-century France in which a new awareness of real and imaginary “others” from distant places and times played a crucial role in redefining how France thought about, critiqued, and refashioned its own social, cultural, and artistic practices. Works by Vespucii, Montaigne, Lahontan, Montesquieu, Grégoire, Rousseau, Bougainville, Commerson, Raynal, Diderot, Saint-Lambert, Boufflers, and Bernardin de Saint-Pierre.  L5, HU
*FREN 334b, Women’s Narratives in French Literature  Maryam Sanjabi
Women’s narratives in French from the seventeenth century to the twentieth, including memoirs, diaries, and the epistolary novel. Topics include gender awareness, scientific progress, court scandal, sexuality, and amorous intrigue.  L5, HU

*FREN 353b/JDST 386b, Jewish Identity and French Culture  Maurice Samuels
Notions of Jewish identity in France from the French Revolution to the present. Writers and filmmakers include Balzac, Finkelnkraut, Memmi, Modiano, Némirovsky, Renoir, Sartre, and Zola.  L5, HU

*FREN 366b, Art and Literature in Modern France  Marie-Hélène Girard
Aspects of the relationship between art and literature in modern France: wit and humor through caricature and satirical literature. Focus on French history, culture, and media, using texts, prints, comics, films, and television shows.  L5, HU

*FREN 396b/FILM 337b, World War II in French Cinema  Alice Kaplan
A study of French films dealing with everyday life in France during the Nazi occupation (1940–44). Close analysis of scenes and cinematic techniques, historical readings, and film criticism.  L5, HU

SPECIAL TUTORIAL AND SENIOR COURSES

*FREN 470a and 471b, Special Tutorial for Juniors and Seniors  Yue Zhuo
Special projects set up by the student in an area of individual interest with the help of a faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies. Intended to enable the student to cover material not offered by the department. The project must terminate with at least a term paper or its equivalent and must have the approval of the director of undergraduate studies. Only one term may be offered toward the major, but two terms may be offered toward the bachelor’s degree. For additional information, consult the director of undergraduate studies.

*FREN 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Yue Zhuo [F], Edwige Tamalet-Talbav [Sp]
A one-term research project completed under the direction of a ladder faculty member in the Department of French and resulting in a substantial paper in French or English. For additional information, consult the director of undergraduate studies.

*FREN 493a and 494b, The Senior Essay in the Intensive Major  Yue Zhuo
A yearlong research project completed under the direction of a ladder faculty member in the Department of French and resulting in a paper of considerable length, in French or English. For additional information, consult the director of undergraduate studies. Cr/year only

GROUP C COURSES

Courses in this group are conducted in English; readings may be in French or English. Group C courses numbered above 100 are open to all students in Yale College.

*FREN 210a*/HUMS 241a/LITR 190a, Renaissance of the Middle Ages  
R. Howard Bloch
For description see under Humanities.
*FREN 240a/HUMS 201a/LITR 214a, The Modern French Novel  Alice Kaplan, Maurice Samuels  
A survey of major French novels, considering style and story, literary and intellectual movements, and historical contexts. Writers include Balzac, Flaubert, Proust, Camus, and Sartre. Readings in translation. One section conducted in French.  HU  Tr

*FREN 355b/HUMS 204b/LITR 234b, Camus and the Postwar Era  Alice Kaplan  
The literary and political career of French-Algerian writer Albert Camus (1913–60). His major novels and essays read both from a stylistic point of view and in the context of World War II, the Algerian War, and debates over terrorism, the death penalty, and humanitarianism.  HU  Tr

*FREN 397a/HUMS 362a/LITR 212a, French Theory from Sartre to Derrida  
Yue Zhuo  
A survey of French thought from the end of World War II to the present day, from essentialism and Marxism to structuralism and poststructuralism. Authors include Sartre, Barthes, Lévi-Strauss, Foucault, Bataille, Debord, Derrida, Kristeva, and Deleuze.  HU  Tr

READING COURSE

*FREN 109a or b, French for Reading  Maryam Sanjabi  
Fundamental grammar structures and basic vocabulary through the reading of texts in various fields (primarily humanities and social sciences, and others as determined by student interest). Intended for students who either need a reading knowledge of French for research purposes or are preparing for French reading examinations and who have had no (or minimal) prior study of French. No preregistration required. Conducted in English. Does not satisfy the language requirement.

Freshman Seminar Program

The Freshman Seminar program offers a diverse array of courses open only to freshmen and designed with freshmen in mind. Enrollment in seminars is limited to fifteen or eighteen students, depending on the nature of the course. Most seminars meet twice each week and do not, unless otherwise noted, presume any prior experience in the field. Students must apply and preregister for freshman seminars before the beginning of each term. To ensure that all applicants share an equal chance at enrolling in a seminar, students are admitted by lottery from among those who apply. Students who do not preregister may be considered for placement at the instructor’s discretion if space is available. Application procedures and a complete list of courses may be found on line at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/freshman-seminar-program-2.

For a full description of each seminar, see the course listings of the originating department.

*AMST 004a, Narrations of Native America  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant

*AMST 006a, Violence and Justice in America  John Mack Faragher

*ANTH 011a, Reproductive Technologies  Marcia Inhorn
*ANTH 012b, Exploring Sport, Society, and Culture  William Kelly

*APHY 050a/PHYS 050a, Science of Modern Technology  Daniel Prober
For description see under Applied Physics.

*ARCH 001b, Architecture and Utopia  Peggy Deamer

*ART 001a, Studies in Visual Biography  Jessica Helfand

*ART 002b, Paper  Staff

*ASTR 030a, Search for Extraterrestrial Life  Hector Arce

*CPSC 079a, Digital Photorealism  Julie Dorsey

*ENAS 060b/APHY 060b/PHYS 060b, Energy Technology and Society  Paul Fleury
For description see under Engineering & Applied Science.

*ENGL 010a, Jane Austen  Stefanie Markovits

*ENGL 011a/PLSC 025a, Lincoln in Thought and Action  David Bromwich
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*F&ES 012a, Urban Ecology in New Haven  Gordon Geballe

*FILM 040a/AFAM 040a, Spike Lee  Terri Francis
For description see under Film Studies.

*GMST 050a, Spectatorship and Visual Culture  Brigitte Peucker

*HIST 001b/AFAM 095b/AMST 001b, African American Freedom Movements in the Twentieth Century  Crystal Feimster
For description see under History.

*HIST 006a/HSM 005a, Medicine and Society in American History  Rebecca Tannenbaum
For description see under History.

*HIST 008a/HUMS 080a/RLST 001a, Essential Heresies  Carlos Eire
For description see under History.

*HIST 022a, What History Teaches  John Gaddis

*HIST 023a, War and Rebellion in Early America  Alejandra Dubcovsky

*HLTH 091b, Leadership and Global Thinking  Elizabeth Bradley
For description see under Global Health Studies.

*HSAR 002a/AMST 007a, Furniture and American Life  Edward Cooke, Jr.
For description see under History of Art.

*HSHM 008a/HUMS 090a, History of Scientific Medicine  Sherwin Nuland
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

*HUMS 076a, Epidemics in Global Perspective  William Summers

*HUMS 093b/MUSI 024b, The Beatles, Dylan, and the 1960s  Gary Tomlinson
For description see under Humanities.
*JDST 015b/HUMS 094b/RLST 002b, Abraham and the Abrahamic Religions
   Jonathan Kaplan
   For description see under Judaic Studies.

*LING 009b, Grammatical Diversity in U.S. English   Raffaella Zanuttini

*MCDB 060a and 061b, Topics in Reproductive Biology   Harvey Kliman
   For description see under Biology.

*MUSI 003b, Shakespeare and Music   Judith Malafronte

*MUSI 009a, Jazz and Architecture   Michael Veal

*PHIL 082a, Cognitive Science of Morality   Joshua Knobe

*PHYS 095a, Radiation and the Universe   Peter Parker

*PORT 001b/LAST 001b/SPAN 050b, Latin American Short Fiction
   Paulo Moreira
   For description see under Portuguese.

*SCIE 030a and 031b, Current Topics in Science   Douglas Kankel

*SOCY 041a, Sociology of Social Control and Criminal Justice   Philip Smith

*WGSS 032b, History of Sexuality   Maria Trumpler

Gay and Lesbian Studies
   (See under Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies.)

Gender Studies
   (See under Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies.)

Geology and Geophysics

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY AND GEOPHYSICS

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Lecturer   Catherine Skinner
The Geology and Geophysics program prepares students for the application of scientific principles and methods to the understanding of Earth, the environment, and life on a regional and a planetary scale. Subjects range from the history of Earth and life to present-day environmental processes, integrating the study of Earth’s deep interior, tectonic plates, oceans, atmosphere, climate, land surface, natural resources, and biota. The emphasis of the curriculum is on employing basic principles from the core sciences (physics, chemistry, biology) to further an understanding of Earth’s past and present, and addressing issues relating to its future. Students gain a broad background in the natural sciences, and also select a specific track to focus their work on planetary or environmental phenomena of particular interest. The B.S. tracks emphasize hands-on research experience in fieldwork, in laboratories, or in computer modeling. While some graduates continue on to research, consulting, or industrial careers in Earth, environmental, and planetary sciences, the major’s broad scientific training prepares students for a wide variety of other paths, including medicine, law, public policy, and teaching.

**B.S. degree program** Majors in the B.S. program choose from four tracks: the atmosphere, ocean, and climate track; the environmental geosciences track; the paleontology and geobiology track; and the solid Earth sciences track. The tracks are suggested pathways to professional careers and to major areas of interest and research in geology and geophysics. Students may change tracks during their course of study with guidance from the director of undergraduate studies.

1. The atmosphere, ocean, and climate track provides a comprehensive understanding of the theory, observation, and prediction of the atmosphere-ocean-climate system. Topics range from past climate changes, including the ice ages, to present-day storms and weather, to forecasting climate change and global warming. The prerequisites are college-level chemistry (CHEM 112, 113; 114, 115; or 118), physics (PHYS 180, 181 and PHYS 165L, 166L), computing (ENAS 130 or equivalent), and mathematics through differential equations (MATH 120 and ENAS 194). The major requirements consist of at least ten and one-half course credits beyond the prerequisites, including either the senior essay or the senior thesis. Students take a course in G&G numbered 100–150, with any accompanying laboratory, as an introduction to Earth processes (G&G 110 and 111L; 120; or 125 and 126L); a higher-level course in G&G can be substituted with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. Core courses totaling five and one-half credits introduce students to Earth’s climate system (G&G 140 and 141L), meteorology (G&G 322), physical oceanography (G&G 335), fluid mechanics (MENG 361), and statistics or linear algebra (STAT 230 or 238 or MATH 222). Three electives are chosen from topics in the environment; processes that govern the atmosphere, ocean, and land surface; physics; and statistics. A list of suggested electives is available from the office of the director of undergraduate studies or on the Web at [www.yale.edu/geology](http://www.yale.edu/geology). At least one elective must be from G&G.

2. The environmental geosciences track provides a scientific understanding of the natural and anthropogenic processes that shape the Earth–atmosphere–biosphere system. It emphasizes comparative studies of past and current Earth processes to inform models of the environment’s future. The prerequisites are broad and flexible and include college-level chemistry (CHEM 112, 113; 114, 115; or 118) and mathematics
through multivariate calculus (MATH 120). Depending on their area of focus, students may choose a prerequisite in physics (PHYS 170, 171; 180, 181; or 200, 201), or they may choose cellular biology (MCDB 120) and evolutionary biology (E&EB 122, or G&G 125 and 126L). The major requirements consist of at least eleven and one-half course credits beyond the prerequisites, including either the senior essay or the senior thesis. Students take two courses in G&G numbered 100–150, with the accompanying laboratories, as an introduction to the Earth system (G&G 110 and 111L; 120; or 140 and 141L; G&G 125 and 126L may be used if the physics prerequisites are selected). A higher-level course in G&G can be substituted with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. Four core courses are chosen from topics in resource use and sustainability (G&G 205), the microbiology of surface and near-surface environments (G&G 255), geochemical principles (G&G 301), climate (G&G 322), and satellite-based image analysis (G&G 362). Four electives chosen from Geology and Geophysics, Environmental Studies, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, or related fields provide a broad approach to scientific study of the environment. A list of suggested electives is available from the office of the director of undergraduate studies or on the Web at www.yale.edu/geology. Electives may be chosen from the core courses, and at least two must be from G&G.

3. The paleontology and geobiology track focuses on the fossil record of life and evolution, geochemical imprints of life, and interactions between life and Earth. Topics range from morphology, function, relationships, and biogeography of the fossils themselves, through the contexts of fossil finds in terms of stratigraphy, sediment geochemistry, paleoecology, paleoclimate, and geomorphology, to analysis of the larger causes of paleontological, geobiological, and evolutionary patterns. Integrative approaches are emphasized that link fossil evidence with the physical and chemical evolution of Earth. The prerequisites are college-level biology (MCDB 120 and E&EB 122) and chemistry (CHEM 112, 113; 114, 115; or 118), and mathematics through multivariate calculus (MATH 120). The major requirements consist of at least twelve course credits beyond the prerequisites, including either the senior essay or the senior thesis. Students take G&G 110 and 111L to gain geological and environmental context, and they are introduced to the fossil record and evolution in G&G 125 and 126L; higher-level courses in G&G can be substituted with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. Four core courses give majors a comprehensive background in sedimentary rocks and rock correlation (G&G 230), the study of evolution (G&G 250), microbiology in past and present environments (G&G 255), and statistical data analysis as applied to the life sciences (STAT 101). Four electives selected from Geology and Geophysics, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, and related fields offer students maximum flexibility in pursuing their specific interests. A list of suggested electives is available from the office of the director of undergraduate studies or on the Web at www.yale.edu/geology. At least one elective must be from G&G.

4. The solid Earth sciences track emphasizes an integrated geological, geochemical, and geophysical approach to the study of processes operating within Earth and their manifestation on the surface. It includes the structure, dynamics, and kinetics of Earth’s interior and their impacts on our environment both in the long term (e.g., the evolution
of the land surface) and in the short term (e.g., the causes for natural disasters such as earthquakes and volcanic eruption). Students acquire a fundamental understanding of the solid Earth system, both as it exists today and as it has evolved over geologic time scales. The prerequisites are college-level chemistry (CHEM 112, 113; 114, 115; or 118) and physics (PHYS 170, 171; 180, 181; or 200, 201), and mathematics through multivariate calculus (MATH 120). The major requirements consist of at least eleven and one-half course credits beyond the prerequisites, including either the senior essay or the senior thesis. Students take two courses in G&G numbered 100–150, with the accompanying laboratories, as an introduction to the Earth system (G&G 110 and 111L; 120; 125 and 126L; or 140 and 141L); a higher-level course in G&G can be substituted with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. The core of the track consists of four courses chosen from topics in mantle dynamics, earthquakes, and volcanoes (G&G 201), mountain building and global tectonics (G&G 212), rocks and minerals (G&G 220), sedimentary rocks and processes (G&G 230), and geochemical principles (G&G 301). Students also select four electives in geology, geochemistry, geophysics, or related topics. A list of suggested electives is available from the office of the director of undergraduate studies or on the Web at www.yale.edu/geology. Electives may be chosen from core courses, and at least two must be from G&G.

**B.A. degree program** The B.A. degree in Geology and Natural Resources requires fewer upper-level courses than the B.S. degree. It may be more appropriate for students who wish to major in two separate Yale programs, who study geoscience in preparation for a career in law, business, government, or environmental fields, or who decide to pursue a science major only after the freshman year. The prerequisites include mathematics (MATH 115), biology (MCDB 120 or G&G 255), and chemistry (CHEM 103; 112, 113; 114, 115; or 118). The major requirements consist of at least nine and one-half course credits beyond the prerequisites. These include two courses in G&G numbered 100–150, with the accompanying laboratories, courses in natural resources (G&G 205) and geochemistry (G&G 301); and five additional courses at the 200 level or higher in Geology and Geophysics or Environmental Engineering, including either the senior essay or the senior thesis. Course selections can be guided by any of the B.S. tracks described above.

**Senior requirement** Seniors in both degree programs must prepare either a senior essay based on one term of library, laboratory, or field research (G&G 492) or, with the consent of the faculty, a two-term senior thesis (G&G 490, 491), which involves innovative field, laboratory, or theoretical research. Students electing to do a senior thesis must first select a topic and obtain the consent of a faculty member to act as an adviser. They must then petition the faculty through the director of undergraduate studies for approval of the thesis proposal. The petition should be submitted by the end of the junior year. If the two-term senior thesis is elected, G&G 491 may count as an elective toward the major. A copy of each senior thesis or senior essay is deposited in the archives of the Geology and Geophysics Library.

Geology and Geophysics majors may not employ the Credit/D/Fail option for their prerequisites or for courses in the major. With permission of the director of undergraduate studies, acceleration credits awarded on entrance may be used to satisfy prerequisites, even
if the student does not choose to accelerate. Higher-level courses may, with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies, be substituted for prerequisites and for specific required courses. Qualified juniors and seniors are encouraged to enroll in graduate courses, with the permission of the directors of graduate and undergraduate studies.

**Practical experience** In addition to prerequisites and required courses in Geology and Geophysics, candidates for the B.A. and B.S. degrees are strongly encouraged to gain practical experience in the Earth sciences. This can be done in two ways: (1) by attending a summer field course at another academic institution, or (2) by participating in summer research opportunities offered by the Department of Geology and Geophysics, by other academic institutions, or by certain government agencies and private industries. Consult the director of undergraduate studies for further information.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites**  
**B.A.** — MATH 115; MCDB 120 or G&G 255; CHEM 103, or 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118; **B.S.** — All tracks — CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118; MATH 120; *Atmosphere, ocean, and climate track* — ENAS 130 or equivalent; ENAS 194; PHYS 180, 181, 165L, 166L; *Environmental geosciences track* — physics (PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201) or biology (MCDB 120; and either E&EB 122, or G&G 125 and 126L); *Paleontology and geobiology track* — MCDB 120; E&EB 122; *Solid Earth sciences track* — PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201

**Number of courses**  
**B.A.** — 9½ course credits beyond prereqs for letter grades (incl senior req); **B.S.** — *Atmosphere, ocean, and climate track*—10½ course credits beyond prereqs for letter grades (incl senior req); *Environmental geosciences and solid Earth sciences tracks* — 11½ courses beyond prereqs for letter grades (incl senior req); *Paleontology and geobiology track* — 12 course credits beyond prerequisites for letter grades (incl senior req)

**Distribution of courses**  
**B.A.** — 2 courses in G&G numbered 100–150, with labs; 5 addtl courses at 200 level or higher in G&G or Environmental Engineering; **B.S.** — *Atmosphere, ocean, and climate track*—1 course in G&G numbered 100–150, with lab; 3 electives as specified; *Environmental geosciences and solid Earth sciences tracks* — 2 courses in G&G numbered 100–150, with labs; 4 electives as specified; *Paleontology and geobiology track* — 4 electives as specified

**Specific courses required**  
**B.A.** — G&G 205, 301; **B.S.** — *Atmosphere, ocean, and climate track*—G&G 140, 141L, 322, 335; MENG 361; STAT 230 or 238 or MATH 222; *Environmental geosciences track* — 4 from G&G 205, 255, 301, 322, 362; *Paleontology and geobiology track* — G&G 110, 111L, 125, 126L, 230, 250, 255, STAT 101; *Solid Earth sciences track* — 4 from G&G 201, 212, 220, 230, 301

**Substitution permitted**  
All programs — with DUS permission, higher-level courses for prereqs or required courses

**Senior requirement**  
All programs — senior essay (G&G 492) or, with permission of faculty, two-term senior thesis (G&G 490, 491)

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**G&G 100a, Natural Disasters**  
David Bercovici, Frank Robinson

G&G 110a, Dynamic Earth  
Danny Rye, David Evans
An introduction to the processes that shape Earth’s environment through the interactions of rocks, soils, the atmosphere, and the hydrosphere. Field trips and practical sessions in the properties of natural materials. Topics include evolution of landscapes; hydrologic and tectonic cycles; extreme geologic events such as earthquakes, floods, volcanism, and landslides; society’s economic dependence on natural materials such as soils, minerals, and fossil fuels; and human influences on the natural environment.  
sc

G&G 111La, Dynamic Earth Laboratory and Field Methods  
David Evans, Danny Rye
Practical exercises in the laboratory and in the field to complement G&G 110 or 200. Identification of minerals and rocks; construction of geologic maps and cross sections to determine Earth-system processes and histories. After or concurrently with G&G 110, or after G&G 200.  
sc  ½ Course cr

[G&G 120b/EVST 125b, Earth’s Changing Climate]

G&G 125b/E&EB 125b, History of Life  
Derek Briggs, Leo Hickey
Examination of fossil and geologic evidence pertaining to the origin, evolution, and history of life on Earth. Emphasis on major events in the history of life, on what the fossil record reveals about the evolutionary process, on the diversity of ancient and living organisms, and on the evolutionary impact of Earth’s changing environment.  
sc

G&G 126Lb, Laboratory for the History of Life  
Leo Hickey, Derek Briggs
A survey of the diversification of life using suites of fossils and related modern organisms drawn from critical evolutionary stages. Emphasis on direct observation and description of specimens, the solution of problems posed by the instructor, and the generation and testing of hypotheses by the students. To be taken concurrently with or following G&G 125.  
sc  ½ Course cr

G&G 140a/EVST 201a, Atmosphere, Ocean, and Environmental Change  
Ronald Smith
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*G&G 141La/EVST 202La, Laboratory for Atmosphere, Ocean, and Environmental Change  
Ronald Smith
For description see under Environmental Studies.

*G&G 200b/EVST 200b, Earth System Science  
Jeffrey Park
A survey of geoscience. Interaction of lithosphere, hydrosphere, atmosphere, and Earth’s deep interior; natural controls on environment and climate in past, present, and future; rocks, minerals, glaciers, earthquakes, and volcanoes; natural hazards and natural resources.  
sc

G&G 201a, Mantle Dynamics, Earthquakes, and Volcanoes  
Jun Korenaga
Quantitative introduction to the dynamics of Earth’s interior and surface manifestations such as plate tectonics, earthquakes, and volcanoes. Emphasis on understanding various geological phenomena through the framework of mantle convection in the cooling Earth. Discussion of how Earth’s internal processes affect human environments in both the short and the long term. Weekly lab sessions provide students with hands-on problem-solving experiences in geophysics. Prerequisites: CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, or 118; MATH 120; PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201; or permission of instructor.  
QR, sc
**G&G 205a, Natural Resources and Their Sustainability**  
Jay Ague  
The formation and distribution of renewable and nonrenewable energy, mineral, and water resources. Topics include the consequences of extraction and use; depletion and the availability of substitutes; and economic and geopolitical issues. Recommended preparation: introductory chemistry and geology.  

**G&G 207b, The Science of Water**  
Kanani Lee  
A study of water in its physical, chemical, biological, astronomical, geological, and environmental aspects. Topics include water’s role in food and energy production, conservation and pollution, magnetic field generation, plate tectonics and volcanism, climate, and security.  

**G&G 212b, Global Tectonics**  
David Evans, Mark Brandon  
The architecture of continents and oceans; detailed geology of lithospheric plate margins and mountain chains. Examples of plate-interaction histories from the ancient geological record emphasize the interdisciplinary approaches used to determine interlinked Earth-system processes involving the mantle, crust, hydrosphere, atmosphere, and biosphere. The course features a field trip during spring break. Prerequisite: one course in G&G or permission of instructor. Enrollment limited to 15.  

**G&G 220b, Petrology and Mineralogy**  
Danny Rye  
Comprehensive study of the structures, chemistry, and physical properties of minerals. Interpretation of mineral associations and textures in terms of processes acting in the formation of igneous and metamorphic rocks. Study of the interplay between plate tectonics and the genesis of igneous and metamorphic rocks. After one year of college-level chemistry; G&G 110 recommended.  

**G&G 222b, Origin of Everything**  
Leo Hickey  
The nature and classification of sedimentary rock bodies; principles in determining their ages by fossils and other means; interpretation of depositional environments; the historical record of the dynamic response of sediments to mountain building, to changes in sea level and climate, and to the evolution of Earth’s biota. Laboratory sessions include one overnight weekend field trip and one Saturday field trip. Prerequisite: CHEM 113 or higher or permission of instructor.  

**G&G 240a, Forensic Geoscience**  
Igor Frenkel  
For description see under Mathematics.  

**G&G 250a, Paleontology and Evolutionary Theory**  
Elisabeth Vrba  
Current concepts in evolutionary and systematic theory with particular reference to how they apply to the fossil record. Emphasis on use of paleontological data to study evolutionary processes. After G&G 125 or a 100-level course in biological sciences.  

**G&G 255b, Environmental Geomicrobiology**  
Ruth Blake  
Microbial diversity in natural geologic habitats and the role of microorganisms in major biogeochemical cycles. Introduction to prokaryote physiology and metabolic diversity; enrichment culture and molecular methods in geomicrobiology. Prerequisite: college-level chemistry.  

G&G 261a, EVST 261a/F&ES 261a, Minerals and Human Health  
Catherine Skinner, Ruth Blake  
Study of the interrelationships between Earth materials and processes and personal and public health. The transposition from the environment of the chemical elements essential for life. After one year of college-level chemistry or with permission of instructor; G&G 110 recommended. SC

G&G 274a, Fossil Fuels and Energy Transitions  
Michael Oristaglio, Brian Skinner  
The origins, geologic settings, exploration, distribution, and extraction of fossil fuels as finite Earth resources. Energy use today; transitions to future renewable resources. Topical issues include peak oil, deep-water exploration, carbon sequestration, and shale gas. Prerequisites: high school chemistry, mathematics, and Earth science. Recommended preparation: G&G 110 or 205. SC

G&G 280a, Organic Geochemistry  
Mark Pagani  
Introduction to organic geochemistry and its applications in environmental reconstruction. Basic concepts of molecular chemistry and biochemistry, compound-specific carbon and hydrogen isotope distributions, and ancient temperature and carbon dioxide reconstruction. Prerequisite: CHEM 114 or equivalent. SC

G&G 300b, Mineral Deposits  
Brian Skinner  
Introduction to formation and distribution of mineral deposits. Recommended preparation: G&G 110, 200, or 220. SC

G&G 301a, Introduction to Geochemistry  
Mark Pagani  
Basic principles of geochemistry and their use in geological science. Thermodynamics of aqueous and igneous systems. Element fractionation and isotope geochemistry. Biogeochemical cycles, geochronology, cosmochemistry. After CHEM 115 or 118, and MATH 115; G&G 220 recommended. QR, SC

G&G 308b, The Global Carbon Cycle  
Hagit Affek  
The isotopic composition of atmospheric gases. Focus on carbon dioxide and the use of its isotopes to balance the atmospheric carbon budget. Discussion of other gases associated with the global carbon cycle. Prerequisite: CHEM 113, 115, 118, or permission of instructor. SC

G&G 310a, Isotope Geochemistry  
Zhengrong Wang  
Fundamental principles of stable and radiogenic isotope geochemistry. Emphasis on applications to specific geologic problems, including petrogenesis, geochronology, geothermometry, surface processes, hydrology, and biogeochemistry. Prerequisites: CHEM 113, MATH 120, and PHYS 171 or equivalents, or with permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

G&G 312a, Structure and Deformation of the Lithosphere  
Mark Brandon  
An introduction to the origin and structure of the lithosphere and continental and oceanic crust. Topics include what controls the solid versus fluid behavior of rocks during deformation, and what controls the character and motion of tectonic plates. Laboratory exercises and field trips. QR, SC

G&G 313a, Invertebrate Paleontology: Evolving Form and Function  
Derek Briggs  
Exploration of the basic constraints and potentials that controlled adaptive radiation in the evolution of the invertebrate skeleton.
G&G 315b, Paleobotany  Leo Hickey
The evolutionary history of plants through geological time, the origin and diversification of their major lineages and of plant communities, and the interaction of plants and their physical environment. Laboratory exercises involve the study of fossil and modern plants. Prerequisite: one course from E&EB 122, 160, 246, G&G 125, or 230; or permission of instructor. SC

G&G 319a, Introduction to the Physics and Chemistry of Earth Materials  Shun-ichiro Karato
Basic principles that control the physical and chemical properties of Earth materials. Equation of state, phase transformations, chemical reactions, elastic properties, diffusion, kinetics of reaction and mass/energy transport. After MATH 120, PHYS 181, and CHEM 113. QR, SC

G&G 322a, Physics of Weather and Climate  William Boos
The climatic system; survey of atmospheric behavior and climatic change; meteorological measurements and analysis; formulation of physical principles governing weather and climate with selected applications to small- and large-scale phenomena. After PHYS 181 and MATH 120 or equivalents. QR, SC

[G&G 323b, Climate Dynamics]

[G&G 326a, Introduction to Earth and Planetary Physics]

[G&G 333a, Paleogeography]

G&G 335a, Physical Oceanography  Alexey Fedorov
An introduction to ocean dynamics and physical processes controlling large-scale ocean circulation, the Gulf Stream, wind-driven waves, tsunamis, tides, coastal upwelling, and other phenomena. Modern observational, theoretical, and numerical techniques used to study the ocean. The ocean's role in climate and global climate change. After PHYS 181 and MATH 120 or equivalents, or with permission of instructor. QR, SC

G&G 350b, Petrogenesis of Mountain Belts  Jay Ague
The fundamental principles governing the formation of metamorphic and igneous rocks during mountain building. Topics include processes of heat and mass transfer in orogenic belts, generation of igneous rocks in continental and subduction settings, ultrahigh pressure and ultrahigh temperature metamorphism, spatial and temporal patterns of petrologic processes throughout geologic time, and pressure-temperature-time paths of metamorphic and igneous rocks. Prerequisites: G&G 220 or equivalent, MATH 120, and CHEM 115 or 118; or with permission of instructor. SC RP

*G&G 362b/ARCG 362b/EVST 362b, Observing Earth from Space  Ronald Smith
A practical introduction to satellite image analysis of Earth's surface. Topics include the spectrum of electromagnetic radiation, satellite-borne radiometers, data transmission and storage, computer image analysis, the merging of satellite imagery with GIS and applications to weather and climate, oceanography, surficial geology, ecology and epidemiology, forestry, agriculture, archaeology, and watershed management. Prerequisites: college-level physics or chemistry, two courses in geology and natural science of the environment or equivalents, and computer literacy. QR, SC
[G&G 370b, Regional Perspectives on Global Geoscience]

*G&G 402b, Paleoclimates  Mark Pagani  
A study of the dynamic evolution of Earth’s climate. Topics include warm (the Cretaceous, the Eocene, the PETM, the Pliocene) and cold (the “snowball Earth”) climates of the past, glacial cycles, abrupt climate changes, the climate of the past thousand years, and the climate of the twentieth century. After PHYS 181 and one course in meteorology or oceanography, or with permission of instructor.  SC

*G&G 421b, Geophysical Fluid Dynamics  Alexey Fedorov  
Derivation of the equations of a geophysical fluid. Analysis of the most important dynamical phenomena common to all planetary atmospheres, oceans, and interiors, with emphasis on the roles of planetary rotation, gravitation, and thermal gradients. After or concurrently with MENG 361 or equivalent and one course in meteorology or oceanography, or with permission of instructor.  SC

[G&G 440a/F&ES 441a/MCDB 441a, Methods in Geomicrobiology]

G&G 450b, Deformation of Earth Materials  Shun-ichiro Karato  
Basic physics and chemistry of Earth materials, with emphasis on kinetic and transport properties. Geochemical and geophysical processes in Earth's crust and mantle and their influence on the dynamics and evolution of this planet. Topics include plastic flow, diffusion, electrical conductivity, and chemical reaction. After MATH 120, PHYS 181, and CHEM 113; or equivalents.  QR, SC

G&G 456a, Introduction to Seismology  Jeffrey Park  
Earthquakes and seismic waves, P and S waves, surface waves and free oscillations. Remote sensing of Earth’s deep interior and faulting mechanisms. After MATH 120, 222, and PHYS 180, 181; or equivalents.  QR, SC

[G&G 470b, Cloud Physics and Dynamics]

*G&G 487b, Individual Study in Geology and Geophysics  David Evans  
Individual study for qualified undergraduates under faculty supervision. To register for this course, each student must submit a written plan of study, approved by the adviser, to the director of undergraduate studies.  ½ Course cr

*G&G 488a and 489b, Research in Geology and Geophysics  David Evans  
Individual study for qualified juniors and seniors under faculty supervision. To register for this course, each student must submit a written plan of study, approved by the adviser, to the director of undergraduate studies.

*G&G 490a and 491b, Research and Senior Thesis  David Evans  
Two terms of independent library, laboratory, field, or modeling-based research under faculty supervision. To register for this course, each student must submit a written plan of study, approved by a faculty adviser, to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the junior year. The plan requires approval of the full G&G faculty.  Cr/year only

*G&G 492a or b, The Senior Essay  David Evans  
One term of independent library, laboratory, field, or modeling-based research under faculty supervision. To register for this course, each student must submit a written plan of
study, approved by a faculty adviser, to the director of undergraduate studies at the beginning of the term in which the essay is to be written.

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Courses in the Graduate School are open to undergraduates with permission of the instructor and the director of graduate studies. Descriptions of graduate courses are available at the office of the director of undergraduate studies.

Germanic Languages and Literatures

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF GERMANIC LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

Professors Rüdiger Campe (Chair), Carol Jacobs, Rainer Nägele, Brigitte Peucker, Henry Sussman (Visiting)

Associate Professor Kirk Wetters

Assistant Professor Paul North

Lecturer William Whobrey

Senior Lector II Marion Gehlker (Language Coordinator)

Senior Lector Howard Stern

The major in German is a liberal arts major whose aim is to provide competence in the German language and an understanding of German literature and culture in the context of European civilization. Although by no means restricted to prospective teachers or graduate students in German, the major provides background for professional work in these pursuits.

Prerequisite Students choosing the major should have completed GMAN 110 and 120 or have received equivalent credit through advanced placement or study abroad.

The major The major consists of eleven term courses, for a total of twelve course credits, including GMAN 130, 140, and 150; one course from the German Modernities series, GMST 180–189; two introductory courses in German literature numbered GMAN 171–179 and conducted in German; and the senior essay. All courses in the major must be taken for a letter grade. The remaining courses to fulfill the major are chosen from Group B (conducted in German), up to two courses from Group C (conducted in English), one additional language course from Group A numbered 160 or above, and, with prior approval of the director of undergraduate studies, up to two term courses taken outside the department but bearing directly on the German cultural context.

Senior requirement for the standard major (one-term senior essay) Seniors in the standard German major enroll in GMAN 492, a guided senior essay tutorial course. Students...
meet on a biweekly basis with the director of undergraduate studies and staff, and work under the direction of a faculty adviser. The culmination of the tutorial is an essay of approximately thirty pages that gives evidence of careful reading and substantial independent thought. The essay may be written in either English or German, although only native speakers are encouraged to write an essay in German. A preliminary statement indicating the general area to be dealt with and the choice of adviser should be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by September 9; a three-page prospectus and bibliography are due by September 30. A rough draft must be submitted to the adviser by November 4. The completed essay, due on December 2, is graded jointly by the adviser and a designated faculty reader.

The intensive major (two-term senior essay) The intensive major is designed for students who wish to undertake a more extensive project of research and writing during their senior year. Requirements for the intensive major are the same as for the standard major, except that the intensive major requires twelve term courses (totaling thirteen course credits) beyond the prerequisite, of which two are devoted to the preparation of the senior essay (GMAN 492 and 493). This essay, written under the direction of a faculty adviser, should be between sixty and seventy-five pages in length and should be presented no later than April 20 of the senior year. The second term of essay preparation is undertaken independently, without tutorial support. The essay is graded jointly by the adviser and a designated faculty reader.

Group A courses Courses in Group A (GMAN 110–169) include elementary, intermediate, and advanced language courses. Only one advanced language course at the level of 160 and above may count toward the major.

Group B courses Courses in Group B (GMAN 171 and above) are advanced courses and count toward the major. Readings are in German, and the language of instruction is usually German.

Group C courses Courses in Group C are conducted in English with texts in translation. Only two term courses from this group may count toward the major.

Candidates for the major in German should consult the director of undergraduate studies.

Summer study and study abroad Students may take Intermediate German or German for Reading during the summer in New Haven and/or Berlin. For information, contact the director of undergraduate studies or the language coordinator. Students are urged to consider the Year or Term Abroad program, for which appropriate course credit toward the major is granted. Such study is valuable not only for achieving comfortable fluency in German, but also for gaining firsthand knowledge of the German cultural context. The department offers diverse opportunities for study abroad and a scholarship program for summer courses at German universities. Members of the faculty advise and consult with all students wishing to plan study in Germany. Students who have been approved to study abroad and who receive financial aid from Yale are eligible for aid while abroad. For information about the Year or Term Abroad program, see chapter II of this bulletin.
German Studies  In addition to the major in German literature, there is also a major in German Studies, an interdisciplinary study of the cultural, historical, and political life of the German-speaking peoples. See German Studies in the text below.

Placement  A written placement examination will be administered before the first day of classes in the fall term, followed by a five-minute oral interview; see www.cls.yale.edu/placement-testing for the time and location. Students wishing to take the placement exam in January should sign up with the language coordinator by December 9, 2011. Students may also consult with the director of undergraduate studies or the language coordinator for advice about placement and about language study. Regardless of previous German study, students without a score of 5 on the German Advanced Placement test must take the departmental placement exam in order to enroll in any course above GMAN 110 or 125.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites:  GMAN 110 and 120, or equivalent

Number of courses  11 term courses, totaling 12 course credits, beyond prereq (incl senior essay) for letter grades

Specific courses required  GMAN 130, 140, 150; 2 from Group B courses numbered 171–179; 1 from GMST 180–189

Distribution of courses  No more than 1 advanced lang course; no more than 2 Group C courses; with DUS approval, 2 term courses outside dept

Substitution permitted  With DUS approval, courses taken on Year or Term Abroad for other courses in major

Senior requirement  Senior essay tutorial (GMAN 492)

Intensive major  12 term courses, totaling 13 course credits, beyond prereq for letter grades, incl two-term senior essay (GMAN 492 and 493)

GROUP A COURSES

GMAN 110a or b, Elementary German I  Marion Gehlker and staff
A beginning course in spoken and written German that combines oral practice and cultural awareness with a solid foundation in grammar and vocabulary. Listening comprehension through online audio exercises and in-class video clips. Topics include family and school life, German-speaking countries, short literary readings by Hesse, Goethe, and Wondratschek, popular music, and the feature film Lola rennt. Tutors are available for extra help or for advanced practice. To be followed by GMAN 120. Enrollment limited to 14 per section. Credit only on completion of GMAN 120.  L1  RP  1½ Course cr

GMAN 120a or b, Elementary German II  Marion Gehlker and staff
Continuation of GMAN 110. Topics include German history, the environment, multicultural Germany, Austria, and Switzerland, popular music, a soap opera, and the feature film Das schreckliche Mädchen. Listening comprehension through online audio exercises and in-class video clips. Students read poems by Goethe and Jandl and short stories by Bichsel, Brecht, and Kafka. Tutors are available for extra help or for advanced practice. To be followed by GMAN 130. Enrollment limited to 14 per section.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr
GMAN 125a, Intensive German I  Howard Stern
Intensive training in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending the language. Focus on the mastery of formal grammar. For beginning students of superior linguistic ability.  
L1–L2  RP  2 Course cr

GMAN 130a or b, Intermediate German I  Marion Gehlker and staff
Builds on and expands knowledge acquired in GMAN 120. A content-based class that helps students improve their oral and written linguistic skills and their cultural awareness through texts and audiovisual materials relating to German literature, culture, history, and politics. Topics include German universities, Berlin or Frankfurt, Germany before and after the Berlin Wall, and interpersonal relationships. Course materials include online listening comprehension exercises, poems and short stories by Kafka, Brecht, Kästner, Schneider, and Kaschnitz, popular and classical music, and feature films. Tutors are available for extra help or for advanced practice. After GMAN 120 or according to placement examination. Followed by GMAN 140. Enrollment limited to 14 per section.  L3  RP  1½ Course cr

GMAN 140a or b, Intermediate German II  Marion Gehlker and staff
Continuation of GMAN 130. Topics include multicultural Germany, globalization, pacifism, and music and politics. Readings include fiction and nonfiction texts by Celan, Kaminer, and Einstein and a full-length novel. Tutors are available for extra help or for advanced practice. After GMAN 130 or according to placement examination. Normally followed by GMAN 150 or, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, by GMAN 171. Enrollment limited to 14 per section.  L4  RP  1½ Course cr

GMAN 145b, Intensive German II  Howard Stern
Continuation of GMAN 125. Focus on speaking, writing, and the conversion of grammatical knowledge into reading competence for literary and scholarly purposes. Prerequisite: GMAN 125.  L3–L4  RP  2 Course cr

GMAN 150a or b, Advanced German I  Marion Gehlker
An advanced language course intended to improve students’ proficiency in aural and reading comprehension, as well as in speaking and writing. Discussion of literary texts by major German authors. Emphasis on vocabulary expansion with specialized grammatical review and a focus on stylistic development in students’ writing. Recommended for students planning to use the language practically and as preparation for higher-level courses in both language and literature. After GMAN 140 or 145. For entering students with a score of 5 on the German Advanced Placement test, or according to results of the placement examination.  L5

GMAN 160b, German Culture, History, and Politics in Text and Film  Marion Gehlker
An advanced language course focusing on improving upper-level language skills through the discussion of selected aspects of German culture, politics, and history in literary and nonliterary texts and film. Topics include the Weimar Republic, youth movements, social democracy, Vergangenheitsbewältigung, and postwar developments. Frequent oral and written assignments; emphasis on vocabulary building. After GMAN 140, 145, or 150.  L5

GMAN 168a, Current Events in Germany  Marion Gehlker
Analysis and discussion of news stories and articles from online German periodicals. Composition and revision of essays on current events of interest to students, with a focus on improving both style and grammar. After GMAN 150 or with permission of instructor.  L5
GROUP B COURSES

Courses in this group are open to students who have successfully completed GMAN 150 or the equivalent. Conducted in German with readings in German, unless otherwise indicated.

*GMAN 171b, Introduction to German Prose Narrative  Paul North
Study of key authors and works of the German narrative tradition, with a focus on the development of advanced reading comprehension, writing, and speaking skills. Readings from short stories, novellas, and at least one novel. Writings by exemplary storytellers of the German tradition, such as Goethe, Kleist, Hebel, Hoffmann, Stifter, Keller, Kafka, Mann, Musil, Bachmann, and Bernhard. 15

*GMAN 173a, Introduction to German Lyric Poetry  Kirk Wetters
The German lyric tradition, including classic works by Goethe, Schiller, Hölderlin, Eichendorff, Heine, Mörike, Droste-Hülshoff, Rilke, George, Brecht, Trakl, Celan, Bachmann, and Jandl. Attention to the German Lied (art song). Development of advanced reading, writing, speaking, and translation skills. 15, HU

*GMAN 311a/GMST 336a/LITR 319a, German Eccentric Realism  Rainer Nägele
Reexamination of accepted concepts of “the real” through close readings of German nineteenth-century realist short stories and novellas by Keller, Stifter, and C. F. Meyer.

GROUP C COURSES

Unless otherwise indicated, courses in this group are conducted in English with both readings and discussion in English. The courses are open to all students in Yale College.

*GMAN 191b/LITR 334b, Problems of Lyric  Howard Stern
For description see under Literature.

*GMAN 222b/GMST 333b, Kleist and the Idea of the Present  Rüdiger Campe
Comprehensive introduction to Kleist’s narrative prose, theater, and journalism. Kleist’s unique modernity, his invention of everyday topicality (in journalism), and his fascination with the concept of the present and the present moment (in poetic experimentation and politics). HU Tr

*GMAN 354a/FILM 459a/LITR 355a, The Films of Fassbinder, Herzog, and Haneke  Brigitte Peucker
Close study of the films of R. W. Fassbinder, Werner Herzog, and Michael Haneke. Questions of authorship, cultural politics, intermediality, and cinematic modernism. Readings and discussion in English. HU Tr

HIST 231b, War in Germany, 1648–2010  J. Adam Tooze

HIST 269b/JDST 286b/RLST 230b, Holocaust in Historical Perspective  Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

PHIL 204a, Kant’s Critique of Pure Reason  Paul Franks

PHIL 207a, Nietzsche: Truth, Value, Tragedy  Karsten Harries
READING COURSE

**GMAN 100a and 101b, German for Reading**  Marion Gehlker and staff
Students learn the skills with which to read German-language texts of any difficulty with some fluency. Study of syntax and grammar; practice in close reading and translation of fiction and expository prose in the humanities and sciences. Conducted in English. Does not satisfy the language distributional requirement.  Cr/year only

*GMAN 478a or b, Directed Readings or Individual Research in Germanic Languages and Literatures*  Kirk Wetters
Individual study under faculty supervision. Applicants must submit a prospectus and bibliography approved by the faculty adviser to the director of undergraduate studies. The student meets with the adviser at least one hour each week and takes a final examination or writes a term paper. No credit granted without prior approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

*GMAN 492a and 493b, The Senior Essay Tutorial*  Kirk Wetters
Preparation of an original essay under the direction of a faculty adviser.

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Courses in the Graduate School are open to undergraduates with permission of the instructor and of the directors of undergraduate and graduate studies. Course descriptions may be obtained from the office of the director of undergraduate studies.

German Studies

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**Associate Professor**  Kirk Wetters (German)

**Assistant Professor**  Paul North (German)

*Member of the Advisory Committee for the program.

The major in German Studies offers an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the German cultural tradition in history, philosophy, the visual arts, music, film studies, politics, and culture, with a German-language requirement. The major draws on several
departments and programs along with core courses in German Studies. It is particularly suited to students wishing to combine interests in German language and culture with intensive work in another discipline.

In German Studies, students have the freedom to develop a program of courses to meet their particular needs and interests. Through consultation with the director of undergraduate studies, each student is expected to define a focus of concentration within the major. Interested students should contact the director of undergraduate studies to begin planning their course of study.

Two majors The German Studies major is particularly well suited for students who wish to fulfill the requirements of two majors. For such students, the focus of concentration within the German Studies major often reflects or augments the other elected major.

Prerequisite Students choosing the German Studies major should have completed GMAN 110 and 120 or have received equivalent credit through advanced placement or study abroad.

The major The major consists of twelve term courses, for a total of thirteen course credits, including GMAN 130 and 140 or equivalent; GMAN 150; two courses from the German Modernities series, numbered GMST 180–189; one German literature course numbered GMAN 171–179; and the senior essay. The remaining five courses must include four term courses that together constitute a focus of concentration. One of the courses in the concentration, taken in the spring of the junior year, is designated as the junior seminar. Students in the standard major elect one additional advanced seminar in German literature or culture. Students in the intensive major complete a two-term senior essay instead of taking the additional advanced seminar. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

Focus of concentration and junior seminar The junior seminar and three other term courses are chosen from inside or outside the department after consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. This cluster of courses constitutes a focus of concentration in a discipline or area of study related to the major; examples of areas of concentration are history, philosophy, Germanic languages and literatures, psychology, sociology, political and social theory, European studies, film studies, history, humanities, history of art, and music. During the spring term of the junior year, each student selects one seminar in the focus of concentration as the designated junior seminar. This seminar provides the student with bibliographic and research skills that lay a foundation for work on the senior essay, and it culminates in the submission of a substantial term paper, ordinarily twenty-five pages.

Senior requirement for the standard major (one-term senior essay) Seniors in the standard German Studies major enroll in GMST 490, a guided senior essay tutorial course. Students meet on a biweekly basis with the director of undergraduate studies and staff, and work under the direction of a faculty adviser. The culmination of the tutorial is an essay of approximately thirty pages that gives evidence of careful reading and substantial independent thought. The essay may be written in either English or
German, although only native speakers are encouraged to write an essay in German. Seniors typically write the essay during the fall term. A preliminary statement indicating the general area to be addressed and the choice of adviser should be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by September 9, 2011; a three-page prospectus and a bibliography are due by October 7. A rough draft must be submitted to the adviser by November 11. The completed essay, due on December 2, is judged by the faculty adviser and a second reader.

**Intensive major (two-term senior essay)** Requirements for the intensive major are the same as for the standard major, except that the intensive major replaces one advanced seminar with a second term of the senior essay. In the fall term seniors in the intensive major enroll in GMST 491 and begin work on their project under the guidance and supervision of a faculty adviser. A significant portion of the research for the essay should involve materials in German. The essay may be written in either English or German, although only native speakers are encouraged to write an essay in German. A detailed prospectus, no longer than three pages, and a bibliography must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by October 21, 2011. The student must submit a draft of at least fifteen pages of the essay by December 2 to receive credit for the first term of the course. The second term, GMST 492, is devoted to completing the essay, which should be substantial (between fifty and sixty pages); the completed essay must be submitted by April 20, 2012. The senior essay is judged by the faculty adviser and a second reader.

**Study abroad** Students are strongly encouraged to study in Germany for a summer, or for one or two terms on the Year or Term Abroad program. Appropriate course credit toward the major is granted for work in approved programs in Germany. Study abroad is valuable not only for achieving comfortable fluency in German, but also for gaining firsthand knowledge of the German cultural context. The department offers diverse opportunities for study abroad and a scholarship program for summer courses at German universities. Members of the faculty advise and consult with any students wishing to plan study in Germany. Students who have been approved to study abroad and who receive financial aid from Yale are eligible for aid while abroad. For information about the Year or Term Abroad program, see chapter II of this bulletin.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisites** GMAN 110 and 120, or equivalent

**Number of courses** 12 term courses, totaling 13 course credits, beyond prereq (incl senior req) for letter grades

**Specific courses required** GMAN 130, 140, 150; 2 courses numbered GMST 180–189; 1 course numbered GMAN 171–179

**Distribution of courses** 4 term courses constituting a focus of concentration, 1 of them the junior sem; 1 addtl advanced sem in German lit or culture

**Substitution permitted** With DUS approval, courses taken on Year or Term Abroad for other courses in major

**Senior requirement** Senior essay (GMST 490)

**Intensive major** Two-term senior essay (GMST 491, 492), instead of 1 addtl advanced sem
GERMAN MODERNITIES

*GMST 182a/HUMS 400a/LITR 346a, Legacies of the Enlightenment Kirk Wettters
Kant’s question “What is Enlightenment?” traced through literature, philosophy, theory, and the arts. Classic theories through the mid-twentieth century include works by Marx, Nietzsche, Schmitt, Lukács, Weber, Benjamin, Adorno, Arendt, Habermas, Foucault, and Koselleck. Theoretical work is paired with literature, art, and film, starting with classics by Lessing, Mozart, Goethe, Schiller, Kleist, Wagner, Kafka, and Brecht. HU

GMST 185b/HUMS 344b/LITR 204b, Ideology, Religion, and Revolution in German Thought Henry Sussman
Crosscurrents of conservatism and radicality in German literature and culture of the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. Contributions to the enterprise of systems theory and systems critique by Nietzsche, Marx, Freud, and Brecht. Alternatives for questioning and undermining the systematic aspirations of the Western tradition. HU RP

GERMAN LITERATURE AND CULTURE

*GMST 050a, Spectatorship and Visual Culture Brigitte Peucker
The position of the Western spectator from the eighteenth through the twentieth centuries in a variety of paradigmatic situations. Spectatorship in the contexts of landscape, painting, the city, and film. Looking and the imagination; the relation of the represented to the real; vision and the senses; the nature and politics of looking. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. Fr sem

*GMST 212b/HUMS 277b/LITR 328b/MGRK 212b, Folktales and Fairy Tales Maria Kaliambou
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

*GMST 240b, Spectatorship and Visual Culture in the Western Tradition Brigitte Peucker
The position of the Western spectator from the eighteenth through the twentieth centuries in a variety of paradigmatic situations. Spectatorship in the contexts of landscape, painting, the city, and film. Looking and the imagination; the relation of the represented to the real; vision and the senses; the nature and politics of looking. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program. HU

*GMST 294b/HUMS 272b, Confidence Games: Fakes, Frauds, and Counterfeits Kirk Wettters
The tradition of the con artist in literature and film, from eighteenth-century German texts of Goethe and Schiller to Ben Stiller’s Tropic Thunder. Works by Orson Welles, Clifford Irving, Melville, Thomas Mann, André Gide, and Dostoevsky. Questions of authenticity, authorship, and authority. HU

*GMST 308aa/HUMS 262a/LITR 466a, W. G. Sebald Carol Jacobs
Close readings of the major works of W. G. Sebald along with texts of other authors who played a direct role in these writings, including Thomas Browne, Grimmelshausen, Kafka, and Heshel. Texts in relation to theory of literature in terms of memory, representation, identity, ethical imperatives, and intertextual and intermedia relations. HU
*GMST 333b/GMAN 222b, Kleist and the Idea of the Present  Rüdiger Campe
For description see under Germanic Languages & Literatures.

*GMST 336a/GMAN 311a/LITR 319a, German Eccentric Realism  Rainer Nägele
For description see under Germanic Languages & Literatures.

*GMST 364a/LITR 304a, Books, Displays, and Systems Theory  Henry Sussman
For description see under Literature.

*GMST 365a/HUMS 261a/LITR 468a, The Question of Form  Carol Jacobs
For description see under Literature.

HIST 231b, War in Germany, 1648–2010  J. Adam Tooze

HIST 269b/JDST 286b/RLST 230b, Holocaust in Historical Perspective  Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

PHIL 204a, Kant's Critique of Pure Reason  Paul Franks

PHIL 207a, Nietzsche: Truth, Value, Tragedy  Karsten Harries

**ADVANCED COURSES**

*GMST 479a or b, Directed Readings or Individual Research in German Studies  Kirk Wetters
Individual study under faculty supervision. Applicants must submit a prospectus and bibliography approved by the faculty adviser to the director of undergraduate studies. The student meets with the adviser at least one hour each week and takes a final examination or writes a term paper. No credit granted without prior approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

*GMST 490a or b, The Senior Essay for the Standard Major  Kirk Wetters
Preparation of a one-term senior essay, typically during the fall term, under the supervision of a member of the faculty.

*GMST 491a and 492b, The Senior Essay for the Intensive Major  Kirk Wetters
Preparation of a two-term senior essay under the supervision of a member of the faculty.

**Global Affairs**

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**FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF GLOBAL AFFAIRS**

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Associate Professor  Thad Dunning (Political Science)

Assistant Professors  Christopher Blattman (Political Science), Patrick Cohrs (History), Susan Hyde (Political Science), Kaveh Khoshnood (Public Health), Jason Lyall (Political Science), Nikolay Marinov (Political Science), Jonathan Wyrtzen (Sociology)

Lecturers  Jasmina Beširević–Regan (Sociology), Leslie Curry (Public Health), Stuart Gottlieb (Political Science), Lloyd Grieger (Global Affairs), Jean Krasno (Political Science), Jonathan Schell (Global Affairs), Michael Skonieczny (Public Health)

Senior Fellows  Rakesh Mohan (Global Affairs, School of Management), Stephen Roach (Global Affairs)

The Global Affairs major, administered by the Jackson Institute for Global Affairs, is designed for students who want to better understand and eventually influence the world around them. Students in this interdisciplinary major develop an understanding of contemporary global affairs informed by the social sciences. The Jackson Institute also offers courses for nonmajors, including GLBL 101, Gateway to Global Affairs.

The Global Affairs major offers two tracks. The international development track focuses on economic development issues in the so-called less developed countries, including global health as it relates to public health issues. The international security track focuses on international relations and diplomacy. Majors take a core course in each track but choose electives to concentrate in a single track.

Students interested in applying to the Global Affairs major should elect courses during the freshman and sophomore years with an awareness of the economics prerequisites and foreign language requirement for the major (see below). Students apply to the Global Affairs major in late fall of the sophomore year. The number of students accepted into the major is limited, and selection is competitive. For application information, visit the Jackson Institute Web site at jackson.yale.edu/ba-degree.

Prerequisites Prior to application, potential majors must complete introductory microeconomics (ECON 108, 110, or 115) and macroeconomics (ECON 111 or 116).

Requirements of the major All majors are required to take a core course in each track, preferably in the junior year; consult the director of undergraduate studies for courses that fulfill this requirement. In addition, all majors must complete GLBL 121, Applied Quantitative Analysis. Majors also take one research design course, in either qualitative or quantitative research methods, approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

Majors in the international development track take intermediate microeconomics (ECON 121 or 125) and four electives in their area of concentration. Those in the international security track take five electives in their area of concentration. Electives must be chosen from an approved group of courses in Global Affairs, History, Political Science, Economics, and other social science departments. For information about which courses qualify as electives within each track, see the Jackson Institute Web site (jackson.yale.edu/ba-degree).

Language requirement  Global Affairs majors are required to demonstrate advanced proficiency in a modern language other than English by the time of their graduation. This requirement is normally met by the completion of one course at the L5 level.
Senior requirement  In the fall term of the senior year, majors must complete a capstone seminar in their designated track. In each capstone seminar, a small team of students forms a policy task force that works on a specific problem and presents its findings and recommendations to an actual client. Topics of the capstone seminars vary from year to year. Potential clients include U.S. government agencies, nongovernmental organizations, and international organizations.

Internships  Students in the major are encouraged to take a summer internship in the field of global affairs after their junior year. The Jackson Institute’s Career Development Office can help students find appropriate internships.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  Intro microeconomics (ECON 108, 110, or 115) and macroeconomics (ECON 111 or 116)

Number of courses  12 (incl prereqs and senior req; excluding lang req)

Specific courses required  Both tracks — GLBL 121; International development track — ECON 121 or 125

Distribution of courses  Both tracks — 2 core courses, as specified; 1 term course in research methods; International development track — 4 approved electives; International security track — 5 approved electives

Language requirement  Advanced ability (L5) in modern lang other than English

Senior requirement  Senior capstone seminar

*GLBL 101a/INTS 101a, Gateway to Global Affairs  James Levinsohn
Introduction to critical thinking about current international issues. Guest lecturers lead a series of modules, each on a global affairs topic in their area of expertise. Students learn to frame policy questions and write policy memos while examining competing points of view. Topics vary from year to year.  SO

*GLBL 121a/INTS 201a, Applied Quantitative Analysis  Lloyd Grieger
Mathematical fundamentals that underlie analytical approaches in public policy and the social sciences. Development of mathematical skills in areas such as linear functions, single and multiple variable differentiation, exponential functions, and optimization. Statistical approaches include descriptive statistics, principles of sampling, hypothesis tests, simple linear regression, multiple regression, and models for analyzing categorical outcomes.  QR

*GLBL 182b/PLSC 350b6, Formal Models of Comparative Politics  Thad Dunning
For description see under Political Science.

*GLBL 211a/ECON 211a, Economic Performance and Challenges in India  Rakesh Mohan
India’s transition from being one of the poorest countries in the world to having one of the fastest-growing economies. Economic reform processes, trade and policy implications, and changes within the agriculture, industry, and service sectors. Prerequisites: introductory microeconomics and macroeconomics.  SO
GLBL 214b/AFST 170b/PLSC 170b, African Poverty and Western Aid

Christopher Blattman
For description see under Political Science.

GLBL 221a/ANTH 257a/HIST 260a/INTS 341a, Biocultural Perspectives on Global Health
Catherine Panter-Brick
Overview of the biological, social, individual, and structural determinants of health in the Western and non-Western world. Health, well-being, health care systems, and health-seeking behaviors situated in their broader ecological, biomedical, social, economic, political, and moral contexts. Critical perspectives on local and global approaches to understanding health problems and health interventions.  

GLBL 237a/ECON 185a, Debates in Macroeconomics
Aleh Tsyvinski, Stephen Roach
Introduction to current theoretical and practical debates in macroeconomics. In-class debates between the instructors on topics such as economic crises, fiscal and monetary policy, inflation, debt, and financial regulations. Prerequisites: introductory microeconomics and macroeconomics.  

GLBL 264b/HIST 191b, The United States and the World, 1776–1920
Patrick Cohrs
For description see under History.

GLBL 265b/EP&E 442b/HIST 133b/INTS 345b, Strategic, Political, and Moral Dilemmas of the Nuclear Age
Jonathan Schell
A chronological inquiry into the central questions raised by the invention, deployment, and use of nuclear weapons. Topics include the effects of nuclear weapons on the theory and practice of war, nuclear deterrence, disarmament, proliferation, preemptive war, and the human capacity for self-extinction.  

GLBL 269a/INTS 324a/PLSC 359a, Violence and Civil Strife
Stathis Kalyvas
For description see under Political Science.

*GLBL 312b/EAST 454b/ECON 474b/INTS 258b, Economic and Policy Lessons from Japan
Stephen Roach
An evaluation of Japan's continuing economic problems and of the possibility that these problems might spread to other economies. Currency pressures, policy blunders, bubbles, denial, and Japan's role in the global economic crisis of 2008; comparison between Japan's economy and other major economies; dangers to the global economy from a protracted postcrisis recovery period. Focus on policy remedies to avert similar problems in other countries. Prerequisite: a course in macroeconomics.  

*GLBL 313a/ECON 487a/EP&E 365a/INTS 347a/PLSC 417a, The Political Economy of AIDS in Africa
Nicoli Nattrass
The impact of and responses to the AIDS pandemic in Africa examined from a comparative perspective. Focus on South and southern Africa. Some background in social science and economics desirable.  

*GLBL 318a/EAST 338a/ECON 338a/INTS 338a, The Next China
Stephen Roach
Economic development in China since the late 1970s. Emphasis on factors pushing China toward a transition from its modern export- and investment-led development model to a pro-consumption model. The possibility of a resulting identity crisis, underscored by
China’s need to embrace political reform and by the West’s long-standing misperceptions of China. Prerequisite: introductory macroeconomics. SO

*GLBL 320b/INTS 343b, Conflict, Resilience, and Health  Catherine Panter-Brick
Review of the many intersections of health, resilience, and conflict—including military, ethnic, religious, and interpersonal conflict. Evidence for the impact of conflict on both physical and emotional well-being; examination of the psychological, social, and governmental dimensions of resilience. SO

*GLBL 323a/HLTH 325a/INTS 249a, Methods and Ethics in Global Health Research  Kaveh Khoshnood
Introduction to research methods in global health that recognize the influence of political, economic, social, and cultural factors. Quantitative, qualitative, and mixed-method approaches; ethical aspects of conducting research in resource-constrained settings; the process of obtaining human subjects’ approval. Students develop proposals for short-term global health research projects conducted in resource-constrained settings. Prerequisite or corequisite: a course in statistics, or with permission of instructor. SO RP

*GLBL 325a/ECON 469a, Health Inequality and Development  Nicoli Nattrass
Economic analysis of the interactions between health, inequality, and development. Growth and development; health and well-being; burden of disease and funding for health; the relationship between growth and health; international health policy. Prerequisite: introductory microeconomics. SO

*GLBL 327a, Water, Infectious Disease, and Global Health  Kristina Talbert-Slagle
The role of water in infectious disease. The effects of water on the spread of disease; the relationship between poor sanitation and unsafe water; interventions that may improve water quality and health for people around the world. SO

*GLBL 331a/ECON 454a/INTS 259a, Evolution of Central Banking and Responses to Crises  Rakesh Mohan
Changes in the contours of policy making by central banks since the turn of the twentieth century. Theoretical and policy perspectives as well as empirical debates in central banking. The recurrence of financial crises in market economies. Monetary policies that led to economic stability in the period prior to the collapse of 2007–2008. Prerequisite: ECON 122. SO

*GLBL 333a/ECON 477a/EP&E 240a/INTS 333a/PLSC 428a, Comparative Welfare Policy in Developing Countries  Jeremy Seekings
Examination of public and private welfare systems in the developing world. Analysis of the evolving relationships between kin or community and states and market. Particular attention to the politics of contemporary reforms. SO

GLBL 337b/ECON 337b/EP&E 254b/INTS 337b/PLSC 145b, International Political Economy  Kenneth Scheve
For description see under Political Science.

GLBL 350a/INTS 364a/PLSC 156a, International Organizations  Susan Hyde
For description see under Political Science.
GLBL 362b/INTS 301b/MMES 282b/SOCY 339b, Imperialism, Insurgency, and State Building in the Middle East  
Jonathan Wyrtzen

For description see under Sociology.

GLBL 373b/INTS 373b/PLSC 187b, Terrorism and Counterterrorism  
Stuart Gottlieb

The origins and evolution of modern terrorism, and strategies employed to confront and combat terrorism. Assessment of a variety of terrorist organizations and the multidimensional causes of terrorist violence. Analysis of the strengths and weaknesses of counterterrorism strategies, with a particular focus on ways in which the threat of global terrorism might affect the healthy functioning of democratic states. Enrollment limited to juniors and seniors.  

GLBL 376a/INTS 376a/PLSC 148a, Central Issues in American Foreign Policy  
Stuart Gottlieb

The sources, substance, and enduring themes of American foreign policy. Overview of America's rise to global power in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries and American foreign policy decision making during the Cold War and the post–Cold War era. Focus on current challenges, including the war on terrorism, the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, the conflict in Iraq, and America's role in global institutions and the world economy. Enrollment limited to juniors and seniors.  

GLBL 384b/ER&M 362b/INTS 384b/SOCY 363b, Genocide and Ethnic Conflict  
Jasmina Beširević-Regan

For description see under Sociology.

Global Health Studies

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Issues related to health are among the most important challenges facing societies, both domestically and globally. Finding solutions to health-related problems requires multidisciplinary comprehension of all dimensions of health, including biological and social determinants, economics and politics of health care systems and health care delivery, and ways in which health is understood by individuals, societies, and cultures. Yale College offers courses through an interdisciplinary health studies framework, bringing together the natural sciences, the social sciences, and the humanities.

To make the best possible use of institutional resources, students are encouraged to form a coherent plan of study in the area of global health. The advisory committee has
identified the building blocks for such a plan, with a core of courses in four areas: a course in global health, for example HLTH 230; a course in health care systems, such as ECON 170; a research methodology course, such as HLTH 325 or PSYC 235; and a course in the biological and social determinants of health. Courses in the graduate and professional schools can sometimes fulfill the core areas. All students interested in this field need a working knowledge of statistics, and STAT 100–106, 230 or higher, or PSYC 200 offer excellent preparation. Students expand their program with elective courses from the wide range offered by Yale College.

Students should supplement their classroom experience with applications in the community, whether in the United States or abroad. Internships and research projects developed with the guidance of the faculty build on classroom work, and in some cases lead to senior theses and projects.

For information about the five-year B.A.-B.S./M.P.H. degree program offered jointly with the School of Public Health, see under Public Health.

HEALTH STUDIES COURSES

*HLTH 091b, Leadership and Global Thinking  Elizabeth Bradley
Key concepts in leadership in global contexts, with application to selected topics in public health and medicine. Focus on four interrelated challenges: working across boundaries defined by roles, power, and race; managing common resources to maximize social welfare; anticipating and responding to change at social, organizational, and individual levels; and paradoxes in leadership in a complex world. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. Fr sem

*HLTH 155a/MCDB 106a, Biology of Malaria, Lyme, and Other Vector-Borne Diseases  Alexia Belperron
For description see under Biology.

HLTH 170a/AMST 247a/ HIST 147a/ HSHM 202a, Media and Medicine in Modern America  John Warner, Gretchen Berland
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

HLTH 215b/PSYC 319b, Health Psychology  Benjamin Toll
An introduction to health behaviors and ways in which they can be altered. Health-compromising behaviors such as the use of alcohol, drugs, and tobacco; the impact of health psychology on problems such as stress, pain management, AIDS, and cancer. So

*HLTH 230b/INTS 241b, Global Health: Challenges and Promises  Kaveh Khoshnood
Overview of pertinent issues in global health challenges of our time, with a focus on resource-limited countries and the health of the poor. Introduction to key concepts of global health and the critical links between health and social and economic development. Emphasis on the importance of a multidisciplinary approach to global health challenges. Enrollment limited to 30. So
HLTH 260a/ANTH 257a/GLBL 221a/INTS 341a, Biocultural Perspectives on Global Health  Catherine Panter-Brick
For description see under Global Affairs.

*HLTH 325a/GLBL 323a/INTS 249a, Methods and Ethics in Global Health Research  Kaveh Khoshnood
For description see under Global Affairs.

*HLTH 450b/INTS 349b/PLSC 121b, Strategic Thinking in Global Health  Elizabeth Bradley and staff
Core principles for the development and implementation of grand strategy in addressing common global health problems. Application of these principles and of strategic problem solving at both conceptual and practical levels. Political and policy analysis, organizational theory, and leadership skills central to addressing global health issues in low- and middle-income countries.  SO

RELATED COURSES

*ANTH 011a, Reproductive Technologies  Marcia Inhorn

ANTH 114a, Introduction to Medical Anthropology  Sean Brotherton

*ECON 462b/EP&E 228b/LAST 410b, The Economics of Human Capital in Latin America  Douglas McKee
For description see under Economics.

HIST 234a/HSHM 235a, Epidemics and Society in the West since 1600  Frank Snowden
For description see under History.

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Qualified students may take graduate courses at the School of Public Health, subject to the restrictions on graduate and professional school enrollment described in chapter II, section K. A list of graduate and professional school offerings and other resources to support learning in areas related to health can be found on the Health Studies Website at www.yale.edu/yalecollege/healthstudies/courses.html. Further information about these courses and other graduate offerings can be found in the School of Public Health bulletin.

Greek
(See under Classics and under Hellenic Studies.)

Health Studies
(See under Global Health Studies.)
Hebrew

(See under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)

Hellenic Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF HELLENIC STUDIES

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Lecturers  Konstantina Maragkou (History), George Syrimis (Comparative Literature)

Lector  Maria Kaliambou

Hellenic Studies is a program of the Council on European Studies. The core of the program is the teaching of modern Greek, supplemented with other courses and events related to the study of postantiquity Greece, as well as the society and culture of modern Greece and its interaction with the rest of Europe and the world. Related courses can be found in the listings of Anthropology, History, History of Art, Literature, Political Science, Religious Studies, and Russian and East European Studies. A major in Ancient and Modern Greek is described under Classics. Students who have an interest in postantiquity Greek language, society, or culture are advised to consult with the associate program chair of the Hellenic Studies program or to contact Kris Mooseker at 432-3431.

MGRK 110a, Elementary Modern Greek I  Maria Kaliambou
An introduction to modern Greek, with emphasis on oral expression. Use of communicative activities, graded texts, written assignments, grammar drills, audiovisual material, and contemporary documents. In-depth cultural study. Credit only on completion of MGRK 120.  L 1 1½ Course cr

MGRK 120b, Elementary Modern Greek II  Maria Kaliambou
Continuation of MGRK 110. Prerequisite: MGRK 110.  L 2 1½ Course cr

MGRK 130a, Intermediate Modern Greek I  Maria Kaliambou
Development of proficiency in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing modern Greek. Extensive use of authentic contemporary resources. Continued familiarization with contemporary Greek culture. Prerequisite: MGRK 120 or satisfactory placement test.  L 3 1½ Course cr

MGRK 140b, Intermediate Modern Greek II  Maria Kaliambou
Continuation of MGRK 130. Further development of proficiency in the four language skills. In-class presentation of short research projects related to modern Greece. Prerequisite: MGRK 130 or satisfactory placement test.  L 4 1½ Course cr
*MGRK 212b/GMST 212b/HUMS 277b/LITR 328b, Folktales and Fairy Tales  
Maria Kaliambou  
History of the folktale from the late seventeenth through the late twentieth centuries. Basic concepts, terminology, and interpretations of folktales, with some attention to twentieth-century theoretical approaches. Performance and audience, storytellers, and gender-related distinctions. Interconnections between oral and written traditions in narratives from western Europe and Greece.  
HU  Tr

*MGRK 215a/CLCV 209a/HUMS 213a/LITR 230a, Nikos Kazantzakis:  
From Revolution to Nihilism  
George Syrimis  
The Greek poet, novelist, essayist, philosopher, playwright, and travel writer Nikos Kazantzakis. The philosophical influence of Darwin, Nietzsche, and Bergson on Kazantzakis; his fascination with the figures of Christ and Odysseus. Questions of fiction and autobiography, history and revolution, travel writing, twentieth-century existentialism, and the reception of the Homeric tradition.  
WR, HU  Tr

*MGRK 216b/CLCV 216b/HUMS 214b/LITR 226b, Dionysus in Modernity  
George Syrimis  
Modernity’s fascination with the myth of Dionysus. Questions of agency, identity and community, and psychological integrity and the modern constitution of the self. Manifestations of Dionysus in literature, anthropology, and music; the Apollonian-Dionysiac dichotomy; twentieth-century variations of these themes in psychoanalysis, surrealism, and magical realism.  
WR, HU  Tr

*MGRK 227a/HIST 238Ja/INTS 276a/PLSC 416a, South European Dictatorships  
Konstantina Maragkou  
Survey of five southern European countries under dictatorial rule in the twentieth century: Italy, Spain, Portugal, Yugoslavia, and Greece. Comparative analysis of origins, demise, and legacies.  
HU

*MGRK 228b/HIST 239Jb/INTS 271b/MMES 143b, Twentieth-Century Greek-Turkish Relations  
Konstantina Maragkou  
Survey of relations between Greece and Turkey during the twentieth century, with emphasis on the two countries’ intertwined national histories, selected issues of contention, and the periods of detente.  
HU

*MGRK 229b/HIST 248Jb, Twentieth-Century Balkan Instability  
Konstantina Maragkou  
For description see under History.

*MGRK 450a and 451b, Senior Seminar in Modern Greek Literature  
George Syrimis  
A senior seminar in modern Greek literature for students with advanced proficiency in modern Greek. May be offered toward the major in Ancient and Modern Greek.  
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*MGRK 481a and 482b, Independent Tutorial  
Staff  
For students with advanced language skills in modern Greek who wish to engage in individual study or concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise offered in courses. Applicants submit a detailed project proposal to the language studies coordinator. The student must meet with the instructor for at least one hour each week, and the work must terminate in a term paper or its equivalent.
Hindi
(See under South Asian Studies.)

History

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Unless designated by a star, courses in History are open to all students in Yale College. Unstarred courses, however, are liable to be limited in their enrollment (“capped”) at the beginning of the term, depending on the number of teaching assistants available.

A student who declares a History major is assigned an adviser from among the departmental faculty. The adviser is available throughout the year for consultation about courses and the major. At the beginning of each term, students majoring in History must have their departmental adviser approve and sign their schedules. It is possible for students to change advisers provided they obtain the written consent of the new adviser.

The major The prerequisite for entering the History major is two term courses in history. Courses completed in fulfillment of the prerequisite may be applied to the requirements of the major.
Selection of courses The Department of History strongly urges each student to devise a program of study that, while meeting individual interests and needs, also achieves a balance between diversification and specialization. Exposure to a variety of areas of history is desirable first because only wide-ranging experience can give students confidence in having discovered their own true interests and aptitudes. Equally important, studying various times and societies, including preindustrial ones, prevents provincialism and provides the comparative knowledge essential to a clearer understanding of the area chosen for specialization. Finally, the department assumes that all students understand the vital importance of studying the historical traditions from which their society has developed. One cannot expect to understand another culture without a firm historical grasp of one’s own.

Requirements of the major Twelve terms of history are required, which may include the two terms taken as prerequisites. Included in these twelve terms must be: (a) two terms of United States or Canadian history (courses in the colonial period may fulfill this requirement); (b) two terms of European or British history (courses in Greek and Roman, Byzantine, and Russian history may fulfill this requirement); (c) three terms of African, Asian, Latin American, or Middle Eastern history.

Two of these seven terms must be courses in preindustrial history, and they must be chosen from two of the geographical categories listed above. Preindustrial history courses are so marked at the end of their course descriptions. Students may use the same courses to count toward both geographical and preindustrial requirements. Only in rare cases will the director of undergraduate studies consider petitions from History majors seeking geographical or chronological credit outside of a History course’s primary designation.

Two junior seminars (identified by the suffix J on the course number) are required and are normally taken during the junior year, although students are encouraged to take more than two junior seminars. (See below under Junior Seminars for information about pre-enrollment.) Students must choose junior seminars from two different geographical distribution categories. Sophomores contemplating a junior term abroad are urged to consider taking at least one junior seminar in the sophomore year. Residential college seminars that count toward the History major do not fulfill the junior seminar requirement. During senior year, each student must complete a senior departmental essay written under the guidance of a member of the faculty. Juniors may choose their senior essay advisers on line beginning in March.

Credit toward the major will be given only for courses included in the History listing below and in the History course listings included in Online Course Information. All courses in History of Science, History of Medicine count automatically toward the History major. No substitutions from other departments are allowed.

Library orientation The History department requires all majors to complete a ninety-minute introductory research session for historians by the end of the third week of the junior year. Several library orientation sessions are offered at the beginning of each term. Students are strongly encouraged to take this class during their sophomore year; indeed, sophomores who have not taken the library orientation before the end of
February will not be permitted to preregister for the following year’s junior seminars. Students may offer no substitutions for this orientation. Students should register on the Web at www.library.yale.edu/instruction/hist. For questions students should contact the director of undergraduate studies.

History of Science, History of Medicine A major in History of Science, History of Medicine is available to students through the auspices of the History department. See under History of Science, History of Medicine.

Placement in advanced courses With a few exceptions, chiefly junior seminars, history courses are automatically open to freshmen. Courses for the major must be taken at Yale, except with prior permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

Senior departmental essay History is more than past events; it is also the discipline of historical inquiry. As a discipline, it uses many techniques, but its basic method is the collection and careful evaluation of evidence and the written presentation of reasonable conclusions derived from that evidence. To experience history as a discipline, a student must grapple at first hand with the problems and rigors involved in this kind of systematic investigation and exposition. The Department of History therefore requires each student majoring in History to present a historical essay on a subject of the student’s choice to the department in the senior year. The range of acceptable topics is wide, but most essays fall into two categories. The first involves the study of a limited problem through research in accessible source materials. The second is a critical assessment of a significant historical controversy or historiographical issue. Whatever topic the student elects, the essay must be interpretive and analytical, not only narrative and descriptive.

In choosing the subject of the senior essay, students should be aware that lack of foreign language expertise is not necessarily a bar to researching a topic in the history of a non-English-speaking area. Many translated materials exist, and for some areas of the world (chiefly Africa, Asia, and Latin America) diaries, letters, and newspapers composed by missionaries, businessmen, and diplomats writing in English are available. Many of these sources are held in Yale’s extensive archival collections; others are available on microfilm.

Seniors receive course credit for satisfactory completion of their departmental essays by enrolling in HIST 495 and 496. They must also complete a library research colloquium for the senior essay. Students should register for the colloquium on the Web at www.library.yale.edu/instruction/hist.

Requirements of the Major

Prerequisites 2 term courses in hist

Number of courses 12 term courses (incl prereqs and senior essay)

Substitution permitted None outside Hist dept listing

Distribution of courses 2 courses in hist of U.S. or Canada, 2 in hist of Europe or Britain, 3 in hist of Africa, Asia, Latin America, or Middle East; 2 of preceding must be pre-industrial in different geographical areas; at least 2 junior sems, normally in junior year, in 2 different geographical distribution categories (defined above)

Other Library orientation

Senior requirement Senior essay (HIST 495 and 496)
History courses numbered 001 to 099 are freshman seminars, with enrollment limited to 18. Courses numbered 100 to 199 are in the history of the United States or Canada; those in the 200s, Europe and Britain; and those in the 300s, the rest of the world. Courses numbered in the 400s address global topics; students must apply to the director of undergraduate studies in History to count a 400-level course toward a particular geographical distribution category. Lecture courses are subject to capping at the beginning of each term.

*HIST 001b/AFAM 095b/AMST 001b, African American Freedom Movements in the Twentieth Century  Crystal Feimster
Introduction to the study and writing of history, focusing on how African Americans fought for civil rights throughout the twentieth century. The civil rights movement placed in its historical context; African American freedom struggles placed in the larger narrative of U.S. history. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. HU Fr sem

*HIST 006a/HSHM 005a, Medicine and Society in American History  Rebecca Tannenbaum
Disease and healing in American history from colonial times to the present. The changing role of the physician, alternative healers and therapies, and the social impact of epidemics from smallpox to AIDS. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. WR, HU Fr sem

*HIST 008a/HUMS 080a/RLST 001a, Essential Heresies  Carlos Eire
Introduction to individuals and movements that have challenged the intellectual and spiritual status quo in Western civilization. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. HU Fr sem

*HIST 022a, What History Teaches  John Gaddis
An introduction to the discipline of history. History viewed as an art, a science, and something in between; differences between fact, interpretation, and consensus; history as a predictor of future events. Focus on issues such as the interdependence of variables, causation and verification, the role of individuals, and to what extent historical inquiry can or should be a moral enterprise. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. WR, HU Fr sem

*HIST 023a, War and Rebellion in Early America  Alejandra Dubcovsky
The role of war and rebellion in early American history, from precontact to the War of 1812. Changing roles and meanings of war and rebellion; the impact of these violent events on European, Indian, and African populations; implications of using war and rebellion as historical categories. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. WR, HU Fr sem

HIST 107b/AMST 133b/ER&M 187b, Introduction to American Indian History  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant
Survey of American Indian history, beginning with creation traditions and migration theories and continuing to the present day. Focus on American Indian nations whose homelands are located within the contemporary United States. Complexity and change within American Indian societies, with emphasis on creative adaptations to changing historical circumstances. HU PreInd
HIST 112a/AMST 190a, The Formation of Modern American Culture, 1876–1919
Jean-Christophe Agnew
For description see under American Studies.

HIST 115a/AMST 188a, The Colonial Period of American History  John Demos
Significant themes in American life, 1607–1750: politics and imperial governance, social structure, religion, ecology, race relations, gender, popular culture, the rhythms of everyday life. Freshman enrollment limited to students with scores of 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement test in U.S. history.  HU  PreInd

*HIST 119a/AFAM 172a, The Civil War and Reconstruction Era, 1845–1877
David Blight
The causes, course, and consequences of the American Civil War. A search for the multiple meanings of a transformative event, including national, sectional, racial, constitutional, social, gender, intellectual, and individual dimensions.  HU

HIST 120b/EVST 120b, Introduction to Environmental History  Paul Sabin
For description see under Environmental Studies.

HIST 122b/AMST 193b, Origins of U.S. Global Power  Jenifer Van Vleck
Policies, strategies, and ideas that enabled the United States to become a world power. Themes include Manifest Destiny, expansion, and empire; American exceptionalism; national identity; capitalism and consumer culture; and the relation between domestic politics and diplomacy, particularly with regard to race and gender.  HU

HIST 127a/AMST 135a/WGSS 200a, U.S. Lesbian and Gay History
George Chauncey
Introduction to the social, cultural, and political history of lesbians, gay men, and other socially constituted sexual minorities. Focus on understanding categories of sexuality in relation to shifting normative regimes, primarily in the twentieth century. The emergence of homosexuality and heterosexuality as categories of experience and identity; the changing relationship between homosexuality and transgenderism; the development of diverse lesbian and gay subcultures and their representation in popular culture; religion and sexual science; generational change and everyday life; AIDS; and gay, antigay, feminist, and queer movements.  HU

HIST 131b/AMST 131b, U.S. Political and Social History, 1900–1945
Beverly Gage
The social, political, and economic changes that transformed American society from the turn of the twentieth century through World War II.  HU

HIST 132b/AMST 132b/WGSS 132b, American Politics and Society, 1945 to the Present
Jennifer Klein
An introduction to political and social issues of modern America from the 1940s to the present: political economy, civil rights, class politics, and gender roles that defined postwar America. Legacies of the New Deal as they played out after World War II; the origins, agenda, and ramifications of the Cold War; postwar suburbanization and its racial dimensions; migration and immigration; cultural changes; social movements of the Right and Left; Reaganism and its legacies; and the United States and the global economy.  HU
HIST 133b/EP&E 442b/GLBL 265b/INTS 345b, Strategic, Political, and Moral Dilemmas of the Nuclear Age  Jonathan Schell
For description see under Global Affairs.

HIST 135a/ECON 182a, American Economic History  Naomi Lamoreaux
For description see under Economics.

HIST 141b/AMST 141b, The American West  John Mack Faragher
The history of the American West as both frontier and region, real and imagined, from the first contacts between Indians and Europeans in the fifteenth century to the multicultural encounters of the contemporary Sunbelt. Students work with historical texts and images from Yale’s Western Americana Collection.  HU

HIST 143a/HSHM 211a, Catastrophe and the Earth Sciences since 1850  William Rankin
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

HIST 144b/AMST 176b/EVST 206b/HSHM 206b/HUMS 323b, Science and Technology in the United States  Daniel Kevles
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

HIST 145a/AMST 150a/RLST 108a, Religion in Modern America, 1865–2000  Kathryn Lofton
For description see under American Studies.

HIST 147a/AMST 247a/HLTH 170a/HSHM 202a, Media and Medicine in Modern America  John Warner, Gretchen Berland
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

HIST 148a/JDST 280a/RLST 215a, America and Its Jews, 1654 to the Present  Paula Hyman
The history of Jews in America from the colonial period to the present. Topics include immigration, religious development, politics, and participation in culture. Special attention to how Jews, as a minority, have negotiated their place in American society.  HU  PreInd

HIST 169b, Early National America  Joanne Freeman
An introduction to America’s first decades as a nation. Topics include the creation of a national politics, the clash between Federalists and Republicans in the states and in the nation’s capital, and changes in American society and culture.  HU  PreInd

HIST 183a/AMST 272a/ER&M 282a/WGSS 272a, Asian American History, 1800 to the Present  Mary Lui
For description see under American Studies.

HIST 184a/AFAM 160a, Slavery and Abolition in Atlantic History, 1500–1888  Edward Rugemer
The history of peoples of African descent throughout the Americas, from the first African American societies of the sixteenth century through the century-long process of emancipation.  HU

HIST 191b/GLBL 264b, The United States and the World, 1776–1920  Patrick Cohrs
The transformation of the modern international system and the role of the United States in the world, from the American Revolution to the aftermath of World War I. Causes of
international conflicts from the eighteenth century’s revolutionary wars to the Great War, the peace settlements of Vienna (1814–15) and Versailles (1919), the international politics of imperialism, America’s emergence as a world power, and Wilson’s pursuit of a “peace to end all wars.” Focus on the influence of ideas and learning processes on international history.  

**HIST 202a, European Civilization, 1648–1945**  
John Merriman  
An overview of the economic, social, political, and intellectual history of modern Europe. Topics include the rise of absolute states, the scientific revolution, the Enlightenment, the French Revolution and Napoleon, the industrial revolution, the revolutions of 1848, nationalism and national unifications, Victorian Britain, the colonization of Africa and Asia, fin-de-siècle culture and society, the Great War, the Russian Revolution, the European of political extremes, and World War II.  

**HIST 205a/CLCV 205a, Introduction to Ancient Greek History**  
Donald Kagan  
For description see under Classics.  

**HIST 208b/CLCV 232b/HUMS 233b, Food and Diet in Greco-Roman Antiquity**  
Veronika Grimm  
For description see under Classics.  

**HIST 210a, The Early Middle Ages, 284–1000**  
Paul Freedman  
Major developments in the political, social, and religious history of western Europe from the accession of Diocletian to the feudal transformation. Topics include the conversion of Europe to Christianity, the fall of the Roman Empire, the rise of Islam and the Arabs, the “Dark Ages,” Charlemagne and the Carolingian renaissance, and the Viking and Hungarian invasions.  

**HIST 211b/HUMS 381b, The Birth of Europe, 1000–1500**  
Anders Winroth  
Europe during the central and late Middle Ages, from the feudal revolution to the age of discoveries. Europe as it came to be defined in terms of national states and international empires. The rise and decline of papal power, church reform movements, the Crusades, contacts with Asia, the commercial revolution, and the culture of chivalry.  

**HIST 215b/RLST 283b, Reformation Europe, 1450–1650**  
Bruce Gordon  
Examination of a series of religious revolutions in Europe between 1400 and 1650. The causes and nature of the reformations that changed the religious, political, social, and economic landscapes of early modern Europe and shaped the course of Western civilization as a whole.  

**HIST 217a/CLCV 206a, Introduction to Roman History: The Republic**  
William Metcalf  
For description see under Classics.  

**HIST 218b/CLCV 207b, The Roman Empire**  
John Matthews  
For description see under Classics.  

**HIST 219b/JDST 200a/MMES 149a/RLST 148a, History of the Jews to Early Modern Times**  
Ivan Marcus  
A broad introduction to the history of the Jews from biblical beginnings until the European Reformation and the Ottoman Empire. Focus on the formative period of classical rabinic
Judaism and on the symbiotic relationships among Jews, Christians, and Muslims. Jewish society and culture in its biblical, rabbinic, and medieval settings. Counts toward either European or Middle Eastern distributional credit within the History major, upon application to the director of undergraduate studies. **HU RP PreInd**

**HIST 228b/ENGL 154b, Vikings**  Roberta Frank, Anders Winroth
For description see under English Language & Literature. **PreInd**

**HIST 231b, War in Germany, 1648–2010**  J. Adam Tooze
The rise and fall of modern militarism in Germany. Individual battles, soldiers, and weapons discussed within a broader context of the justification and regulation of state violence. Germany as a European battlefield, and as a nation that has perhaps come closest to drawing a final, concluding line under its military history. **HU**

**HIST 233b/HSHM 201b, The Cultures of Western Medicine: A Historical Introduction**  Sally Romano
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

**HIST 234a/HSHM 235a, Epidemics and Society in the West since 1600**  Frank Snowden
A study of the impact of epidemic diseases such as bubonic plague, cholera, malaria, and AIDS on society, public health, and the medical profession in comparative and international perspective. Topics include popular culture and mass hysteria, the mortality revolution, urban renewal and rebuilding, sanitation, the germ theory of disease, the emergence of scientific medicine, and debates over the biomedical model of disease. **HU**

**HIST 236b/HSHM 226b/HUMS 342b, Nature, Art, and Science in Early Modern Europe**  Paola Bertucci
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

**HIST 239a, Britain’s Empire**  Stuart Semmel
The effect of empire on Britain’s politics, society, and culture. How politics in one part of the empire shaped events in others; how British politicians reconciled the empire’s sometimes authoritarian nature with liberalism and an expanding democracy at home; and how race, gender, and class functioned in the empire. **HU**

**HIST 248b/JDST 293b/RLST 214b, Introduction to Modern Jewish Thought**  Eliyahu Stern
For description see under Judaic Studies.

**HIST 261a/PLSC 176a, The Cold War**  John Gaddis
The Cold War from beginning to end, viewed from the perspective of all its major participants, with emphasis on recently released Soviet, East European, and Chinese sources. Counts toward either European or U.S. distributional credit within the History major, upon application to the director of undergraduate studies. **HU, SO**

**HIST 263a, Eastern Europe to 1914**  Timothy Snyder
Eastern Europe from the medieval state to the rise of modern nationalism. The Ottoman Empire, the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth, the Hapsburg monarchy, and various native currents. Themes include religious diversity, the constitution of empire, and the emergence of secular political ideologies. **HU**
HIST 264b, Eastern Europe since 1914  Timothy Snyder
Eastern Europe from the collapse of the old imperial order to the enlargement of the European Union. Main themes include world war, nationalism, fascism, and communism. Special attention to the structural weaknesses of interwar nation-states and postwar communist regimes. Nazi and Soviet occupation as an age of extremes. The collapse of communism. Communism after 1989 and the dissolution of Yugoslavia in the 1990s as parallel European trajectories.  HU

HIST 269b/JDST 286b/RLST 230b, Holocaust in Historical Perspective  Paula Hyman
A survey of the major historical issues raised by the Holocaust, including the roots of Nazism; different theoretical perspectives and ways of accounting for genocide; the behavior of perpetrators, victims, and bystanders; and problems of representation.  HU

HIST 271a, European Intellectual History since Nietzsche  Marci Shore
Major currents in European intellectual history from the late nineteenth century through the twentieth. Topics include Marxism-Leninism, psychoanalysis, expressionism, structuralism, phenomenology, existentialism, antipolitics, and deconstruction.  HU

HIST 273a, Europe in the Age of Total War, 1914–1945  Jay Winter
A survey of European history that addresses the two world wars and the transformation of European society and culture between 1914 and 1945.  HU

HIST 274b, The Road to Revolution in France, 1661–1799  G. Charles Walton
Social, political, and cultural changes in Old Regime France from the rise of Louis XIV and the absolutist state in the mid-seventeenth century to the outbreak of the French Revolution in 1789. Topics include state building, court culture, civility, the Enlightenment, the public sphere, and the causes of the Revolution.  HU

HIST 295b, Empire and Foreign Policy in Russian History, 1552–1917  Paul Bushkovitch
Formation of the Russian Empire and its interaction with foreign policy. Topics include multiconfessionalism and multinationality, imperial strategy, and economic development on Russia’s European and Asian frontiers.  HU

HIST 303a, Japan’s Modern Revolution  Daniel Botsman
A survey of Japan’s transformation over the course of the nineteenth century from an isolated, traditional society on the edge of northeast Asia to a modern imperial power. Aspects of political, social, and cultural history.  HU

HIST 305b, Chinese Archaeology to 1275 C.E.  Valerie Hansen
Chinese history from ancient times through the end of the Song dynasty. Emphasis on how historians’ understanding has changed because of archaeological discoveries made since 1899. Particular focus on archaeological exhibits on display in Beijing. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  HU PreInd

*HIST 308a, Beijing and China, 900 to the Present  Valerie Hansen
The history of middle-period and modern China, focusing on Beijing. The city as capital or as one of five capital cities for the Liao, Jin, Yuan, Ming, and Qing dynasties and
the People’s Republic. Emphasis on the legacy of the past still visible in today’s Beijing. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program. 

HIST 316b, History of China, 1600 to the Present  Peter Perdue  
The rise and fall of the Qing (1644–1912), China’s last dynasty. Traditional Chinese values and the effect of foreign ideas and technologies on those values. China’s first Republic (1912–49) and the impact of foreign imperialism and communism. The People’s Republic of China under Mao Zedong and Deng Xiaoping; China’s changing economic and political structures. 

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HIST 323b, Southeast Asia since 1900  Benedict Kiernan  
Comparative colonialism, nationalism, revolution, and independence in modern Southeast Asia. Topics include Indonesia and the Dutch, Indochina under French rule, the United States in the Philippines and Vietnam, Buddhism in Burma and Thailand, communist and peasant movements, and the Cambodian revolution and its regional repercussions. 

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HIST 340a/AFST 340a, Africa in the Era of the Slave Trade  Robert Harms  
Examination of the tumultuous changes experienced by African societies during the era of the Atlantic slave trade, approximately 1450–1850. Focus on the complex interaction between the internal dynamics of African societies and the impact of outside forces. 

HU PreInd

HIST 345b/C/JDST 265b/MMES 148b/RLST 202b, Jews in Muslim Lands from the Seventh to the Sixteenth Centuries  Ivan Marcus  
Jewish culture and society in Muslim lands from the Prophet Muhammad to Suleiman the Magnificent. Topics include Islam and Judaism; Jerusalem as a holy site; rabbinic leadership and literature in Baghdad; Jewish courtiers, poets, and philosophers in Muslim Spain; and the Jews in the Ottoman Empire. 

HU RP PreInd

HIST 348b, Empire, Nationalism, and Revolution in the Modern Middle East  Abbas Amanat  
A survey of the Middle East and its transformation from the age of Islamic empires to modern nation-states; the political, economic, and cultural challenge of the West; nationalism, ideology, and autocracy in the Arab world, Iran, and Turkey; religion, modernity, and social protest; the Arab-Israeli conflict and the United States; the Islamic revolution; and ethnicity, gender, and identity in the contemporary Middle East. 

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HIST 349a/MMES 249a, Three Empires of Islam  Alan Mikhail  
Three empires of the early modern Muslim world: the Ottomans, the Safavids, and the Mughals. Introduction to the rise and spread of Islam; comparative histories of each of the three empires. Topics include the arts, administration, trade, coffee, the environment, war, education, and religion. 

HU PreInd

HIST 355a, Colonial Latin America  Stuart Schwartz  
A survey of the conquest and colonization of Latin America from pre-Columbian civilizations through the movements for independence. Emphasis on social and economic themes and the formation of identities in the context of multiracial societies. 

HU PreInd
**HIST 358b/ER&M 341b/LAST 358b, History of Mexico since Independence**  
Gilbert Joseph  
Modern Mexico from the wars of independence in the early nineteenth century to the present. Social, cultural, and economic trends and their relationship to political movements; particular emphasis on the Revolution of 1910 and the long shadow it has cast, and on patterns of relations with the United States.  
**HU**

**HIST 360a/MMES 171a/NELC 402a, The Islamic Near East from Muhammad to the Mongol Invasion**  
Adel Allouche  
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.  
**PreInd**

**JUNIOR SEMINARS**

Juniors majoring in History must take at least two junior seminars from two different geographical areas. Seminars on the history of the United States or Canada are numbered 100J to 199J; seminars on Britain and Europe are 200J to 299J; and seminars numbered 300J to 399J cover the rest of the world. Seminars numbered in the 400s address global topics; students must apply to the director of undergraduate studies in History to count a 400-level seminar toward a particular geographical distribution category. Each seminar aims to acquaint students in a substantial and professional way with the literature of a period in history; to train them as far as possible in the use of primary source materials; to introduce them to problems of bibliography, historiography, and historical method; and to give them training in the writing of history. The relative importance of these objectives in any particular seminar depends on its subject matter, the previous preparation of its students, and the availability of materials.

Each term prospective junior History majors should apply for seminars for the following term using the online junior seminar preregistration site. Preregistration begins after midterm in the fall for seminars offered in the spring term, and after spring recess for seminars offered in the subsequent fall term. Accelerated students holding junior status must notify the undergraduate History administrator in 237 HGS, 432-1359, by October 14 in the fall and by March 23 in the spring in order to be eligible to preregister for the following term's seminars. All students who wish to preregister must declare their major and take the mandatory History library orientation prior to preregistration.

In September and in January, application for admission should be made directly to the instructors of the seminars, who will admit students to remaining vacancies in their seminars. Priority is given to applications from juniors, then seniors, majoring in History, but applications are also accepted from qualified sophomores and from students majoring in other disciplines or programs. The department seeks wherever possible to accommodate students’ preferences; for their part, students should recognize that limitations imposed by the size of seminars (normally fifteen students) make accommodation impossible in some instances. HIST 494 and residential college seminars that count toward the History major do not fulfill the junior seminar requirement.

*HIST 113Jb/AMST 457b*, **Cultural Capital: New York in the Twentieth Century**  
Jean-Christophe Agnew  
For description see under American Studies.
HIST 119Jb, Immigration and Xenophobia in American History  Kyle Farley
U.S. history viewed through the lenses of immigration and nativism. The influence of
religion, economics, and politics. Shifting racial identities during the nineteenth and
twentieth centuries.  WR, HU

HIST 122Jb/WGSS 379b, American Women Religious Leaders and Activists  Cynthia Russett
American women who have been prominent leaders and activists in different faith tra-
ditions. Well-known figures—Anne Hutchinson, Mary Baker Eddy—and less familiar
individuals—Jarena Lee, Aimee Semple McPherson, Sally Preisand—who made major
contributions to the narrative of American religious history. Topics include Indian women's
spirituality, New Age, goddess religion, and the role of Muslim women.  WR, HU

HIST 126Jb/AMST 266b, Murder and Mayhem in Old New York  Mary Lui
Spectacular episodes of crime and violence in New York City from the colonial period to the
end of the Victorian and Progressive eras. Themes of race, class, gender, and sexuality;
the place of violence in the making of the modern American metropolis.  WR, HU

HIST 127Ja/WGSS 427a, Witchcraft in Colonial America  Rebecca Tannenbaum
The social, religious, economic, and gender history of British North America as manifested
through witchcraft beliefs and trials.  WR, HU PreInd

HIST 130Ja/AMST 441a/ER&M 370a, Indians and the Spanish Borderlands  Ned Blackhawk
The experiences of Native Americans during centuries of relations with North America's
first imperial power, Spain. The history and long-term legacies of Spanish colonialism
from Florida to California.  WR, HU

HIST 131Jb, Urban History in the United States, 1870 to the Present  Jennifer Klein
The history of work, leisure, consumption, and housing in American cities. Topics
include immigration; formation and re-formation of ethnic communities; the segrega-
tion of cities along the lines of class and race; labor organizing; the impact of federal
policy; the growth of suburbs; the War on Poverty and Reaganism; and post-Katrina
New Orleans.  WR, HU

HIST 133Jb, The Creation of the American Politician, 1789—1820  Joanne Freeman
The creation of an American style of politics: ideas, political practices, and self-perceptions
of America's first national politicians. Topics include national identity, the birth of national
political parties, methods of political combat, early American journalism, changing
conceptions of leadership and citizenship, and the evolving culture of the early
republic.  WR, HU PreInd

HIST 134Ja, Yale and America: Selected Topics in Social and Cultural History  Jay Gitlin
Relationships between Yale—and Yale people, from Ezra Stiles and Noah Webster to Cole
Porter, Henry Roe Cloud, and Maya Lin—and American society and culture. Elihu Yale and
the global eighteenth century; Benjamin Silliman and the emergence of American science;
Walter Camp, Dink Stover, and the all-American boy; Henry Luce and the information
age; and faith and ideology in postwar Yale and America.  WR, HU RP
*HIST 135Ja, The Age of Hamilton and Jefferson  Joanne Freeman
The culture and politics of the revolutionary and early national periods of American history, starting with the lives, ideas, and writings of Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton. Topics include partisan conflict, political culture, nation building, and domestic life.  WR, HU  PreInd

*HIST 136Ja, Liberalism and Conservatism in U.S. Politics, 1932–1988  Beverly Gage
American domestic politics and political thought since the New Deal. Emphasis on the decline of midcentury liberalism and the rise of modern American conservatism. Topics include McCarthyism, the civil rights movement, the New Left, labor, business activism, the conservative intellectual movement, the Christian Right, and the Reagan Revolution.  WR, HU

*HIST 138Jb, Problems in American Historical Memory: The Civil War  David Blight
The problem and the study of “memory” among American and international historians and scholars from other disciplines. Readings drawn from theoretical works, recent secondary literature, and public history controversies.  WR, HU

*HIST 139Jb, The American South, 1870 to the Present  Glenda Gilmore
A thematic approach to the history of the American South since Reconstruction. Focus on the political, social, and cultural history of a region that has undergone dramatic change. Topics include white supremacy and African American resistance; industrialization and labor activism; music and literature; the civil rights movement and the rise of the Republican South; and changing regional identity.  HU

*HIST 140Jb/Hshm 422b, Cartography, Territory, and Identity  William Rankin
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

*HIST 141Jb/Hshm 462b/Thst 394b, Science and Drama  Bettyann Kevles
Themes in science, technology, and medicine as they have figured in modern plays written and produced in the United States and Europe. These fictive treatments are compared with scientific and historical reality. Playwrights include Ibsen, Brecht, Capek, Frayn, Stoppard, Molière, and Cassandra Medley.  WR, HU

*HIST 151Jb/Hshm 448b/Wgss 448b, American Medicine and the Cold War  Naomi Rogers
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

*HIST 152Ja/Amst 419a/Er&m 450a, Land, Homelands, and American Indian Histories  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant
For description see under American Studies.

*HIST 154Jb/Amst 395b/Er&m 391b, Radical California  Stephen Pitti
For description see under American Studies.

*HIST 155Jb/Amst 458b, Northeastern Native America to 1850  Alyssa Mt. Pleasant
For description see under American Studies.

*HIST 159Jb, Research in the History of the American West  John Mack Faragher
Primary research in the history of the American frontier and West, utilizing the Western Americana Collection at the Beinecke Library. Emphasis on the craft of research—asking questions, identifying primary sources, collecting and organizing evidence, developing an argument, and narrating a historical essay. Preparation for the senior essay.  WR, HU  RP
*HIST 161Ja, Communism and Anticommunism in the Twentieth-Century United States  Beverly Gage
The intertwined histories of domestic communism and anticommunism in the twentieth-century United States. Topics include McCarthyism, the communist relationship with the Soviet Union, civil liberties, Cold War culture, and communist activism. Focus on connections between foreign policy and domestic political culture, the effect of anticommunism on political and social reform movements, and questions of American exceptionalism.  WR, HU

*HIST 166Ja/AMST 410a/WGSS 409a, Asian American Women and Gender, 1830 to the Present  Mary Lui
Asian American women as key historical actors. Gender analysis is used to reexamine themes in Asian American history: immigration, labor, community, cultural representations, political organizing, sexuality, and marriage and family life.  WR, HU

*HIST 168Jb, Quebec and Canada from 1791 to the Present  Jay Gitlin
The history of Quebec and its place within Canada from the Constitutional Act of 1791 to the present. Topics include the Rebellion of 1837, confederation, the Riel Affair, industrialization and emigration to New England, French-Canadian nationalism and culture from Abbé Groulx to the Parti Québécois and Céline Dion, and the politics of language. Readings include plays by Michel Tremblay and Antonine Maillet (in translation).  WR, HU

*HIST 169Ja/WGSS 428a, Labor and Democracy in the Twentieth-Century United States  Jennifer Klein
A history of work, labor relations, social movements, and labor policy in the United States since 1890; the history of class politics and economic development in modern America. Racial and gender hierarchies from farms to factories to sweatshops; labor rights as part of broader struggles over citizenship rights and democracy. Topics include various forms of labor organizing and protest, limits and possibilities of solidarity, braceros and migrant workers, civil rights, the Cold War, politics and policy, and Wal-Mart.  WR, HU

*HIST 170Ja, Ideas and Ideologies in U.S. International History  Patrick Cohrs
The influence of American and foreign ideas and ideologies on U.S. international history. American assumptions about peace and international order from the days of the early republic and the Federalist Papers to the height of the Cold War. Emphasis on American responses to war and international crises, and on the impact of exceptionalist, imperialist, isolationist, “exemplarist,” and capitalist ideologies on U.S. policy making.  WR, HU

*HIST 181Jb, World War II and Its Legacies  Jenifer Van Vleck
The political, cultural, and economic dimensions of the Second World War and its effects on the postwar international order. Topics include the United States’ ascendancy as a global superpower; the onset of the Cold War; anticolonialism and the decline of the European empires; new communication technologies and mass culture; the formation of the United Nations; and the politics of human rights.  HU

*HIST 200Ja/CLCV 415a, Greek Intellectuals under Roman Rule  Veronika Grimm
For description see under Classics.  PreInd

*HIST 201Jb/CLCV 405b, Spartan Hegemony, 404–362 B.C.  Donald Kagan
For description see under Classics.  PreInd
For Interdisciplinary and society life; growth; nationality in for first-person made Exploration toward national World A * oppression forms break lic centuries. * identify * * * * * * 372 For Social, A HIST 229 A HIST 225 HIST 224 HIST 220 HIST 219 HIST 215 HIST 211 HIST 209 HIST 207 HIST 207Ja/CLCV 407a, Thucydides and the Peloponnesian War Donald Kagan For description see under Classics. PreInd *HIST 209Ja/LATN 447a, Roman Social History in Latin Texts John Matthews For description see under Classics. PreInd *HIST 211Ja/NELC 380a*/RLST 253a*, The Making of Monasticism Bentley Layton For description see under Religious Studies. PreInd *HIST 215Jb, The Art of Biography John Gaddis A comparative examination of successful as well as unsuccessful biographies, intended to identify both principles and pitfalls. WR, HU *HIST 219Ja, The European Enlightenment G. Charles Walton Interdisciplinary study of the European Enlightenment of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. Themes include epistemological shifts, sociability and manners, the rise of public opinion, political philosophy, political economy, colonialism, natural law, and the outbreak of democratic revolutions. Twentieth-century legacies of the Enlightenment: new forms of freedom and individual empowerment versus totalitarianism and new forms of oppression and control. HU *HIST 220Ja, Grand Strategy and the Origins of the Second World War Paul Kennedy A survey of the most important literature and debates concerning the coming of the Second World War in both Europe and the Pacific. Emphasis on the comparative approach to international history and on the interplay of domestic politics, economics, and strategy. Counts toward only European distributional credit within the History major. WR, HU RP *HIST 224Jb, Narratives of War and Revolution in Twentieth-Century Europe Laura Engelstein Exploration of how men and women of twentieth-century Europe (including Russia) made sense of their lives in the context of war, revolution, and cultural conflict. Focus on first-person narratives, some by professional writers, others by ordinary people searching for personal and cultural identity. WR, HU *HIST 225Ja, The Russian Revolution of 1917 Laura Engelstein Social, political, and cultural forces that brought about the collapse of the Russian Empire in 1917 and led to the establishment of the Soviet regime. Themes include the impact of World War I, the problem of the monarchy, the role of radical movements, and the nationality question. WR, HU *HIST 229Jb, London, 1560–1760 Keith Wrightson A study of London’s growth between 1560 and 1760 from a modest city of perhaps 50,000 people to a metropolis with over 700,000 inhabitants. Themes include the dynamics of growth; birth and death, with particular reference to the plague; migration; household life; villages within the city; London as the center of print culture; the royal court; polite society in the late seventeenth and early eighteenth centuries; the “middle sort of people” and consumerism; the world of the poor; and vice and criminality. WR, HU PreInd
How members of Jewish, Christian, and Muslim communities thought of and interacted with members of the other two cultures during the Middle Ages. Cultural grids and expectations each imposed on the other; the rhetoric of otherness—humans or devils, purity or impurity, and animal imagery; and models of religious community and power in dealing with the other when confronted with cultural differences. Counts toward either European or Middle Eastern distributional credit within the History major, upon application to the director of undergraduate studies. **HU RP PreInd**

A survey of recent historical interpretations of the military, social, and cultural history of the war of 1914–18. **WR, HU**

Intellectual history of twentieth-century Europe, focusing on existentialist philosophy and its confrontation with Marxism in theory and communist regimes in practice. **WR, HU**

Modern European intellectual history, in particular the history of phenomenology in various countries. Relationships between lives and ideas and between philosophy and biography. **WR, HU**

Highlights of the Cold War in Europe. Focus on political developments and foreign policy, with attention to the impact of the Cold War on European society. **HU**

For description see under Hellenic Studies.

For description see under Hellenic Studies.

The ideological struggle in 1917 between democracy and German militarism occasioned by the Russian Revolution and the American entry into World War I. The bitter ironies of the first attempt to make the world safe for democracy by military means. **HU**

The roles and representation of Jewish women in the modern period. Special attention to the role of gender in Judaism; the social, cultural, and political activity of women; and the development and impact of feminism. Counts toward either European or U.S. distributional credit within the History major, upon application to the director of undergraduate studies. **WR, HU**

Key moments of instability in the modern Balkan states, focusing on the origins, conduct, and impact of the two world wars, civil wars, and dictatorships. **HU**
*HIST 255Jb, London and Modernity, 1880 to the Present  Becky Conekin
Aspects of modernity and the changing character of London as a metropolitan center from the late nineteenth century to the present. Social and economic development of the city, urban cultures, historical geography, sexuality, and the imperial and postimperial metropolis.  WR, HU

*HIST 258Jb/JDST 278b/RLST 227b, Jewish Citizenship in Modern Europe  Eliyahu Stern
Seventeenth- to twentieth-century responses to Jewish citizenship in modern European states. Religious law; modern Jewish identity; Zionism; Judaism as a religion vs. a nation; the place of minorities in contemporary Europe.  HU

*HIST 265Ja, Origins of the British Empire  Steven Pincus
England’s remarkable transformation from a European backwater to a dominant world power in less than three hundred years. The Cromwellian conquest of Jamaica, the status of Scotland and Ireland, the War of the Spanish Succession, the conquest of India, the emergence of the sugar colonies in the West Indies, and the American Revolution.  WR, HU

*HIST 270Jb, Problems and Topics in the French Revolution  G. Charles Walton
The origins, course, and legacies of the French Revolution. Topics include Old Regime society and politics, the factors fueling political radicalization and terror after 1789, the creation of new institutions and political culture, and the Revolution’s legacy for women and French colonial societies in the modern era.  WR, HU

*HIST 272Ja/JDST 291a/RLST 226a, Anti-Semitism in Modern Times  Paula Hyman
An exploration of anti-Semitism as a religious, social, and political prejudice in different historical contexts. Examination of premodern religious and secular stereotypes. Focus on the role of anti-Semitism in Europe, the United States, and the Middle East from the late nineteenth century to contemporary times.  WR, HU

*HIST 281Ja/JDST 292a, The Cultural Revolution of the Jewish Enlightenment  Shmuel Feiner
For description see under Judaic Studies.

*HIST 310Ja, Visualizing Asia  Peter Perdue
Discussion of interactions between East Asia and Western countries in the modern period, using visual and textual sources. Images produced in East Asia and the West that portray international trade, war, social life, customs, and culture. How the societies imagined each other; political and economic effects of graphic media.  HU

*HIST 340Jb, Journeys to Japan  Daniel Botsman
The history of Japan between the sixteenth century and the nineteenth. Orientalism, imperialism, representations of other cultures, and Japan’s place in the Western historical imagination. Use of primary source materials in Western languages.  WR, HU

*HIST 347Jb/MMES 147b, The Ottoman Empire  Alan Mikhail
Major trends in Ottoman history and historiography. The political and imperial history of the ruling Ottoman elite; the culture, politics, and realities of marginal groups such as
peasants, women, and minorities. The complex web of relationships between the state and its bureaucrats, peasants, judges, families, and merchants.  WR, HU

*HIST 350Ja/HUMS 446a/JDST 296a*, Tel Aviv: Culture and History
Liora Halperin
For description see under Judaic Studies.

*HIST 351Jb/JDST 287b*, Jews, Language, and Nationalism in Modern Times
Liora Halperin
For description see under Judaic Studies.

*HIST 370Jb, Cold War in the Third World*  Ryan Irwin
The pan-European world’s relations with the “global south” during the Cold War. Causes and consequences of Cold War interventions; actions taken in Africa, Asia, the Middle East, and Latin America during the late twentieth century. Focus on themes of modernization, political ideology, decolonization, security, and world order.  HU

*HIST 372Ja/ER&M 342a, Revolutionary Change and Cold War in Latin America*  Gilbert Joseph
Analysis of revolutionary movements in Latin America against the backdrop of the Cold War. Critical examination of popular images and orthodox interpretations. An interdisciplinary study of the process of revolutionary change and cold war at the grassroots level.  WR, HU

*HIST 374Jb, The Confucian Tradition*  Annping Chin
The sources, development, and practice of Confucian thought from the second century B.C. to the present. The relationship of Confucian-style scholarship to Chinese legal thought; Confucian learning and the institutionalization of education; rites and family relationships; reform thinking and reevaluation of the tradition; and the writing of history.  HU  PreInd

*HIST 382Jb, Vietnamese History from Earliest Times to 1920*  Benedict Kiernan
Evolution of a Vietnamese national identity, from Chinese colonization to medieval statehood, to French conquest and capitalist development. The roles of Confucianism, Buddhism, gender, and ethnicity in the Southeast Asian context.  HU  PreInd

*HIST 384Jb/MMES 172b/NELC 403b, The Middle East between Crusaders and Mongols*  Adel Allouche
The impact of the Crusades and the Mongol conquests on the Islamic Middle East. Political, social, and economic changes in the region from the eleventh century to the middle of the fourteenth. Emphasis on the rise of new dynasties as a result of changes in the ethnic mosaic of the Middle East.  WR, HU  PreInd

*HIST 385Ja/MMES 145a, The Middle East and the West: A Cultural Encounter*  Abbas Amanat
An examination of the Orient and the Occident as cultural constructs; encounters with Islam and the Middle East since the sixteenth century; evolving Muslim attitudes toward the West; orientalism and images of the Middle East in the Western press; the United States as the Great Satan; clash or dialogue of civilizations.  WR, HU
*HIST 386Ja/EVST 386a/MMES 146a, Environmental History of the Middle East
Alan Mikhail
Exploration of how one writes an environmental history of the Middle East. Consideration of what environmental history is; questions of method, sources, and historiography. Topics include irrigation, forestry, agriculture, animal technology, gender and nature, gardens, colonialism, environmentalism, and disease. WR, HU

*HIST 387Ja/AFST 487a, West African Islam: Jihad Tradition and Its Pacifist Opponents
Lamin Sanneh
The impact of Islam on state and society, and the encounters of Muslim Africans first with non-Muslim societies in Africa and then with the modern West in the colonial and postcolonial periods. Focus on Muslim religious attitudes and responses to the secular national state and to the Western tradition of the separation of church and state. WR, HU

*HIST 394Ja, Body and Identity in the Atlantic World
Daniel Magaziner
The history, culture, politics, and imagination of the African diaspora from the era of the Atlantic slave trade to the present day. How bodies and identities were transformed by the tumult of the middle passage, the development of African-derived communities in the Atlantic world, and memories of enslavement. Issues discussed include assimilation, bodily self-fashioning, and the cultural politics of black nationalism. HU

*HIST 398Jb/MMES 173b/NELC 404b, Mamluk Egypt
Adel Allouche
A study of the Mamluks, manumitted slaves initially imported to Egypt for military service who established their own rule over Egypt and Syria (1250–1517). Focus on the structure and workings of the Mamluk state. Military, political, economic, and social factors that contributed to the grandeur and, later, the decline of the Mamluk period in Egypt and its conquest by the Ottoman Turks. WR, HU PreInd

*HIST 403Jb/WGSS 367b, Transnational History of Sexual Politics
George Chauncey
The transnational development and circulation of gay and antigay politics in the twentieth century. The early twentieth-century German homosexual emancipation movement; Bolshevik and Nazi policies; postwar homophile and post-1968 gay liberation movements in Europe and the Americas; the impact of colonialism, queer diasporas, transnational media, AIDS, and international human rights discourse; and recent debates over homosexuality and national identity in Africa, Asia, the Middle East, Europe, and the Anglican communion. HU

*HIST 411Ja, The Global 1960s
Jenifer Van Vleck
A comparative, transnational study of social, political, and cultural transformations that occurred during the 1960s, including decolonization, the African American freedom struggle, the Prague Spring, the Cultural Revolution in China, and student movements in Paris, Berkeley, Tokyo, and Mexico City. Examination of the “other” side of the 1960s—a decade that ended with the presidency of Richard Nixon and the ascendancy of neoconservatism. WR, HU

*HIST 435Ja/HSHM 437a, The Global Crisis of Malaria
Frank Snowden
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.
**HIST 470Jb, Humans and Other Animals  ** Alan Mikhail  
Introduction to animal studies, a field at the crossroads of environmental history, philosophy, cultural history, and science studies. Topics include the hunt, debates over vivisection, taxonomy, the zoo, gender, genomics, dogs and pedigree, and animals and war.  

**INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH AND SENIOR ESSAY COURSES**

**HIST 494a or b, Individual Writing Tutorial  ** Staff  
For students who wish, under the supervision of a member of the faculty, to investigate an area of history not covered by regular departmental offerings. The course may be used for research or for directed reading. It is normally taken only once. The emphasis of the tutorial is on writing a long essay or several short ones. To apply for admission, a student should present the following materials to the director of undergraduate studies on the Friday before schedules are due: a prospectus of the work proposed, a bibliography, and a letter of support from the member of the faculty who will direct the tutorial. A form to simplify this process is available from the office of the director of undergraduate studies.

**HIST 495a or b and 496a or b, The Senior Essay  ** Keith Wrightson  
There will be a mandatory senior essay meeting on Tuesday, September 6, 2011, in 114 SSS at 4 p.m. Preparation of the required senior departmental essay under the supervision of a member of the faculty. To assist in selection of source materials and of a topic, special library resource and method colloquia are held during the fall term. Students must attend one colloquium; those planning to start their senior essay work in January should attend in September.  

Students expecting to graduate in May enroll in HIST 495 during the fall term and complete their essays in HIST 496 in the spring term. December graduates enroll in HIST 495 in the spring term and complete their essays in HIST 496 during the following fall term. Students planning to begin their essay in the second term should notify the senior essay director by December 5, 2011. Each student majoring in History must present a completed Statement of Intention, signed by a department member who has agreed to serve as adviser, to the undergraduate History administrator in 237 HGS no later than September 12, 2011 (for HIST 495a), or January 20, 2012 (for 495b). Blank statement forms are available in 237 HGS before the end of a student’s junior year, and thereafter in the Senior Essay handbook. In addition to attending at least one library resource and method colloquium and preparing the Statement of Intention, students enrolled in HIST 495 submit to their advisers a prospectus of the essay and an annotated bibliography during the course of the term, and at least ten pages of the essay or a detailed outline of the entire project by December 5, 2011 (495a), or May 1, 2012 (495b). Those who meet these requirements receive a temporary grade of SAT, which will be changed to the grade received by the essay upon its completion. Failure to meet any requirement may result in the student’s being asked to withdraw from HIST 495.  

Students enrolled in HIST 496 must submit a completed essay to 211 HGS no later than 5 p.m. on April 2, 2012, in the spring term, or no later than 5 p.m. on December 5, 2011, in the fall term. Essays submitted after 5 p.m. will be considered as having been turned in on the following day. If the essay is submitted late without an excuse from the student’s residential college dean, the penalty is one letter grade for the first day and one-half letter grade for each of the next two days past the deadline. No essay that would
otherwise pass will be failed because it is late, but late essays will not be considered for departmental or Yale College prizes. All senior departmental essays will be judged by members of the faculty other than the adviser. In order to graduate from Yale College, a student majoring in History must achieve a passing grade on the departmental essay.

The essays should take the form of substantial articles, not longer than 12,500 words (approximately forty double-spaced typewritten pages), with the total word count given at the end of the essay. This is a maximum limit; there is no minimum requirement. Length will vary according to the topic and the historical techniques employed. Essays generally run between 10,000 and 12,500 words. The limitation on length is regarded as important because precision, clarity, and conciseness are essential to good historical writing. A brief evaluation of major sources is required. Consult the director of the senior essay course for details.

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Some graduate and professional school courses are open to qualified undergraduates with permission of the instructor and the director of graduate studies. (See chapter II, section K, for the number of such courses that students may offer toward the degree.) Course descriptions may be obtained from the office of the director of graduate studies.

History of Art

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Art history is the study of all forms of art, architecture, and visual culture in their social and historical contexts. The History of Art major can serve either as a general program in the humanities or as the groundwork for more specialized training. Unless otherwise indicated, all courses in History of Art are open to all students in Yale College.

Requirements of the major  Beginning with the Class of 2014, all majors must take two 100-level courses. Majors in the Class of 2013 and previous classes are required to take
one 100-level course. These are broad introductory surveys of the European, American, pre-Columbian, African, and Asian traditions. Prospective majors are encouraged to take the surveys as early in their course of study as possible. Students who have taken the Advanced Placement test in art history may be able to receive acceleration credit and should consult with the director of undergraduate studies. Students are also required to take two seminars in History of Art, advanced courses numbered 402–497. (HSAR 498 and 499 are not considered seminars.) All majors must take HSAR 401, Critical Approaches to Art History, during either the fall or the spring term of the junior year.

Intermediate courses, usually lecture courses, are numbered 200–399. Majors must take at least one 200-, 300-, or 400-level course in each of the following four areas: (1) African, African American, Native American, pre-Columbian, Islamic, and Asian; (2) ancient and medieval; (3) Renaissance, baroque, and eighteenth century; (4) nineteenth- and twentieth-century European and American. Students may propose an alternative distribution in the African, Asian, or pre-Columbian traditions. History of Art majors are encouraged to take a course in studio art, which may count toward the major.

On graduation, the student must have no fewer than twelve course credits in History of Art. Under certain circumstances, and only with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, two of the twelve courses may be taken in other departments. Normally, these substituted courses address subjects closely linked to art history, for instance, archaeology, history of religion, aesthetics, or visual culture. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

History of Art majors are urged to study foreign languages. Students considering graduate work should take German and another modern language (usually French or Italian). Those planning to do graduate work on the art of non-European cultures should make special arrangements about language courses with their advisers.

**Senior essay** The senior essay is a research paper written usually in one term (HSAR 499). Students choose their own topics, which may derive from research done in an earlier course. The essay is planned during the previous term in consultation with a qualified instructor or with the director of undergraduate studies. It is also possible to write a two-term senior essay, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies. Students wishing to write a two-term essay must submit a petition to the director of undergraduate studies and the prospective adviser, normally by the first week after spring break of the junior year.

**Procedures** The schedules of all majors must be approved and signed by the director of undergraduate studies. Students may consult the following members of the faculty about the major:

- BK, K. Rizvi
- BR, M. Galifman
- CC, C. Wood
- DC, E. Cooke
- TD, R. Thompson
- JE, T. Sears
- MC, A. Nemerov
- PC, D. Kleiner
- SY, M. Miller
- SM, S. Zeidler
- ES, J. Keizer
- TC, T. Barringer
REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  None
Number of courses  12 course credits
Distribution of courses  Class of 2014 and subsequent classes — 2 courses at 100 level; Class of 2013 and previous classes — 1 course at 100 level; All classes — 2 sems numbered 402–497; at least 1 course at 200, 300, or 400 level in each of 4 areas; 1 studio art course recommended
Specific course required  HSAR 401
Substitution permitted  With DUS permission, 2 related courses from other depts
Senior requirement  Senior essay (HSAR 499)

*HSAR 002a/AMST 007a, Furniture and American Life  Edward Cooke, Jr.
In-depth study and interpretation of American furniture from the past four centuries. Hands-on experience with furniture in the collection of the Yale University Art Gallery to explore such topics as materials, techniques, styles, use, and meaning. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. HU RP Fr sem

*HSAR 112a, Introduction to the History of Art: Prehistory to the Renaissance  Jacqueline Jung
Form as meaning in architecture, sculpture, and painting. Selected studies in these arts from prehistory to the Renaissance. Source readings in translation. HU

HSAR 115b, Introduction to the History of Art: Renaissance to the Present  Alexander Nemerov
Painting, sculpture, and graphic arts, with some reference to architecture. Major works and artists treated in terms of form, function, and historical context. HU

HSAR 142a, Introduction to the History of Art: The Classical Buddhist World  Mimi Yiengpruksawan
Buddhist art and architecture of India, Pakistan, Afghanistan, and Central Asia from earliest beginnings to the tenth century, and including Greco-Roman, Persian, and Islamic contact. HU

HSAR 143b, Introduction to the History of Art: Buddhist Art and Architecture to 1600  Mimi Yiengpruksawan
Buddhist art and architecture of East Asia, Southeast Asia, and Tibet from the tenth century to the early modern period. Emphasis on cross-regional engagements including the impact of Islam. HU

HSAR 216b/AMST 217b, Craft, Design, and Art: American Domestic Architecture and Decorative Arts since 1900  Edward Cooke, Jr.
A survey of American architecture and decorative arts in the twentieth century. Examination of architecture, furniture, metals, ceramics, and glass. Topics include responses to the reforms of the Arts and Crafts movement, the introduction of modernism, the survival and revival of traditional and vernacular expressions, the rise of industrial designers, the development of studio crafts, and the varieties of postmodern expression. HU

HSAR 235b/ARCG 235b/HUMS 245b/NELC 106b, The Worlds of Homer  Karen Foster
Interdisciplinary study of the artistic, literary, and cultural worlds of Homer’s Iliad and Odyssey, beginning in the Bronze Age of the Trojan War heroes and ending with the
Homeric legacy in Western civilization. Topics include Homeric myth and reality, new archaeological evidence, the emergence of Greek art and thought, and Mediterranean and Near Eastern interconnections. HU

HSAR 236a/ARGC 236a/NELC 103a, The Art of Ancient Palaces Karen Foster
Introduction to the art and architecture of palaces in ancient Egypt, Mesopotamia, and the Bronze Age Aegean. Special attention to palatial workshops (painting, sculpture, pottery, faience, glass, ivory, metal) in cultural context. Emphasis on the iconography of power, including the establishment within palatial complexes of the world’s oldest botanical and zoological gardens. HU

HSAR 250a/ARGC 170a/CLCV 170a, Roman Art: Empire, Identity, and Society Diana Kleiner
Masterpieces of Roman art from the Republic to Constantine studied in their historical and social contexts. The great Romans and the monuments they commissioned—portraits, triumphal arches, columns, and historical reliefs. The concept of empire and imperial identity, politics and portraiture, the making and unmaking of history through art, and the art of women, children, freedmen, and slaves. HU

HSAR 252b/ARGC 252b/CLCV 175b, Roman Architecture Diana Kleiner
The great buildings and engineering marvels of Rome and its empire. Study of city planning and individual monuments and their decoration, including mural painting. Emphasis on developments in Rome, Pompeii, and central Italy; survey of architecture in the provinces. HU

HSAR 266a, Introduction to Islamic Architecture, 1250–1850 Kishwar Rizvi
An introduction to the architecture of the Islamic world up to the early colonial period, c. 1850 C.E., encompassing regions of Asia, North Africa, and Europe. A variety of sources and media, from architecture to urbanism and from travelogues to paintings, are used in an attempt to understand the diversity and richness of Islamic architecture. HU

HSAR 276a, The Art of Christian Empires from Constantine to Charlemagne Robert Nelson
Late Antique art from the first beginnings of Christian art in the third century to Eastern and Western successors of the Roman Empire in the ninth century. HU

HSAR 284a, Leonardo da Vinci Joost Keizer
Overview of the paintings, drawings, and notebooks of the Renaissance artist Leonardo da Vinci; comparison of Leonardo with his contemporaries and predecessors. Leonardo’s seemingly divergent interests—creation of devotional images, research into the logic of natural disasters, design of military apparel—as an integrated project of discovery and investigation. HU

HSAR 286b, Renaissance and Baroque Sculpture Joost Keizer
The history of Italian Renaissance sculpture from 1300 to 1650. Topics include individual artists (the Pisani, Donatello, Michelangelo, Bernini); medium specificity (marble, bronze, terracotta, wood); the imitation of antique art; animation; and the nude. Field trip to the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York. HU

HSAR 306a/SAST 274a, Art and the British Empire, 1600–1997 Tim Barringer
The visual culture of the British Empire on four continents, with reference to themes such as exploration, conquest, slavery, orientalism, commerce, and settlement. Focus on
questions of race and representation. Study of original paintings, works on paper, and photographs in the Yale Center for British Art.  HU

*HSAR 310b/HUMS 270b, Futurism: The Shock of the New  Amerigo Fabbri
For description see under Humanities.

*HSAR 318b, Global Nineteenth-Century Art  Tim Barringer
Art and visual culture across Europe and North America during the long nineteenth century, in the context of international trade and global cultural interaction. Themes include empire and imperialism; responses and resistance in Asia, Africa, the Caribbean, the Americas, the Pacific, and Australasia to European incursions and European art-making. Focus on painting and photography, with attention to sculpture and the plastic arts.  HU

HSAR 320b, Western Art since 1950  David Joselit
A survey of major American and European art movements after World War II, including abstract expressionism, pop art, and conceptual art, which has led to wholly new ways of understanding the art object. Consideration of very recent art from the early twenty-first century.  HU

HSAR 323a, Early Twentieth-Century Art  Sebastian Zeidler
Modern art in Europe and America, c. 1880–1945. Topics include individual artists (Rodin, Brancusi), historical avant-gardes (Dadaism, surrealism), the transformation of traditional media such as painting and sculpture, and the invention of collage and photomontage.  HU

HSAR 324a/FILM 334a, Art and Industry in Contemporary Hollywood  J. D. Connor
Changes in Hollywood narrative, form, and industrial structure from 1975 to the present. Ways in which media conglomeration and technologies such as video and digitalization affect genre and style. Films include Jaws, Top Gun, Clueless, Twilight, Tootsie, Gladiator, Titanic, and Beauty and the Beast.  HU

HSAR 325b/FILM 335b, Classical Hollywood: Art and Industry  J. D. Connor
Classical Hollywood studios as factories of aesthetic achievement and cultural dominance. Challenges to studios, including technical (the coming of sound, color, and widescreen), industrial (the production code, antitrust litigation, and the blacklist), and cultural (the Depression, World War II, and the rise of television). Landmark films from The Jazz Singer and Citizen Kane to Casablanca and Rebel without a Cause.  HU

HSAR 326a/EVST 326a, Contemporary Art and the Environment  Andrea Rager
The mid-twentieth-century convergence of a nascent environmental movement and a dramatic shift in artistic practice, giving rise to a field rooted in the Earth as both subject and medium. The development of phenomenological artistic expression tied to the land; potential for this field to invoke issues of national identity, gender, urbanization, colonialism, and the accessibility of public space. The growth of an art of explicitly ecological protest; issues of sustainability, counter-globalization, climate change, and land reclamation.  HU

HSAR 345a, Nineteenth-Century Photography  Carol Armstrong
The beginnings of photography in the nineteenth century; developments in the medium in England, France, and the United States. Forms, functions, and genres of the early photograph, including scientific specimen, book illustration, portrait, tableau, and work of art.  HU
HSAR 346b, Twentieth-Century Photography  Carol Armstrong
The history of photography during the twentieth century. Technological advances such as hand-held cameras with spooled film, the half-tone method of photographic reproduction, and digital images. Photography in mass print culture and in museums; the rise of cinema; divisions between amateur and professional photographers; the challenge to painting as the dominant image form.  

HSAR 373a/AFAM 189a, African American Art: Colonial Period to 1941  Erica James
The history of African American representation and artistic production in the United States from the colonial period through the prewar years. A comprehensive overview of this art in relation to mainline discourses of American art, and in the context of American economic, cultural, social, and political histories. Black creative expression traced from the context of slavery through the Harlem Renaissance.  

HSAR 374b/AFAM 190b, African American Art: 1941 to the Present  Erica James
The second half of a yearlong survey of African American art, representation, and artistic production. Mapping of movements that challenged and expanded early parameters for, and expectations of, black art and representation since World War II.  

HSAR 375b/AFAM 183b, Afro-Modernism in the Twentieth Century  Kobena Mercer
Introductory survey of African American, Caribbean, and black British artists in the context of modernism and postmodernism. Cross-cultural dynamics in the aesthetics and politics of race and representation.  

HSAR 378b/AFAM 178b/AFST 188b, From West Africa to the Black Americas:  
The Black Atlantic Visual Tradition  Robert Thompson
Art, music, and dance in the history of key classical civilizations south of the Sahara—Mali, Asante, Dahomey, Yorùbá, Ejagham, Kongo—and their impact on New World art and music, especially rock, blues, North American black painting of the past ten years, and black artists of Cuba, Haiti, and Brazil.  

HSAR 379a/AFAM 112a, New York Mambo: Microcosm of Black Creativity  Robert Thompson

HSAR 383a/SAST 256a, Art of India, 300 B.C.–A.D. 1650  Tamara Sears
Introduction to the art and architectural history of the Indian subcontinent from the rise of the Mauryan Empire to the building of the Taj Mahal. The development of early Buddhist and Jain art and of Hindu temples and icons; the efflorescence of Islamic visual culture under the Mughal Empire.  

*HSAR 401a or b, Critical Approaches to Art History  David Joselit [F], Kishwar Rizvi [Sp]  
A wide-ranging introduction to the methods of the art historian and the history of the discipline. Themes include connoisseurship, iconography, formalism, and selected methodologies informed by contemporary theory.
*HSAR 424b/ARCG 424b/CLCV 230b, eClavdia: Women in Ancient Rome*  
Diana Kleiner  
The contributions of Roman women to one of the greatest cities— and one of the greatest empires—in world history. Lost stories of real-life Roman women recovered from public and residential buildings, portraits, paintings, and other works of Roman art and architecture.  
HU RP

*HSAR 452a/HUMS 454a/MUSI 230a, Art and Music in Venice*  
Robert Nelson, Ellen Rosand  
For description see under Humanities.

*HSAR 470a/AFAM 291a, Pop Art and African American Culture*  
Kobena Mercer  
Pop art strategies among African American artists who contributed a critique of the modernist canon from the 1950s to present. Critical uses of vernacular materials are studied in view of postmodern theories of art and popular culture.  
HU

*HSAR 473b/AFAM 290b, Caribbean Art History*  
Erica James  
Art and art histories from the English, French, Dutch, and Spanish Caribbean. Issues of race, culture, identity, and aesthetics.  
HU

*HSAR 490b/FILM 320b, Close Analysis of Film*  
J. D. Connor  
For description see under Film Studies.

*HSAR 495b, Cubism*  
Sebastian Zeidler  
A detailed visual exploration of Picasso and Braque’s cubism through all its stages, followed by a select survey of avant-garde art inspired by it (Marcel Duchamp, Dada in Berlin, Kurt Schwitters). Work that Picasso and Braque produced in the aftermath of cubism.  
HU

*HSAR 496a, Art of the Surrealist Avant-Garde*  
Sebastian Zeidler  
The major figures of the French surrealist movement, c. 1924–25, including all visual media—painting, sculpture, photography, collage, frottage, the “exquisite corpse,” and the “found object.” Topics include surrealism and psychoanalysis; primitivism; eroticism and the construction of gender; and the art-theoretical schism between Breton and Bataille, the movement’s preeminent thinkers.  
HU

*HSAR 498a or b, Independent Tutorial*  
Mimi Yiengpruksawan  
For students who wish to pursue a subject in the history of art not otherwise covered by departmental offerings. May be used for research or directed reading under faculty supervision. A term paper or its equivalent and regular meetings with the adviser are required. To apply for admission, a student should present a prospectus and a bibliography, signed by the adviser, to the director of undergraduate studies. Enrollment limited to History of Art majors.

*HSAR 499a or b, The Senior Essay*  
Mimi Yiengpruksawan  
Preparation of a research paper about thirty pages long under the direction of a qualified instructor. The essay is written in either the fall or the spring term of the senior year, though preferably in the fall term. Students write on subjects of their own choice. During the term before the essay is written, students plan the project in consultation with a qualified instructor or with the director of undergraduate studies. No student is permitted to enroll in HSAR 499 without submitting a project statement, with the formal title of the essay and a brief description of the subject to be treated. The statement must be signed
by the student’s adviser and presented to the director of undergraduate studies before the student’s schedule can be approved.

The student must submit a suitable project outline and bibliography to the adviser and the director of undergraduate studies early in the term. The outline should indicate the focus and scope of the essay topic, as well as the proposed research methodology; the bibliography should be annotated. Students must also complete a library research colloquium for the senior essay. For essays submitted in the fall term, the deadline for the outline is September 16; for those in the spring term, January 20. Senior essays written in the fall term are due on December 2; those in the spring term on April 23. Two copies must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies. Failure to comply with any deadline will be penalized by a lower final grade. No late essay will be considered for a prize in the department.

Permission may be given to write a two-term essay after consultation with an adviser and the director of undergraduate studies. Only those who have begun to do advanced work in a given area and whose project is considered to be of exceptional promise are eligible. The requirements for the one-term senior essay apply to the two-term essay, except that the essay should be from fifty to sixty pages in length.

GRADUATE COURSES

Courses in the Graduate School are open to undergraduates with permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies. Course descriptions are available in the History of Art office in the Jeffrey Loria Center, 190 York Street.

History of Science, History of Medicine

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF HISTORY OF SCIENCE, HISTORY OF MEDICINE

Professors Dimitri Gutas (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations), Daniel Kevles, Jennifer Klein (History), Joanne Meyerowitz (History), David Musto, Cynthia Russett (History), Frank Snowden (History), John Warner

Associate Professor Naomi Rogers

Assistant Professors Paola Bertucci, Mariola Espinosa, William Rankin, Bruno Strasser

Senior Lecturer Bettyann Kevles

Lecturers Sherwin Nuland, William Summers, Rebecca Tannenbaum (History)

History of Science, History of Medicine is an interdisciplinary program of studies leading toward an understanding of the development of science and medicine and their impact on society. It explores intellectual and cultural traditions, institutions, techniques, and practices; the social uses of science and medicine; the creation of science-based technologies; and the relations of science, medicine, and public health to the state. The program offers
students considering a career in medicine, public health, or other fields of health care a way of combining the requirements of their preprofessional training with a broad liberal education. It also provides excellent preparation for many other careers in which a contextualized understanding of science and medicine is essential, including areas of law, industry, journalism, museum work, public policy, and government.

The major in History of Science, History of Medicine requires completion of thirteen courses in addition to the prerequisites. The thirteen courses must form a coherent whole, designed in consultation with the Adviser for the major. The prerequisites for the major are two term courses in science, with two terms of laboratory work, and one course chosen from MATH 112 or STAT 101–106 or equivalent. Beyond the prerequisites, the program requires four term courses in History of Science, History of Medicine; one junior seminar in HSHM; a second junior seminar in either History or HSHM; one term course in science at an intermediate level; and four additional courses. These additional courses may be drawn from history, the natural and social sciences, and other areas such as medical anthropology, bioethics, philosophy of science, and medical sociology. Beginning with the Class of 2013, courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major. Students also write a senior essay for two course credits taken as HSHM 490, 491. See under History in the text above for details of preregistration for junior seminars; see under HSHM 490, 491 for senior essay requirements.

Library orientation  All majors are required to complete a ninety–minute introductory research session for historians by the end of the third week of the junior year. Several library orientation sessions are offered at the beginning of each term. Students are strongly encouraged to take this class during their sophomore year; indeed, sophomores who have not taken the library orientation before the end of February will not be permitted to preregister for the following year’s junior seminars. Students may offer no substitutions for this orientation. Students should register on the Web at www.library.yale.edu/instruction/hist.

    Majors are also required to take a library research colloquium for the senior essay in the fall term of the senior year. Those planning to begin work on their senior essay in January should attend the colloquium in the previous September. Students should register for the colloquium at www.library.yale.edu/instruction/hist.

    The undergraduate major is administered by the Department of History in cooperation with the Section of the History of Medicine in the School of Medicine. Questions about the History of Science, History of Medicine major should be directed to the Adviser for the major.

Requirements of the Major

Prerequisites  MATH 112 or 1 term from STAT 101–106 or equivalent; 2 term courses in science with 2 terms of lab

Number of courses  13 courses beyond prereqs (incl senior essay)

Distribution of courses  4 courses in HSHM; 1 intermediate science course; 1 HSHM junior sem; 1 addtl junior sem in either HSHM or History; 4 addtl courses

Other  Library orientation

Senior requirement  Senior essay (HSHM 490, 491) and library research colloquium
HSHM 005a/HIST 006a, Medicine and Society in American History
Rebecca Tannenbaum
For description see under History.

HSHM 008a/HUMS 090a, History of Scientific Medicine
Sherwin Nuland
The development of scientific medicine traced from classical antiquity to the dawning of the modern biomedical era. Focus on the biographies of major contributors and on cultural and intellectual currents affecting discovery. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. HU RP Fr sem

HSHM 201b/HIST 233b, The Cultures of Western Medicine: A Historical Introduction
Sally Romano
A survey of medical thought, practice, institutions, and practitioners from classical antiquity to the present. Changing concepts of health and disease in Europe and America explored in their social, cultural, economic, scientific, technological, and ethical contexts. HU

HSHM 202a/AMST 247a/HIST 147a/HLTH 170a, Media and Medicine in Modern America
John Warner, Gretchen Berland
Relationships between medicine, health, and the media in the United States from 1870 to the present. The changing role of the media in shaping conceptions of the body, creating new diseases, influencing health and health policy, crafting the image of the medical profession, informing expectations of medicine and constructions of citizenship, and the medicalization of American life. HU

HSHM 206b/AMST 176b/EVST 206b/HIST 144b/HUMS 323b, Science and Technology in the United States
Daniel Kevles
The development of science and technology in American society from the colonial period through the late twentieth century. The rise of the United States to world-class scientific and technological power; the American scientific community and the tensions it has faced in a democratic society; the role of science and technology in exploration, agriculture, industry, national defense, religion, culture, and social change. HU

HSHM 211a/HIST 143a, Catastrophe and the Earth Sciences since 1850
William Rankin
The geological, atmospheric, and environmental sciences, from national resource surveys to global warming. Paradigmatic examples of planetary catastrophe debates involving the history and future of the Earth, the exploitation and conservation of resources, predicting and influencing the weather, and the Earth as home. Themes include debates between science and religion, the role of science in government, oceanic and international cooperation, and the social-political importance of prediction, modeling, and incomplete evidence. HU

HSHM 226b/HIST 236b/HUMS 342b, Nature, Art, and Science in Early Modern Europe
Paola Bertucci
The changing relationship between the natural world and the arts from Leonardo to Newton. Topics include the scientific revolution, Renaissance anatomy and astronomy, and alchemy and natural history. HU

HSHM 235a/HIST 234a, Epidemics and Society in the West since 1600
Frank Snowden
For description see under History.
*HSHM 422b/HIST 140Jb, Cartography, Territory, and Identity  William Rankin
Exploration of how maps shape assumptions about territory, land, sovereignty, and identity. The relationship between scientific cartography and conquest, the geography of statecraft, religious cartographies, encounters between Western and non-Western cultures, and reactions to cartographic objectivity. Students make their own maps. No previous experience in cartography or graphic design required.  WR, HU

*HSHM 437a/HIST 435Ja, The Global Crisis of Malaria  Frank Snowden
The global crisis of malaria examined in comparative and historical context. The mosquito theory of transmission and other developments in scientific understanding of the disease; World Health Organization strategies to eradicate malaria since 1955; the development of tools such as insecticides, medication, and bed nets; the attempt to create an effective vaccine.  WR, HU

*HSHM 448b/HIST 151Jb/WGSS 448b, American Medicine and the Cold War  Naomi Rogers
The social, cultural, and political history of American medicine from 1945 to 1960. The defeat of national health insurance; racism in health care; patient activism; the role of gender in defining medical professionalism and family health; the rise of atomic medicine; McCarthyism in medicine; and the polio vaccine trials and the making of science journalism.  WR, HU

*HSHM 462b/HIST 141Jb/THST 394b, Science and Drama  Bettyann Kevles
For description see Under History.

*HSHM 470a and 471b, Directed Reading  Steven Pincus
Readings directed by members of the faculty in selected topics in the history of science or the history of medicine. Subjects depend on the interests of students and faculty. Weekly conferences; required papers.

*HSHM 490a or b and 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Steven Pincus
There will be a mandatory senior essay meeting on Tuesday, September 6, 2011, at a time and location to be announced.

Research and writing of the required senior essay under the supervision of HSHM or History faculty. To assist in selection of source materials and of a topic, special library resource and methods colloquia are held during the fall term. Students must attend one colloquium; those planning to start their senior essay work in January should attend in September. Students expecting to graduate in May enroll in HSHM 490 during the fall term and complete their essays in HSHM 491 in the spring term. December graduates enroll in HSHM 490 in the spring term and complete their essays in HSHM 491 during the following fall term. Students planning to begin their essay in the second term should notify the senior essay director by December 5, 2011. Each student majoring in HSHM must submit a completed Statement of Intention form signed by the faculty member who has agreed to supervise the essay to the HSHM administrator in 207 HGS no later than September 12, 2011 (for HSHM 490a), or January 20, 2012 (for HSHM 490b). Blank statement forms are available in 207 HGS and in the HSHM Senior Essay Handbook.

Students enrolled in HSHM 490 must submit to their advisers a prospectus, an annotated bibliography, and at least ten pages of the essay or a detailed outline of the entire project by December 5, 2011 (490a), or May 1, 2012 (490b). Those who meet these
requirements receive a temporary grade of SAT, which will be changed to the grade received for the final essay. Failure to meet any requirement may result in the student’s being asked to withdraw from HSHM 490.

Students enrolled in HSHM 491 must submit a completed senior essay to 211 HGS no later than 5 p.m. on April 2, 2012, in the spring term, or no later than 5 p.m. on December 5, 2011, in the fall term. Essays submitted after 5 p.m. on the due date will be subject to grade penalties. In order to graduate from Yale College, a student majoring in HSHM must receive a passing grade on the senior essay. The essay should take the form of a substantial article (approximately 12,500 words or forty double-spaced typewritten pages). Please note that 12,500 words is the maximum word limit; there is no minimum requirement. The limitation on length is regarded as important because precision, clarity, and conciseness are essential to good historical writing. More details about the senior essay requirement are available in the HSHM Senior Essay Handbook.

**Humanities**

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**FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF HUMANITIES**

**Professors** Jeffrey Alexander (Sociology), Dudley Andrew (Film Studies, Comparative Literature), R. Howard Bloch (French), Harold Bloom (Humanities), Rüdiger Campe (German), Francesco Casetti (Humanities), John Darnell (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations), Stephen Davis (Religious Studies), Carlos Eire (History, Religious Studies), Michael Fischer (Computer Science), Benjamin Foster (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations), Roberta Frank (English, Linguistics), Paul Freedman (History), Bryan Garsten (Political Science), David Gelernter (Computer Science), Phyllis Granoff (Religious Studies), Beatrice Gruendler (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations), Karsten Harries (Philosophy), Christine Hayes (Religious Studies), Carol Jacobs (German), Edward Kamens (East Asian Languages & Literatures), Alice Kaplan (French), Daniel Kevles (History, American Studies, History of Medicine), John MacKay (Slavic Languages & Literatures), Joseph Manning (Classics, History), Ivan Marcus (History, Religious Studies), Millicent Marcus (Italian), María Rosa Menocal (Humanities), Robert Nelson (History of Art), Leon Plantinga (Emeritus) (Music), Richard Prum (Ecology & Evolutionary Biology), Ellen Rosand (Music), Maurice Samuels (French), William Sledge (School of Medicine), Philip Smith (Sociology), Steven Smith (Political Science), William Summers (Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry), Henry Sussman (German), Gary Tomlinson (Music, Humanities), Katie Trumpener (Comparative Literature, English), Harvey Weiss (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations, Anthropology), Anders Winroth (History), Craig Wright (Music)

**Associate Professors** Shannon Craig-Snell (Religious Studies), Kirk Wetters (German), Yue Zhuo (French)

**Assistant Professors** Paul North (German), Irene Peirano (Classics), Barbara Sattler (Philosophy, Classics), Marci Shore (History), Eliyahu Stern (Judaic Studies, Religious Studies, History)
Senior Lecturers  Charles Hill (Global Affairs), Jane Levin (Humanities), Koichi Shinohara (Religious Studies, East Asian Studies), Norma Thompson (Humanities)

Lecturers  Edward Barnaby (Comparative Literature), Scott Edgar (Philosophy), Amerigo Fabbri (Humanities), Hilary Fink (Slavic Languages & Literatures), Karen Foster (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations), Mia Genoni (Humanities), Gwenda-lin Grewal (Humanities), Veronika Grimm (Classics, History), Liora Halperin (Judaic Studies), Virginia Jewiss (Humanities), Jonathan Kaplan (Judaic Studies), Demetra Kasimis (Humanities), Matthew McCarty (Humanities), Sherwin Nuland (Yale College), Pamela Schirmeister (Comparative Literature, Humanities), Kathryn Slanski (Humanities, Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations), George Syrimis (Hellenic Studies)

Senior Lector II  Risa Sodi (Italian)

Lector  Maria Kaliambou (European Studies)

The interdisciplinary program in Humanities is designed to contribute to an integrated understanding of the Western cultural tradition. Selected works of European literature, music, philosophy, and visual arts are studied in relation to each other and to the history of ideas and political institutions. The varied program of study offers many options for students in all years interested in interdisciplinary and broad-based work in the humanities, from special seminars for freshmen to the Franke and Shulman Seminars for senior majors. Most courses are open to nonmajors.

The major in Humanities offers three areas of concentration: the arts in the humanities, intellectual history, and the West and its encounters. The major is intended to emphasize breadth and interdisciplinary effort without sacrificing depth. It brings together traditional disciplines in the humanities such as history, literature, history of art, philosophy, and history of music in a manner that is both broadly based and intensively rigorous.

Prerequisite  There is a prerequisite in ancient civilization, which can be satisfied by Directed Studies or by two courses in classical civilization or in ancient Near Eastern civilization.

Requirements of the major  In addition to the prerequisite, thirteen term courses are required for the major, including two core seminars in one of the areas of concentration; any five Humanities electives (including Franke and Shulman Seminars), with at least one in each of the three areas of concentration; five additional electives selected to complement the student’s area of concentration, with approval of the director of undergraduate studies; and the senior essay, normally written in the spring term of the senior year. Majors in Humanities are strongly encouraged to enroll in at least one term course in literature in a foreign language. Students are expected to declare their intent to major in Humanities in a meeting with the director of undergraduate studies before their junior year.

Core courses  Two core seminars must be selected from one area of specialization: the arts in the humanities, intellectual history, or the West and its encounters. All seminars listed under these subheads are core seminars.

The Franke Seminar and the Shulman Seminar  Sponsored by the Whitney Humanities Center and designed to speak across disciplinary lines to broad public and intellectual issues, both the Franke Seminar and the Shulman Seminar include a series of coordinated
public lectures. The seminars are for enrolled students; the lecture series is open to the Yale and local communities. Humanities majors may enroll in a Franke or a Shulman Seminar with permission of the director of undergraduate studies and the instructor.

**Summer program in Rome**  Humanities majors who take the spring-term course HUMS 444, The City of Rome, and develop individual research topics to be pursued in Rome may apply for enrollment in a two-credit summer course offered by Yale Summer Session. Museums, archaeological sites, churches, piazzas, libraries, and the city itself are part of the classroom for the summer course, which addresses key issues relevant to all three areas of concentration in the Humanities major. Further information is available on the Web at www.yale.edu/humanities/summer.html and www.yale.edu/summer.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisite**  Directed Studies, or 2 courses in classical civ or ancient Near Eastern civ

**Number of courses**  13 term courses beyond prereq (incl senior essay)

**Distribution of courses**  2 core sems in 1 area of concentration; 5 Humanities electives, at least 1 in each of 3 areas of concentration; 5 addtl electives

**Senior requirement**  Senior essay (HUMS 491)

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**Seminars for Freshmen**

The seminars in this group are designed for freshmen who are interested in the Humanities program but are not enrolled in Directed Studies. Enrollment in each seminar is limited to 18.

* **HUMS 076a, Epidemics in Global Perspective**  William Summers
  Interaction of epidemic diseases and society. The response of government, medicine, and the public to the threat or actual presence of widespread contagious diseases. The notion of major epidemics as one of the key contingencies of history, critically examined through contemporary medical, political, and literary accounts. The changing responses of societies and governments to epidemics as well as the reasons for those responses. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  
  HU, SO  Fr sem

* **HUMS 080a/HIST 008a/RLST 001a, Essential Heresies**  Carlos Eire
  For description see under History.

* **HUMS 090a/HSHM 008a, History of Scientific Medicine**  Sherwin Nuland
  For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

* **HUMS 093b/MUSI 024b, The Beatles, Dylan, and the 1960s**  Gary Tomlinson
  A musical and cultural analysis of the achievements and impact of the Beatles and Bob Dylan in the 1960s. Roots in American popular culture of the 1950s; the Beatles and postwar Britain; the influence of Dylan and the Beatles on each other; new musical styles and new roles for musical style itself; the shaping of youth culture by mass media. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  
  HU  Fr sem

* **HUMS 094b/JDST 015b/RLST 002b, Abraham and the Abrahamic Religions**  Jonathan Kaplan
  For description see under Judaic Studies.
THE ARTS IN THE HUMANITIES

*HUMS 200b, Treasures of Yale  R. Howard Bloch
Objects in Yale collections explored as a means of understanding the history, limits, and relation of academic disciplines, and of discovering underutilized materials with the senior thesis in mind. Resources include the Yale Art Gallery, Yale Center for British Art, Beinecke Library, Sterling Library, libraries at the School of Medicine, the Peabody Museum, and the Collection of Musical Instruments.  HU

*HUMS 201a/FREN 240a/LITR 214a, The Modern French Novel  Alice Kaplan, Maurice Samuels
For description see under French.

HUMS 202b/RUSS 257b, Chekhov  John MacKay
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*HUMS 203b/RUSS 253b, Masterpieces of Russian Literature II  Hilary Fink
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*HUMS 204b/FREN 355b/LITR 234b, Camus and the Postwar Era  Alice Kaplan
For description see under French.

*HUMS 209b/ENGL 377b/THST 377b, Problem Plays  Murray Biggs
For description see under Theater Studies.

*HUMS 213a/CLCV 209a/LITR 230a/MGRK 215a, Nikos Kazantzakis: From Revolution to Nihilism  George Syrimis
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

*HUMS 214b/CLCV 216b/LITR 226b/MGRK 216b, Dionysus in Modernity  George Syrimis
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

*HUMS 215a/MUSI 243a, Opera  Gary Tomlinson
For description see under Music.

HUMS 216a/FILM 312a/LITR 354a, Theory of Media  Francesco Casetti
For description see under Film Studies.

*HUMS 217b/MUSI 107b, Exploring the Nature of Genius  Craig Wright
For description see under Music.

*HUMS 219a, Shakespeare: Four Late Masterworks  Harold Bloom
A close study of King Lear, Macbeth, The Winter’s Tale, and The Tempest.  HU

*HUMS 222a, Whitman, Dickinson, Stevens, Hart Crane  Harold Bloom
A close reading of four major American poets, with Emerson’s prose included as a starting point.  HU

*HUMS 226a, Classical to Romantic Epic  Jane Levin
The epic as it has been used in different times and countries to express ideas about the hero, the divine, nature, and art. Poets and poems include Homer, Vergil, Beowulf, Milton, Pope, Wordsworth, and Whitman.  HU
*HUMS 231b/MUSI 435b, Music in European Thought: Three Moments in the Modern Era  Leon Plantinga
An inquiry into the role of music and thought about music at three critical junctures in the intellectual and cultural history of modern Europe: the birth of modernity and opera; the Enlightenment and the classical style; and German romanticism and Beethoven.  HU

HUMS 233b/CLCV 232b/HIST 208b, Food and Diet in Greco-Roman Antiquity
Veronika Grimm
For description see under Classics.

*HUMS 241a/FREN 210a/LITR 190a, Renaissance of the Middle Ages
R. Howard Bloch
A study of the major literary, intellectual, and visual forms of the High Middle Ages.  HU

HUMS 245b/ARCG 235b/HSAR 235bNELC 106b, The Worlds of Homer
Karen Foster
For description see under History of Art.

*HUMS 246a/ENGL 321a/LITR 357a, Visual Culture in Literature, Drama, and Film
Edward Barnaby
For description see under Literature.

*HUMS 247b/SOCY 352b, Material Culture and Iconic Consciousness
Jeffrey Alexander
For description see under Sociology.

HUMS 255b/LITR 314b/PHIL 335b, Art, Love, and Beauty  Karsten Harries
For description see under Philosophy.

HUMS 259a/PHIL 332a, Aesthetics — Sensuality and Rationality
Barbara Sattler
For description see under Philosophy.

*HUMS 261a/GMST 365a/LITR 468a, The Question of Form
Carol Jacobs
For description see under Literature.

*HUMS 262a/GMST 308a/LITR 466a, W. G. Sebald  Carol Jacobs
For description see under German Studies.

*HUMS 270b/HSAR 310b, Futurism: The Shock of the New
Amerigo Fabbri
Cultural and intellectual shifts in literature, philosophy, and the arts at the end of the nineteenth century, marking the rise of modernism. Futurism, surrealism, and other avant-garde movements that transformed into art the dramatic challenges of a new technological and psychological reality.  HU

*HUMS 272b/GMST 294b, Confidence Games: Fakes, Frauds, and Counterfeits
Kirk Wetters
For description see under German Studies.
**HUMS 277b/GMST 212b/LITR 328b/MGRK 212b, Folktales and Fairy Tales**  
Maria Kaliambou  
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

**HUMS 292a/EP&E 366a/PHIL 456a, Freedom of Expression**  
Jonathan Gilmore  
For description see under Philosophy.

**HUMS 297a/ITAL 205a/LITR 337a, Italian Food and Literature**  
Risa Sodi  
For description see under Italian.

**INTELLECTUAL HISTORY**

**HUMS 299a, Rhetoric and Political Order**  
Norma Thompson  
A study of rhetoric as an indispensable element of politics. Rhetorical perceptions of the sophist Gorgias and the philosophers Plato and Aristotle; foundations of modern rhetoric in Machiavelli, Jane Austen, and Abraham Lincoln; and contemporary rhetorics of social science, natural science, and the humanities. **HU**

**HUMS 300b, Oratory in Statecraft**  
Charles Hill  
A seminar and practicum in oratory, the first tool of leadership. A study of oratory as it provides direction, builds support, and drives action on a strategic agenda. Analysis of speeches in antiquity, the early modern era, and the unique American voice: Edwards to Lincoln to King. **HU**

**HUMS 301a/CLCV 119a/LITR 165a, The Invention of the Classic**  
Irene Peirano  
For description see under Classics.

**HUMS 302b/PLSC 290b/SOCY 151b, Foundations of Modern Social Theory**  
Sadia Saeed  
For description see under Sociology.

**HUMS 303b/CLCV 117b/ER&M 302b, Citizenship in Classical Athens**  
Demetra Kasimis  
Athenian critics on the democracy’s entanglement with immigration and its meanings for citizenship. Topics include reasons for the issue’s erasure from the fields of political theory and classics, bloodright, secrecy, and founding myths of exceptionalism. **HU**

**HUMS 309b, Evidence in Humanistic Inquiry**  
Norma Thompson, Mia Genoni  
Study of observation and judgment as the critical tools of humanistic inquiry. Textual exegesis of historical, philosophical, rhetorical, and literary works; visual analysis of paintings, prints, sculpture, architecture, and mixed media. Ways in which humans see, evaluate, and understand. **HU**

**HUMS 313a/CLCV 219a/RLST 178a, Conflict and Discourse in Roman Religion**  
Matthew McCarty  
The role of conflict and exchange in shaping religious ideas, practices, and identities in the ancient Mediterranean and Europe, 50 B.C.—A.D. 400. Topics include imperialism, pilgrimage, mystery religions, Judaism, the formation of early Christianity, and the limitations of textual, archaeological, and art historical evidence. **HU**
HUMS 316a/RLST 163a\(^6\), Reason, Faith, and Feeling: Early Modern Christian Thought  
Shannon Craigo-Snell  
For description see under Religious Studies.

HUMS 317b/RLST 164b\(^6\), History, Hope, and the Self: Modern Christian Thought  
Shannon Craigo-Snell  
For description see under Religious Studies.

HUMS 318a/PLSC 331a, Ancient Political Philosophy  
Bryan Garsten, Steven Smith  
For description see under Political Science.

HUMS 319b/PLSC 294b, Modern Political Philosophy  
Steven Smith, Bryan Garsten  
For description see under Political Science.

HUMS 323b/AMST 176b/EVST 206b/HIST 144b/HSHM 206b, Science and Technology in the United States  
Daniel Kevles  
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

*HUMS 327a/RLST 206a\(^6\), Secularism from the Enlightenment to the Present  
Eliyahu Stern  
For description see under Religious Studies.

*HUMS 328b, Thinking of Death  
Gwenda-lin Grewal  
The connection between death, thinking, and madness, as explored through the suicide of Sophocles’ Antigone, Socratic philosophy in Plato’s *Phaedo*, the bodiless musings of Rousseau’s *Reveries of the Solitary Walker*, and the empty argumentation of Plato’s *Euthydemus*.  
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*HUMS 330a/HIST 236Ja, Phenomenology and Biography  
Marci Shore  
For description see under History.

*HUMS 331b/HIST 235Jb, Existentialism and Dissent  
Marci Shore  
For description see under History.

HUMS 335a/SOCY 202a\(^6\), Cultural Sociology  
Jeffrey Alexander, Philip Smith  
For description see under Sociology.

HUMS 338b/ARCG 163b/CPSC 163b/NELC 163b, From Pictograph to Pixel: Changing Ways of Human Communication  
John Darnell and staff  
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

HUMS 342b/HIST 236b/HSHM 226b, Nature, Art, and Science in Early Modern Europe  
Paola Bertucci  
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

*HUMS 343b/CLCV 488b\(^6\)/PHIL 401b\(^6\), Ancient Philosophy of Science  
Barbara Sattler  
For description see under Philosophy.

HUMS 344b/GMST 185b/LITR 204b, Ideology, Religion, and Revolution in German Thought  
Henry Sussman  
For description see under German Studies.
HUMS 349a/JDST 110a/RLST 145a, The Bible  Christine Hayes
For description see under Religious Studies.

*HUMS 354a/ENGL 276a, Ways of Knowing in Nineteenth-Century American Literature  Pamela Schirmeister
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*HUMS 357a, The Idea of Freedom  Charles Hill
History’s most dynamic idea through the lenses of theology, philosophy, politics, psychology, poetry, art, and music at turning points and in current crises. Texts range from the book of Exodus to Emerson’s essays; events extend from Marathon to Emancipation; societies span classical China to the Middle East today.  HU

*HUMS 361b/ENGL 249b/LITR 202b, English Literature and the French Revolution  David Bromwich
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*HUMS 362a/FREN 397a/LITR 212a, French Theory from Sartre to Derrida  Yue Zhuo
For description see under French.

HUMS 364a/PHIL 327a, Existentialism  Scott Edgar
For description see under Philosophy.

HUMS 375b/FILM 333b/LITR 351b, Early Film Theory and Modernity  Francesco Casetti
For description see under Film Studies.

HUMS 381b/HIST 211b, The Birth of Europe, 1000–1500  Anders Winroth
For description see under History.

*HUMS 400a/GMST 182a/LITR 346a, Legacies of the Enlightenment  Kirk Wetters
For description see under German Studies.

HUMS 407a/CPSC 150a, Computer Science and the Modern Intellectual Agenda  David Gelernter
For description see under Computer Science.

THE WEST AND ITS ENCOUNTERS

*HUMS 418a/EALL 202a/RLST 130a/SAST 367a, Traditional Literature of India, China, and Japan  Koichi Shinohara, Phyllis Granoff
Introduction to literary works that shaped the great civilizations of Asia. Focus on traditional literature from India, China, and Japan. Readings range from religious and philosophical texts to literature of the court, poetry, drama, and epics.  HU

HUMS 420a/LITR 178a/MMES 201a/NELC 156a, Classics of the Arabic-Islamic World  Beatrice Gruendler
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.
HUMS 431a/JAPN 200a/LITR 175a, Japan’s Classics in Text and Image  Edward Kamens
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

HUMS 432b/SPAN 328b, Medieval Spain: Crossroads of Western Culture
María Rosa Menocal
An interdisciplinary overview of medieval Spanish culture, focusing on a series of literary, cultural, and religious intersections that helped shape European culture. Topics include the framed tale narrative tradition and the lyric song revolution; the translation movement and scientific and philosophical innovations; and pilgrimage routes and epic encounters.  HU

*HUMS 433b/CLCV 109b/NELC 240b, Law in the Ancient World  Kathryn Slanski, Joseph Manning
Comparison of institutions and procedures that characterize law and justice in the civilizations of ancient Egypt and Mesopotamia, with reference to biblical and Athenian legal tradition. Topics include law and legal codes, trial procedures, law and the legitimacy of the state, the image of justice in art and literature, and royal decrees.  HU

*HUMS 434a/CLCV 113a/NELC 230a, Mesopotamia’s Literary Legacy  Kathryn Slanski
Major works of ancient Near Eastern literature; relationships with literary traditions in the Hebrew Bible and ancient Greece. Readings include myths, epics, wisdom literature, love poetry, and humorous stories.  HU

HUMS 439b, The Early Middle Ages, 284–1000  Staff
Major developments in the political, social, and religious history of western Europe from the accession of Diocletian to the feudal transformation. Topics include the conversion of Europe to Christianity, the fall of the Roman Empire, the rise of Islam and the Arabs, the “Dark Ages,” Charlemagne and the Carolingian renaissance, and the Viking and Hungarian invasions.  HU

HUMS 440a/MMES 102a/NELC 102a, Introduction to the Middle East  Benjamin Foster
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*HUMS 443a/HIST 232a/JDST 270a/MMES 342a/RLST 201a, Medieval Jews, Christians, and Muslims Imagining Each Other  Ivan Marcus
For description see under History.

HUMS 444b, The City of Rome  Virginia Jewiss
An interdisciplinary study of Rome from its legendary origins through its evolving presence at the crossroads of Europe and the world. Exploration of the city’s rich interweaving of history, theology, literature, philosophy, and the arts in significant moments of Roman and world history.  HU (Formerly HUMS 396)

[HUMS 445a/ANTH 150a/ARCG 100a/NELC 100a, The Genesis and Collapse of Old World Civilizations]

*HUMS 446a/HIST 350a/JDST 296a, Tel Aviv: Culture and History  Liora Halperin
For description see under Judaic Studies.
THE FRANKE SEMINAR

*HUMS 454a/HSAR 452a/MUSI 230a, Art and Music in Venice  Robert Nelson,
Ellen Rosand
The history of Venice as it has been burnished and sustained through the creations of its artists and musicians. Representative examples of Venice’s arts in the context of the city and its ceremonies from the late Middle Ages to the present.  HU

THE SHULMAN SEMINAR

*HUMS 476b/MUSI 267b, Music and Human Evolution  Gary Tomlinson
The formation of human capacities for music-making and music perception explored in the light of recent evolutionary science and theory. Music as an exemplary instance of the emergence of complex behaviors in Homo sapiens and our ancestors. No musical prerequisites.  HU

INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH AND SENIOR ESSAY COURSES

*HUMS 470a and 471b, Special Studies in the Humanities  Norma Thompson
For students who wish to pursue a topic in Humanities not otherwise covered. May be used for research or for directed reading under the guidance of one or more faculty advisers. In either case a term paper or its equivalent is required, as are regular meetings with the adviser or advisers. To apply, a student should present a prospectus and a bibliography signed by the adviser or advisers to the director of undergraduate studies. Enrollment limited to juniors and seniors majoring in Humanities.

*HUMS 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Staff
Independent library-based research under faculty supervision. To register, students must consult the director of undergraduate studies no later than the end of registration period in the previous term. A written plan of study approved by a faculty adviser must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by November 18, 2011, if the essay is to be submitted during the spring term, by April 25, 2012, for yearlong or fall-term essays. A rough draft of the essay is due at noon on March 21, 2012, for spring-term essays or on October 31, 2011, for fall-term essays. The final essay is due at noon on April 11, 2012, for spring-term essays or on December 5, 2011, for fall-term essays; late essays will be penalized by a lower grade.  RP

Indonesian

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International Studies

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discipline-based

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The program in International Studies is designed for students who seek to combine the discipline-based requirements of a first major with an understanding, drawn from several disciplines, of the transformations occurring on this planet in their interconnected socioeconomic, environmental, political, and cultural dimensions. No student may major in International Studies by itself; it must be a second major. The International Studies major is no longer admitting new students.

The International Studies major requires mastery at an advanced level in one modern foreign language or intermediate-level proficiency in two foreign languages; courses in introductory economics (both macro- and microeconomics); and familiarity with the history, society, or politics of at least one country or region other than the United States. Students are also required to take one course in each of five areas that provide alternative lenses for analyzing international affairs: analytic and research methods, statecraft and power, ethnicity and culture, international political economy, and science and technology. The capstone of the International Studies major is a two-term seminar course in which a group of students and a faculty member study topics connected to a single broad theme and/or a region of the world.
Students should note that, in accordance with the academic regulations concerning two majors (see “Two Majors” in chapter II, section K), each major must be completed independently of the other, with no more than two term courses overlapping. Although senior essays or projects may, with permission of both directors of undergraduate studies, be coordinated, they may not overlap in course credits earned. Close and continuous consultation between the student, the director of undergraduate studies, and appropriate faculty members is extremely important.

Permission to complete two majors must be secured from the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. Application forms are available from the residential college deans. Forms must be submitted no later than the due date for course schedules in the student’s final term of enrollment.

Requirements of the major In addition to fulfilling the requirements of the primary major, a student pursuing International Studies as a second major must complete eleven term courses, including the capstone seminar, and meet the major’s language requirement. Up to two courses in the major may be taken on a Credit/D/Fail basis. Students are expected to choose their courses from the following categories:
1. One term course focused on international ideas and institutions, selected from International Studies courses numbered 170–179 or others with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.
2. One term course in each of the following five lens areas: analytic and research methods, statecraft and power, ethnicity and culture, international political economy, and science and technology. A list of preapproved courses is available from the International Studies office or on the program Web site. Additional courses may meet a lens requirement with approval from the director of undergraduate studies.
3. One term course in microeconomics and one in macroeconomics.
4. One term course in the history, culture, or politics of a region or country other than the United States.
5. One two-term seminar course (the senior requirement).

Language requirement Majors in International Studies must demonstrate advanced ability in one, or intermediate-level ability in two, modern languages other than English. This requirement is normally met by the completion of two courses at the L5 level in one language or courses in two languages at the L4 level. Grades in language courses do not count toward Distinction in the Major.

Senior requirement Each student takes a two-term capstone seminar course. These seminars are working groups of about fifteen students directed by a faculty member and organized around a unifying theme or topic selected to reflect student and faculty interests. Each group produces a set of closely related, article-length research papers, with each student’s paper comprising the senior essay. Senior essays should draw on foreign language as well as English sources.

Capstone seminars vary from year to year. Selected topics for the Class of 2012 are indicated in the titles of the capstone seminars below.

Requirements of the major

International Studies can be taken only as a second major. Specific course selection and choices of linked majors should be made in consultation with the DUS.
Prerequisites None
Number of courses 11 (incl capstone sem; excluding lang req)
Distribution of courses 1 term course numbered INTS 170–179; 1 course in each of 5 lens areas; 1 term course each in micro- and macroeconomics; 1 course in hist, culture, or politics of a region or country other than the U.S.
Language requirement Advanced ability in one, or intermediate-level ability in two, modern langs other than English
Senior requirement Two-term capstone sem with essay

*INTS 101a/GLBL 101a, Gateway to Global Affairs  James Levinsohn
For description see under Global Affairs.

*INTS 201a/GLBL 121a, Applied Quantitative Analysis  Lloyd Grieger
For description see under Global Affairs.

INTS 232b/LAST 168b/PLSC 168b, Law and Politics of Globalization  
Alec Stone Sweet
For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 241b/HLTH 230b, Global Health: Challenges and Promises  
Kaveh Khoshnood
For description see under Global Health Studies.

INTS 247a/PLSC 360a, Comparative and International Bioethics  
Stephen Latham
For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 249a/GLBL 323a/HLTH 325a, Methods and Ethics in Global Health Research  
Kaveh Khoshnood
For description see under Global Affairs.

*INTS 258b/EAST 454b/ECON 474b/GLBL 312b, Economic and Policy Lessons from Japan  
Stephen Roach
For description see under Global Affairs.

*INTS 259a/ECON 454a/GLBL 331a, Evolution of Central Banking and Responses to Crises  
Rakesh Mohan
For description see under Global Affairs.

INTS 266b/PHIL 180b/PLSC 191b, Ethics and International Affairs  
Thomas Pogge, Matthew Lindauer
For description see under Philosophy.

*INTS 269a/EP&E 312a/PLSC 297a, Moral Choices in Politics  
Boris Kapustin
A study of how and why people make costly moral choices in politics. Figures studied include Thomas More, Abraham Lincoln, Nelson Mandela, Václav Havel, and Aung San Suu Kyi. So

*INTS 271b/HIST 239Jb/MGRK 228b/MMES 143b, Twentieth-Century Greek-Turkish Relations  
Konstantina Maragkou
For description see under Hellenic Studies.
*INTS 276a/HIST 238Ja/MGRK 227a/PLSC 416a, South European Dictatorships
   Konstantina Maragkou
   For description see under Hellenic Studies.

*INTS 301b/GLBL 362b/MMES 282b/SOCY 339b, Imperialism, Insurgency, and
   State Building in the Middle East
   Jonathan Wyrtzen
   For description see under Sociology.

*INTS 314a/PLSC 192a, Development of the International Human Rights Regime
   Pablo Kalmanovitz
   For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 315b/PLSC 177b, Political Authority and State Formation
   Vivek Sharma
   For description see under Political Science.

INTS 321a/EAST 212a/PLSC 369a, Politics in South and North Korea
   Seok-Ju Cho
   For description see under Political Science.

INTS 324a/GLBL 260a/PLSC 359a, Violence and Civil Strife
   Stathis Kalyvas
   For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 328a/EP&E 412a/PLSC 158a, Nationalism and Identity
   Keith Darden
   For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*INTS 331b/PLSC 451b, Social, Economic, and Political Dimensions of Development
   Jennifer Ruger
   For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 333a/ECON 477a/EP&E 240a/GLBL 333a/PLSC 428a, Comparative Welfare
   Policy in Developing Countries
   Jeremy Seekings
   For description see under Global Affairs.

INTS 334a/PLSC 149a, Economic Sanctions
   Nikolay Marinov
   For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 335a/PLSC 151a, International Dimensions of Democratization
   Nikolay Marinov
   For description see under Political Science.

INTS 337b/ECON 337b/EP&E 254b/GLBL 337b/PLSC 145b, International Political
   Economy
   Kenneth Scheve
   For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 338a/EAST 338a/ECON 338a/GLBL 318a, The Next China
   Stephen Roach
   For description see under Global Affairs.

INTS 341a/ANTH 257a/GLBL 221a/HLTH 260a, Biocultural Perspectives on Global
   Health
   Catherine Panter-Brick
   For description see under Global Affairs.

INTS 342a/ARCH 341a/LAST 318a, Globalization Space
   Keller Easterling
   For description see under Architecture.
*INTS 343b/GLBL 320b, Conflict, Resilience, and Health  Catherine Panter-Brick
For description see under Global Affairs.

INTS 345b/EP&E 442b/GLBL 265b/HIST 133b, Strategic, Political, and Moral Dilemmas of the Nuclear Age  Jonathan Schell
For description see under Global Affairs.

*INTS 347a/ECON 487a/EP&E 442a/GLBL 313a/PLSC 417a, The Political Economy of AIDS in Africa  Nicoli Nattrass
For description see under Global Affairs.

*INTS 349b/GLTH 450b/PLSC 121b, Strategic Thinking in Global Health  Elizabeth Bradley and staff
For description see under Global Health Studies.

*INTS 354a/GLBL 446a/SOCY 369a, Welfare States across Nations  Sigrun Kahl
For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 357a/EP&E 250b/GLBL 373a, The European Union  David Cameron
For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 361b/GLBL 350a/PLSC 150a, International Organizations  Susan Hyde
For description see under Political Science.

*INTS 371a/EP&E 257a/GLBL 376a, State Building  Keith Darden
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

INTS 373a/GLBL 373a/PLSC 187a, Terrorism and Counterterrorism  Stuart Gottlieb
For description see under Global Affairs.

INTS 376a/GLBL 376a/PLSC 148a, Central Issues in American Foreign Policy  Stuart Gottlieb
For description see under Global Affairs.

*INTS 378a/GLBL 184a, The United Nations and the Maintenance of International Security  Jean Krasno
For description see under Political Science.
INTS 384b/ER&M 362b/GLBL 384b/SOCY 363b, Genocide and Ethnic Conflict  
Jasmina Beširević-Regan  
For description see under Sociology.

INTS 389b/PLSC 415b/SOCY 188b, Religion and Politics  
Sigrun Kahl  
For description see under Political Science.

INTS 391a/EAST 291a, Chinese Law and Society  
Bin Ling  
Reforms and changes in China from ancient to modern times examined from a legal perspective. Focus on the fields of economics, politics, and culture. Historical causes for the status quo; difficulties China faces in establishing the rule of law. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  

INTS 398a/AFST 398a/ER&M 398a/SOCY 398a, Race and Class in Comparative Perspective  
Jeremy Seekings  
The evolution and character of class stratification and racial inequalities in South Africa, Brazil, and the United States. Twentieth-century analyses of the three societies, including studies of caste and their critiques by Marxist theory. Contemporary issues such as urban inequalities, middle classes and underclasses, identity, and political mobilization.  

CAPSTONE SEMINARS

INTS 424a, Assets, Poverty, and Inequality II  
Cheryl Doss  
Preparation of the senior essay on a topic related to the relationships between asset ownership and poverty in developing countries. Open to senior International Studies majors only. Prerequisite: INTS <423>.

INTS 428a, Social Entrepreneurship in Developing Economies II  
Robert Hopkins  
Preparation of the senior essay on a topic related to the use of social entrepreneurship in regional economic development. Open to senior International Studies majors only. Prerequisite: INTS <427>.

INTS 444a, Civic Life in Modern China II  
Deborah Davis  
Preparation of the senior essay on a topic related to the character of Chinese civil society and the possibilities for civic action by Chinese citizens. Open to senior International Studies majors only. Prerequisite: INTS <443>.

INTS 451a, The International Novel I  
Annabel Patterson  
The rise of the international novel in the twentieth century. The relationship of the international novel to war, competing world religions, redrawn boundaries, translation, book prizes, and new media. Readings include twelve novels written from 1924 to 2004 that cross cultural, religious, and political borders and demonstrate complexity of form and narrative method. Open to nonmajors with permission of instructor.  

INTS 452b, The International Novel II  
Annabel Patterson  
Continuation of INTS 451. Open to senior International Studies majors only. Prerequisite: INTS 451.  

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(See under African Studies.)
Islamic Studies

(See under History, under History of Art, under Humanities, under Modern Middle East Studies, under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations, under Political Science, and under Religious Studies.)

Italian

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Senior Lector II  Risa Sodi

Senior Lectors  Michael Farina, Monica Georgeo, Anna Iacovella

The major in Italian explores Italy’s vital role in the formation of Western thought and culture. The core language courses bring students to a high level of aural, spoken, and written proficiency, provide a solid literary and historical background in the language, and prepare students for study in Italy. Other offerings build on the core courses to explore Italian literature, film, history, culture, and art. The Italian major is of particular relevance to the fields of art, economics, film studies, history, history of art, international relations, linguistics, literature, philosophy, and theology.

Requirements of the major  Candidates for the major should have completed a course in Italian at the level of 130 (L3) or should have received credit for equivalent work by the end of their sophomore year. Exceptions may be made in the case of outstanding students who have not satisfied this requirement.

The major normally consists of eleven term courses. Eight term courses in the Italian department numbered 140 or above (including graduate courses) are required, at least five of which must be conducted in Italian. The eight courses must include either ITAL 150 or 151 and a course on Dante's Divine Comedy as well as four courses covering different periods in Italian literature: one in the Middle Ages (in addition to the one on Dante's Divine Comedy), one in the Renaissance, and two in Italian literature after 1600. The aim of these six foundation courses is to provide students with both a broad acquaintance with the major works of Italy's literary tradition and a more detailed knowledge of specific periods in Italian literature. Students are also strongly encouraged to use their elective courses to expand their knowledge of either the Trecento (fourteenth century) or the Cinquecento (sixteenth century). No more than three Italian department courses taught in English may count toward the major. Students intending to major in Italian should consult the director of undergraduate studies.

In completing their programs, students are required to elect two courses in other languages and literatures, history of art, history, or philosophy that are related to their field
of study and approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Any graduate course in another national literature or in linguistics may be substituted for one of these two courses. Some knowledge of Latin is desirable.

Senior requirement In the fall or spring of the senior year, all students majoring in Italian must present a departmental essay written in Italian and completed under the direction of a faculty adviser in ITAL 491. The essay should demonstrate careful reading and research on a topic approved by the adviser in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. A recommended length for the essay is thirty pages. Prospectus and draft deadlines are determined by the adviser; the final deadline is determined by the director of undergraduate studies. The senior requirement culminates in a meeting with department faculty to discuss the thesis and the student’s overall experience of study in the major.

Related majors In addition to the major in Italian literature, the department supports the applications of qualified students who wish to pursue a course in Italian studies under the provisions of a Special Divisional Major. Majors can devise a broad program in social, political, economic, or intellectual history as related to and reflected in Italian literature, or pursue special interests in architecture, film, art, philosophy, music, history, linguistics, theater, political theory, or other fields especially well suited for examination from the perspective of Italian cultural history. Majors in Italian studies must design their programs in close consultation with the director of undergraduate studies and seek the guidance of an additional member of the department whose interests closely coincide with the proposed program of study. For further information, see Special Divisional Majors in this chapter.

The department’s course offerings vary greatly from year to year. Students interested in planning course work in Italian that extends beyond the current academic year should consult the director of undergraduate studies.

For the Year or Term Abroad program, see chapter II.

Placement All students who have not taken Italian at Yale are expected to take the departmental placement test, with the exception of students who have no previous knowledge of Italian. The departmental placement examination will be given at the beginning of the fall term on Tuesday, August 30, at 9 a.m.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisite ITAL 130 or equivalent

Number of courses 11 term courses beyond prereq

Distribution of courses 8 term courses in Italian dept numbered 140 or above, incl 1 in Middle Ages (in addition to 1 on Dante’s Divine Comedy), 1 in Renaissance, and 2 in Italian lit after 1600, at least 5 of these conducted in Italian; 2 term courses in other langs or lits, hist of art, hist, or phil approved by DUS

Specific courses required ITAL 150 or 151; ITAL 310 or equivalent

Substitution permitted Any grad course in another national lit or in ling for 1 of the 2 courses in other depts, with DUS permission

Senior requirement Senior essay (ITAL 491) and oral interview
GROUP A COURSES

*ITAL 110a, Elementary Italian I  Francesco Rabissi and staff
A beginning course with extensive practice in speaking, reading, writing, and listening and a thorough introduction to Italian grammar. Activities include group and pairs work, role-playing, and conversation. Introduction to Italian culture through readings and films. Conducted in Italian. Credit only on completion of ITAL 120.  L1  1½ Course cr

*ITAL 120b, Elementary Italian II  Francesco Rabissi and staff
Continuation of ITAL 110.  L2  1½ Course cr

*ITAL 125a or b, Intensive Elementary Italian  Anna Iacovella [F], Michael Farina [Sp]
An accelerated beginning course in Italian that covers in one term the material taught in ITAL 110 and 120. Admits to ITAL 130 or 145. Enrollment limited to 15.  L1–L2  2 Course cr

*ITAL 130a, Intermediate Italian I  Risa Sodi and staff
The first half of a two-term sequence designed to increase students' proficiency in the four language skills and advanced grammar concepts. Authentic readings paired with contemporary films. In-class group and pairs activities, role-playing, and conversation. Admits to ITAL 140. Conducted in Italian. Prerequisite: ITAL 120 or equivalent.  L3  1½ Course cr

*ITAL 140b, Intermediate Italian II  Risa Sodi, Griffin Oleynick, and staff
Continuation of ITAL 130. Emphasis on advanced discussion of Italian culture through authentic readings (short stories, poetry, and comic theater) and contemporary films. Admits to Group B courses. Conducted in Italian.  L4

*ITAL 145b, Intensive Intermediate Italian  Monica Georgeo and staff
An accelerated intermediate course in Italian that covers in one term the material taught in ITAL 130 and 140. Continued practice in the four basic skills begun at the elementary level. Emphasis on grammar review, vocabulary enrichment, and appreciation of literary texts. Admits to Group B courses. Enrollment limited to 15. Prerequisite: ITAL 120 or 125.  L3–L4  2 Course cr

GROUP B COURSES

Group B courses are conducted in Italian and are open to students who have passed ITAL 140 or 145 and to others with the consent of the director of undergraduate studies and of the instructor.

ITAL 150a, Advanced Composition and Conversation  Risa Sodi, Monica Georgeo, and staff
Discussion of social, political, and literary issues in order to improve active command of the language. Development of advanced reading skills through magazine and newspaper articles, essays, short stories, films, and a novel; enhancement of writing skills through experiments with reviews, essays, creative writing, and business and informal Italian. Classroom emphasis on advanced speaking skills and vocabulary building.  L5
*ITAL 151b, Advanced Italian Workshop: Writing and Conversation  Michael Farina
Development of advanced writing and speaking skills. Close readings and extensive prac-
tice writing in a variety of genres, which may include autobiography, biography, jokes,
narrative genres such as the giallo and romanzo rosa. Creation and performance of short
ramatic texts.  L5

*ITAL 153b, Theater Practicum: Pirandello  Monica Georgeo
An in-depth study of Pirandello’s Sei personaggi in cerca d’autore, culminating in a staged
performance of the play in Italian. May be taken more than once for credit.  L5, HU

*ITAL 154a, Contemporary Italian Culture  Anna Iacovella
Introduction to contemporary Italian social, political, artistic, and literary culture. Read-
ings in novels, short stories, poetry, theater, and popular culture (music, graphic novels,
and journalism). Italian culture within a larger European and global context.  L5, HU

*ITAL 160a, Advanced Italian Grammar: Old Italian  Michael Farina
An in-depth study of historical Italian grammar and vocabulary, intended for students
pursuing advanced literary, linguistic, or cultural studies. Emphasis on the chronoge-
graphic development of the Italian vernacular, from the birth of the language through the
Cinquecento. Readings from early anonymous works, Latini, Dante, Boccaccio, Bembo,
and Machiavelli. Linguistic analysis of original texts; translation into modern Italian; and
advanced grammar.

*ITAL 297b, Italian Poets, 1960–2006  David Lummus
Analysis of postwar and contemporary developments in Italian poetry, in historical context.
Questions of politics, ethics, language, being, and the divine. Readings from Eugenio
Montale, Edoardo Sanguineti, Pier Paolo Pasolini, Giorgio Caproni, Alda Merini, and
Valerio Magrelli. Readings in Italian.  HU

*ITAL 331a, Medieval Narratives  David Lummus
Origins of the Italian short story and its development in the later Middle Ages. Select-
ions from the Libro de’ Sette Savi, the Novellino, Boccaccio’s Decameron, and Sacchetti’s
Trecentonovelle. Some readings from medieval French works in Italian translation, includ-
ing saints’ lives, lives of poets, and fabliaux. Each student composes a story imitating the
style, content, and authorial persona of a work studied in the course.  HU

*ITAL 470a and 471b, Special Studies in Italian Literature  David Lummus
A series of tutorials to direct students in special interests and requirements. Students meet
regularly with a faculty member.

*ITAL 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Angela Capodivacca [F], David Lummus [Sp]
A research essay on a subject selected by the student in consultation with the faculty
adviser.

GROUP C COURSES

Group C courses are conducted in English and are open to students without previous
study of Italian. Majors in Italian are required to read the material and write their papers
in Italian.
*ITAL 205a/HUMS 297a/LITR 337a, Italian Food and Literature  Risa Sodi
The intersection of food and literature in Italy from the Middle Ages and the Renaissance (Dante, Boccaccio, and the earliest cookbooks) to the modern age (the futurists, Calvino, and others). Discussion of foodways, or how food is tied to religions, holidays, gender roles and identities, and domestic economies. Consideration of film.  HU  Tr

*ITAL 303a/FILM 457a/LITR 359a, Italian Film from Postwar to Postmodern  Milicent Marcus
A study of important Italian films from World War II to the present. Consideration of works that typify major directors and trends. Topics include neorealism, self-reflexivity and metacinema, fascism and war, and postmodernism. Films by Fellini, Antonioni, Rossellini, De Sica, Visconti, Pasolini, Bertolucci, Wertmuller, Tornatore, and Moretti. Most films in Italian with English subtitles.  HU

ITAL 310a/LITR 183a, Dante in Translation  Giuseppe Mazzotta
A critical reading of Dante’s Divine Comedy and selections from the minor works, with an attempt to place Dante’s work in the intellectual and social context of the late Middle Ages by relating literature to philosophical, theological, and political concerns. One discussion section conducted in Italian.  HU  Tr

*ITAL 325b, Italian Representations of Love from Antiquity to the Renaissance  Angela Capodivacca, David Lummes
Representations of love in literature, philosophy, and art from ancient Rome to the Italian Renaissance. Differences in social practices and mores over time. Works from both the classical Latin and the Italian vernacular traditions. Authors include Catullus, Ovid, Vergil, Petronius, Dante, Petrarch, Boccaccio, and Michelangelo.  HU  Tr

*ITAL 330b, Fellini, Antonioni, Pasolini  Milicent Marcus, Michael Meadows
The filmmakers Fellini, Antonioni, and Pasolini in the context of the 1960s. Their sharp criticism of Italy’s newfound prosperity and its impact on society and culture. Filmmaking as a way for critics to reassert the value of the individual in an increasingly anonymous and consumerist society.  HU  Tr

*ITAL 352b/LITR 344b, Cross-Cultural Narratives: Italy and America  Risa Sodi
An exploration of American literary representations of Italy, and of Italian representations of the United States. Topics include cultural value systems and systems of appraisal, ideas of utopia, self-discovery, social justice, and moral codes and constraints. Attention to Italian American narratives and Italian and American film. Authors include James, Wharton, Hemingway, Hersey, Pascarella, Pavese, and Sciascia.  Tr

READING COURSE

ITAL 101b, Italian for Reading  Risa Sodi
Fundamental grammar structures and basic vocabulary through the reading of texts in various fields (primarily humanities and social sciences, and others as determined by student interest). Intended for graduate and undergraduate students preparing for Italian reading examinations for graduate school who have had no (or minimal) prior study of Italian. Conducted in English. Does not satisfy the foreign language requirement.
Japanese
(See under East Asian Languages and Literatures.)

Japanese Studies
(See under East Asian Studies.)

Judaic Studies

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Assistant Professors Joel Baden (Divinity School), Eliyahu Stern (History)

Lecturers Liora Halperin, Jonathan Kaplan (Religious Studies), Margaret Olin (Divinity School, History of Art, Religious Studies)

Senior Lector II Ayala Dvoretzky

Senior Lector Shiri Goren

Lector Dina Roginsky

Judaic Studies enables students to develop a substantial knowledge of the history, religion, literature, languages, and culture of the Jews. Jewish society, texts, ideologies, and institutions are examined in comparative perspective in the context of the history and culture of nations in which Jews have lived and created throughout the ages.

The program in Judaic Studies offers courses that encompass all the major epochs of Jewish history: the biblical period, which includes biblical literature and archaeology; the classical period, which includes the literature and history of rabbinic Judaism and its antecedents; the medieval period, which includes Jewish history and literature in both Christian and Islamic lands; the early modern period, which includes Jewish history from the fifteenth through the eighteenth centuries; and the modern period, which includes the history and literature of Jews and Judaism from the late eighteenth to the twenty-first centuries and the impact of different facets of modernization.

The Judaic Studies major, especially as a second major with Economics, Political Science, English, or History, offers intensive background training for those considering admission to
graduate or professional schools and to those planning careers in journalism, international relations, foreign service, publishing, the rabbinate, international law, politics, or social work. The interdisciplinary character of the program provides students with both a broad liberal arts background and an intensive preparation in the historical and religious experience of the Jewish culture.

Students considering the major in Judaic Studies should contact the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible.

Requirements of the major The major in Judaic Studies requires thirteen term courses, including the senior essay course. Prerequisite or corequisite to the major is a year of elementary modern Hebrew (HEBR 110, 120) or its equivalent. The major consists of a Hebrew language and literature requirement, a set of core requirements, and two areas of concentration.

Hebrew language and literature Each student majoring in Judaic Studies must attain the equivalent of the second year of modern Hebrew (HEBR 130, 140). In addition, each student must take two term courses in which Hebrew literature is studied in Hebrew, for which HEBR 130 and 140 (but not HEBR 110 or 120) may count. Students who fulfill the Hebrew language requirement by passing an examination rather than by enrolling in HEBR 110, 120, 130, and 140 must take two other term courses in which Hebrew literature is studied in Hebrew. Students concentrating in Hebrew Bible may, in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies, substitute two years of biblical Hebrew for the language and literature requirements.

Core requirements Each student must elect at least three from the following: (1) one term course in Hebrew Bible (e.g., RLST 145); (2) one term course in rabbinic literature; (3) JDST 200, History of the Jews to the Reformation; (4) JDST <201>, History of Jewish Culture, 1500 to the Present; (5) JDST <202>, Judaism: Continuity and Change; (6) a term survey course in Hebrew and Jewish literature.

Areas of concentration Students must select two areas of concentration. The standard areas are ancient Israel/Hebrew Bible; Judaism of Second Temple and Talmudic times; Jewish history and civilization of medieval and early modern times; modern Jewish history and civilization; and Jewish/Hebrew literature (requires study of literature in Hebrew). With the approval of the director of undergraduate studies, students may design their own areas of concentration.

In each of the two areas of concentration, students choose three term courses in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. These are normally expected to include one introductory course; one seminar taken in junior year and requiring a final research paper; and one relevant course in an area outside Judaic Studies, such as a course relating to the larger historical context if the concentration is in a historical period, or a course in the theory or practice of literature if the concentration is in Jewish or Hebrew literature. Most seminars listed under “Electives within the Major” may be counted as junior seminars in a student’s areas of concentration with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

Senior requirement Students are expected to write a one- or two-term senior essay (JDST 491 and 492). If a one-term senior essay is chosen, the student must complete an additional
seminar. The one-term essay normally relates to one of the student’s areas of concentration, while the seminar relates to the other. A two-term essay should relate to both of the student’s areas of concentration. The senior essay, whether completed during one or two terms, should build on one or both of the student’s junior seminar papers.

**Study in Israel** Students majoring in Judaic Studies should be aware of the numerous opportunities for study and travel in Israel. Those interested in either a summer or an extended stay in Israel should consult the director of undergraduate studies.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisites**  
HEBR 110, 120 or equivalents

**Number of courses**  
13 term courses (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required**  
HEBR 130, 140 or equivalents

**Distribution of courses**  
3 term courses from (1) Hebrew Bible, (2) rabbinic lit, (3) JDST 200, (4) JDST <201>, (5) JDST <202>, (6) survey of Hebrew and Jewish lit; 2 areas of concentration, with 3 courses in each (normally 1 intro, 1 junior sem, 1 outside Judaic Studies related to concentration) for a total of 6

**Substitution permitted**  
2 years of biblical Hebrew for HEBR 130, 140 or equivalents for students with an area of concentration in Hebrew Bible

**Senior requirement**  
Two-term senior essay (JDST 491, 492), or one-term senior essay and addtl sem

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**Freshman Seminar**

*JDST 015b/HUMS 094b/RLST 002b, Abraham and the Abrahamic Religions*  
Jonathan Kaplan  
Exploration of Abraham’s presentation in the book of Genesis and of Jewish, Christian, and Muslim retellings of Abraham’s story that transform him into a key figure in each tradition. Interpretive strategies employed by each religion as it utilizes the story of Abraham to construct its community’s narrative of chosenness. No background in religious studies or biblical literature assumed. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  
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**Core Course**

*JDST 200a*/HIST 219a*/MMES 149a*/RLST 148a*, History of the Jews to Early Modern Times  
Ivan Marcus  
For description see under History.

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**Special Projects**

*JDST 471b, Individual Tutorial*  
Eliyahu Stern  
For students who wish, under faculty supervision, to investigate an area in Judaic Studies not covered by regular course offerings. May be used for research or for directed reading, but in either case a long essay or several short ones are required. To apply for admission, a student should present a prospectus with bibliography and a letter of support from the faculty member who will direct the work to the director of undergraduate studies.
THE SENIOR ESSAY COURSE

*JDST 491a and 492b, The Senior Essay  Eliyahu Stern
The essay, written under the supervision of a faculty member, should be a substantial paper between 6,500 and 8,000 words for one term and between 12,500 and 15,000 words for two terms.

ELECTIVES WITHIN THE MAJOR

Biblical Period

JDST 110a/HUMS 349a/RLST 145a, The Bible  Christine Hayes
For description see under Religious Studies.

*JDST 117bG, Compilation of the Pentateuch  Joel Baden
Introduction to issues and theories regarding the composition of the Pentateuch. Close readings of the biblical text supplemented by secondary analysis. Literary solutions to problems in the Pentateuch narratives. Prerequisite: RLST 145 or equivalent.  HU

*JDST 253aG/RLST 248aG, Destruction and Recovery in Ancient Jewish Texts  Hindy Najman
The relationship between themes of destruction and recovery in ancient Jewish writings. The reworking of Judaism after the destruction of the First Temple (586 B.C.E.) and the Second Temple (70 C.E.). Judaism’s internalization of the experience of destruction.  HU

*JDST 415bG/RLST 417bG, Text and Context of the Dead Sea Scrolls  Hindy Najman
An in-depth study of the Dead Sea Scrolls. The development of law, interpretation, ritual, and prayer in the late Second Temple period; the effects of the Dead Sea Scrolls’ discovery on understanding of the Hebrew Bible’s formation. Prerequisite: two years of classical Hebrew or biblical Aramaic.  HU

Classical Period

*JDST 235bG/RLST 147bG, Introduction to Judaism in the Ancient World  Steven Fraade
The emergence of classical Judaism in its historical setting. Jews and Hellenization; varieties of early Judaism; apocalyptic and postapocalyptic responses to suffering and catastrophe; worship and atonement without sacrificial cult; interpretations of scriptures; law and life; the rabbi; faith in reason; Sabbath and festivals; history and its redemption. No prior background in Jewish history assumed.  HU

*JDST 252aG/RLST 247aG, Hellenistic Jewish Thought  Hindy Najman
The development of Greek-speaking Jewish communities in antiquity. Comparison to other Jewish communities of the period, including both common and distinctive elements. The translation of the Hebrew Bible into Greek, the Hellenization of biblical figures, Greek influences on the interpretation of Jewish scriptures, and the role of prayer and ritual outside the Jerusalem Temple.  HU

*JDST 393bG/RLST 409bG, Midrash Seminar: Sifre Shoftim  Steven Fraade
Close study of the earliest rabbinic commentary to the Book of Deuteronomy, focusing on its interpretations of laws dealing with the responsibilities of public figures: judges,
kings, priests, and prophets. Particular attention to the interrelation of rabbinic legal rhetoric and the hermeneutics of scriptural commentary, with comparisons to other corpora of ancient Jewish and non-Jewish law. Prerequisite: reading competency in classical Hebrew. HU

*JDST 412aG/RLST 413aG, The Academic Study of Talmud  Robert Brody
Critical study of selected passages from tractate Ketubot of the Babylonian Talmud in conjunction with related passages elsewhere in classical rabbinic literature. Emphasis on talmudic philology and contemporary scholarly trends in the academic study of the Talmud. Reading knowledge of rabbinic Hebrew and Talmudic Aramaic required. HU

Medieval and Early Modern Periods
JDST 265bG/HIST 345bG/MMES 148b/RLST 202bG, Jews in Muslim Lands from the Seventh to the Sixteenth Centuries  Ivan Marcus
For description see under History.

*JDST 270a/HIST 232Ja/HUMS 443a/MMES 342a/RLST 201a, Medieval Jews, Christians, and Muslims Imagining Each Other  Ivan Marcus
For description see under History.

JDST 281a/PHIL 274a/RLST 249a, Jewish Philosophy  Paul Franks
For description see under Philosophy.

Modern Period
*JDST 278bG/HIST 258JbG/RLST 227bG, Jewish Citizenship in Modern Europe  Eliyahu Stern
For description see under History.

*JDST 279a/MMES 158a/RLST 205a, Modern Jewish Religious Radicalism  Eliyahu Stern
For description see under Religious Studies.

JDST 280a/HIST 148a/RLST 215a, America and Its Jews, 1654 to the Present  Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

JDST 286bG/RLST 269bG/RLST 230bG, Holocaust in Historical Perspective  Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

*JDST 287bG/HIST 351Jb, Jews, Language, and Nationalism in Modern Times  Liora Halperin
The intersection of language, community, and national identity in the Jewish experience, with emphasis on the modern period. Theories of language and identity; the Tower of Babel myth and premodern views of multilingualism; the politics of translation; Yiddish, Ladino, and other Jewish languages; the idea of linguistic degeneracy and language reform; the modern Hebrew revival; the politics of language in Israel. HU

*JDST 291aG/HIST 272JaG/RLST 226aG, Anti-Semitism in Modern Times  Paula Hyman
For description see under History.
*JDST 292a/ HIST 281a, The Cultural Revolution of the Jewish Enlightenment
Shmuel Feiner
The origins, history, major texts, and cultural and social impact of the Jewish Enlightenment. The Enlightenment project of Voltaire, Lessing, and Kant; the cultural revolution among Jews in Germany and the construction of the modern public sphere; the life and thought of Moses Mendelssohn; cultural conflicts between the *maskilim* and their orthodox opponents; the issue of gender; the final stages of the Jewish Enlightenment in nineteenth-century Galicia and Russia. HU

JDST 293b/ HIST 248b/ RLST 214b, Introduction to Modern Jewish Thought
Eliyahu Stern
An overview of Jewish philosophical trends, movements, and thinkers from the seventeenth to the twenty-first century. Topics include enlightenment, historicism, socialism, secularism, religious radicalism, and Zionism. HU

*JDST 295a/ MMES 154a/ NELC 154a, Israeli Identity and Culture, 1948 to the Present
Shiri Goren
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*JDST 296a/ HIST 350a/ HUMS 446a, Tel Aviv: Culture and History
Liora Halperin
An exploration of culture, politics, and society in modern Palestine and Israel through the study of Tel Aviv. Topics include the city in Zionist ideology, immigration and cosmopolitanism, Hebrew culture and language, architecture and city planning, centers and peripheries, and the city as a site of political activism. HU

*JDST 306b/ MMES 157b/ NELC 157b, Israeli Narratives
Shiri Goren
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*JDST 385b/ HIST 244b/ RLST 225b/ WGSS 383b, Women in Modern Jewish History
Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

*JDST 386b/ FREN 353b, Jewish Identity and French Culture
Maurice Samuels
For description see under French.

HEBREW LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

*JDST 213b/ HEBR 150b/ MMES 150b, Advanced Modern Hebrew: Israeli Society
Shiri Goren
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*JDST 301b/ HEBR 151b/ MMES 153b, Introduction to Modern Israeli Literature
Ayala Dvoretzky
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*JDST 305a/ HEBR 158a, Contemporary Israeli Society in Film
Shiri Goren
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*JDST 360a/ HEBR 160a/ MMES 155a, Sociological Aspects of Hebrew
Dina Roginsky
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.
JDST 407b/HEBR 161b/MMES 156b, Israeli Popular Music  Dina Roginsky
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*JDST 409b/HEBR 159b/MMES 159b, Conversational Hebrew: Israeli Media
Shiri Goren
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Qualified students may elect relevant courses in the Graduate School with permission of the director of graduate studies, the director of undergraduate studies, and the instructor of the course. They may also offer toward the degree as many as four courses taken in professional schools of the University with permission of the instructors, the director of undergraduate studies, and the dean or registrar of the schools involved. (See “Courses in the Yale Graduate and Professional Schools” in chapter II, section K.) A complete list and descriptions of relevant graduate and professional school courses are available from the director of undergraduate studies.

Kiswahili
(See under African Studies.)

Korean
(See under East Asian Languages and Literatures.)

Latin
(See under Classics.)

Latin American Studies

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**Lector** Rosamaría León

The major in Latin American Studies is designed to further understanding of the societies and cultures of Latin America as viewed from regional and global perspectives. The Latin American Studies major builds on a foundation of language and literature, history, history of art, theater studies, humanities, and the social sciences; its faculty is drawn from many departments and professional schools of the University.

**The major** The major in Latin American Studies is interdisciplinary. With two goals in mind—intellectual coherence and individual growth—the student proposes a course of study that must satisfy the requirements listed below. The proposed course of study must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Though all students choose courses in both the humanities and the social sciences, they are expected to concentrate on one or the other.

Prerequisite to the major is knowledge of the two dominant languages of the region, Spanish and Portuguese. Depending on their interests, students select one language for two years of instruction and the other for one. Other languages necessary for research may in appropriate circumstances be substituted for the second language with the consent of the director of undergraduate studies. Students are encouraged to meet the language requirements as early as possible. Courses used to satisfy the language prerequisite may not be counted toward the major.

The major itself requires twelve term courses: one introductory course approved by the director of undergraduate studies; eight courses related to Latin America from departmental offerings or from the list of electives below; two further electives, preferably seminars; and the senior essay, LAST 491. The eight Latin American content courses must be selected
from the following categories: two courses in the social sciences (anthropology, economics, political science, or sociology), two courses in history, two courses in Spanish American or Brazilian literatures beyond the language requirement, one course in history of art or theater studies, and a seminar. Recommended courses are SPAN 266 and 267.

Students must enroll in three seminars or upper-level courses during their junior and senior years. For a list of seminars students should consult the director of undergraduate studies. Elective seminars must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

The senior essay is a research paper written usually in one term (LAST 491). Students choose their own topics, which may derive from research done in an earlier course. The essay is planned in advance in consultation with a qualified adviser and a second reader.

In preparing the senior essay, students may undertake field research in Latin America. Support for research is available to recipients of an Albert Bildner Travel Prize, for which application should be made in the spring of the junior year. Students may also apply for summer travel grants through the Council on Latin American and Iberian Studies. Information about these and other grants is available on the Web at studentgrants.yale.edu.

Students are strongly encouraged to take advantage of study abroad opportunities during summers or through the Year or Term Abroad program.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites 2 years of lang (Spanish or Portuguese), 1 year of the other

Number of courses 12 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior essay)

Distribution of courses 1 intro course approved by DUS; 8 courses related to Latin America in specified fields, one a sem from approved list; 2 electives; 3 sems or upper-level courses in junior and senior years

Senior requirement Senior essay (LAST 491)

ELECTIVES WITHIN THE MAJOR

Students wishing to count toward the major courses that do not appear on this list should consult with the director of undergraduate studies.

*LAST 001b/PORT 001b/SPAN 050b, Latin American Short Fiction  Paulo Moreira
For description see under Portuguese.  Fr sem

*LAST 108b/LITR 309b, Latin American Intellectual Debates  Moira Fradinger
For description see under Literature.

LAST 168b/INTS 232b/PLSC 168b, Law and Politics of Globalization  Alec Stone Sweet
For description see under Political Science.

*LAST 222a or b/SPAN 222a or b, Legal Spanish  Mercedes Carreras
For description see under Spanish.

*LAST 223b/SPAN 223b, Spanish in Film: An Introduction to the New Latin American Cinema  Margherita Tórtora
For description see under Spanish.
*LAST 224a or b/SPAN 224a or b, Spanish in Politics, International Relations, and the Media  Teresa Carballal  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 225b/SPAN 225b, Spanish for the Medical Professions  Mercedes Carreras  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 226b/SPAN 226b, The Unity and Diversity of Spanish  Lissette Reymundi  
For description see under Spanish.

*LAST 227a/SPAN 227a, Creative Writing  María Jordán  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 232a/ANTH 232a/ARCG 232a, Ancient Civilizations of the Andes  Richard Burger  
For description see under Anthropology.

*LAST 235a/SPAN 235a, Advanced Spanish for Heritage Speakers  Sonia Valle  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 243a or b/SPAN 243a or b, Advanced Spanish Grammar  Terry Seymour, Rosamaria León  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 244a/SPAN 244a, Writing in Spanish  Margherita Tórtora  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 245a/PORT 246a/SPAN 245a, Latin American Film: Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina  Paulo Moreira  
For description see under Portuguese.

LAST 261a/SPAN 261a, Studies in Spanish Literature I  Susan Byrne  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 267a/SPAN 267a, Studies in Latin American Literature II  Rolena Adorno  
For description see under Spanish.

LAST 318a/ARCH 341a/G/INTS 342a/G, Globalization Space  Keller Easterling  
For description see under Architecture.

LAST 348a/AFST 347a/PLSC 347a, Post-Conflict Politics  David Simon  
For description see under Political Science.

*LAST 351a/SPAN 350a, Borges: Literature and Power  Aníbal González  
For description see under Spanish.

*LAST 352a/PLSC 355a/G, Armed Groups and Patterns of Violence  Elisabeth Wood  
For description see under Political Science.

LAST 358b/ER&M 341b/HIST 358b, History of Mexico since Independence  Gilbert Joseph  
For description see under History.
LAST 392a/LITR 296a/PORT 392a, Brazil’s Modern Art Movement
K. David Jackson
For description see under Portuguese.

LAST 393a/LITR 231a/PORT 393a, Modern Brazilian and Portuguese Fiction in Translation
K. David Jackson
For description see under Portuguese.

LAST 396b/LITR 292b/PORT 396b, Modern Brazilian Literature in Translation
K. David Jackson
For description see under Portuguese.

David Simon
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

LAST 410b/ECON 462b/EP&E 228b, The Economics of Human Capital in Latin America
Douglas McKee
For description see under Economics.

LAST 423b/EP&E 243b/PLSC 423b, Political Economy of Poverty Alleviation
Ana De La O Torres
For description see under Political Science.

ANTH 114a, Introduction to Medical Anthropology  Sean Brotherton

*ANTH 357aG, Anthropology of the Body  Sean Brotherton
*ANTH 369aG, Economic Anthropology  Enrique Mayer

*ANTH 427b, Topics in Medical Anthropology  Sean Brotherton

*ANTH 438aG, Culture, Power, Oil  Douglas Rogers

ECON 330aG/EVST 340a, Economics of Natural Resources  Robert Mendelsohn
For description see under Economics.

*GLBL 333a/ECON 477a/EP&E 240a/INTS 333aG/PLSC 428a, Comparative Welfare Policy in Developing Countries  Jeremy Seekings
For description see under Global Affairs.

HIST 184a/AFAM 160a, Slavery and Abolition in Atlantic History, 1500–1888
Edward Rugemer
For description see under History.

HSAR 378b/AFAM 178b/AFST 188b, From West Africa to the Black Americas: The Black Atlantic Visual Tradition  Robert Thompson
For description see under History of Art.

HSAR 379a/AFAM 112a, New York Mambo: Microcosm of Black Creativity  Robert Thompson
For description see under History of Art.
*INTS 398a/AFST 398a/ER&M 398a/SOCY 398a, Race and Class in Comparative Perspective  Jeremy Seekings
For description see under International Studies.

*MUSI 353b/AFST 353b, Topics in World Music  Michael Veal
For description see under Music.

PLSC 359a/GLBL 269a/INTS 324a, Violence and Civil Strife  Stathis Kalyvas
For description see under Political Science.

DIRECTED READING AND SENIOR ESSAY COURSES

*LAST 471a or b, Directed Reading  Aníbal González
For students who wish to investigate an area of Latin American Studies not covered by regular offerings. The project must terminate with a term paper or its equivalent. No more than one term of credit may be earned. To apply for admission, a student should present a prospectus and a bibliography to the director of undergraduate studies no later than one day before the course selection period concludes. Written approval from the faculty member who will direct the student’s reading and writing must accompany the prospectus.

*LAST 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Aníbal González
Preparation of a research paper about forty pages long under the direction of a faculty adviser, in either the fall or the spring term. Students write on subjects of their own choice. During the term before the essay is written, students plan the project in consultation with a qualified adviser or the director of undergraduate studies. The student must submit a suitable project outline and bibliography to the adviser and the director of undergraduate studies by the third week of the term. The outline should indicate the focus and scope of the essay topic, as well as the proposed research methodology. Permission may be given to write a two-term essay after consultation with an adviser and the director of undergraduate studies and after submission of a project statement. Only those who have begun to do advanced work in a given area are eligible. The requirements for the one-term senior essay apply to the two-term essay, except that the two-term essay should be substantially longer.

OTHER COURSES RELEVANT TO THE MAJOR

A list of courses intended as a guide to students in preparing their programs is available at the office of the director of undergraduate studies. Qualified students may also elect pertinent courses in the Graduate School and in some of the professional schools with permission of the director of graduate studies and the director of undergraduate studies.

Lesbian and Gay Studies
(See under Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies.)
Linguistics

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LINGUISTICS

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Assistant Professors  Ashwini Deo, Gaja Jarosz, Jelena Krivokapić

Lecturers  Timothy Hunter, Einar Mencl, Tamina Stephenson, Matthew Wolf

Linguistics is the scientific study of language. The major in Linguistics offers a program of studies leading toward an understanding of phonological, grammatical, and semantic structure and of various approaches to descriptive, experimental, and historical linguistics. It also includes coursework leading to proficiency in one or two foreign languages. Majors may concentrate on theoretical, experimental, or computational linguistics, on various aspects of comparative grammar, or on a particular family of languages. Interested students should consult the director of undergraduate studies.

The normal prerequisite for the major is LING 110 or 117 with a grade of B+ or better. This requirement may be waived by the director of undergraduate studies for students who have taken other linguistics courses. Fourteen additional term courses are required for the major, distributed as follows:

1. Breadth requirement (four courses). All majors must take introductory courses in the core areas of phonology (LING 132) and syntax (LING 153). In addition, at least one course must be taken in any two of the six remaining core areas: phonetics, morphology, semantics/pragmatics, computational linguistics, language and mind/brain, and historical linguistics.

2. Depth requirement (two courses). In one of the eight core areas (phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics/pragmatics, computational linguistics, language and mind/brain, and historical linguistics), students must take two additional courses beyond the introductory course.

3. Language requirement (three courses). Three term courses (or the equivalent) in one or two foreign languages beyond the elementary level are required; courses designated L3 or higher are normally accepted. This requirement may be fulfilled in part in the freshman or sophomore years.

4. Electives (three courses). Three additional courses relating to linguistics are required. Electives may be selected from Linguistics courses or from approved courses with substantial linguistic content in other departments (including foreign language courses). With the approval of the director of undergraduate studies, one course bearing a less direct relation to linguistics from another program (e.g., Anthropology, Classics, Cognitive Science, Computer Science, English, Philosophy, or Psychology) may be applied to this requirement if it is relevant to the student’s program.
5. Research requirement (two courses). Research Methods in Linguistics (LING 490) and
the Senior Essay (LING 491) are required, and are usually taken in sequence during the
senior year.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  LING 110, 117, or equivalent, with a grade of B+ or higher
Number of courses  14 term courses beyond prereq (incl senior req)
Specific courses required  LING 132, 153, 490
Distribution of courses  One course each in 2 of 6 core areas other than phonology and
syntax; 2 courses beyond intro level in one of 8 core areas; 3 language courses at level
L3 or higher; 3 electives
Senior requirement  Senior essay (LING 491)

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

Unless otherwise indicated, the courses in this group have no prerequisites.

*LING 009b, Grammatical Diversity in U.S. English  Raffaella Zanuttini
Study of differences among varieties of English spoken in North America, focusing in
particular on morphosyntactic variation: double modals (“I might could go to the store”),
a-prefixing (“She was a-building a house”), negative inversion (“Don’t nobody want to
ride the bus”), aspect marking (“Bruce be running,” “I done pushed it”). Emphasis on the
grammatical richness and complexity of each variety. Enrollment limited to freshmen.
Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  Fr sem

*LING 107a, Linguistic Diversity and Endangerment  Stephen Anderson
Introduction to the complexity of the question, “How many languages are there in the
world?” Geographical and historical survey of the world’s languages; consideration of
the ways in which languages can differ from one another. Language endangerment
and the threat to world linguistic diversity it poses. Attention to minority languages of
East Asia. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint
Undergraduate Program.  So

LING 110b, Language: Introduction to Linguistics  Ashwini Deo
The goals and methods of linguistics. Basic concepts in phonology, morphology, syntax,
and semantics. Techniques of linguistic analysis and construction of linguistic models.
Trends in modern linguistics. The relation of linguistics to psychology, logic, and other
disciplines.  So

LING 112a, Historical Linguistics  Claire Bowern
Introduction to language change and language history. Types of change that a language
undergoes over time: sound change, analogy, syntactic and semantic change, borrowing.
Techniques for recovering earlier linguistic stages: philology, internal reconstruction, the
comparative method. The role of language contact in language change. Evidence from
language in prehistory.  HU

*LING 115a/49c, Introductory Sanskrit I  David Brick
For description see under South Asian Studies.
LING 117a/PSYC 137a, Language and Mind  Maria Piñango
Knowledge of language as a component of the mind: mental grammars, the nature and subdivisions of linguistic knowledge in connection with the brain. The logical problem of language acquisition. The “universal grammar hypothesis” according to which all humans have an innate ability to acquire language. The connection between language acquisition and general cognitive abilities. SO

LING 120a/PSYC 318a, General Phonetics  Jelena Krivokapić
Investigation of possible ways to describe the speech sounds of human languages. Tools to be developed: acoustics and physiology of speech; computer synthesis of speech; practical exercises in producing and transcribing sounds. SO

LING 125b/SKRT 120b, Introductory Sanskrit II  David Brick
For description see under South Asian Studies.

LING 130b/PSYC 322b, Evolution of Language  Stephen Anderson
The origin and evolution of human language from an interdisciplinary perspective. Topics include the design features of language, the structure of evolutionary theory, elementary molecular genetics and genetic evidence for language evolution, cognitive continuity and discontinuity with other species, hominin evolutionary history, domain specificity and generality of the language faculty, evidence for evolutionary shaping of physical and cognitive structures.

LING 132a, Introduction to Phonological Analysis  Gaja Jarosz
The structure of sound systems in particular languages. Phonemic and morphophonemic analysis, distinctive-feature theory, formulation of rules, and problems of rule interpretation. Emphasis on problem solving. Prerequisite: LING 120, or a grade of B or above in LING 110. SO

LING 138a/SKRT 130a, Intermediate Sanskrit I  David Brick
For description see under South Asian Studies.

LING 146b/PSYC 329b, Language, Sex, and Gender  Laurence Horn
Sex-based asymmetries in language structure and language use. Role of language in encoding, reflecting, or reinforcing social attitudes and behavior. The “he/man” lexicon: sex-marking, reform, and resistance. Gender and sexual diversity as linguistic variables. Genderlects: differences (real and perceived) between male and female speech, conversational styles, and linguistic communities. SO RP

LING 148b/SKRT 140b, Intermediate Sanskrit II  David Brick
For description see under South Asian Studies.

*LING 151b/ENGL 284b, Linguistics and Literature  Raffaella Zanuttini, Erica Miao
An investigation of literature from a linguistic point of view. Introduction to linguistic topics such as syntactic constituency, linguistic change, and sociolinguistic variation; application of these concepts to the analysis of poems, novels, and plays. Authors may include William Wordsworth, John Milton, Mark Twain, Flannery O’Connor, and Ursula LeGuin. HU

LING 153a, Syntax I  Raffaella Zanuttini
An introduction to the syntax of natural language. Generative syntactic theory and key theoretical concepts. Syntactic description and argumentation. Topics include the structure of clauses and noun phrases, movement operations, and the notion of parameter. SO


LING 224a, Formal Foundations of Linguistic Theories I  Robert Frank
Mathematical methods in linguistics. Set theory, logic and formal systems, model theory, lambda calculus, formal language theory, elementary statistics, and probability.  QR

INTERMEDIATE AND ADVANCED COURSES

LING 135b, Phonological Theory  Gaja Jarosz
Topics in the architecture of a theory of sound structure. Motivations for replacing a system of ordered rules with a system of ranked constraints. Optimality theory: universals, violability, constraint types and their interactions. Interaction of phonology and morphology, as well as relationship of phonological theory to language acquisition and learnability. Opacity, lexical phonology, and serial versions of optimality theory. Prerequisite: LING 132 or permission of instructor.  SO  RP

LING 141a/PSYC 327a, Language and Computation  Gaja Jarosz
Design and analysis of computational models of language. Topics include finite state tools, computational morphology and phonology, grammar and parsing, lexical semantics, and the use of linguistic models in applied problems.  QR, SO

LING 149a/PSYC 149a, Animal Communication and Human Language  Stephen Anderson
Animal communication systems found in nature, including those of honeybees, frogs, birds, and primates. Comparison of these systems with human language. Evaluation of efforts to find or induce specifically linguistic abilities in a variety of animals, leading to conclusions about animals’ cognitive capacities. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  SO

*LING 180b, Morphology  Stephen Anderson
The theory of word structure within a formal grammar. Relation to other areas of grammar (syntax, phonology); basic units of word structure; types of morphology (inflection, derivation, compounding). Prerequisites: LING 132 and 153, or permission of instructor.  SO

*LING 201a/CGSC 301a, Neurological Basis of Prosody and Meaning  Maria Piñango
The interactions of prosodic structure and meaning structure with syntactic structure, from a neurological perspective. The interface mechanisms among these three structural levels as they can be mapped onto the cortical and subcortical connectivity paths proposed to support sentence-level comprehension.  SO

*LING 212b, Linguistic Change  Ashwini Deo
Principles governing linguistic change in phonology and morphology. Status and independence of proposed mechanisms of change. Relations between the principles of historical change and universals of language. Systematic change as the basis of linguistic comparison; assessment of other attempts at establishing linguistic relatedness. Prerequisites: LING 112, 132, and 153.  SO

*LING 222b, Speech Timing  Jelena Krivokapić
Linguistic structure as it influences the temporal realization of speech; how linguistic theory accounts for the observed temporal patterns. Topics include syllable structure, rhythm, prosodic structure, pausing patterns, speech rate, and temporal coordination between speech and gesture. Prerequisite: LING 120 or permission of instructor.  SO
*LING 225b, Computing Meanings  Timothy Hunter, Robert Frank
Introduction to mathematical and computational tools for assigning meanings to natural language sentences. Foundational skills for the development of formal models of human language syntax and semantics, and for practical applications of language technology such as text understanding and question-answering. Topics include syntactic structure and displacement, quantification and inference, and the dynamics of discourse. Prerequisite: LING 153 or permission of instructor. SO

*LING 230b, Techniques in Neurolinguistics  Einar Mencl
Introduction to common techniques and research in cognitive neuroimaging, with applications to the study of language. Techniques include MRI acquisition, preprocessing, single- and multisubject data analysis, visualization, and network analysis. Review of ERP and MEG. Topics include speech production and perception, literacy, and dyslexia. Prerequisite: LING 110 or permission of instructor.

*LING 236b, Articulatory Phonology  Jelena Krivokapić
Introduction to phonology as a system for combining units of speech (constriction gestures of the vocal organs) into larger structures. Analysis of articulatory movement data; modeling using techniques of dynamical systems. Emphasis on universal versus language-particular aspects of gestural combination and coordination. Prerequisite: LING 120 or permission of instructor. SO

*LING 240a, Topics in Phonology: Rule Ordering and Interaction  Matthew Wolf
The ordering relations and functional interactions that may hold between phonological processes. Sequential vs. simultaneous application, extrinsic vs. intrinsic ordering, local ordering, derived environment effects and reference to derivational history, and Duke-of-York derivations. Consideration of these issues in light of various versions of optimality theory. Prerequisites: LING 132 and 135, or permission of instructor. SO

*LING 241a, Field Methods  Claire Bowern
Principles of phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax, and semantics applied to the collection and interpretation of novel linguistic data. Data are collected and analyzed by the class as a group, working directly with a speaker of a relatively undocumented language. Open to majors in Linguistics, and to others with permission of instructor. SO

*LING 242b, Topics in Phonology: Probability  Gaja Jarosz
Theories that seek to capture categorical aspects of phonological knowledge as well as gradience and variability. Possible topics include variation and optionality, gradient phonotactics, and the relationship between phonotactic knowledge and phonological alternations. The explanatory role of probability in formal models of phonological knowledge and in phonological acquisition and learnability. Prerequisite: LING 132. SO RP

*LING 252b, Pronouns across Languages  Dennis Storoshenko
Cross-linguistic examination of pronouns and pronominal systems, building on the concepts of binding theory introduced in LING 153. Alternate theoretical approaches to binding and pronouns are applied to data from East Asian, North American, and African languages. A course project analyzes data from a non-English language of students’ choice. Prerequisite: LING 153. SO
LING 254b*, Syntax II  Robert Frank
Recent developments in the principles and parameters approach to syntactic theory. In-depth exploration of theoretical and empirical issues in long-distance dependencies (island effects, dependency types, movement vs. binding), the character of syntactic structure (constituency, thematic mapping, functional categories), and the architecture of grammatical derivations (logical form, operations for structure building, anaphora). Prerequisite: LING 153.  SO

*LING 261a*, Current Trends in Syntax  Raffaella Zanuttini
Introduction to Chomsky’s minimalist program, with comparison to earlier frameworks; close study of selected minimalist analyses that use the notion of phase and the agree operation. Discussion of Cinque and Rizzi’s “cartographic approach”; the distribution of adjectives. Prerequisites: LING 153 and 254, or permission of instructor.  SO

*LING 263a*, Semantics  Ashwini Deo
Introduction to truth-conditional compositional semantics. Set theory, first- and higher-order logic, and the lambda calculus as they relate to the study of natural language meaning. Some attention to analyzing the meanings of tense/aspect markers, adverbs, and modals.  QR, SO

*LING 265a*, Semantic Change  Ashwini Deo
Investigation of systematic change in the domain of semantics and pragmatics. Empirical phenomena include grammaticalization in the domain of tense, aspect, and modality markers, markers of location and possession, and negation, as well as intensifiers. Focus on reconciling grammaticalization and typological research with formal semantic studies. Prerequisite: LING 263 or permission of instructor.  SO

*LING 270a*, Topics in Semantics: Pragmatic Models  Tamina Stephenson
Formal pragmatic models of conversation, including the representation of common ground, speech acts, speaker commitments, and information structure. Prerequisite: an advanced course in semantics, pragmatics, or philosophy of language.  SO RP

LING 271a/PHIL 271a, Philosophy of Language  Zoltán Szabó
For description see under Philosophy.

LING 275b, Pragmatics  Laurence Horn, Tamina Stephenson
Context-dependent aspects of meaning and inference. Speech act theory, presupposition, implicature. Role of pragmatics in the lexicon and in meaning change. The semantics-pragmatics distinction from different perspectives; the position of pragmatics in linguistic theory.  SO RP

*LING 471a and 472b, Special Projects  Raffaella Zanuttini
Special projects set up by students with the help of a faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies to cover material not otherwise offered by the department. The project must terminate with at least a term paper or its equivalent and must have the approval of the director of undergraduate studies. Only one term of credit for a project may count toward the major; no more than two terms may count toward the bachelor’s degree.

*LING 490a*/*PSYC 372a, Research Methods in Linguistics  Jelena Krivokapić
An introduction to research methods in linguistics. Observational and experimental approaches to research in the field. Topics include collection and organization of linguistic
data, basic field methods, and use of language corpora and databases. Introduction to research in language acquisition and language change. Prerequisites: one course in syntax and one course in phonology.

*LING 491b, The Senior Essay  Raffaella Zanuttini
A weekly colloquium in which senior Linguistics majors, in rotation, make presentations of research material that will culminate in the development of their senior essays. Under the guidance of departmental faculty (or in some cases supporting faculty in other departments), students select a topic, present material related to the research on that topic, give preliminary versions of their essay, and complete the essay. Prerequisite: LING 490.

RELATED COURSES

ANTH 205a, Language, Culture, and Identity  J. Joseph Errington

*ANTH 432a, Politics of Language  J. Joseph Errington

PHIL 115a, First-Order Logic  Kenneth Winkler

PHIL 302b, Modality  Zoltán Szabó

*PHIL 425b, Frege  Susanne Bobzien

*PHIL 432a, Convention  Zoltán Szabó

*PHIL 434b, Propositional Attitudes  Bruno Whittle

SPAN 226b/LAST 226b, The Unity and Diversity of Spanish  Lissette Reymundi
For description see under Spanish.

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Graduate courses in linguistics and in related fields such as anthropology, philosophy, and psychology appear in Online Course Information, www.yale.edu/oci. Such courses may be taken by undergraduates with permission of the director of graduate studies and the instructor.

The Literature Major

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Giuseppe Mazzotta (Italian), Christopher L. Miller (French), Rainer Nägele, David Quint, Joseph Roach (English), Maurice Samuels (French), Henry Sussman (German) (Visiting), Katie Trumpener, Christopher Wood (History of Art), Ruth Yeazell (English)

**Associate Professors**  Moira Fradinger, Barry McCrea

**Assistant Professor**  David Gabriel

**Lecturers**  Edward Barnaby, Jan Hagens, Barbara Harshav

**Senior Lector**  Howard Stern

The Literature Major allows students to address fundamental questions about the nature, function, and value of literature in a broadly comparative context. Majors read and write about a wide variety of literary works across periods, genres, and national traditions. They investigate traditional and contemporary approaches to literary study, ancient and modern literary theory, and the relationship of literature to film and to other branches of the arts and sciences.

The Literature Major offers students the freedom to construct a program of study that reflects their intellectual goals. All students planning to major in Literature should register with the director of undergraduate studies, who will work with them to develop a coherent, well-focused sequence of courses suited to their individual interests.

The major offers a number of its own courses, which constitute the core of the program. Other courses are normally chosen from different language and literature programs, many of which offer courses on literature and film in translation. Among these programs are African American Studies, Classics, East Asian Languages and Literatures, English, Film Studies, French, German, Italian, Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations, Portuguese, Slavic Languages and Literatures, and Spanish. Courses in film studies count toward the major in the same way as courses in literature. Students with a particular interest in film may wish to elect the film track within the Literature major, described below.

The experience of reading a foreign literature in the original language enables us to understand the nature of both language and literature more fully. Prospective Literature majors are strongly encouraged to begin the study of a foreign language as early as possible in their academic careers and to continue such study throughout their time at Yale. Students interested in graduate study in comparative literature should be aware that many programs require reading knowledge of two or three foreign languages.

**Prerequisites**  Completion of the Yale College foreign language distributional requirement is a prerequisite for entry into the major. Two specific courses are also prerequisites, LITR 120, Introduction to Narrative, and 122, World Poetry and Performance. These courses may be taken in either order.

**The standard major**  The Literature Major requires fourteen term courses, including two prerequisites, one required course, two core seminars, and the senior requirement. Students must take LITR 300, Introduction to Theory of Literature, in the sophomore or junior year. Students take an additional three courses in a foreign literature, in which they read the texts in the original language. Students may also elect to include in their major two courses in a related discipline that has direct bearing on their study of literature, such as English,
history of art, philosophy, anthropology, music, or theater studies. One of these elective courses may be in creative writing. A third elective from a related discipline may be applied to the major with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

**Core seminars** In core seminars, LITR 400–480, students focus intensively on particular texts, films, literary and cultural issues, and theoretical problems. Students are required to take at least two core seminars, preferably one in the junior and one in the senior year. The seminars provide training in literary interpretation and theory, preparing students for the senior essay.

**Pre-1800 course requirement** The Literature Major requires at least one course in literature before 1800. Because both genres and individual works of literature refer to, emulate, challenge, and rewrite older works and conventions, students benefit from acquiring a degree of historical perspective. All courses listed under “The Ancient World” and “Medieval and Early Modern Literature to 1800” fulfill the pre-1800 requirement. Courses from other departments may also fulfill the requirement.

**Poetry or drama requirement** In addition to LITR 122 and the pre-1800 course, all students must take one course in poetry or drama. The course may be one offered in a program other than Literature.

**Foreign literature requirement** All majors are required to take at least three additional term courses, beyond the foreign language distributional requirement, in an ancient or modern foreign literature, in which the literature is read in the original language. One or more courses can be taken at a basic literature level (normally equivalent to the third year of language study); however, at least one course must be taken at an advanced level (normally equivalent to the fourth year of language study or higher). Students are encouraged to continue developing their foreign language skills by taking advanced language courses and may, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, substitute one language course at the L5 level for one of the three required foreign literature courses.

A literature course in translation is sometimes suitable as a foreign literature course. In such cases, Literature majors are expected to request additional assignments from their instructors that demonstrate they have engaged with the texts in the original language. They should fill out a form, signed by the instructor, attesting to their intent to do so. This form is available in the department office in Room 102, 451 College St.; students should submit it to the director of undergraduate studies along with their course schedule.

Nonnative speakers of English who are granted permission by Yale College to complete the foreign language distributional requirement by taking ENGL 114, 120, or 450 may take three additional English literature courses to fulfill the foreign literature requirement of the Literature Major, or they may fulfill the major requirements in a third language.

**The senior essay** In the senior essay, required of all majors, students develop a research topic of their choice and work closely with a faculty adviser. Normally, the essay makes use of texts in the language of their original composition. Any exceptions must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Deadlines for the prospectus, the rough draft, and the completed essay are listed in the course descriptions of the senior essay course (LITR 491 and 492, 493).
The senior essay may be written over one term (LITR 491) or over two terms (LITR 492, 493). Alternatively, students may fulfill the senior essay requirement within the context of a core seminar (the senior seminar essay). Because no more than five students per seminar may elect this option, students should petition the instructor promptly at the beginning of the term. It is understood that students choosing the senior seminar essay will work closely with the instructor throughout the term and produce a substantial paper, approximately thirty pages. Students earn one course credit for the seminar in which the essay is written; no additional course credit is awarded for the essay itself.

Students with an especially well-developed project may petition to write a yearlong senior essay. Interested juniors must apply to the director of undergraduate studies by the last day of classes in the spring term. Students may count the second term of the essay as one elective course toward the total number of courses required for the major. Students expecting to graduate in May enroll in LITR 492 during the fall term and complete their essays in 493 in the spring term. December graduates enroll in 492 in the spring term and complete their essays in 493 during the following fall term. Students planning to begin their essay in the spring term should notify the director of undergraduate studies by the last day of classes in the fall term.

Film track Students may elect to pursue a film-intensive concentration within the Literature Major. Students in the film track must fulfill the same requirements as those in the standard Literature track, with the following exceptions. Film-track students take LITR 143, World Cinema, instead of LITR 122 as one of the prerequisites to the major. They take two foreign literature courses rather than three; neither may be substituted with an advanced language course. In addition, students in the film track must take one course in film theory and three electives in the field of film studies.

Intensive major Students in the intensive major complete three courses each in two non-anglophone literatures, in all of which the literature is read in the original language. Three of these courses take the place of the three electives in the non-intensive major. Intensive majors must also demonstrate proficiency at the L5 level in one of their languages and at the L4 or above in the other. Students taking the intensive major in three national literatures must take two courses each in two national literatures and three in a third. They must demonstrate proficiency at the L5 level in the language of their principal literature, and at the L4 level or above in the other two.

Year or term abroad The Literature Major encourages students to consider spending a summer, a term, or a year abroad. Courses taken on international programs may, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, be applied to the Literature Major’s foreign literature requirement.

Foreign literature courses The following table lists languages in which advanced literature instruction is available at Yale, specifying courses that fulfill the basic and advanced literature requirements for the major. Courses with numbers higher than those listed also normally fulfill the requirement, providing that they focus on literature (rather than language) and that the literature is read in the original language.
Other ancient and modern languages, including those from Africa, South Asia, and the Middle East, may be suitable for the Literature Major if a qualified faculty adviser is available to supervise the major.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites** Both tracks—LITR 120; completion of Yale College foreign lang distributional req; **Standard track**—LITR 122; **Film track**—LITR 143

**Number of courses** Both tracks—12 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior essay)

**Required course** Both tracks—LITR 300

**Distribution of courses** Both tracks—1 course in lit before 1800; 1 course in poetry or drama; 2 core sems; **Standard track**—3 courses in 1 foreign lit, as specified; **Film track**—2 courses in 1 foreign lit, as specified; 1 course in film theory; 3 electives in film studies

**Substitution permitted** **Standard track**—for 2 electives, 2 courses in another discipline, incl 1 in creative writing; a third course in another discipline for a lit elective, with DUS permission; 1 advanced lang course for 1 of 3 req foreign lit courses, with DUS permission

**Senior requirement** Both tracks—one-term senior essay (LITR 491); or two-term senior essay (LITR 492 and 493); or 1 core sem (LITR 400–480) with senior sem essay

**Intensive major** 3 addtl courses in a second foreign lang in place of 3 electives; demonstrated command of the second foreign lang to L4 level.

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### PREREQUISITES AND REQUIRED COURSES

**LITR 120a, Introduction to Narrative** Barry McCrea, Katerina Clark, Moira Fradinger

A team-taught course that examines how narratives work and what they do. Emphasis on fictional form, the mechanics of plot, and questions of time and duration. Texts are drawn from a variety of periods and cultures, and include folktales, short stories, novels, case studies, graphic novels, and films. **WR, HU**
LITR 122b, World Poetry and Performance  Katie Trumpener, Jan Hagens
A team-taught course that examines lyric and epic poetry, drama, film, song, and performance. Texts are drawn from a broad range of cultures and time periods, from the ancient Near East to our own time. Emphasis on how poetic and dramatic forms shape the stories they tell, on the social and cultural uses to which these forms are put, on the relationship between text and performance, and on historical and cross-cultural connections among texts.  WR, HU

LITR 143b/FILM 240b, World Cinema  Dudley Andrew
An examination of the varieties of films that have been produced around the globe. Different functions served by the medium, particularly since World War II; analysis and contextualization of selected films from four continents.  WR, HU

LITR 300b/ENGL 300b, Introduction to Theory of Literature  Carol Jacobs
An examination of concepts and assumptions in contemporary views of literature. Theories of meaning, interpretation, and representation. Critical analysis of formalist, psychoanalytic, structuralist, poststructuralist, Marxist, and feminist approaches to theory and to literature.  HU

THE ANCIENT WORLD

*LITR 154b/ENGL 395b, The Bible as Literature  Leslie Brisman
For description see under English Language & Literature.

LITR 158a/CLCV 254a, Introduction to Greek Literature  Victor Bers
For description see under Classics.

*LITR 165a/CLCV 119a/HUMS 301a, The Invention of the Classic  Irene Peirano
For description see under Classics.

*LITR 166b/CLCV 221b, Imperialisms Ancient and Modern  Christina Kraus, Thomas Beasley
For description see under Classics.

MEDIEVAL AND EARLY MODERN LITERATURE TO 1800

LITR 172a/CHNS 200a, Man and Nature in Chinese Literature  Kang-i Sun Chang
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

LITR 175a/HUMS 431a/JAPN 200a, Japan’s Classics in Text and Image  Edward Kamens
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

LITR 178a/HUMS 420a/MMES 201a/NELC 156a, Classics of the Arabic-Islamic World  Beatrice Gruendler
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

LITR 183a/ITAL 310a, Dante in Translation  Giuseppe Mazzotta
For description see under Italian.

LITR 189a/SPAN 300a, Cervantes’s Don Quijote  Roberto González Echevarría
For description see under Spanish.
*LITR 190a/FREN 210a^c/HUMS 241a, Renaissance of the Middle Ages
   R. Howard Bloch
For description see under Humanities.

EUROPEAN LITERATURE SINCE 1800

*LITR 202b/ENGL 249b/HUMS 361b, English Literature and the French Revolution
   David Bromwich
For description see under English Language & Literature.

LITR 204b/GMST 185b/HUMS 344b, Ideology, Religion, and Revolution in German Thought
   Henry Sussman
For description see under German Studies.

LITR 206b/RSEE 255b/RUSS 255b, Studies in the Novel: Tolstoy
   Vladimir Alexandrov
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

LITR 208a/RSEE 256a/RUSS 256a, Studies in the Novel: Dostoevsky
   Bella Grigoryan
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*LITR 212a/FREN 397a/HUMS 362a, French Theory from Sartre to Derrida
   Yue Zhuo
For description see under French.

*LITR 214a/FREN 240a/HUMS 201a, The Modern French Novel
   Alice Kaplan, Maurice Samuels
For description see under French.

*LITR 226b/CLCV 216b/HUMS 214b/MGRK 216b, Dionysus in Modernity
   George Syrimis
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

*LITR 230a/CLCV 209a/HUMS 213a/MGRK 215a, Nikos Kazantzakis:
   From Revolution to Nihilism
   George Syrimis
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

LITR 231a/LAST 393a/PORT 393a, Modern Brazilian and Portuguese Fiction in Translation
   K. David Jackson
For description see under Portuguese.

*LITR 234b/FREN 355b/HUMS 204b, Camus and the Postwar Era
   Alice Kaplan
For description see under French.

NON-EUROPEAN LITERATURE SINCE 1800

LITR 254a/CHNS 250a, Modern Chinese Literature
   Staff
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

LITR 260a/JAPN 250a, Modern Japanese Fiction
   John Treat
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.
LITR 266a/AFAM 191a/AFST 330a/FREN 230a, Francophone African and Caribbean Literature  Christopher L. Miller
For description see under French.

LITR 268a/ENGL 343a/SAST 371a, Postcolonial Studies  Shital Pravinchandra
For description see under English Language & Literature.

LITR 271b/AFAM 369b/AMST 378b/ENGL 364b/THST 369b, African American Theater  Paige McGinley
For description see under Theater Studies.

LITR 292b/LAST 396b/PORT 396b, Modern Brazilian Literature in Translation  K. David Jackson
For description see under Portuguese.

LITR 293b/PORT 370b/SPAN 383b, Psychology in Literature: Characters on the Margins of Reality  K. David Jackson
For description see under Portuguese.

LITR 296a/LAST 392a/PORT 392a, Brazil’s Modern Art Movement  K. David Jackson
For description see under Portuguese.

LITR 302, Translation: Theoretical and Practical Issues  Barbara Harshav
Exploration of various theoretical and practical problems in translation. Topics include the responsibility of the translator to the text, the author, and the reader; the reliability of translation as a literary mode; the transmission or perversion of culture via translation; and the specific problems involved with the translation of various genres (poetry, drama, fiction, and nonfiction).

LITR 304a/GMST 364a, Books, Displays, and Systems Theory  Henry Sussman
A status report on the book as a medium in an age of cybernetic technology and virtual reality. The contentious no-man’s land between books and contemporary systems. HU RP

LITR 309b/LAST 108b, Latin American Intellectual Debates  Moira Fradinger
A study of cultural debates in Latin America and the Caribbean primarily through the literary form of the essay; novels, poems, and films are also included. Nineteenth-century polemics over emancipation; twentieth-century questions of cultural independence from Europe, indigenismo, negritude, hybridity, and transculturation. Authors include Bolívar, Sarmiento, Rodo, Vasconcelos, Reyes, González Prada, Mariátegui, Arguedas, Roumain, Césaire, Fanon, Rama, Retamar, Glissant, and Galeano. HU

LITR 314b/HUMS 255b/PHIL 335b, Art, Love, and Beauty  Karsten Harries
For description see under Philosophy.

LITR 319a/GMAN 311a/GMST 336a, German Eccentric Realism  Rainer Nägele
For description see under Germanic Languages & Literatures.

LITR 323b/ENGL 336b/THST 303b, The Opera Libretto  J. D. McClatchy
For description see under English Language & Literature.
*LITR 328b/GMST 212b/HUMS 277b/MGRK 212b, Folktales and Fairy Tales
Maria Kaliambou
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

*LITR 334b/GMAN 191b, Problems of Lyric
Howard Stern
Masterpieces of European and American lyric studied in relation to the various determinants of poetry: grammar and logic, meter and rhyme, self-consciousness and performativity, myth and theme. Poets include Brecht, Rilke, Goethe, Frost, and Elizabeth Bishop. Reading knowledge of German or French useful but not required.  

*LITR 337a/HUMS 297a/ITAL 205a, Italian Food and Literature
Risa Sodi
For description see under Italian.

*LITR 344b/ITAL 352b, Cross-Cultural Narratives: Italy and America
Risa Sodi
For description see under Italian.

*LITR 346a/GMST 182a/HUMS 400a, Legacies of the Enlightenment
Kirk Wayers
For description see under German Studies.

**FILM**

LITR 351b/FILM 333b/HUMS 375b, Early Film Theory and Modernity
Francesco Casetti
For description see under Film Studies.

LITR 354a/FILM 312a/G/HUMS 216a, Theory of Media
Francesco Casetti
For description see under Film Studies.

*LITR 355a/FILM 459a/GMAN 354a, The Films of Fassbinder, Herzog, and Haneke
Brigitte Peucker
For description see under Germanic Languages & Literatures.

*LITR 357a/ENGL 321a/HUMS 246a, Visual Culture in Literature, Drama, and Film
Edward Barnaby
A discussion of texts that address the transformation of visual culture and the act of seeing in modern industrial society. The dynamics such texts reveal in relationships between individuals and mass culture, authenticity and commodity, theory and ideology. Questions of imperialism, rationalism, industrialism, voyeurism, tourism, and realism as inscribed in landscape, architecture, painting, photography, theater, and cinema.  

*LITR 358b/FILM 440b/JAPN 274b, The Japanese Period Film
Aaron Gerow
For description see under Film Studies.

*LITR 359a/FILM 457a/ITAL 303a, Italian Film from Postwar to Postmodern
Millicent Marcus
For description see under Italian.

*LITR 360b/FILM 363b, Radical Cinemas of Latin America
Moira Fradinger
For description see under Film Studies.

*LITR 380b/FILM 411b, The Films of Alfred Hitchcock
Brigitte Peucker
For description see under Film Studies.
CORE SEMINARS

Two seminars are required for Literature majors; nonmajors may be admitted with permission of the instructor.

*LITR 450a/FILM 445a, Adaptation and Representation in Cinema  Dudley Andrew
Cinematic adaptations of works from older arts, particularly literature. Adaptation as a sign of the modernity of cinema. Case studies of filmic transformations; the status of the arts in the twentieth and twenty-first centuries.  RP

*LITR 466a/GMST 308a/HUMS 262a, W. G. Sebald  Carol Jacobs
For description see under German Studies.

*LITR 468a/GMST 365a/HUMS 261a, The Question of Form  Carol Jacobs
The concept of art in relation to form and deformation. The Platonic tradition in The Republic and echoed in twentieth-century philosophy (Cassirer and Heidegger), modern literature (Keats, Hardy, Kleist, Poe, Kafka), and film (Godard, Egoyan, Dreyer, Sun Zhou, and Wong Kar Wai).  HU

*LITR 469b, The World as Theater  Jan Hagens
Dramatic texts in the Western tradition that display the world as a theater. Their aesthetics, dramatic structure, historical significance, and assertions about human psychology, individual and societal action, and the meaning of life.  HU

*LITR 488a, Directed Reading and/or Individual Research  Moira Fradinger
Special projects in an area of the student's particular interest set up with the help of a faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies. Projects must cover material not otherwise offered by the department, must terminate in at least a term paper or its equivalent, and must have the approval of the director of undergraduate studies. Enrollment limited to Literature majors.

SENIOR COURSES

*LITR 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Moira Fradinger
An independent writing and research project. The senior essay is due in the office of the director of undergraduate studies according to the following schedule: (1) by September 9 (for LITR 491a) or January 20 (for LITR 491b), a three-page prospectus signed by the student's adviser; (2) by October 21 (for LITR 491a) or March 2 (for LITR 491b), a full rough draft (not notes); (3) by December 2 (for LITR 491a) or April 13 (for LITR 491b), the completed essay. The minimum length for an essay is twenty-five pages. Students are urged to arrange a topic and adviser early in the term before the term in which the essay is to be written.

*LITR 492a or b and 493a or b, The Yearlong Senior Essay  Moira Fradinger
An extended research project. Students must petition the curriculum committee for permission to enroll by the last day of classes in the term preceding enrollment in LITR 492. For students expecting to graduate in May, the senior essay is due in the office of the director of undergraduate studies according to the following schedule: (1) by September 9,
a three-page prospectus signed by the student’s adviser; (2) by January 20, a full rough draft (not notes); (3) by April 13, the completed essay. December graduates should consult the director of undergraduate studies for required deadlines. The minimum length for a yearlong senior essay is forty pages.  Cr/year only

Management Sciences
(See under Operations Research.)

Mathematics
(See also Applied Mathematics.)
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Mathematics has many aspects: it is the language and tool of the sciences, a cultural phenomenon with a rich historical tradition, and a model of abstract reasoning. The course offerings and the major in Mathematics reflect these multiple facets. The Mathematics major provides a broad education in various areas of mathematics in a program flexible enough to accommodate many ranges of interest.

B.A. and B.S. degree programs The prerequisite for each program is calculus through the level of MATH 120, or the equivalent. Each program normally consists of ten term courses in Mathematics numbered 222 and higher, including MATH 480. These ten may include no more than five term courses from other institutions. Each student is expected to take vector calculus and linear algebra, either MATH 230 and 231, or one of MATH 222 or 225 and MATH 250. To acquire both depth and breadth in the field, students are
required to take at least two term courses in each of three of the following five categories: analysis, algebra and number theory, statistics and applied mathematics, geometry and topology, and logic and foundations. Specific courses in each category are listed below. Each major program must also include at least two courses selected from the three core areas: real analysis (MATH 300 or 301 or higher), algebra (MATH 350 or higher), and complex analysis (MATH 310 or higher). Taking courses from all three core areas is strongly recommended.

Each Mathematics major is urged to acquire additional familiarity with the uses of mathematics by taking courses in Applied Mathematics, Computer Science, Engineering and Applied Science, Economics, Operations Research, Philosophy, Physics, Statistics, or other departments. In some instances a limited number of such courses may be counted among the ten courses required for the major in Mathematics, with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

A candidate for the B.S. degree must take at least two advanced term courses in the physical sciences, such as CHEM 328, 332, 333, or PHYS 401, 402, in addition to the ten term courses required for the B.A. degree. Such courses require the approval of the director of undergraduate studies; written approval is advised.

Any student interested in pursuing further study in pure mathematics should include MATH 301, 305, 310, 350, 370, and 430 in his or her program, and should consider taking one or more graduate-level courses. Students interested in applications of mathematics should include MATH 300 or 301, 310, 350, and a selection of courses from MATH 241, 242, 244, 246, 251, 260, and CPSC 440.

Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

The intensive major Candidates for a degree with an intensive major in Mathematics must take courses in all three of the core areas: real analysis (MATH 300 or 301 or higher), algebra (MATH 350 or higher), and complex analysis (MATH 310 or higher). Intensive majors are also expected to include at least two graduate term courses in the Mathematics department, or equivalent independent study, in their programs. Familiarity with the material of the following courses is prerequisite to graduate courses in each category: algebra: two courses between MATH 350 and 399; analysis: MATH 301, 305, 310; algebraic topology: MATH 301, 350; logic and foundations: MATH 270. Only those students who have completed the intensive major are eligible for Distinction in the Major.

Senior requirement During the senior year students majoring in Mathematics normally take the senior seminar (MATH 480). Alternatively, with the consent of the director of undergraduate studies, highly qualified students may write a senior essay in MATH 470 under the guidance of a faculty member, and give an oral report to the department. Students wishing to write a senior essay should consult the director of undergraduate studies early in the fall term.

Combined B.S./M.S. degree program Students who, by the end of their senior year, complete the requirements of the department for the M.S. in Mathematics will be eligible to receive this degree at their Senior Commencement. Required are: (1) eight term courses numbered 300 or higher, most of which must be completed with grades of B or better; (2) a reading knowledge of mathematical literature in a foreign language of importance
for mathematical research (normally French, German, or Russian); (3) satisfactory performance on a general oral examination.

The master’s program is in no sense a substitute for the B.A. or B.S. program; rather, it is designed to accommodate a very few exceptional students who, by means of accelerated or independent study, can satisfy the department as to their command of the content of the normal undergraduate program. During spring term of the sophomore year candidates must submit a proposal that foresees this level of achievement by the end of junior year to the director of undergraduate studies. If approved by the department this proposal will be forwarded to the Dean’s Office; see “Simultaneous Award of Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees” in chapter II, section K. Students’ status and progress will be reviewed before they are permitted to continue in the program in the senior year.

Students take at least two graduate term courses in the junior year (normally courses in algebra or analysis are the first graduate courses taken). The general oral examination covers a list of topics available from the director of graduate studies and will be accepted in lieu of the usual senior oral presentation. Details concerning the requirements for the master’s degree may be obtained from the director of graduate studies.

**Placement in courses** The department offers a three-term sequence in calculus, MATH 112, 115, and 120. Students who have not taken calculus at Yale and who wish to enroll in calculus must take the online placement examination found on the department Web page (www.math.yale.edu). At the beginning of each term a calculus preregistration session is held in 432 DL. To enroll in a calculus course a student must bring the results of the placement exam, as well as other pertinent information such as Advanced Placement test scores, to the preregistration session. Advisers will be on hand to assist each student in enrolling in the appropriate course.

MATH 112 is an introductory course that presupposes basic skills in high school algebra, geometry, and trigonometry. Enrolling students are expected to know the basic definitions of the trigonometric functions, synthetic division, factorization, and elementary area and volume formulas of plane and solid geometry. MATH 115 presupposes familiarity with the topics covered in MATH 112. MATH 120 presupposes familiarity with the topics covered in MATH 115.

MATH 230, 231 is an advanced course in linear algebra and introductory analysis for students with exceptionally strong backgrounds in mathematics. Students who wish to enroll in MATH 230 should consult with the instructor of the course. After MATH 115, students with a strong interest in abstract mathematics should consider taking MATH 230, 231.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisite** MATH 120 or equivalent

**Number of courses** B.A. — 10 term courses numbered 222 or higher, incl MATH 480; B.S. — same, with 2 addtl courses in physical sciences

**Distribution of courses** B.A. — 2 courses in each of 3 categories chosen from (a) analysis, (b) algebra and number theory, (c) stat and applied math, (d) geometry and topology, (e) logic and foundations; 2 courses from core areas of real analysis, algebra, and complex analysis, as specified; B.S. — same, with 2 addtl advanced courses in physical sciences approved by DUS

**Specific courses required** MATH 230 and 231; or MATH 222 or 225, and MATH 250
Substitution permitted With DUS permission, certain courses in Applied Math, Comp Sci, Engineering & Applied Science, Econ, Operations Research, Phil, Physics, Stat
Senior requirement Senior sem (MATH 480) or, with DUS permission, senior essay (MATH 470) and oral report
Intensive major Courses in all 3 core areas; 2 grad courses or equivalent independent study counted among the required courses

Introductory courses MATH 107, 112, 115, 116, 118, 120, 121, 190
Analysis MATH 231, 246, 250, 300, 301, 305, 310, 315, 320, 325
Statistics and applied mathematics MATH 241, 242, 244, 246, 247, 251, 260, 262, 310, 330; CPSC 201, 365, 440
Algebra and number theory MATH 222, 225, 230, 244, 250, 255, 256, 270, 280, 281, 440
Geometry and topology MATH 290, 360, 430
Logic and foundations MATH 270; PHIL 267, 427

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

These courses do not count toward the requirements of a major in Mathematics. Students wishing to enroll in MATH 112, 115, or 120 are expected to preregister for a specific section. In the fall, preregistration is on Tuesday, August 30, 2011, from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in 432 DL; in the spring, preregistration is on Monday, January 9, 2012, from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., also in 432 DL. Students who have not taken calculus at Yale must complete the online placement exam at math.yale.edu/undergrad/placement-exam before preregistering. Those who do not preregister may be excluded from sections of MATH 112, 115, or 120 that are full.

*MATH 107a, Mathematics in the Real World Anna Lachowska
The use of mathematics to address real-world problems. Applications of exponential functions to compound interest and population growth; geometric series in mortgage payments, amortization of loans, present value of money, and drug doses and blood levels; basic probability, Bayes’s rule, and false positives in drug testing; perpetual calendar and modular arithmetic. No knowledge of calculus required. Enrollment limited to students who have not previously taken a high school or college calculus course. QR

*MATH 112a or b, Calculus of Functions of One Variable I Anna Lachowska and staff
Limits and their properties. Definitions and some techniques of differentiation and the evaluation of definite integrals, with applications. Use of the software package Mathematica to illustrate concepts. No prior acquaintance with calculus or computing assumed. QR

*MATH 115a or b, Calculus of Functions of One Variable II Andrew Casson and staff
A continuation of MATH 112. Applications of integration, with some formal techniques and numerical methods. Improper integrals, approximation of functions by polynomials, infinite series. Exercises involve the software package Mathematica. After MATH 112 or equivalent; open to freshmen with some preparation in calculus. May not be taken after MATH 116. QR

*MATH 116a, Mathematical Models in the Biosciences I: Calculus Techniques Michael Frame
Introduction to topics in mathematical modeling that are applicable to biological systems. Discrete and continuous models of population, neural, and cardiac dynamics. Stability
of fixed points and limit cycles of differential equations. Applications include Norton’s chemotherapy scheduling and stochastic models of tumor suppressor gene networks. After MATH 112 or equivalent. May not be taken after MATH 115. QR

*MATH 118a or b, Introduction to Functions of Several Variables*
Marketa Havlickova
Differential calculus of several variables, with some linear algebra. Intended for students in the social sciences, especially Economics. May not be taken after MATH 120 or 222.
Prerequisite: MATH 112. QR

*MATH 120a or b, Calculus of Functions of Several Variables*
Michael Frame and staff
Analytic geometry in three dimensions, using vectors. Real-valued functions of two and three variables, partial derivatives, gradient and directional derivatives, level curves and surfaces, maxima and minima. Parametrized curves in space, motion in space, line integrals; applications. Multiple integrals, with applications. Divergence and curl. The theorems of Green, Stokes, and Gauss. After MATH 115, or with permission of instructor.
May not be taken after MATH 121. QR

*MATH 121b, Mathematical Models in the Biosciences II: Advanced Techniques*
Michael Frame
A continuation of MATH 116, focusing on epidemiological models, mathematical foundations of virus and antiviral dynamics, ion channel models and cardiac arrhythmias, and evolutionary models of disease. After MATH 115 or 116, or with permission of instructor. May not be taken after MATH 120. QR

*MATH 190a, Fractal Geometry*
Michael Frame
A visual introduction to the geometry of fractals and the dynamics of chaos, accessible to students not majoring in science. Study of mathematical patterns repeating on many levels and expressions of these patterns in nature, art, music, and literature. QR

INTERMEDIATE AND ADVANCED COURSES

The courses in this group count toward the requirements of a major in Mathematics.

*MATH 222a or b/AMTH 222a or b, Linear Algebra with Applications*
Yael Algom-Kfir, Peter Schultheiss

*MATH 225a or b, Linear Algebra and Matrix Theory*
Corina Calinescu [F], Howard Garland [Sp]
An introduction to the theory of vector spaces, matrix theory and linear transformations, determinants, eigenvalues, and quadratic forms. Some relations to calculus and geometry are included. After or concurrently with MATH 120. May not be taken after MATH 222. QR
*MATH 230a, Vector Calculus and Linear Algebra I  Asaf Hadari  
A careful study of the calculus of functions of several variables, combined with linear algebra.  QR

*MATH 231b, Vector Calculus and Linear Algebra II  Asaf Hadari  
Continuation of MATH 230. Application of linear algebra to differential calculus. Inverse and implicit function theorems; the idea of a manifold; integration of differential forms; general Stokes’ theorem.  QR

MATH 241a/STAT 241a, Probability Theory  David Pollard  
For description see under Statistics.

MATH 242b/STAT 242b, Theory of Statistics  Lisha Chen  
For description see under Statistics.

MATH 244a/AMTH 244a, Discrete Mathematics  Matthew Hirn  
Basic concepts and results in discrete mathematics: graphs, trees, connectivity, Ramsey theorem, enumeration, binomial coefficients, Stirling numbers. Properties of finite set systems. Recommended preparation: MATH 115 or equivalent.  QR

MATH 246a or b, Ordinary Differential Equations  Garving Luli  
First-order equations, second-order equations, linear systems with constant coefficients. Numerical solution methods. Geometric and algebraic properties of differential equations. After MATH 120 or equivalent; after or concurrently with MATH 222 or 225 or equivalent.  QR

MATH 247b/AMTH 247b/G&G 247b, Partial Differential Equations  Igor Frenkel  
Introduction to partial differential equations, wave equation, Laplace’s equation, heat equation, method of characteristics, calculus of variations, series and transform methods, and numerical methods. Prerequisites: MATH 222 or 225, MATH 246, and ENAS 194, or equivalents.  QR

MATH 250a, Vector Analysis  Roger Howe  
Calculus of functions of several variables, using vector and matrix methods. The derivative as a linear mapping. Inverse and implicit function theorems. Transformation of multiple integrals. Line and surface integrals of vector fields. Curl and divergence. Differential forms. Theorems of Green and Gauss; general Stokes’ theorem. After MATH 120, and 222 or 225 or equivalent.  QR

MATH 251b/STAT 251b, Stochastic Processes  Jing Zhang  
For description see under Statistics.

MATH 260a/AMTH 260a, Basic Analysis in Function Spaces  Ronald Coifman  
Diagonalization of linear operators, with applications in physics and engineering; calculus of variations; data analysis. MATH 260 is a natural continuation of PHYS 301. Prerequisites: MATH 120, and 222 or 225.  QR

MATH 270a, Set Theory  Gregg Zuckerman  
Algebra of sets; finite, countable, and uncountable sets. Cardinal numbers and cardinal arithmetic. Order types and ordinal numbers. The axiom of choice and the well-ordering theorem. After MATH 120 or equivalent.  QR
MATH 290b, Fractal Geometry: Concepts and Applications
Amanda Folsom
An examination of mathematical patterns repeating on many levels. Mathematical concepts of fractals and chaos, and application of these tools to modeling natural phenomena. Prerequisites: MATH 120 and 222 or equivalent. QR

MATH 300b, Topics in Analysis Swarnendu Datta
An introduction to analysis, with topics chosen from infinite series, the theory of metric spaces, and fixed-point theorems with applications. Students who have taken MATH 230, 231 should take MATH 301 instead of this course. After MATH 250 or with permission of instructor. QR

*MATH 301a, Introduction to Analysis Peter Jones
Foundations of real analysis, including metric spaces and point set topology, infinite series, and function spaces. After MATH 230, 231 or equivalent. QR

MATH 305b, Real Analysis Yair Minsky
The Lebesgue integral, Fourier series, applications to differential equations. After MATH 301 or with permission of instructor. QR

MATH 310a, Introduction to Complex Analysis Alexander Kontorovich
An introduction to the theory and applications of functions of a complex variable. Differentiability of complex functions. Complex integration and Cauchy’s theorem. Series expansions. Calculus of residues. Conformal mapping. After MATH 230 or 250 or equivalent. QR

*MATH 315bG, Intermediate Complex Analysis Yen Quang Do
Continuation of MATH 310. Topics may include argument principle, Rouché’s theorem, Hurwitz theorem, Runge’s theorem, analytic continuation, Schwarz reflection principle, Jensen’s formula, infinite products, Weierstrass theorem. Functions of finite order, Hadamard’s theorem, meromorphic functions. Mittag-Leffler’s theorem, subharmonic functions. After MATH 310. QR RP

*MATH 320aG, Measure Theory and Integration Gregory Margulis
Construction and limit theorems for measures and integrals on general spaces; product measures; Lp spaces; integral representation of linear functionals. After MATH 305 or equivalent. QR RP

*MATH 325bG, Introduction to Functional Analysis Garving Luli
Hilbert, normed, and Banach spaces; geometry of Hilbert space, Riesz-Fischer theorem; dual space; Hahn-Banach theorem; Riesz representation theorems; linear operators; Baire category theorem; uniform boundedness, open mapping, and closed graph theorems. After MATH 320. QR RP

MATH 330b/STAT 330bG, Advanced Probability Mokshay Madiman
For description see under Statistics.

MATH 350a, Introduction to Abstract Algebra Andrew Casson
Group theory, structure of Abelian groups, and applications to number theory. Symmetric groups and linear groups including orthogonal and unitary groups; properties of Euclidean and Hermitian spaces. Some examples of group representations. Modules
over Euclidean rings, Jordan and rational canonical forms of a linear transformation. After MATH 222 or equivalent. QR

*MATH 354b, Number Theory* Amanda Folsom
Prime numbers; quadratic reciprocity law, Gauss sums; finite fields, equations over finite fields; zeta functions. After MATH 350. QR

*MATH 360a, Introduction to Lie Groups* Roger Howe
Lie groups as the embodiment of the idea of continuous symmetry. The exponential map on matrices and applications; spectral theory; examples and structure of Lie groups and Lie algebras; connections with geometry and physics. After MATH 231 or 250 or equivalent. MATH 300 or 301 and MATH 350 recommended. QR

*MATH 370b, Fields and Galois Theory* Marketa Havlickova
Rings, with emphasis on integral domains and polynomial rings. The theory of fields and Galois theory, including finite fields, solvability of equations by radicals, and the fundamental theorem of algebra. Quadratic forms. After MATH 350. QR

*MATH 373a, Algebraic Number Theory* Alexander Goncharov
Structure of fields of algebraic numbers (solutions of polynomial equations with integer coefficients) and their rings of integers; prime decomposition of ideals and finiteness of the ideal class group; completions and ramification; adeles and ideles; zeta functions. Prerequisites: MATH 310 and 370. QR

*MATH 380a, Modern Algebra I* Mikhail Kapranov
A survey of algebraic constructions and theories at a sophisticated level. Topics include categorical language, free groups and other free objects in categories, general theory of rings and modules, artinian rings, and introduction to homological algebra. After MATH 350 and 370. QR RP

*MATH 381b, Modern Algebra II* Gregg Zuckerman
Topics in commutative algebra: general extension of fields; Noetherian, local, and Dedekind rings. Introduction to valuation theory. Rudiments of algebraic geometry. After MATH 380. QR RP

*MATH 430b, Introduction to Algebraic Topology* Ian Biringer
The theory of fundamental groups and covering spaces, with particular reference to two-dimensional manifolds. After MATH 350, and 300 or 301, or equivalents. QR

*MATH 470a or b, Individual Studies* Andrew Casson
Individual investigation of an area of mathematics outside of those covered in regular courses, involving directed reading, discussion, and either papers or an examination. A written plan of study approved by the student’s adviser and the director of undergraduate studies is required. The course may normally be elected for only one term.

*MATH 480a or b, Senior Seminar: Mathematical Topics* Igor Frenkel and staff
A number of mathematical topics are chosen each term—e.g., differential topology, Lie algebras, mathematical methods in physics—and explored in one section of the seminar. Students present several talks on the chosen topic. One section each year is devoted to topics of interest to Economics and Mathematics majors, and is co-taught by a member of the Economics department.
RELATED COURSES IN OTHER DEPARTMENTS

A limited number of these courses may, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, be counted with Mathematics courses toward the requirements of the major.

**CPSC 201a or b, Introduction to Computer Science**  
Holly Rushmeier [F], Dana Angluin [Sp]

**CPSC 365b, Design and Analysis of Algorithms**  
Daniel Spielman

**CPSC 440b, Numerical Computation**  
Vladimir Rokhlin

**OPRS 235a/AMTH 235a, Optimization**  
Eric Denardo  
For description see under Operations Research.

**PHIL 267a, Mathematical Logic**  
Sun-Joo Shin

**PHIL 427b, Computability and Logic**  
Sun-Joo Shin

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST

Each year the Mathematics and Statistics departments offer a large number of graduate courses, some of which are accessible to undergraduates with advanced preparation in mathematics. Further information may be obtained from the directors of undergraduate studies whose permission, with that of the relevant director of graduate studies, is required for admission.

Mathematics and Computer Science  
(See under Computer Science and Mathematics.)

Mathematics and Economics  
(See under Economics and Mathematics.)

Mathematics and Philosophy

The Mathematics and Philosophy major allows students to explore those areas where philosophy and mathematics meet, in particular, mathematical and philosophical logic and the philosophy of mathematics.

The prerequisite for the major is MATH 120. The major requires twelve term courses including the prerequisite, at least four of which must be in Mathematics at the 200 level or higher and five of which must be in Philosophy. All Philosophy courses are eligible for credit toward the major, with the exception of First-Order Logic (PHIL 115). Required courses include Set Theory (MATH 270), Mathematical Logic (PHIL 267), Computability and Logic (PHIL 427), an additional advanced Philosophy course with a substantive logical component, and one seminar in either Mathematics or Philosophy (other than PHIL 427) that fulfills the senior requirement (see below). Set Theory (MATH 270) and
Mathematical Logic (PHIL 267) must be taken before the end of the junior year; it is strongly recommended that they be taken earlier.

**Senior requirement** Each year certain seminars offered by the Mathematics and Philosophy departments are designated as fulfilling the senior requirement of this major. If such a seminar is taken in order to fulfill the senior requirement, majors must consult with the instructor and agree upon additional work required. Typically, additional work includes a substantial class presentation and/or preparation of a series of drafts prior to submission of the final paper.

The Mathematics seminar fulfilling the senior requirement for 2011–2012 is MATH 480, Senior Seminar: Mathematical Topics. For Philosophy seminars that fulfill the senior requirement, consult the director of undergraduate studies in Philosophy.

A typical program satisfying the major might consist of MATH 120, 222 or 225, 270, 300, 350, and a designated seminar; PHIL 126, 267, 427, a designated seminar (other than PHIL 427), and two additional electives.

Majors should consult Andrew Casson, 216 LOM, 432-7056, andrew.casson@yale.edu (adviser in Mathematics), and Keith DeRose, 410 C, 432-1674, keith.deros@yale.edu (adviser in Philosophy).

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisite**  MATH 120

**Number of courses** 12 term courses (incl prereq and senior sem)

**Distribution of courses**  At least 5 in Math and 5 in Phil

**Specific courses required**  MATH 270, PHIL 267, 427

**Senior requirement**  Senior sem

Mathematics and Physics

The major in Mathematics and Physics allows students to explore the productive interaction between the two subjects more extensively than either individual major. A minimum of fourteen term courses in Mathematics and Physics above the sophomore level is required, with at least six courses in each of the two subjects. A senior essay, or a project from PHYS 471 or 472, on a topic appropriate for the combined major and acceptable to both the Physics and the Mathematics departments is also required. The student must present an oral report on this essay or project to the Mathematics department. Majors should consult Vincent Moncrief, 64 SPL, 432-6930.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisites**  MATH 120 or equivalent; PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261; PHYS 205L, 206L

**Number of courses** 14 term courses beyond prereqs

**Distribution of courses** 6 in Math at or above the level of MATH 222; 6 advanced Physics courses selected in consultation with DUS

**Senior requirement**  Senior essay or project from PHYS 471 or 472 on topic acceptable to both depts; oral report on essay or project to Math dept
Mechanical Engineering

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Professors Charles Ahn, Ira Bernstein (Emeritus), Juan Fernández de la Mora, Alessandro Gomez, Amable Liñán-Martínez (Adjunct), Marshall Long, Udo Schwarz, Mitchell Smooke (Chair), Forman Williams (Adjunct)

Associate Professors Eric Dufresne, Corey O’Hern, Ainissa Ramirez, Jan Schroers

Assistant Professors Aaron Dollar, John Morrell, Nicholas Ouellette, †Hongxing Tang

Lecturers Beth Anne Bennett, Ronald Lehrach, Kailasnath Purushothaman

†A joint appointment with Electrical Engineering.

Mechanical engineering is among the most diversified of the traditional engineering disciplines. The mechanical engineer builds machines to extend our physical and mental capabilities and to convert traditional and novel energy sources into useful forms.

The role of the mechanical engineer has changed dramatically over the past few decades with the extensive use of high-performance computers (in such areas as computational fluid dynamics design, data acquisition, control, and manufacturing), the interfacing of MEMS and actuators via microprocessors to measure and control (e.g., in flow control, robot control, and optimization of automobile performance), and the advent of new materials (composite, shape-memory alloy, ceramic, superconducting) for new applications (e.g., prosthetic devices, biomaterials, stealth aircraft). These new areas offer mechanical engineering students special opportunities for creativity, demanding that they learn not only in depth but also in breadth. Demands for increased energy efficiency and reduced environmental impact—as might be realized, for example, in novel gas turbine or electric hybrid vehicles—require that students understand the fundamentals of mechanics, thermodynamics, fluid mechanics, combustion, and materials science. In all these tasks, the utmost consideration of the modern mechanical engineer is improving the quality of human life. The engineer must be constantly aware both of the finiteness of Earth’s resources and its environment and of the burden that engineering works place on them.

The educational mission of the Department of Mechanical Engineering is to provide an excellent education that will prepare students to become members of the next generation of mechanical engineers. To implement this mission, the department adheres to the following set of educational objectives: to provide a balanced technical and nontechnical education to enable graduates to enter highly selective graduate schools and/or to pursue technical careers in industry or government laboratories; to enable graduates to improve and adapt their skills to accommodate rapid technological changes; to prepare graduates to communicate effectively and to understand the ethical responsibilities and impact on society of their profession. To achieve these objectives, the following fundamental educational goals have been established for the Department of Mechanical Engineering: to provide a comprehensive introduction to basic science and mathematics, which form the foundation of mechanical engineering; to provide thorough training in methods of analytical, experimental, and data analysis, including problem formulation; to provide
instruction in the fundamentals of the design process, including project innovation, synthesis, and management, both individually and in a team setting; to provide both a technical and a nontechnical program of study in which oral and written communication skills are developed; to instill in students an understanding of their professional and ethical responsibilities, which affect society and their profession.

At Yale, three mechanical engineering programs are offered: a B.S. degree program with a major in Mechanical Engineering, a B.S. degree program with a major in Engineering Sciences (Mechanical), and a B.A. degree program with a major in Engineering Sciences (Mechanical). Prospective majors in both B.S. programs are advised to complete introductory physics and mathematics through calculus (MATH 115) by the end of their freshman year.

A student’s undergraduate engineering program usually culminates in one or more special project courses (MENG 471, 472), in which the student pursues a particular interest through design-oriented projects and experimental investigations. Projects may be initiated by the student, may be performed in a team, or may be derived from the ideas of faculty members who place undergraduates in their ongoing research projects. All interested students should contact the director of undergraduate studies, preferably no later than the beginning of the sophomore year.

**B.S. degree program in Mechanical Engineering**  This is the most technically intensive mechanical engineering degree program and is accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, Inc. This program is appropriate for students who plan careers as practicing engineers in industry, consulting firms, or government as well as for students who are considering a career in research and plan to pursue an advanced degree in engineering.

The prerequisites in mathematics are MATH 112, 115, and ENAS 151, or the equivalent. The basic science prerequisites are PHYS 200, 201, or 180, 181; one laboratory from PHYS 165L or 205L, and one from PHYS 166L or 206L, or equivalents.

Nineteen term courses beyond the prerequisites are required as follows:

1. Advanced mathematics: ENAS 194 and MATH 222 or 225
2. Mechanical engineering and related: MENG 211, 280, 285, 286L, 361, 363L, 383, 389, 390, 471 or 472 (the senior requirement), 489, ENAS 130, EENG 200, and at least one term course in chemistry (e.g., CHEM 112, 113, 114, 115, or 118)
3. Technical electives: Three approved technical electives chosen in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies.

The curriculum in this program is arranged in prescribed patterns, but some departures from it are possible with approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

**B.S. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Mechanical)**  This non-ABET degree program is suitable for students who wish to gain significant expertise within mechanical engineering while combining their engineering studies with related disciplines. For example, a number of students have taken courses in architecture while pursuing a program in mechanical engineering that emphasizes structural mechanics; similarly, a student with an interest in computer graphics might combine engineering courses in computer-aided design with programming courses from the Department of Computer Science. The major requires twelve approved term courses in engineering, which can cover a broad array of topics within the subject provided that they contribute to a coherent program. Students should consult with the director of undergraduate studies at the beginning of their sophomore year.
The prerequisites in mathematics are MATH 112, 115, and ENAS 151, or the equivalent. The basic science prerequisites are PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201; one laboratory from PHYS 165L or 205L, and one from PHYS 166L, 206L, or MENG 286L.

The program requires twelve approved term courses beyond the prerequisites, including the senior project.

**B.A. degree program in Engineering Sciences (Mechanical)** In a society with increasing levels of technical sophistication, a well-rounded individual must have some background in science and technology. The non-ABET B.A. program is designed for students who may be planning careers in business, law, medicine, journalism, or politics but need to understand the impact that science and technology can have on society at large. An understanding of engineering methods and practices, combined with a traditional liberal arts education, provides a strong background for a variety of careers. The program is well suited for students who wish to fulfill the requirements of two majors.

The prerequisites in mathematics are MATH 112 and 115. The basic science prerequisite is physics at least to the level of PHYS <150>, <151> or 170, 171.

The program requires eight approved term courses beyond the prerequisites, including the senior project.

**Senior requirement** In all B.S. and B.A. degree programs, students must successfully complete a project (MENG 471 or 472) during their senior year.

**Courses for majors in the humanities and social sciences** Mechanics and mechanical engineering content can be found in several courses intended for those not majoring in science. See under Engineering and Applied Science.

**Requirements of the major**

**Mechanical Engineering, B.S.**

**Prerequisites** MATH 112, 115, and ENAS 151, or equivalent; PHYS 200, 201, or 180, 181, and 2 labs (1 from PHYS 165L or 205L, and 1 from PHYS 166L or 206L, or equivalents)

**Number of courses** 19 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior project)

**Specific courses required** ENAS 130 and 194; EENG 200; MATH 222 or 225; MENG 211, 280, 285, 286L, 361, 363L, 383, 389, 390, 489

**Distribution of courses** 3 technical electives chosen in consultation with DUS; 1 term course in chem

**Substitution permitted** With DUS approval

**Senior requirement** Senior project (MENG 471 or 472)

**Engineering Sciences (Mechanical), B.S. and B.A.**

**Prerequisites** B.S. – MATH 112, 115, and ENAS 151, or equivalent; PHYS 180, 181 (or 200, 201), and 2 labs (1 from PHYS 165L or 205L; 1 from PHYS 166L, 206L, or MENG 286L); B.A. – MATH 112, 115; Physics at least at level of <150>, <151> or 170, 171

**Number of courses** B.S. – 12 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior project); B.A. – 8 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior project)

**Substitution permitted** With DUS approval

**Senior requirement** Both degrees – senior project (MENG 471 or 472)
MENG 185a, Mechanical Design  Aaron Dollar
A course designed for potential majors in mechanical engineering, with units on design, materials science, structural mechanics, utilization of a machine shop, mechanical dissection, and computers in mechanical engineering. Includes a design project competition. Prerequisite: physics at the level of PHYS 180, or permission of instructor. SC RP

MENG 211a, Thermodynamics for Mechanical Engineers  Alessandro Gomez
Study of energy and its transformation and utilization. First and Second Laws for closed and open systems, equations of state, multicomponent nonreacting systems, auxiliary functions (H, A, G), and the chemical potential and conditions of equilibrium. Engineering devices such as power and refrigeration systems and their efficiencies. Prerequisites: PHYS 180 or 200, and MATH 115. QR, SC RP

MENG 280a, Mechanical Engineering I: Strength and Deformation of Mechanical Elements  Jan Schroers
Elements of statics; mechanical behavior of materials; equilibrium equations, strains and displacements, and stress-strain relations. Elementary applications to trusses, bending of beams, pressure vessels, and torsion of bars. Prerequisites: PHYS 180 or 200, and MATH 115. QR, SC RP

MENG 285a, Introduction to Materials Science  Udo Schwarz
Study of the atomic and microscopic origin of the properties of engineering materials: metals, glasses, polymers, ceramics, and composites. Phase diagrams; diffusion; rates of reaction; mechanisms of deformation, fracture, and strengthening; thermal and electrical conduction. Prerequisites: elementary calculus and background in basic mechanics (deformation, Hooke’s law) and structure of atoms (orbitals, periodic table). QR, SC RP

MENG 286Lb, Solid Mechanics and Materials Science Laboratory  Jan Schroers
Experiments that involve either structural mechanics or materials science. Comparisons between structural theories and experimental results. Relationships among processing, microstructure, and properties in materials science. Introduction to techniques for the examination of the structure of materials. SC RP ½ Course cr

MENG 361a, Mechanical Engineering II: Fluid Mechanics  Mitchell Smooke
Mechanical properties of fluids, kinematics, Navier-Stokes equations, boundary conditions, hydrostatics, Euler’s equations, Bernoulli’s equation and applications, momentum theorems and control volume analysis, dimensional analysis and similitude, pipe flow, turbulence, concepts from boundary layer theory, elements of potential flow. Prerequisites: ENAS 194 or equivalent, and physics at least at the level of PHYS 180. QR, SC RP

*MENG 363Lb, Fluid Mechanics and Thermodynamics Laboratory  Alessandro Gomez
Hands-on experience in applying the principles of fluid mechanics and thermodynamics. Integration of experiment, theory, and simulation to reflect real-world phenomena. Students design and test prototype devices. Prerequisites: MENG 211 and 361. SC RP

MENG 365a, Propulsion and Energy Conversion  Ronald Lehrach
Review of thermodynamics and fluid dynamics; discussion of elements of gas dynamics. Air-breathing engines for aircraft propulsion, gas turbines, and different forms of rocket
propulsion. Engineering aspects of other forms of energy conversion with applications to one of the following areas: internal combustion engines, fossil-fuel power plants, solar energy. Prerequisite: MENG 361 or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

MENG 383b, Mechanical Engineering III: Dynamics  Corey O’Hern
Kinematics and dynamics of particles and systems of particles. Relative motion; systems with constraints. Rigid body mechanics; gyroscopes. Prerequisites: PHYS 180 or 200, and MATH 120 or ENAS 151. QR, SC RP

*MENG 385a, Materials Science of Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS)  
Ainissa Ramirez
An introduction to the principles, fabrication, and design of microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) and devices. Emphasis on materials for these devices and on the processes for micromachining. Concepts of actuation and sensing by capacitive, thermal, piezoelectric, and electrostatic means. Prerequisites: PHYS 180, 181, and MATH 120 or ENAS 151, or equivalents; or permission of instructor.

MENG 389b, Mechanical Engineering IV: Fluid and Thermal Energy Science  
Kailasnath Purushothaman
Fundamentals of mechanical engineering applicable to the calculation of energy and power requirements, as well as transport of heat by conduction, convection, and radiation. Prerequisites: MENG 211, 361, and ENAS 194; or permission of instructor. QR, SC RP

MENG 390b, Mechatronics Laboratory  
John Morrell
Hands-on synthesis of control systems, electrical engineering, and mechanical engineering. Review of Laplace transforms, transfer functions, software tools for solving ODEs. Review of electronic components and introduction to electronic instrumentation. Introduction to sensors; mechanical power transmission elements; programming microcontrollers; PID control. Prerequisites: ENAS 194 or equivalent, ENAS 130, and EENG 200; or permission of instructor. QR RP

MENG 400a, Computer-Aided Engineering  
Marshall Long
Aspects of computer-aided design and manufacture (CAD/CAM). The computer’s role in the mechanical design and manufacturing process; commercial tools for two- and three-dimensional drafting and assembly modeling; finite-element analysis software for modeling mechanical, thermal, and fluid systems. Prerequisite: ENAS 130 or permission of instructor. QR

MENG 440a/ENAS 440a, Applied Numerical Methods I  
Beth Anne Bennett
For description see under Engineering & Applied Science.

MENG 441b/ENAS 441b, Applied Numerical Methods II  
Beth Anne Bennett
For description see under Engineering & Applied Science.

MENG 457b/BENG 457b, Musculoskeletal Biomechanics  
Staff
For description see under Biomedical Engineering.

MENG 463a, Theoretical Fluid Dynamics  
Juan Fernández de la Mora
Derivation of the equations of fluid motion from basic principles. Potential theory, viscous flow, flow with vorticity. Topics in hydrodynamics, gas dynamics, stability, and turbulence. Prerequisite: MENG 361 or equivalent. QR, SC RP
[MENG 469b, Aerodynamics]

*MENG 471a and 472b, Special Projects*  Corey O’Hern
Faculty-supervised individual or small-group projects with emphasis on research (laboratory or theory), engineering design (required for the ABET-accredited program), or tutorial study. Students are expected to consult the director of undergraduate studies and appropriate faculty members to discuss ideas and suggestions for topics. These courses may be taken at any time during the student’s career when appropriate and may be taken more than once. Permission of adviser and director of undergraduate studies required.

**MENG 489a**, *Mechanical Design: Process and Implementation*  John Morrell
Study of the design process, including concept generation, project management, teamwork, detail design, and communication skills. Student teams implement a real-world design project with hardware objectives that can be achieved in a term, and a problem definition that allows room for creative solutions. Prerequisite: MENG 280, 361, or permission of instructor.  SC  RP

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**Media Theory and History**

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**FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH MEDIA THEORY AND HISTORY**

**Professors** Dudley Andrew (*Film Studies, Comparative Literature*), Jack Balkin (*Law School*), Rüdiger Campe (*German*), Francesco Casetti (*Humanities, Film Studies*), Inderpal Grewal (*Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies*), Beatrice Gruendler (*Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations*), Matthew Jacobson (*History, American Studies, African American Studies*), David Joselit (*History of Art*), David Scott Kastan (*English*), Marianne LaFrance (*Psychology, Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies*), John MacKay (*Slavic Languages & Literatures, Film Studies*), Charles Musser (*Film Studies*), Robert Post (*Law School*), Henry Sussman (*German*), Katie Trumpener (*Comparative Literature, English*), Michael Warner (*English, American Studies*), Laura Wexler (*American Studies, Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies*)

**Associate Professors** Jessica Brantley (*English*), Aaron Gerow (*Film Studies, East Asian Languages & Literatures*), Gundula Kreuzer (*Music*)

**Assistant Professors**  J. D. Connor (*History of Art*), Karen Nakamura (*Anthropology, East Asian Studies*), Jessica Pressman (*English*), R. John Williams (*English*)

Media Theory and History examines the category of “media” as both an object and a method of study. This field of study considers media as historically constituted entities, as objects of theoretical and juridical debate, and as crucial elements of the messages they convey and the audiences they help to constitute. Media Theory and History bridges diverse disciplinary approaches, including literature, film, legal studies, history of art, sociology, anthropology, architecture, history of science, and computer science. It considers the social contexts and cultural effects of different media, including oral communication, written and printed texts, recorded and broadcast sound and image, and digital media, among others.
Yale College does not have a department or a major in media studies. Media Theory and History serves as a network connecting faculty members whose interests in research and teaching intersect around the subject of media. The faculty members listed above have made themselves available to advise students interested in approaching media from various disciplinary perspectives. Advisers help students identify appropriate sequences and combinations of courses, and meet with students about senior essays on interdisciplinary topics in media studies.

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For description see under Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

Middle East Studies

(See under Modern Middle East Studies and under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)

Modern Middle East Studies

Directors of undergraduate studies: Andrew March, 135 RKZ, 432-1478, andrew.march@yale.edu; Colleen Manassa, 321 HGS, 436-8181, colleen.manassa@yale.edu

FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF MODERN MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

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Associate Professors  Ala Alryyes (Comparative Literature), Ellen Lust (Political Science), Colleen Manassa (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations), Andrew March (Political Science)

Assistant Professors  Narges Erami (Anthropology), Zareena Grewal (American Studies), Kaveh Khoshnood (Public Health), Adria Lawrence (Political Science), Alan Mikhail (History), Ahmed Mobarak (School of Management), Kishwar Rizvi (History of Art), Eliyahu Stern (Religious Studies), Edwige Tamalet-Talbayev (French), Jonathan Wyrtzen (Sociology)

Senior Lecturers  Geetanjali Singh Chanda (Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Tolga Koker (Economics), Marwan Muasher (Global Affairs)

Lecturers  Adel Allouche (History, Religious Studies), Karen Foster (History of Art), Konstantina Maragkou (History), Mikaela Rogozen-Soltar (Middle East Studies), Kathryn Slanski (Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations)

Senior Lector II  Ayala Dvoretzky
Senior Lectors  Shiri Goren, Fereshhteh Kowssar

Lectors  Sarab al-Ani, Muhammad Aziz, Etem Erol, Shady Nasser, Dina Roginsky, Hasmik Tovmasyan

The Modern Middle East Studies major focuses on the culture, history, religion, politics, and society of the modern Middle East in its full geographical breadth, using any of its four major languages, Arabic, Hebrew, Persian, and Turkish. Courses are selected from the Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations and from other departments in the humanities and social sciences, including Anthropology, History, History of Art, Judaic Studies, Political Science, and Religious Studies. The Modern Middle East Studies major gives students the language skills necessary to understand complex issues of the Middle East and serves as excellent preparation for graduate study or for business and professional careers in which an understanding of that region is essential.

Prerequisites  There are no prerequisites, but prospective majors should keep the language requirement in mind while planning their course schedules (see below).

Language requirement  All students are required to complete two courses at the L5 level in a Middle Eastern language. The two courses may be applied toward the twelve-course major requirement. Typical courses include ARBC 150, 151, and PERS 150.

Requirements of the major  Twelve term courses are required for the major, including three foundational courses, one each in modern thought, classical thought, and the modern Middle East. Six electives on the modern Middle East examine culture and thought, history, religion, politics, and society. Elective courses must be spread geographically and substantively; they must focus on at least two different subregions and originate in at least two different departments. The proposed course of study requires the approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

Senior requirement  Students in the major undertake a one- or two-term senior essay that involves use of materials in one or more modern Middle Eastern languages. The student selects a faculty adviser with competence in an appropriate language. A prospectus and outline signed by the adviser must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the fourth week of classes in either term of the senior year. Senior essays are graded by the adviser and a second reader. See the course description of the senior essay course (MMES 498, 499) for additional information. Alternatively, majors may take an additional seminar and write an essay in that course to fulfill the senior requirement.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  None

Number of courses  12 term courses

Distribution of courses  3 foundational courses, 1 each in modern thought, classical thought, and the modern Middle East; 6 electives spread geographically and substantively, focusing on at least 2 subregions and from at least 2 depts

Language requirement  2 courses at L5 level in a Middle Eastern lang

Senior requirement  Senior essay (MMES 498, 499) or essay written in an addtl sem
FOUNDATIONAL COURSES

Modern Thought

MMES 249a/HIST 349a, Three Empires of Islam  Alan Mikhail
For description see under History.

*MMES 291b/SOCY 232b, Islamic Social Movements  Jonathan Wyrtzen
For description see under Sociology.

Classical Thought

MMES 171a/HIST 360a/NELC 402a, The Islamic Near East from Muhammad to the Mongol Invasion  Adel Allouche
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

MMES 192a/RLST 170a, The Religion of Islam  Gerhard Böwering
For description see under Religious Studies.

MMES 201a/HUMS 420a/LITR 178a/NELC 156a, Classics of the Arabic-Islamic World  Beatrice Gruendler
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 342a/HIST 232Ja/HUMS 443a/JDST 270a/RLST 201a, Medieval Jews, Christians, and Muslims Imagining Each Other  Ivan Marcus
For description see under History.

*MMES 391a/RLST 287aG, Islamic Theology and Philosophy  Frank Griffel
For description see under Religious Studies.

The Modern Middle East

MMES 102a/HUMS 440a/NELC 102a, Introduction to the Middle East  Benjamin Foster
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 411b/ANTH 221b, Middle East Society and Culture  Narges Erami
For description see under Anthropology.

*MMES 490a/NELC 490aG, Introduction to Arabic and Islamic Studies  Dimitri Gutas
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

ELECTIVE COURSES

*MMES 118b/ANTH 398b/ER&M 498b/WGSS 368b, Anthropology of Immigration  Mikaela Rogozen-Soltar
For description see under Anthropology.

*MMES 143b/HIST 239Jb/INTS 271b/MGRK 228b, Twentieth-Century Greek-Turkish Relations  Konstantina Maragkou
For description see under Hellenic Studies.

*MMES 145a/HIST 385Ja, The Middle East and the West: A Cultural Encounter  Abbas Amanat
For description see under History.
*MMES 146a/EVST 386a/HIST 386Ja, Environmental History of the Middle East
   Alan Mikhail
   For description see under History.

*MMES 147b/HIST 347Jb, The Ottoman Empire
   Alan Mikhail
   For description see under History.

MMES 148b/HIST 345b/JDST 265b/RLST 202b, Jews in Muslim Lands from the
   Seventh to the Sixteenth Centuries
   Ivan Marcus
   For description see under History.

*MMES 149a/HIST 219b/JDST 200a/RLST 148a, History of the Jews to Early
   Modern Times
   Ivan Marcus
   For description see under History.

*MMES 150b/HEBR 150b/JDST 213b, Advanced Modern Hebrew: Israeli Society
   Shiri Goren
   For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 153b/HEBR 151b/JDST 301b, Introduction to Modern Israeli Literature
   Ayala Dvoretzky
   For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 154a/JDST 295a/NELC 154a, Israeli Identity and Culture, 1948 to the
   Present
   Shiri Goren
   For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 155a/HEBR 160a/JDST 360a, Sociological Aspects of Hebrew
   Dina Roginsky
   For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

MMES 156b/HEBR 161b/JDST 407b, Israeli Popular Music
   Dina Roginsky
   For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 157b/JDST 306b/NELC 157b, Israeli Narratives
   Shiri Goren
   For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 158a/JDST 279a/RLST 205a, Modern Jewish Religious Radicalism
   Eliyahu Stern
   For description see under Religious Studies.

*MMES 159b/HEBR 159b/JDST 409b, Conversational Hebrew: Israeli Media
   Shiri Goren
   For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

*MMES 172b/HIST 384Jb/NELC 403b, The Middle East between Crusaders and
   Mongols
   Adel Allouche
   For description see under History.

*MMES 173b/HIST 398Jb/NELC 404b, Mamluk Egypt
   Adel Allouche
   For description see under History.
**MMES 184a/PLSC 190a, Religion, Middle East Politics, and Conflict Resolution**  
Sallama Shaker  
For description see under Political Science.

**MMES 196a/AFST 280a/SOCY 135a, Islamic Society, Culture, and Politics**  
Jonathan Wyrtzen  
For description see under Sociology.

**MMES 282b/GLBL 362b/INTS 301b/SOCY 339b, Imperialism, Insurgency, and State Building in the Middle East**  
Jonathan Wyrtzen  
For description see under Sociology.

**MMES 311a/WGSS 327a, Constructing the Self: From Autobiography to Facebook**  
Geetanjali Singh Chanda  
For description see under Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

**THE SENIOR ESSAY COURSE**

**MMES 498a and 499b, Senior Essay**  
Andrew March  
The senior essay is a research paper of at least thirty pages (sixty pages for a two-term essay) prepared under the supervision of a faculty member in accordance with the following schedule: (1) by the end of the second week of classes of the first term, students meet with advisers to discuss the essay’s topic, approach, sources, and bibliography. Note: students planning to write the essay in the second term (MMES 499) should also meet with their prospective advisers by this deadline; (2) by the end of the fourth week of classes a prospectus with outline, including an annotated bibliography of materials in one or more modern Middle Eastern languages and of secondary sources, is signed by the adviser and submitted to the director of undergraduate studies. The prospectus should indicate the formal title, scope, and focus of the essay, as well as the proposed research method, including detailed indications of the nature and extent of materials in a modern Middle Eastern language that will be used; (3) at the end of the tenth week of classes (end of February for yearlong essays), a rough draft of the complete essay is submitted to the adviser; (4) two copies of the finished paper must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies, 115 Prospect St., room 344, by 4 p.m. on the last day of reading period. A late essay will receive a lower grade. Senior essays are graded by faculty associated with the Modern Middle East Studies program unless, for exceptional reasons, different arrangements for another reader have been made in advance with the director of undergraduate studies and the faculty adviser.

**Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry**

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**FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MOLECULAR BIOPHYSICS AND BIOCHEMISTRY**

**Professors**  
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Koleske, William Konigsberg, †I. George Miller, ‡Peter Moore, ‡Thomas Pollard, Lynne Regan, ‡David Schatz, Dieter Söll, Mark Solomon, Joan Steitz, Thomas Steitz, Scott Strobel, ‡William Summers, Patrick Sung, Kenneth Williams (Adjunct), ‡Sandra Wolin

**Associate Professors** Thomas Biederer, Enrique De La Cruz, Michael Koelle, Andrew Miranker, Yorgo Modis

**Assistant Professors** A. Elizabeth Rhoades, Christian Schlieker, Chuck Sindelar, Yong Xiong

**Lecturers** Carol Bascom-Slack, Kaury Kucera, Aruna Pawashe

†A joint appointment with primary affiliation in another department.

The programs offered by the Department of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry are planned for students interested in the molecular and chemical basis of biological processes and are well suited to students hoping to attend medical school or pursue graduate studies in biochemistry, molecular biology, genetics, or biophysics. The B.S. major, designed for those with a strong commitment to research, provides an intensive introduction to laboratory techniques in biochemistry and biophysics. Students in this program usually carry out research projects in faculty laboratories during their junior and senior years. The B.A. major provides the intellectual discipline of biochemistry and biophysics for students who also wish to have sufficient time to pursue in-depth studies outside the major or who are interested in molecular biology as a liberal education; they, too, may engage in research during their junior and senior years.

**Basic science prerequisites** The basic science courses required of all majors include one term of introductory biology (MCDB 120 or E&EB 122); a general chemistry course with laboratory (CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, and 116L, 117L; or 118 and 119L); a year course in organic chemistry with laboratory (CHEM 124, 125 and 126L, 127L; or 220, and 221 or 230, accompanied by the two-term sequence 222L, 223L); one term of physical chemistry (CHEM 328); two terms of calculus (MATH 112 and 115); and one year of physics (PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201). The B.A. major also requires one term of biology laboratory (MCDB 121L or E&EB 123L). Any of these prerequisites may be satisfied by receiving scores on Advanced Placement tests sufficient to earn acceleration credits in the particular subjects, even if the student does not choose to accelerate.

**B.S. degree** Ten courses are required beyond the prerequisites: MB&B 300, 301, 302, 360L, and 490; two additional upper-level MB&B electives, one of which must be a lecture course; one quantitative reasoning elective (MATH 120 or above, STAT 105, 106, or 230 or above, CPS 201 or above, or ENAS 130 or above); one biology elective at the 200 level or higher; and one elective in the natural sciences at a level higher than required in the prerequisites. Students choose the elective courses in consultation with a faculty adviser (see below). Only two course credits of MB&B 470, 471, and 478, 479 may count toward these electives. Students may substitute CHEM 333 for MB&B 302. The quantitative reasoning requirement may not be fulfilled by Advanced Placement test scores.
**B.A. degree** Seven courses are required beyond the prerequisites: MB&B 251L, 300, 301, 302, and 490; one additional upper-level MB&B elective; and one quantitative reasoning elective (MATH 120 or above, STAT 105, 106, or 230 or above, CPSC 201 or above, or ENAS 130 or above). Students choose the elective courses in consultation with a faculty adviser (see below). Students may substitute CHEM 333 for MB&B 302. The quantitative reasoning requirement may not be fulfilled by Advanced Placement test scores.

**Senior requirement** The senior requirement for both the B.S. and the B.A. is fulfilled by successful completion of MB&B 490, The Senior Project. Students enrolled in this course prepare a written report and make an oral presentation of a literature project. Students meet with faculty members in charge of the colloquium during the first two weeks of the spring term to agree on a topic and an approach. It is appropriate for students who took research for credit earlier in their training to write on their research topic. It is inappropriate for students to submit a revised version of a past research report or to resubmit a literature paper prepared for another course. The literature project for the senior requirement should be original work approved by the faculty member overseeing the senior colloquium.

The written report is expected to be 15–25 pages in length (double-spaced, twelve-point font exclusive of figures). A first draft of the paper is due two weeks prior to the date of the oral presentation. Faculty in charge of the program will review the draft and return it to the student with suggestions. A final draft of the paper is due the first day of the reading period in the student’s final term.

Students make a fifteen-minute oral presentation during the last three weeks of their final term in a general scientific forum open to the public. Other students in the series are expected to attend all presentations.

**Credit/D/Fail option** Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

**Recommended courses** All B.S. majors are encouraged to include MB&B 470 or 471 among their MB&B electives. The prerequisites in either general or organic chemistry should be taken in the freshman year.

Students with a strong interest in biophysics, including those planning to attend graduate school, are strongly encouraged to take courses beyond the basic requirements of the major. Such students are advised to take mathematics through differential equations (ENAS 104, MATH 246, or PHYS 301) and a full year of physical chemistry (CHEM 328 or 332, and 333). In place of one term of biophysics (MB&B 302) they may elect a full year of upper-level biophysics (MB&B 420 and 421). Such revisions to the basic curriculum must be made in consultation with the faculty adviser.

**Typical programs** Programs with the minimal number of science courses required of B.A. and B.S. majors are shown below. Students whose scores on the Advanced Placement tests make them eligible for advanced courses are urged to replace the elementary science courses by more advanced ones in their freshman year, and to complete the required biochemistry and physics courses by the end of their sophomore and junior years respectively. Students are permitted to take the biochemistry sequence (MB&B 300, 301) after one term of organic chemistry (CHEM 220).
### Freshman
- MCDB 120 or E&EB 122
- CHEM 112, 113, 116L, 117L

### Sophomore
- MCDB 121L or E&EB 123L
- CHEM 220, 221 or 230, 222L, 233L
- MATH 112, 115

### Junior
- MCDB 300, 301
- CHEM 328

### Senior
- CHEM 328
- MB&B 302
- One MB&B elective

**And, for B.A. major:**
- MCDB 121L or E&EB 123L

**And, for B.S. major:**
- MB&B 360L
- One biology elective
- One science elective

**A second MB&B elective**

### MB&B Faculty Committee on the Undergraduate Major
Committee members are available for consultation throughout the year and are the only faculty advisers eligible to approve and sign MB&B majors' course schedules at the beginning of each term. Members acting as faculty advisers are:

- **Class of 2012:** T. Biederer, CE 127 SHM (785-5465)
  M. Hochstrasser, 224 BASS (432-5101)
- **Class of 2013:** E. De La Cruz, 423C JWG (432-5424)
  W. Konigsberg, CE 14A SHM (785-4599)
- **Class of 2014:** J. Steitz, 136E BCMM (737-4418)
  C. Schlieker, 236A BASS (432-5035)
- **Class of 2015:** D. Söll, 238A BASS (432-6200)

### Director of B.S. / M.S. degree program:
D. Söll, 238A BASS (432-6200)

### Requirements of the Major

#### Prerequisites
- **B.S.** — MCDB 120 or E&EB 122; CHEM 112, 113, or 114, 115, and 116L, 117L (or 118, 119L); year course in organic chem (CHEM 124, 125 with 126L, 127L; or 220, and 221 or 230, with 222L, 233L); 1 term of physical chem (CHEM 328); MATH 112, 115; PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201; **B.A.** — same, plus MCDB 121L or E&EB 123L

#### Number of courses
- **B.S.** — 10 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req, for letter grades;
- **B.A.** — 7 term courses beyond prereqs, incl senior req, for letter grades

#### Specific courses required
- **B.S.** — MB&B 300, 301, 302, 360L; **B.A.** — MB&B 251L, 300, 301, 302

#### Distribution of courses
- **B.S.** — 2 addtl MB&B electives, as specified; 1 quantitative reasoning elective, 1 biology elective, and 1 science elective, all as specified; **B.A.** — 1 addtl MB&B elective and 1 quantitative reasoning elective, as specified

#### Substitution permitted
- CHEM 333 for MB&B 302

#### Senior requirement
- Senior project (MB&B 490)

### MB&B 105a or b / MCDB 105a or b, An Issues Approach to Biology
Timothy Nelson [F],
Andrew Miranker [Sp], and staff
For description see under Biology.
*MB&B 110a or b, Current Issues in Biological Science  William Summers
Students identify a scientific problem and then plan and execute a program of individualized learning aimed at the particular scientific knowledge required to understand and analyze the chosen problem. Intended to help students develop self-education skills as applied to scientific understanding, apply those skills to acquire some specific scientific knowledge, and understand the process by which scientific knowledge and understanding are achieved. For non-science majors.  SC

*MB&B 111a, The Science of Human Hormones  Kaury Kucera
A scientific study of human hormones and how they shape the human experience. Molecular mechanisms of hormone action in normal function; hormone abuse and molecular malfunction. Specific hormones and hormone pathways, including their biology, biochemistry, and relevance to disease and medicine. Topics include diabetes, steroid hormone abuse, and longevity.  SC

[MB&B 130b, Nutrition, Diets, and Health]

MB&B 200b/MCDB 300b, Biochemistry  Ronald Breaker, Donald Engelman
For description see under Biology.

*MB&B 230b/MCDB 230b, Rain Forest Expedition and Laboratory  Scott Strobel and staff
Preparation for a two-week expedition to one of the world’s rain forests during spring break and for a ten-week summer laboratory experience using samples collected during the expedition. Integrated topics draw on the fields of ecology, microbiology, chemistry, pharmacology, molecular biology, and bioinformatics. Students participate in an original scientific project from field biology to natural product characterization. After one year of introductory biology or equivalent; after or concurrently with one term of organic chemistry. Limited enrollment. Funding for major travel expenses and summer research provided.  SC

MB&B 251La/MCDB 301La, Laboratory for Biochemistry  William Konigsberg, Aruna Pasawhe
An introduction to current experimental methods in molecular biology. After or concurrently with MB&B 200 or 300. Limited enrollment. Preregistration required; e-mail William Konigsberg prior to the first week of classes.  SC  ½ Course cr

MB&B 300a, Principles of Biochemistry I  Thomas Biederer, Michael Koelle
Discussion of the physical, structural, and functional properties of proteins, lipids, and carbohydrates, three major classes of molecules in living organisms. Energy metabolism, hormone signaling, and muscle contraction as examples of complex biological processes whose underlying mechanisms can be understood by identifying and analyzing the molecules responsible for these phenomena. After CHEM 125 or 220.  SC

MB&B 301bG, Principles of Biochemistry II  Joan Steitz, Christian Schlicke
A continuation of MB&B 300 that considers the chemistry and metabolism of nucleic acids, the mechanism and regulation of protein and nucleic acid synthesis, and selected topics in macromolecular biochemistry. Prerequisite: MB&B 300 or permission of instructor.  SC
**MB&B 302b, Principles of Biophysics**  
Yorgo Modis, Enrique De La Cruz  
An introduction to the theoretical basis of biophysical concepts and approaches with selected examples and applications. Prerequisites: MB&B 300 and CHEM 328.  

**MB&B 360Lb, Laboratory for Biochemistry and Biophysics**  
Alan Garen,  
William Konigsberg, and staff  
An intensive introduction to the principles and applications of experimental techniques currently used in biochemistry, biophysics, and molecular biology. Recommended to be taken with or directly after MB&B 301. Limited enrollment. Preregistration required; e-mail Alan Garen by the end of reading period in the fall term.  

**MB&B 420a, Macromolecular Structure and Biophysical Analysis**  
Andrew Miranker,  
Donald Engelman, and staff  
Analysis of macromolecular architecture and its elucidation using modern methods of structural biology and biochemistry. Topics include architectural arrangements of proteins, RNA, and DNA; practical methods in structural analysis; and an introduction to diffraction and NMR. Prerequisites: MB&B 301 and 302.  

**MB&B 421b, Macromolecular Interactions and Dynamic Properties**  

**MB&B 425a/MCDB 425a, Basic Concepts of Genetic Analysis**  
Tian Xu and staff  
The universal principles of genetic analysis in eukaryotes. Reading and analysis of primary papers that illustrate the best of genetic analysis in the study of various biological issues. Focus on the concepts and logic underlying modern genetic analysis. Prerequisite: MCDB 200 or equivalent.  

**MB&B 435a, Mathematical Methods in Biophysics**  
A. Elizabeth Rhoades and staff  
Applied mathematical methods relevant to analysis and interpretation of biophysical and biochemical data. Statistics and error analysis, differential equations, linear algebra, and Fourier transforms. Analysis of real data from research groups in MB&B. Prerequisites: MATH 120 and MB&B 300 or equivalents, or with permission of instructors.  

**MB&B 443b, Advanced Eukaryotic Molecular Biology**  
Mark Hochstrasser and staff  
Selected topics in regulation of chromatin structure and remodeling, mRNA processing, mRNA stability, translation, protein degradation, DNA replication, DNA repair, site-specific DNA recombination, and somatic hypermutation. Prerequisites: MB&B 300 and 301, or permission of instructor.  

**MB&B 445b, Methods and Logic in Molecular Biology**  
Anthony Koleske and staff  
An examination of fundamental concepts in molecular biology through analysis of landmark papers. Development of skills in reading the primary scientific literature and in critical thinking. Prerequisites: MB&B 300 and 301.  

**MB&B 449a, Medical Impact of Basic Science**  
Joan Steitz and staff  
Examples of recent discoveries in basic science that have elucidated the molecular origins of disease or that have suggested new therapies for disease. Readings from the primary scientific and medical literature, with emphasis on developing the ability to read this literature critically. Prerequisites: MB&B 300 and 301 or equivalents, or permission of instructor.
**MB&B 452b/MCDB 452b**, Bioinformatics: Practical Application of Simulation and Data Mining  Mark Gerstein
Techniques in data mining and simulation applied to bioinformatics, the computational analysis of gene sequences, macromolecular structures, and functional genomics data on a large scale. Sequence alignment, comparative genomics and phylogenetics, biological databases, geometric analysis of protein structure, molecular-dynamics simulation, biological networks, microarray normalization, and machine-learning approaches to data integration. Prerequisites: MB&B 301 and MATH 115, or permission of instructor. SC

**MB&B 470a and 471b, Research in Biochemistry and Biophysics**  Alan Garen
Individual laboratory projects under the supervision of a faculty member. Students must submit an enrollment form that specifies the research supervisor by the date that course schedules are due. A required organizational meeting will be held at the beginning of each term. Students are expected to commit at least ten hours per week to working in a laboratory. Written assignments include a research proposal, due near the beginning of the term, and a research report that summarizes experimental results, due before the beginning of the final examination period. No more than two course credits count as electives toward the B.S. degree. Enrollment limited to junior and senior MB&B majors. Prerequisite: MB&B 251L or 360L.

**MB&B 478a and 479b, Intensive Research in Biochemistry and Biophysics**  Alan Garen
Individual laboratory projects under the supervision of a faculty member. Students must submit an enrollment form that specifies the research supervisor by the day that course schedules are due. A required organizational meeting will be held at the beginning of each term. Students are expected to commit at least twenty hours per week to working in a laboratory. Written assignments include a research proposal, due near the beginning of the term, and a research report that summarizes experimental results, due before the beginning of the final examination period. No more than two course credits count as electives toward the B.S. degree. Enrollment limited to senior MB&B majors. Prerequisite: MB&B 251L or 360L. 2 Course cr per term

**MB&B 490b, The Senior Project**  Nigel Grindley and staff
Colloquium for fulfillment of the senior requirement. The course involves a written and an oral presentation of a senior paper in an area of biochemistry or biophysics. The topic is selected in consultation with the faculty members in charge of the course.

**GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES**

Graduate courses in molecular biophysics and biochemistry, biology, and the biomedical sciences that may be of interest to undergraduates are listed in the bulletin of the Graduate School, and many are posted at bbs.yale.edu. Additional information is available from the directors of undergraduate and graduate studies. Undergraduates with an appropriate background may enroll with the permission of the director of graduate studies and the instructor.
Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology

Director of undergraduate studies: Douglas Kankel, 754 KBT, 432-3839, crystal.adamchek@yale.edu, www.biology.yale.edu

Students interested in the area of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology may find courses and major requirements listed under Biology, Area II. Students should consult an adviser from the appropriate list in that section.

The faculty roster for the Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology may be found under Biology. The department offers undergraduate courses in an area of concentration in the Biology major. See under Biology, Area II.

Music

Director of undergraduate studies: Patrick McCreless, 306 STOECK, 432-2986, dus.music@yale.edu

FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

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The Department of Music offers introductory and advanced instruction in the history of music, the theory of music, composition, music technology, and performance. Level I courses, which are introductory courses numbered below 200, are open to all undergraduates and require no previous experience in music. Level II courses, numbered in the 200s, require a familiarity with music notation. Intermediate courses, Level III, are numbered in the 300s; they require the ability to read music. Advanced courses, Level IV, are numbered in the 400s and are for seniors, juniors, and qualified sophomores. Level III and IV courses are intended primarily for students majoring in Music, but they may be elected by others who meet the stated prerequisites.

Qualified students, whether majoring in Music or not, may offer up to four terms of instruction in performance for academic credit toward the 36-course-credit requirement for the bachelor’s degree (MUSI 360, 361, 460, and 461). Of these four credits, only two may be applied to the major in Music. See “Individual Instruction in Performance” below for course descriptions.
The major  The Music major provides a general music program in the humanities, as well as preparation for graduate studies or for careers in music. The standard major consists of twelve term courses, eleven of which must be numbered 300 or above, excluding the prerequisites, MUSI 210, 211, 218, and 219. To gain a comprehensive familiarity with the history and theory of music, a student majoring in Music completes a survey of music history from the medieval period to the present as well as a two-course music theory requirement. The three survey courses in music history are MUSI 350, 351, and 352. A fourth survey course in world music is also required, MUSI 353. Students choose two courses from the music theory series numbered 301 through 311 to satisfy the music theory requirement. Also required is one course designated “Senior sem” during the senior year. Five additional term courses in music chosen from Levels II, III, and IV (only one of which is from Level II) complete the major. Prospective majors are advised to begin the required courses by their sophomore year. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.

Students intending to go on to graduate work are advised to study German and French to achieve at least a reading knowledge of those languages. All Music majors are urged to undertake regular studies in musical performance.

The intensive major  The intensive major is for students of high standing who are qualified to do independent and original work in the history or theory of music or in composition. Those admitted to this major elect MUSI 490, 491 in the senior year.

Senior requirement  Each student majoring in Music must satisfy a senior departmental requirement by electing a senior seminar (designated “Senior sem” in the course listing) during one of the final two terms. The final essay or composition for the senior seminar should provide an appropriate culmination to the student’s work in the major and in Yale College. In exceptional circumstances, a graduate seminar in the Music department may substitute for the senior seminar; this requires permission both from the director of graduate studies and from the director of undergraduate studies. Senior seminars are also open to interested juniors with the permission of the instructor and the director of undergraduate studies, but one designated senior seminar must be taken in the senior year to fulfill the senior requirement.

B.A./M.M. Program  Students in Yale College possessing outstanding ability in performance or composition may anticipate, through their undergraduate programs, one year of the Master of Music program in the School of Music, provided they have completed four terms of performance (MUSI 360, 361, 460, and 461) and MUSI 210 and 211 by the end of the junior year.

The program is open to majors both in Music and in other subjects. Majors in subjects other than Music may present four courses toward the M.M. degree in addition to four terms of performance. These courses normally include two from the music theory sequence numbered 301–311 and two from MUSI 350, 351, 352, and 353, taken by the end of the junior year.

Candidates admitted to the B.A./M.M. program are expected to sit for placement examinations and juries in the School of Music at the beginning of their senior year. They must take lessons and MUS 544, the School of Music Seminar in the Major, in that year and they
are advised to take two terms of a performance ensemble if their schedules permit. Students seeking the B.A./M.M. degree in an orchestral instrument are required to participate in the Yale Symphony or the School of Music Philharmonia during their senior year. Composers, singers, and keyboard players should consult their principal teacher about requirements in the senior year beyond the lessons and seminar.

Interested students should consult their principal teacher at the beginning of the first term of their junior year and file an application in the Office of Student Affairs at the School of Music.

Students who have accelerated the undergraduate program are ineligible to apply for the B.A./M.M. program.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

**Prerequisites** MUSI 210, 211, 218, and 219, or equivalents

**Number of courses** 12 term courses beyond prereqs, 11 numbered 300 or above

**Specific courses required** MUSI 350, 351, 352, 353, and 2 from 301–311

**Distribution of courses** 5 addtl courses from Levels II, III, IV, of which only 1 is from Level II

**Senior requirement** 1 senior sem

**Intensive major** Senior sem and senior essay or project (MUSI 490, 491)

FRESHMAN SEMINARS

* **MUSI 003b, Shakespeare and Music**  Judith Malafronte
  The use of music in Shakespeare’s plays, from the original stagings and seventeenth-century adaptations to modern productions. Consideration of operatic versions of the plays from the nineteenth, twentieth, and twenty-first centuries. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  **HU Fr sem**

* **MUSI 009a, Jazz and Architecture**  Michael Veal
  A conceptual and structural comparison between modern jazz and modern architecture after World War II, focusing on recent experimental currents in each discipline. Effects of digital technology on both sonic and architectural practices. Form, structure, and material used in free jazz; processes in contemporary architecture that can be compared with those in modern jazz. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  **HU Fr sem**

* **MUSI 024b/HUMS 093b, The Beatles, Dylan, and the 1960s**  Gary Tomlinson
  For description see under Humanities.

LEVEL I

* **MUSI 107b/HUMS 217b, Exploring the Nature of Genius**  Craig Wright
  The changing meanings of the term “genius” in Western culture; discussion as to whether genius is a reality. Focus on the special talents needed to respond to and shape the world in a defining fashion, and the quirky patterns of thought exemplified by great minds, principally Leonardo da Vinci, Newton, Mozart, Woolf, Beethoven, van Gogh, Picasso, Joyce,
and Hitler. Recent developments in neurobiology that suggest future lines of research into the minds of exceptional individuals. WR, HU

**MUSI 110a or b, Introduction to the Elements of Music** Richard Lalli and staff
The fundamentals of musical language (notation, rhythm, scales, keys, melodies, and chords), including writing, analysis, singing, and dictation. Intended for students who have no music reading ability. HU

**MUSI 112a, Listening to Music** Craig Wright
Development of aural skills that lead to an understanding of Western music. The musical novice is introduced to the ways in which music is put together and is taught how to listen to a wide variety of musical styles, from Bach and Mozart, to Gregorian chant, to the blues. HU

**MUSI 130a, Introduction to the History of Western Music: 900 to 1800** Emily Green
An introduction to the principal styles of Western art music through an examination of works by outstanding composers, beginning with Gregorian chant and ending with the music of Haydn and Mozart. No prerequisites. HU

**MUSI 131b, Introduction to the History of Western Music: 1800 to the Present**
Emily Green
A survey of nineteenth- and twentieth-century composers, genres, and styles of music in Europe and America, with an emphasis on ways of listening. No prerequisites. HU

**LEVEL II**

**MUSI 205a or b, Tonal Harmony and Form** Brian Kane and staff
A thorough review of musical rudiments—scales, keys, chords, rhythm, notation—followed by a study of the fundamentals of tonal harmony and form. Emphasis on listening skills—how to hear what is happening harmonically and formally in tonal pieces without following a score. Intended for non–music majors who have proficiency in reading music. Students who have not taken MUSI 110 must take the music theory placement test at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, August 29, or 6 p.m. on Tuesday, August 30, 2011, in 119 WLH, or 6:30 p.m. on Monday, January 9, 2012, in 119 WLH. To be followed by MUSI 210. HU

**MUSI 210a or b, Elementary Studies in Analysis and Model Composition I**
Richard Cohn and staff
Practical investigation of the basic principles of tonal harmony, counterpoint, and composition through exercises in analysis, motivic development, phrase rhythm, texture, form, performance, and model composition. Recommended to be taken concurrently with MUSI 218 or 219. Admission after MUSI 205 or by the music theory placement test, given at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, August 29, or 6 p.m. on Tuesday, August 30, 2011, in 119 WLH, or 6:30 p.m. on Monday, January 9, 2012, in 119 WLH. To be followed by MUSI 211. HU RP

**MUSI 211a or b, Elementary Studies in Analysis and Model Composition II**
Patrick McCreless and staff
Continuation of MUSI 210. Recommended to be taken concurrently with MUSI 218 or 219. Admission after MUSI 210 or by the music theory placement test, given at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, August 29, or 6 p.m. on Tuesday, August 30, 2011, in 119 WLH, or 6:30 p.m. on Monday, January 9, 2012, in 119 WLH. HU RP
*MUSI 214a, Songwriting for Composers and Lyricists  Andrew Gerle, Joshua Rosenblum
Introduction to elements of music- and lyric-writing for theater songs. Focus on the development of compositional proficiency in the musical theater idiom and on the refinement of each student’s compositional voice. Prerequisite: MUSI 205. Enrollment limited to 12.  HU  RP

*MUSI 218a or b, Elementary Musicianship I  Sarita Kwok
Exercises in melodic and harmonic dictation, sight-singing, keyboard harmony, and aural analysis. Recommended to be taken concurrently with MUSI 210 or 211.  RP ½ Course cr

*MUSI 219a or b, Elementary Musicianship II  Sarita Kwok
Continuation of MUSI 218. Prerequisite: MUSI 218. Recommended to be taken concurrently with MUSI 210 or 211.  RP ½ Course cr

*MUSI 220a and 221b, The Performance of Chamber Music  Wendy Sharp
Coached chamber music emphasizing the development of ensemble skills, familiarization with the repertory, and musical analysis through performance. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for credit. For audition information e-mail wendy.sharp@yale.edu.  RP ½ Course cr per term  Cr/year only

*MUSI 222a or b, The Performance of Vocal Music  Richard Lalli
A course for singers and pianists that emphasizes the analysis and musical preparation of classical solo song and operatic repertoire. Examination of structure (poetic, harmonic, motivic), discussion of style, exploration of vocal techniques, and introduction to the International Phonetic Alphabet. Students are strongly encouraged to supplement the course with individual voice instruction. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for course credit, but not for distributional credit. For audition information e-mail richard.lalli@yale.edu.  HU  RP

*MUSI 223a, The Performance of Early Music  Judith Malafronte
A study of musical styles of the twelfth through early eighteenth centuries, including examination of manuscripts, musicological research, transcription, score preparation, and performance. Students in this class form the nucleus of the Yale Collegium Musicum and participate in a concert series at the Beinecke Library. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for course credit, but not for distributional credit. For audition information e-mail judith.malafronte@yale.edu.  HU  RP

*MUSI 225a, Sacred Harp and American Hymnody  Ian Quinn
Introduction to the unaccompanied congregational hymn-singing practice known as Sacred Harp. Origins in Puritan New England, migration to the post-Reconstruction rural South, and contemporary revival in American urban communities. Musical forms and singing styles, analysis of hymn texts, and social and religious meanings of Sacred Harp practice. Students participate in the weekly Yale–New Haven Regular Singing (YNHRS), a traditional-style Sacred Harp singing. No previous singing experience required.  HU

*MUSI 227a or b, Rhetoric and Early Instrumental Performance  Robert Mealy
Techniques and styles of historical instrumental performance, concentrating on virtuosic chamber music of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. Emphasis on fluency in
various musical languages. Study of original musical sources and contemporary writing about performance. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for course credit, but not for distributional credit. For audition information e-mail robert.mealy@yale.edu. HU RP

*MUSI 228a/THST 224a, Musical Theater Performance I  Annette Jolles
The structure and meaning of traditional and contemporary musical theater repertoire. Focus on ways to “read” a work, decipher compositional cues for character and action, facilitate internalization of material, and elicit lucid interpretations. For singers, pianists, and directors. Prerequisites: MUSI 211 and 219, or with permission of instructor. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for course credit, but not for distributional credit. For audition information e-mail dan.egan@yale.edu. HU RP

*MUSI 229b/THST 226b, Musical Theater Performance II  Andrew Gerle
Study of basic elements of the collaborative process and their effect on musical theater performance. Topics include choreography, music direction, and originating new works. Analysis of texts, scripts, and taped or filmed performances; applications in students’ own performance. Prerequisites: MUSI 211 and 219, or with permission of instructor. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for credit. For audition information e-mail dan.egan@yale.edu. RP

*MUSI 230a/HSAR 452a/HUMS 454a, Art and Music in Venice  Robert Nelson, Ellen Rosand
For description see under Humanities.

*MUSI 243a/HUMS 215a, Opera  Gary Tomlinson
A survey of the history of opera from its beginnings in late sixteenth-century Italy to the twentieth century. Selected works examined against the background of changing poetic, musical, aesthetic, and social conventions. Issues of singing, staging, filming, and reviewing this multimedia art form. May count toward the major as a Level III course with permission of the instructor. WR, HU

MUSI 262a/AFAM 241a/AFST 262a, Traditional and Contemporary Musics of Sub-Saharan Africa  Michael Veal
A survey of the traditional and popular musics of black Africa, organized both by nation, such as Ghana, and by region, such as Senegambia. Introduction to the fundamental musical principles, materials, and performance contexts of African music.

*MUSI 267b/HUMS 476b, Music and Human Evolution  Gary Tomlinson
For description see under Humanities.

LEVEL III
All courses numbered 300 and above require the ability to read music.

*MUSI 303b, Classical Style: Analysis and Model Composition  Michael Friedmann
Intermediate studies in the theory, analysis, and composition of the music of the late eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. Prerequisite: MUSI 211. Enrollment limited to 14. Preference to Music majors according to class. HU
MUSI 307b, Jazz Harmony  Brian Kane
An intensive study of the language of jazz, with a focus on jazz harmonies, scale-chord relationships, improvisational syntax, reharmonization, and transcription. Students analyze and transcribe solos, write model compositions, and acquire basic jazz piano skills. Prerequisites: MUSI 211 and 219. Enrollment limited to 18. Preference to Music majors according to class.  
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MUSI 309a, Musical Spaces, Sets, and Geometries  Richard Cohn
Conception and representation of pitch and rhythm systems using set, group, and graph theory. Focus on European concert music of the late nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Prerequisite: MUSI 211. Enrollment limited to 18. Preference to Music majors according to class.  
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MUSI 311a, Arranging for Voices  Jeffrey Klitz
An introduction to vocal arranging through analysis and skill-based exercises in the medium. Development of vocabulary and analytical skill in identifying form, function, and traditional arranging techniques through applied study, listening, and inspection of scores produced for theater, concert, recording, and historical venues. Prerequisite: MUSI 211 or equivalent.  
RP

MUSI 312a, Composition Seminar I  Kathryn Alexander
Intermediate project-oriented studies in music composition, acoustic and/or technological. Survey of contemporary techniques in a broad range of styles and syntax, including both concert and vernacular music genres. Prerequisite: MUSI 205 or 325 or equivalent. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for credit. Enrollment limited to 20. To audition, students should submit one or two scores and recordings to the Department of Music by Wednesday, September 7, 2011.

MUSI 313b, Composition Seminar II

MUSI 314b, Composition of Musical Theater  Joshua Rosenblum
Intermediate and advanced project-oriented studies in composition of musical theater. Prerequisite: MUSI 210. May be repeated for course credit, but not for distributional credit. Enrollment limited to 12.  
HU  RP

MUSI 315b, Introduction to Schenkerian Analysis  Daniel Harrison
Advanced work in harmony, counterpoint, thoroughbass, structure, and form; Schenkerian analysis of selected compositions from the tonal repertory. Prerequisite: two courses from MUSI 301–311.  
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MUSI 318a, Intermediate Musicianship  Richard Lalli
Training in advanced aural perception, sight-singing, and keyboard skills.

MUSI 322b/THST 318b, Analyzing, Directing, and Performing Early Opera  
Grant Herreid, Toni Dorfman
Study of a seventeenth-century Venetian opera, with attention to structural analysis of text and music. Exploration of period performance practice, including rhetorical expression, musical style, gesture, dance, Italian elocution, and visual design. Production of the opera in conjunction with the Yale Baroque Opera Project. Open to all students, but designed especially for singers and directors. Prerequisites: MUSI 211 and 219. Admission
by audition only. May be repeated for course credit, but not for distributional credit. For audition information e-mail grant.herrreid@yale.edu.  HU  RP

*MUSI 323a, Introduction to Conducting  Toshiyuki Shimada
An introduction to conducting through a detailed study of the problems of baton technique. Skills applied to selected excerpts from the standard literature, including concertos, recitatives, and contemporary music.

*MUSI 324b, Intermediate Conducting  Toshiyuki Shimada
Intermediate studies in baton technique and score preparation. After MUSI 323.

*MUSI 325a, Fundamentals of Music, Multimedia Art, and Technology  Michael Klingbeil
Fundamental principles of electroacoustic music and multimedia technology. Acoustics, psychoacoustics, sound recording and reproduction, digital audio, image processing, and computer graphics. Exercises in synthesis and signal processing, MIDI, animation, and digital video. Enrollment limited to 25.  HU

*MUSI 333b, Orchestral Repertory  Richard Cohn
Close study of selected compositions performed by the Yale Symphony Orchestra during the 2011–2012 concert season. Consideration of historical contexts; genre and form; stability of the text; relevant analytical techniques, treating both pitch and rhythm; and issues of orchestration and ensemble. Prerequisite: MUSI 211, or MUSI 210 with permission of instructor.  HU

*MUSI 334b, Analysis and Performance of Early Music  Judith Malafronte
Continuation of MUSI 223. Analytical techniques applied to interpretation and performance. Emphasis on the development of vocal technique and sight-reading skills. Students in this class form the nucleus of the Yale Collegium Musicum. Prerequisite: MUSI 223 or equivalent. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for course credit, but not for distributional credit. For audition information see www.yale.edu/oci.  HU  RP

*MUSI 343a/CWSC 343a, Music Cognition  Ian Quinn
A survey of historical and current approaches to questions about the perception and cognition of music. Topics include psychoacoustics; the cognitive neuroscience of music; relationships between music and language; the nature of musical knowledge; and debates about aesthetics, evolutionary psychology, and musical universals. Prerequisite: MUSI 110 or familiarity with music notation.  SO

*MUSI 346a, Javanese Gamelan: Analysis and Performance  Sarah Weiss
Javanese musical genres and performance styles from the eighteenth century to the twenty-first. Performance on multiple instruments; study of theoretical, aesthetic, and analytical discourses about gamelan and other Indonesian performance genres. Students in this class form the nucleus of the Yale Javanese Gamelan Ensemble. No previous gamelan experience required.  WR, HU

*MUSI 350b, History of Western Music: Middle Ages and Renaissance  Craig Wright
A detailed investigation of the history of musical style from A.D. 900 to 1600. Preference to Music majors according to class.  HU
[MUSI 351b, History of Western Music: Baroque and Classical]

*MUSI 352a, History of Western Music: The Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries  
James Hepokoski
A detailed investigation of the history of musical style from 1800 to the present. Preference to Music majors according to class.  HU

*MUSI 353b/AFST 353b, Topics in World Music  
Michael Veal
A critical introduction to selected cultures of world music. Specific cultures vary from year to year but generally include those of Native America, South Asia, Southeast Asia, sub-Saharan Africa, the Middle East, and the Caribbean. Preference to Music majors according to class.  HU

MUSI 357b/SAST 259b, Indian Music Theory and Practice  
Stanley Scott
For description see under South Asian Studies.

*MUSI 395b, Composition and Performance of Music, Multimedia Art, and Technology  
Kathryn Alexander
A practical study of software and hardware applications in the composition and performance of music, multimedia art, and technology. Prerequisite: MUSI 325 or equivalent experience. May be repeated for credit. Enrollment limited to 20.

LEVEL IV

*MUSI 412a, Composition Seminar III  
Michael Klingbeil
Advanced project-oriented studies in music composition, acoustic and/or technological. Prerequisite: MUSI 312 and 313. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for credit. Enrollment limited to 10. To audition, students should submit one or two scores and recordings of work completed in MUSI 312, 313, 412, or 413 to the Department of Music by Wednesday, September 7, 2011.

*MUSI 413b, Composition Seminar IV  
Kathryn Alexander, Michael Klingbeil
Continuation of MUSI 412. Prerequisite: MUSI 312 and 313. Admission by audition only. May be repeated for credit. Enrollment limited to 10. To audition, students should submit one or two scores and recordings of work completed in MUSI 312, 313, 412, or 413 to the Department of Music by Thursday, January 12, 2012.

*MUSI 421b6, Historical Performance in Theory and Practice  
Emily Green
Exploration of the interpretive framework of historical performance practice. Case studies consider both keyboard and orchestral repertoires (1750–1950), as well as various twentieth-century improvisatory traditions. The role of orality in these idioms; the effects of technological developments on musical traditions; the origins of the impulse for authenticity. In-class performances and demonstrations.  HU

*MUSI 425a, Sonata Theory  
James Hepokoski
Close analysis of instrumental “sonata-form” movements from sonatas, chamber works, symphonies, and concertos. Focus on works by Mozart, with additional examples from Haydn and Beethoven. Acquisition of a dynamic method (“Sonata Theory”) of hearing, analyzing, and interpreting complete movements or works. Enrollment limited to senior Music majors.  HU
*MUSI 435b/HUMS 231b, Music in European Thought: Three Moments in the Modern Era  Leon Plantinga
For description see under Humanities.

*MUSI 449a, Oratorio in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries  Markus Rathey
The history of the oratorio from its beginnings to the time of Johann Sebastian Bach and Georg Fredric Handel. Social and religious functions of the oratorio; compositional techniques employed by the composers to create musical drama; similarities between oratorio and opera; origins in the medieval religious drama, the tradition of chanting biblical texts during the liturgy, the sacred madrigal, and extraliturgical devotional practices.  HU

[MUSI 450b/c, Special Topics in Music, Multimedia Art, and Technology]

*MUSI 486b/c, Corpus Methods in Music Research  Ian Quinn, Christopher White
Computer-assisted methods for formulating and investigating empirical research questions at the “inter-opus” level, i.e., corpora rather than individual works. The role of empirical research in the field of musicology generally, and particularly its relationship to the specific questions of music theory. Programming with the music21 software package and the Python language.  HU  RP

Senior Seminars

*MUSI 440a, The Chamber Music of Johannes Brahms  Michael Friedmann
A study of selected chamber works by Brahms, coupling analytical research with practical performance. Advanced violinists, violists, cellists, clarinetists, hornists, and pianists admitted by audition.  HU  Senior sem

*MUSI 441b, Analysis and Performance of Bach’s Chamber Music  Robert Mealy
An intensive examination of the chamber works of Johann Sebastian Bach. Various approaches toward a deeper understanding of Bach’s musical craft, including readings in eighteenth-century aesthetic theory, rhetorical analysis, generic conventions, historical context, and period performance practices. Each student prepares repertoire to be performed at the end of the term.  HU  Senior sem

*MUSI 462a, Monteverdi: Madrigal to Opera  Ellen Rosand
A study of the operas of Claudio Monteverdi within the context of his madrigals. A test of the hypothesis that the madrigals, composed over the course of a thirty-year period, provided a workshop for the development of the composer’s operatic style.  HU  Senior sem

*MUSI 465a, Wagner’s Tristan und Isolde  Patrick McCreless
A study of the nineteenth-century work most often credited with initiating radical and permanent changes in harmonic and tonal usage in Western art music. Form on the large and small scale, leitmotif, harmony, tonal structure, and dramatic-musical interaction. Enrollment limited to senior Music majors.  HU  Senior sem

*MUSI 469b, Beethovenian Monuments  James Hepokoski
Close study, from multiple perspectives, of two large-scale works from Beethoven’s final years of composition, the Missa solemnis and the Ninth Symphony. Music analysis of individual movements; reading and discussion of commentaries and recent controversies; introduction to critical editions and historical recordings.  HU  Senior sem
INDIVIDUAL STUDY COURSES

*MUSI 471a and 472b, Individual Study  Patrick McCreless
Original essay in ethnomusicology, music history, music theory, or music technology and/or multimedia art under the direction of a faculty adviser. Admission to the course upon submission to the department of the essay proposal by the registration deadline, and approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

*MUSI 490a and 491b, Senior Essay for Intensive Majors in the History, Theory, or Composition of Music  Patrick McCreless
Preparation of an original composition or essay under the direction of a faculty adviser. Music majors enroll for two terms; students in the music track of the Computing and the Arts major elect either term. Admission to the course upon submission to the department of the senior essay proposal by the fall registration deadline of the senior year, and approval of the director of undergraduate studies. Original composition project proposals also require an audition. Students intending to fulfill the requirements of the intensive major are urged to consult the director of undergraduate studies toward the end of the junior year.

INDIVIDUAL INSTRUCTION IN PERFORMANCE

*MUSI 360a or b, Performance: First Term  Patrick McCreless
Individual instruction in the study and interpretation of musical literature. Academic credit is granted to students who demonstrate an appropriate level of proficiency in audition. For both MUSI 360 and 361, enrollment requires previous completion of or concurrent registration in a required music theory course. Students must take the Music department’s music theory placement test to determine their placement in the 200-level music theory sequence. A score of 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement test in Music Theory does not satisfy the music theory prerequisites for performance instruction. After or concurrently with MUSI 205 or 210, as determined by the music theory placement test. Students register for the section specific to their instrument: see www.yale.edu/oci for section information. Although the faculty of the School of Music attempts to accommodate those who qualify for credit instruction, it cannot guarantee they will be enrolled with the teacher of their choice. Students who do not qualify for academic credit may also receive lessons. Students accepted for noncredit instruction are charged $550 for twelve hour lessons per term; $350 is charged for twelve half-hour lessons per term. The fees are added to the Student Financial Services bill and are not refundable after the first two weeks of lessons in each term. The half-hour fee is waived for juniors and seniors who are majors in Music. Auditions (both for credit and not for credit) for assignment to instructors for freshmen and returning students will be held at the beginning of the fall term. To arrange for an audition, students must sign up at apply.music.yale.edu/lessons.

*MUSI 361a or b, Performance: Second Term  Patrick McCreless
Continuation of MUSI 360. Enrollment requires previous completion of or concurrent registration in an additional required music theory course. Prerequisite: MUSI 360; after or concurrently with MUSI 210 or 211, as determined by the music theory placement test.

*MUSI 460a or b, Performance: Third Term  Patrick McCreless
Continuation of MUSI 361. Prerequisite: MUSI 361.
Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations

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Senior Lectors  Shiri Goren, Fereshteh Kowssar

Lectors  Sarab al-Ani, Muhammad Aziz, Aaron Butts, Etem Erol, Shady Nasser, Dina Roginsky, Hasmik Tovmasyan

The major in Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations is a liberal arts major that gives students a sound competence in a Near Eastern language and a broad knowledge of the literatures, civilizations, history, and archaeology of the Near East. The major also provides essential preparation for graduate or professional work in which a knowledge of Near Eastern languages, history, and archaeology is required.

Depending on the student’s interests, the major is built around study of one or more Near Eastern languages, leading to a concentration in the ancient Near East (Mesopotamia, Egypt, or Syria-Palestine), in Hebrew language and literature, or in Arabic and Islamic studies.

Requirements of the major  Twelve term courses in the department, or their equivalent, are required for the major, including the senior essay course. No more than six course credits from other institutions will be accepted toward this requirement. The course work includes at least two years of study of a Near Eastern language and no fewer than three term courses in the history and civilizations of the Near East, at least one term of which must be in the ancient and one in the Islamic Near East. Students should develop coherent programs of study in one of three areas of concentration:

1. Ancient Near Eastern languages and civilizations, with emphasis on Mesopotamia, Egypt, or Syria-Palestine. Students interested in Mesopotamia take at least two years of Akkadian, as well as courses in the history and civilizations of the ancient Near East. Students interested in Egypt take at least two years of Egyptian, as well as courses in the history and civilizations of ancient Egypt. Students interested in Syria-Palestine take at

*MUSI 461a or b, Performance: Fourth Term  Patrick McCreless
Continuation of MUSI 460. Prerequisite: MUSI 460. Students beyond their fourth term of performance instruction register first in MUS 540 in the School of Music, and then in MUS 640. No Yale College degree credit is offered for these courses.
least two years of biblical Hebrew, as well as courses in the history and civilizations of the ancient Near East.

2. Hebrew language and literature. Students take two years or more of Hebrew (ancient or modern, but in any case at least two years of one period of the language), and courses in Hebrew literature, the history and civilizations of the ancient Near East, and Near Eastern Judaism.

3. Arabic and Islamic studies. ARBC 120 is a prerequisite for this area and counts as one term course toward the twelve required. Students take at least two years of Arabic beyond the prerequisite, and courses selected from Arabic literature, Arab civilization, Islamic religion, Near Eastern history, and Persian or Turkish language. In their senior year, students take NELC 490, Introduction to Arabic and Islamic Studies. Majors in this area of concentration are strongly advised to begin their language training as early as possible, and certainly not later than the sophomore year. Students should consult Dimitri Gutas, 316 HGS, 432-2947.

Well-qualified students who have acquired the requisite background in undergraduate courses may, with the permission of the instructor, the director of undergraduate studies, and the director of graduate studies, be admitted to graduate courses where no suitable undergraduate courses exist. In addition, courses from such other departments and programs as Archaeological Studies, History, History of Art, Judaic Studies, Political Science, and Religious Studies, as well as college seminars, are routinely accepted for credit toward the major if they deal with Near Eastern topics.

All course schedules must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

Senior essay To derive full benefit from the major, students should acquire practical experience in using Near Eastern languages for research purposes. Therefore all students in the major undertake a senior essay that involves substantial use of materials in one or more Near Eastern languages. The senior essay is a research paper of at least thirty pages prepared under the supervision of a departmental faculty member. It may be written under the rubric of NELC 492 and/or 493, or as an extended seminar paper in a departmental seminar course, in which case the instructor serves as the essay adviser. The topic and a prospectus signed by an adviser are to be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the fourth week of classes in either term of the senior year. The particular subject matter and theoretical approach of the essay are decided by the student after consultation with the faculty adviser.

In cases in which students demonstrably need more time for an extensive essay, the senior essay may be approved as a year course after consultation with the adviser and the director of undergraduate studies. Only those students who have advanced language skills and whose project is considered to be of exceptional promise are eligible. The requirements for the two-term essay are the same as for the one-term essay, except that the essay should be at least sixty pages.

Languages currently offered by the Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations include Akkadian, Arabic, Egyptian, Hebrew, Persian, Syriac, and Turkish. Students who take a foreign language during a term, year, or summer abroad must complete a departmental placement examination after they return to Yale; there are no exceptions to this requirement.
REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites  Arabi and Islamic studies — ARBC 120; All other areas — none

Number of courses  12 term courses (incl prereq and senior essay)

Distribution of courses  2 years of a Near Eastern lang; 3 courses in Near Eastern hist and civ, incl 1 in ancient and 1 in Islamic Near East; area of concentration as specified

Specific course required  Arabi and Islamic studies — NELC 490

Senior requirement  Senior essay using materials in 1 or more Near Eastern langs (in NELC 492 and/or 493 or in dept sem)

NEAR EASTERN HISTORY AND CIVILIZATIONS

Introductory and Survey Courses

NELC 102a/HUMS 440a/MMES 102a, Introduction to the Middle East

Benjamin Foster

Introduction to the history and cultures of the Middle East from the rise of Islam to the present, including the Arab world, Iran, Turkey, and Israel. Emphasis on factors important for understanding the Middle East today.  HU

NELC 156a/HUMS 420a/LITR 178a/MMES 201a, Classics of the Arabic-Islamic World  Beatrice Gruendler

Survey of the literary tradition of the Arabic-Islamic world (West Asia, North Africa, and Muslim Spain), a textual conversation among diverse authors in late antiquity. Prose and poetry from the Qur’an to the Arabian Nights; attention to the interdependence of the works and their cultural setting, the agendas authors pursued, and the characters they portrayed.  HU Tr

NELC 163b/ARCG 163b/CPSC 163b/HUMS 338b, From Pictograph to Pixel: Changing Ways of Human Communication  John Darnell and staff

An exploration of the five pivotal stages in the development of human communication: pictographic and syllabic ways of writing; the consonantal or phonetic alphabet; the invention of paper; movable type; and electronic/digital media and the Internet. These technologies are considered for their innovative features, new capabilities, social and ideological implications, and the instrumental parts they played in contemporary periods of change.  HU

*NELC 188b/ANTH 473b/ARCG 473b/EVST 473b, Civilizations and Collapse  Harvey Weiss

For description see under Anthropology.

*NELC 189a/ANTH 363a/ARCG 363a, Archaeologies of Empire  Harvey Weiss

Comparative study of origins, structures, efficiencies, and limitations of imperialism, ancient and modern, in the Old and New Worlds, from Akkad to “Indochine” and from Wari to Aztec. The contrast between ancient and modern empires examined from the perspectives of nineteenth- and twentieth-century archaeology and political economy.  HU, SO
**Ancient, Classical, and Medieval**

**NELC 103a/ARCG 236a/HSAR 236a, The Art of Ancient Palaces**  
Karen Foster  
For description see under History of Art.

**NELC 106b/ARCG 235b/HSAR 235b/HUMS 245b, The Worlds of Homer**  
Karen Foster  
For description see under History of Art.

*[NELC 109b/ARCG 244b®/RLST 245b, The Age of Akhenaton]*

*NELC 112b/ARCG 222b/RLST 141b, Egyptian Religion through the Ages*  
John Darnell  
Diachronic approach to topics in Egyptian religion. Religious architecture, evidence for protodynastic cults, foreigners in Egyptian religious celebrations, music and vocal expression in Egyptian religion, Re and Osiris, the Amarna interlude and the Ramesside solar religion, and the goddess of the eye of the sun. Readings in translation.  
HU

*[NELC 121a/HUMS 441a, The Hero in the Ancient Near East]*

*NELC 230a/CLCV 113a/HUMS 434a, Mesopotamia’s Literary Legacy*  
Kathryn Slanski  
For description see under Humanities.

*NELC 240b/CLCV 109b/HUMS 433b, Law in the Ancient World*  
Kathryn Slanski, Joseph Manning  
For description see under Humanities.

*NELC 250a®, Assyria: The First Near Eastern Empire*  
Eckart Frahm  
Survey of the history and culture of ancient Assyria, with a focus on its imperial phase in the first millennium B.C.E. Assyria’s aggressive foreign policy; the role of the military; Assyrian royal ideology, religion, literature, art, and court life; Assyria’s impact on the Bible; Assyria’s image in classical sources. Readings from primary sources in translation.  
HU

*NELC 380a®, HIST 211Ja/RLST 253a®, The Making of Monasticism*  
Bentley Layton  
For description see under Religious Studies.

**NELC 402a/HIST 360a/MMES 171a, The Islamic Near East from Muhammad to the Mongol Invasion**  
Adel Allouche  
The shaping of society and polity from the rise of Islam to the Mongol conquest of Baghdad in 1258. The origins of Islamic society; conquests and social and political assimilation under the Umayyads and Abbasids; the changing nature of political legitimacy and sovereignty under the caliphate; provincial decentralization and new sources of social and religious power.  
HU

*NELC 403b/HIST 384jb/MMES 172b, The Middle East between Crusaders and Mongols*  
Adel Allouche  
For description see under History.

*NELC 404b/HIST 398jb/MMES 173b, Mamluk Egypt*  
Adel Allouche  
For description see under History.
Modern

*NELC 154a/G, JDST 295a/MMES 154a, Israeli Identity and Culture, 1948 to the Present  Shiri Goren
Introduction to contemporary culture and representations of Israeli society. Themes of national and personal identity formation, gender, Zionism and post-Zionism, women’s writings, Israeli-Palestinian relations, the role of Russian immigrants, and the place of Jews of North African origin.  HU

*NELC 157b/G, JDST 306b/MMES 157b, Israeli Narratives  Shiri Goren
Close reading of major Israeli novels in translation with attention to how their themes and forms relate to the Israeli condition. Theories of war and peace, migration, nationalism, and gender. Authors include Oz, Yehoshua, Grossman, Matalon, Castel-Bloom, Shalev, and Kashua. No knowledge of Hebrew required.  HU  Tr

LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES OF THE ANCIENT NEAR EAST

Akkadian

AKKD 110a, Elementary Akkadian I  Staff
Introduction to the language of ancient Babylonia and its cuneiform writing system, with exercises in reading, translation, and composition. Credit only on completion of AKKD 120.  L1  RP

AKKD 120b, Elementary Akkadian II  Staff
Continuation of AKKD 110. Prerequisite: AKKD 110.  L2  RP

Egyptian

EGYP 110a, Introduction to Classical Hieroglyphic Egyptian I  Niv Allon
Introduction to the language of ancient pharaonic Egypt (Middle Egyptian) and its hieroglyphic writing system, with short historical, literary, and religious texts. Grammatical analysis with exercises in reading, translation, and composition. Credit only on completion of EGYP 120.  L1  RP

EGYP 117a, Elementary Biblical Coptic I  Kevin Wilkinson
The native Egyptian language in the Roman and Byzantine periods. Thorough grounding in grammar and vocabulary of the Sahidic dialect as a basis for reading biblical, monastic, and Gnostic texts. Credit only on completion of EGYP 127.  L1  RP

EGYP 120b, Introduction to Classical Hieroglyphic Egyptian II  Niv Allon
Continuation of EGYP 110. Prerequisite: EGYP 110.  L2  RP

EGYP 127b, Elementary Biblical Coptic II  Kevin Wilkinson
Continuation of EGYP 117. Prerequisite: EGYP 117.  L2  RP

[EGYP 131a, Intermediate Egyptian: Literary Texts]

*EGYP 135a, Intermediate Egyptian: Temple Construction Texts  David Klotz
Egyptian texts commemorating temple constructions from the Old Kingdom through the Roman Period. Comparison of material evidence from extant structures, including foundation deposits and building materials and techniques; theological significance and cultic use
of various chapels; architectural history of major temples, with a focus on Thebes. Readings from royal inscriptions, private autobiographies, hieratic records, bandeau texts from Karnak, Edfu, and Dendera, and rituals associated with temple construction. Prerequisite: EGYP 120. Counts as L4 if taken after EGYP 131, 141, or 145. L3 RP

[EGYP 141a or b, Intermediate Egyptian: Historical Texts]

*EGYP 145b, Intermediate Egyptian: Cosmogonies  David Klotz
Egyptian creation accounts from the First Intermediate Period through the Roman Period. The diachronic development of religious concepts; the variety of coexisting local traditions; the Amarna Period; influences on Hermetic and Gnostic writings and borrowing from Greco-Roman and Near Eastern religions. Readings from coffin texts, magical and ritual papyri, and hieroglyphic temple inscriptions. Prerequisite: EGYP 120. Counts as L4 if taken after EGYP 131, 135, or 141. L3 RP

[EGYP 151b, Intermediate Egyptian: Late Egyptian Stories]

[EGYP 157a, Ancient Egyptian Love Poetry]

Syriac

Students wishing to study Syriac should consult the director of undergraduate studies.

HEBREW LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

HEBR 110a, Elementary Modern Hebrew I  Ayala Dvoretzky, Dina Roginsky
Introduction to the language of contemporary Israel, both spoken and written. Fundamentals of grammar; extensive practice in speaking, reading, and writing under the guidance of a native speaker. Credit only on completion of HEBR 120. L1 RP 1½ Course cr

HEBR 120b, Elementary Modern Hebrew II  Dina Roginsky
Continuation of HEBR 110. Prerequisite: HEBR 110 or equivalent. L2 RP 1½ Course cr

HEBR 130a, Intermediate Modern Hebrew I  Ayala Dvoretzky
Review and continuation of grammatical study, leading to a deeper understanding of style and usage. Focus on selected readings, writing, comprehension, and speaking skills. Prerequisite: HEBR 120 or equivalent. L3 RP

HEBR 140b, Intermediate Modern Hebrew II  Ayala Dvoretzky
Continuation of HEBR 130. Prerequisite: HEBR 130 or equivalent. L4 RP

*HEBR 150b/JDST 213b/MMES 150b, Advanced Modern Hebrew: Israeli Society  Shiri Goren
An examination of major controversies in Israeli society. Readings include newspaper editorials and academic articles as well as documentary and historical material. Advanced grammatical structures are introduced and practiced. Conducted in Hebrew. Prerequisite: HEBR 140 or equivalent. L5 RP

*HEBR 151b/JDST 301b/MMES 153b, Introduction to Modern Israeli Literature  Ayala Dvoretzky
Fiction, poetry, films, drama, and magazine articles representative of contemporary cultural, social, and political issues in Israeli life. Conducted in Hebrew. Prerequisite: HEBR 140 or equivalent. L5
[HEBR 156a*/JDST 405a/MMES 216a, Dynamics of Israeli Culture]

*HEBR 158a*/JDST 305a, Contemporary Israeli Society in Film Shiri Goren
Examination of major themes in Israeli society through film, with emphasis on language study. Topics include migration, gender and sexuality, Jewish/Israeli identity, and private and collective memory. Readings in Hebrew and English provide a sociohistorical background and bases for class discussion. Prerequisite: HEBR 140 or permission of instructor. L5, HU RP

*HEBR 159b*/JDST 409b/MMES 159b, Conversational Hebrew: Israeli Media Shiri Goren
An advanced Hebrew course for students interested in practicing and enhancing conversational skills. Focus on listening comprehension and on various forms of discussion, including practical situations, online interactions, and content analysis. Prerequisite: HEBR 140 or permission of instructor. L5 RP

*HEBR 160a*/JDST 360a/MMES 155a, Sociological Aspects of Hebrew Dina Roginsky
Sociological aspects of Modern Hebrew as the language is used in Israel for constructing norms, expectations, and daily experiences. Readings and class discussions address changes in Israeli society and culture at large. Prerequisite: HEBR 140. L5

HEBR 161b/JDST 407b/MMES 156b, Israeli Popular Music Dina Roginsky
Changes in the development of popular music in Israel explored as representations of changing Israeli society and culture. The interaction of music and cultural identity; modern popular music and social conventions; songs of commemoration and heroism; popular representation of the Holocaust; Mizrahi and Arab music; feminism, sexuality, and gender; class and musical consumption; criticism, protest, and globalization. Prerequisite: HEBR 140 or equivalent. L5

Biblical Hebrew
[HEBR 117a, Elementary Biblical Hebrew I]

[HEBR 127b, Elementary Biblical Hebrew II]

*HEBR 137a, Intermediate Biblical Hebrew I Staff
Review and continuation of grammatical study leading to a deeper comprehension of biblical Hebrew style. Focus on extended reading of biblical narrative, poetry, prophecy, and Wisdom texts. Prerequisite: HEBR 127 or equivalent. L3 RP

*HEBR 147b, Intermediate Biblical Hebrew II Staff
Continuation of HEBR 137. Prerequisite: HEBR 137 or equivalent. L4 RP

ARABIC AND ISLAMIC STUDIES

Arabic

ARBC 110a*, Elementary Modern Standard Arabic I Shady Nasser and staff
Development of a basic knowledge of Modern Standard Arabic. Emphasis on grammatical analysis, vocabulary acquisition, and the growth of speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills. Credit only on completion of ARBC 120. L1 RP 1½ Course cr
ARBC 120bG, Elementary Modern Standard Arabic II  Shady Nasser and staff
Continuation of ARBC 110. Prerequisite: ARBC 110 or equivalent.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr

ARBC 130aG, Intermediate Modern Standard Arabic I  Shady Nasser and staff
Intensive review of grammar; readings from contemporary and classical Arab authors with emphasis on serial reading of unvoweled Arabic texts, prose composition, and formal conversation. Prerequisite: ARBC 120 or permission of instructor.  L3  RP  1½ Course cr

ARBC 136a, Intermediate Classical Arabic I  Matteo Di Giovanni
Introduction to classical Arabic, with emphasis on analytical reading skills, grammar, and prose composition. Readings from the Qur’an, Islamic theology, and literature and history of the Middle East, as well as Jewish and Christian religious texts in Arabic. Prerequisite: ARBC 120 or permission of instructor. May be taken concurrently with ARBC 130 or 150.  L3  RP

ARBC 140bG, Intermediate Modern Standard Arabic II  Shady Nasser and staff
Continuation of ARBC 130. Prerequisite: ARBC 130 or equivalent.  L4  RP  1½ Course cr

ARBC 146b, Intermediate Classical Arabic II  Matteo Di Giovanni
Continuation of ARBC 136. Prerequisite: ARBC 136 or permission of instructor. May be taken concurrently with ARBC 140 or 151.  L4  RP

*ARBC 150aG, Advanced Modern Standard Arabic I  Shady Nasser and staff
Further development of listening, writing, and speaking skills. For students who already have a substantial background in Modern Standard Arabic. Prerequisite: ARBC 140 or permission of instructor.  L5  RP

*ARBC 151bG, Advanced Modern Standard Arabic II  Shady Nasser and staff
Continuation of ARBC 150. Prerequisite: ARBC 150 or permission of instructor.  L5  RP

ARBC 158aG, Advanced Classical Arabic I  Shady Nasser
Development of an advanced understanding of Arabic grammar and morphology through close reading of the grammar of Ibn Malik (the Aifiyyah). Advanced training in sentence structure through i‘rab. Prerequisite: ARBC 146 or 151.  HU

ARBC 159bG, Advanced Classical Arabic II  Shady Nasser
Continuation of ARBC 158. Prerequisite: ARBC 158.  HU

*ARBC 165aG or bG, Arabic Seminar  Dimitri Gutas [F], Beatrice Gruendler [Sp]
Study and interpretation of classical Arabic texts for advanced students. Prerequisite: ARBC 146, 151, or permission of instructor. May be repeated for credit.  L5  RP

[ARBC 166bG, Modern Arabic Seminar]

ARBC 190a or b, Levantine Arabic  Shady Nasser
A basic course in the Arabic dialect of the Levant (Lebanon, Syria, Jordan, Palestine). Principles of grammar and syntax; foundations for conversation and reading. Prerequisite: ARBC 130.  RP

ARBC 191a, Egyptian Arabic  Staff
A basic course in the Egyptian dialect of Arabic. Principles of grammar and syntax; foundations for conversation and listening comprehension. Prerequisite: ARBC 130 or equivalent.  RP
ARBC 192b, Iraqi and Gulf Arabic  
Sarab al-Ani
A basic course in the Iraqi/Gulf dialect of Arabic. Principles of grammar and syntax; foundations for conversation and listening comprehension. Prerequisite: ARBC 130 or equivalent. RP

*ARBC 471a or b, Directed Reading and Research  
Dimitri Gutas
For students who wish to pursue a topic or body of texts not available in the department’s regular curriculum. Approval of the plan of study by both the director of undergraduate studies and a member of the department who agrees to serve as instructor is required. Student and instructor meet regularly throughout the term. The course culminates in either a piece of written work or a final examination.

Persian

*PERS 110a, Elementary Persian I  
Fereshteh Kowssar
An introduction to modern Persian, with emphasis on grammar and syntax as well as writing and reading simple prose. Students are introduced to colloquial Persian and are encouraged to speak the language from the outset. Credit only on completion of PERS 120. L1 RP 1½ Course cr

PERS 120b, Elementary Persian II  
Fereshteh Kowssar
Continuation of PERS 110. Prerequisite: PERS 110. L2 RP 1½ Course cr

PERS 130a, Intermediate Persian I  
Fereshteh Kowssar
Intermediate study of grammar and readings in Persian, emphasizing rules and usage of colloquial Persian. Prerequisite: PERS 120. L3 RP 1½ Course cr

PERS 140b, Intermediate Persian II  
Fereshteh Kowssar
Continuation of PERS 130. Prerequisite: PERS 130. L4 RP 1½ Course cr

[PERS 150, Thematic Survey of Modern Persian Literature]

[PERS 170b/MMES 270b, Salaam Cinema]

*PERS 177b, Persian Seminar: Identity and Change  
Fereshteh Kowssar
An advanced reading course concentrating on primary sources in Persian, with emphasis on nineteenth- and twentieth-century ideas of identity and change. Some religious and Sufi material is studied as background. Prerequisite: PERS 150, or PERS 140 and a course on modern Iranian history. L5 RP

*PERS 471a, Directed Reading in Persian  
Fereshteh Kowssar
Independent study of Persian texts at an advanced level.

Turkish

TKSH 110a, Elementary Modern Turkish I  
Etem Erol
Development of a basic knowledge of modern Turkish, with emphasis on grammatical analysis, vocabulary acquisition, and reading and writing skills. Credit only on completion of TKSH 120. L1 RP 1½ Course cr

TKSH 120b, Elementary Modern Turkish II  
Etem Erol
Continuation of TKSH 110. Prerequisite: TKSH 110 or permission of instructor. L2 RP 1½ Course cr
TKSH 130a^6, Intermediate Turkish I  Etem Erol
Continued study of modern Turkish, with emphasis on advanced syntax, vocabulary acquisition, and the beginnings of free oral and written expression. Prerequisite: TKSH 120 or permission of instructor.  L3  RP

TKSH 140b^6, Intermediate Turkish II  Etem Erol
Continuation of TKSH 130. Prerequisite: TKSH 130.  L4  RP

TKSH 150a^6, Advanced Turkish I  Etem Erol
An advanced language course focused on improving students' reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills in modern Turkish. Extensive study of vocabulary and idiomatic expressions. Readings from genres including academic articles, critical essays, literature, newspaper articles, and formal business writing. Screening of films, documentaries, and news broadcasts. Prerequisite: TKSH 140.  L5  RP

TKSH 151b^6, Advanced Turkish II  Etem Erol
Continuation of TKSH 150. Focus on primary materials from Turkish media, short stories, and Turkish films. Development of proficiency sufficient for conducting research and presenting findings and evaluations in Turkish. Prerequisite: TKSH 150.  L5  RP

COURSES FOR MAJORS

*NELC 490a^6/MMES 490a, Introduction to Arabic and Islamic Studies  Dimitri Gutas
Comprehensive survey of subjects treated in Arabic and Islamic studies, with representative readings from each. Methods and techniques of scholarship in the field; emphasis on acquiring familiarity with bibliographical and other research tools. Enrollment limited to senior majors in Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations, except by permission of instructor.

*NELC 492a and 493b, The Senior Essay  Staff
Preparation of a research paper of at least thirty pages (sixty pages for a two-term essay) under the supervision of a departmental faculty member, in accordance with the following schedule: (1) by the end of the second week of classes of the first term, students meet with advisers to discuss the topic, approach, sources, and bibliography of the essay. Note: students planning to write the essay in the second term (NELC 493) should also meet with their prospective advisers by this deadline; (2) by the end of the fourth week of classes, a prospectus with outline, including an annotated bibliography of materials in one or more Near Eastern languages and of secondary sources, is signed by the adviser and submitted to the director of undergraduate studies. The prospectus should indicate the formal title, scope, and focus of the essay, as well as the proposed research method, including detailed indications of the nature and extent of materials in a Near Eastern language that will be used; (3) at the end of the tenth week of classes (end of February for yearlong essays), a rough draft of the complete essay is submitted to the adviser; (4) two copies of the finished paper must be submitted to the director of undergraduate studies, 314 HGS, by 4 p.m. on the last day of reading period. Failure to comply with the deadline will be penalized by a lower grade. Senior essays will be graded by departmental faculty unless, for exceptional reasons, different arrangements for an outside reader are made in advance with the director of undergraduate studies and the departmental adviser.
GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Some Graduate School courses are open to qualified undergraduates with permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies. For course descriptions see www.yale.edu/oci. (Also see “Courses in the Yale Graduate and Professional Schools” in chapter II, section K, of this bulletin.)

Operations Research

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Professors Eric Denardo, Edward Kaplan, Herbert Scarf, Arthur Swersey

Operations research is concerned with the organization and management of productive activities. Operations research includes mathematical analysis of techniques of optimization, efficient organization of production, calculation of operating characteristics of complex systems, and application of these and other techniques to operating problems throughout business and government. The subject, also known as management science, is closely related to computer science, economics, statistics, engineering, and pure and applied mathematics.

To practice operations research, one must identify the objectives of the operation under study, describe alternative actions, define measures of effectiveness for them, create a model of the system under study, and select the action that best meets the stated objectives.

Operations research has four major subfields. Mathematical programming concerns the optimal operation of systems with many variables that are linked by simple relationships. Stochastic processes describes the evolution over time of systems whose “laws of motion” are affected by chance. Game theory describes models of cooperation and competition between members of an organization or participants in a market. Production and inventory control is a family of models that applies to manufacturing and service systems. Operations research can prepare the mathematically inclined student for a career in the management of technology or in administration, for graduate study in the mathematical sciences, or for graduate study in management. Yale College offers no major in this subject.

OPRS 235a/AMTH 235a, Optimization Eric Denardo
Resource allocation problems solved by linear programming and its generalizations: the simplex method, duality, the Karush-Kuhn-Tucker conditions for nonlinear programs, economic equilibria, and selected applications. Prerequisite: MATH 118, 222, or 225, or equivalent. QR

OPRS 237a/AMTH 237a, Stochastic Models of Decision Making Eric Denardo
Decisions under uncertainty; queues and inventories, Markov chains, decision analysis and dynamic programming, simulation. Applications. Prerequisites: MATH 222 or 225, and STAT 241, or equivalents. QR
Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program

The Peking University–Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program in Beijing is open to Yale College sophomores, juniors, and, in some cases, first-term seniors, and to students in the Peking University Yuanpei College. Yale students from all majors who are in good academic standing may apply for a fall term, a spring term, or an academic year. The program carries full Yale course credit and counts as a term of enrollment. No prior Chinese language knowledge is required for Yale participants, although each student must take an appropriate level language course while enrolled in the program. All other courses are taught in English by Yale and Peking University faculty members. Further information about the program, the courses offered, and the application process can be found on the Web at www.yale.edu/yalecollege/international/opportunities/type/study/pku-yale or at the Center for International Experience, 55 Whitney Avenue, third floor.

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CHNS 125a or b, Intensive Elementary Modern Chinese   Staff
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*CHNS 130a, Intermediate Modern Chinese I   Ling Mu and staff
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*CHNS 140b, Intermediate Modern Chinese II   Ling Mu and staff
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*CHNS 150a, Advanced Modern Chinese I   Haiwen Wang and staff
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*CHNS 151b, Advanced Modern Chinese II   Rongzhen Li, Haiwen Wang, and staff
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

*ECON 180a or b, Introduction to the Chinese Economy   Dong Chen

*ECON 278a, Law and Economics   Marc Chan

*EENG 235a and 236b, Special Projects   Mark Reed

ENGL 251b, Major British Romantic Poetry   Paul Fry

*ENGL 297b, Issues in Modern Literary Theory   Paul Fry

*FILM 411b/LITR 380b, The Films of Alfred Hitchcock   Brigitte Peucker
For description see under Film Studies.

*GMST 240b, Spectatorship and Visual Culture in the Western Tradition   Brigitte Peucker

HIST 305b, Chinese Archaeology to 1275 C.E.   Valerie Hansen

*HIST 308a, Beijing and China, 900 to the Present   Valerie Hansen

INTS 391a/EAST 291a, Chinese Law and Society   Bin Ling
For description see under International Studies.
Philosophy

LING 107a, Linguistic Diversity and Endangerment  Stephen Anderson
LING 149a/PSYC 149a, Animal Communication and Human Language  Stephen Anderson
For description see under Linguistics.

*MCDB 470a or b, Tutorial  Douglas Kankel
For description see under Biology.

*MCDB 475a or b, Research  Staff
For description see under Biology.

*MCDB 485a and 486b, Research in Biology  Staff
For description see under Biology.

PLSC 395b, Topics in Ethnic Politics  Jian Zhang

*YPKU 470a and 471b, Direct Enrollment in Peking University  Staff
Direct enrollment in a course offered by Peking University.

Persian

(See under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)

Perspectives on Science and Engineering

(See under Science.)

Philosophy

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Associate Professors  Joshua Knobe, Matthew Smith

Assistant Professors  Jonathan Gilmore, Jill North, Barbara Sattler, Bruno Whittle

Senior Lecturer  Susanne Bobzien

Lecturers  Facundo Alonso, Scott Edgar, Sonny Elizondo, Eric Mandelbaum, Raul Saucedo, Tamina Stephenson

Courses numbered 100 through 199 are introductory. They are open to all students and have no prerequisites. Courses numbered 200 through 399 are intermediate. Some have prerequisites; others do not, and may be taken as a student’s first course in philosophy, though such a student should consult the instructor first. In general, it is a good idea to take a broadly based course in any area of philosophy before taking a specialized course.
Courses numbered 400 through 479 are seminars. These advanced courses are intended primarily for juniors and seniors, though other students may be admitted with the instructor’s permission. Undergraduates should be sure they have enough background to take such a course, including previous work in the same area of philosophy. Students with questions should consult the instructor.

The standard major Prerequisite to the Philosophy major are two introductory or intermediate philosophy courses. The major requires twelve courses (including the prerequisites and the senior requirement) that collectively expose students to a wide range of philosophy and philosophers. The Philosophy curriculum is divided into three broad groups: history of philosophy (PHIL 125–174, 200–264, 400–424), metaphysics and epistemology (PHIL 265–319, 425–449), and ethics and value theory (PHIL 175–199, 320–399, 450–479). In history of philosophy, majors are required to take (a) either PHIL 125 and 126 or both terms of Directed Studies, and (b) an additional, third course in history of philosophy. Majors are encouraged to take PHIL 125 and 126 as early as possible; these courses may be taken in either order. Majors must take two courses in metaphysics and epistemology and two courses in ethics and value theory. Majors must also take two seminars and satisfy the senior requirement as described below.

All courses in Philosophy count toward the twelve-course requirement. No more than one of the twelve courses may be taken Cr/D/F, and a course taken Cr/D/F may not be used to satisfy the more specific requirements outlined in the paragraph above. With approval from the director of undergraduate studies, courses offered by other departments may be counted toward the major requirements, though no more than two such courses will normally be allowed.

Specific regulations for the group requirements are as follows:
1. Some introductory courses, including PHIL 115, First-Order Logic, do not count toward a group requirement. Other courses count toward a group requirement unless they are otherwise designated.
2. Courses automatically count toward the group under which they are listed in this bulletin. In rare cases, a course will be designated as counting toward a second group (though no single course can be counted by the same student toward two group requirements). In addition, students may petition to have a course count toward a group other than the one it is listed under in this bulletin, though the presumption will be against such petitions.
3. Courses taken in other departments and applied to the major will not normally count toward a group requirement. Students may petition for credit toward a group requirement, though the presumption will be against such petitions.

Beginning with the class of 2015, majors are also required to complete a course in logic, such as PHIL 115, and they are encouraged to do so by the fall of their junior year.

The senior requirement The senior requirement is normally satisfied by completing a third philosophy seminar. Students taking a seminar to satisfy the senior requirement are expected to produce work superior in argument and articulation to that of a standard seminar paper. To this end, students taking a seminar for the senior requirement must
satisfy additional requirements that are delineated in the syllabus or during the first class session, and that may include (a) additional readings, (b) submission of a complete draft of the final paper by the eighth week of the term that will then be significantly revised, and (c) one-on-one or small-group meetings with the instructor to discuss class material, the additional readings, and drafts in preparation. In special cases, students may meet the senior requirement through either a one-term or a two-term independent project supervised by an instructor (PHIL 490, 491). Students must petition to fulfill the senior requirement through an independent project, and approval is not guaranteed. Applicants must submit a proposal to the director of undergraduate studies, in consultation with an appropriate supervisor, by the end of the term prior to beginning the independent study.

Each major should, by October 1 of the junior year, secure the agreement of a member of the Philosophy department to serve as adviser for the year. The adviser aids the student in choosing courses and in planning for the senior year. All senior majors must have their schedules signed by the director of undergraduate studies.

Psychology track The psychology track is designed for students interested in both philosophy and psychology. Prerequisite to the major in the psychology track are two courses in philosophy or psychology. Majors in the track must take seven courses in philosophy and five in psychology, for a total of twelve, including the prerequisites and senior requirement. The seven philosophy courses must include (a) two courses in the history of philosophy, usually PHIL 125 and 126 or DRST 003 and 004, (b) two seminars, one of which may be in the Psychology department, with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies, and (c) at least two courses at the intermediate or advanced level that bear on the intersection of philosophy and psychology, at least one of which must be a philosophy seminar. Courses satisfying (c) must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies. The five psychology courses must include PSYC 110 or its equivalent. Each major must also satisfy the senior requirement as described above for the standard major.

Students interested in philosophy and psychology should also consider the philosophy track in the Psychology department and the major in Cognitive Science.

Other majors involving philosophy Majors in Mathematics and Philosophy and in Physics and Philosophy are also available. For information, see under those headings.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites Standard track—any 2 intro or intermediate phil courses; Psychology track—any 2 courses in phil or psych

Number of courses Both tracks—12 term courses, incl prereqs and senior req

Distribution of courses Standard track—3 courses in hist of phil (incl DRST 003 and 004, or PHIL 125 and 126), 2 in metaphysics and epistemology, and 2 in ethics and value theory; 2 phil sems; Psychology track—7 courses in phil, as specified; 5 in psych; Both tracks, Class of 2015 and subsequent classes—a course in logic

Specific courses required Standard track—PHIL 125 and 126, or DRST 003 and 004; Psychology track—PSYC 110 or equivalent

Senior requirement Both tracks—a third sem in phil, or substantial written work in a tutorial (PHIL 490, 491)
INTRODUCTORY COURSES

*PHIL 082a, Cognitive Science of Morality  Joshua Knobe
An exploration of recent work in psychology and philosophy on the nature of moral judgment. Topics include whether the capacity for moral judgment is innate or learned, whether moral judgments rely on reasoning or on emotion, and what light the science of morality can shed on broader philosophical questions about how one ought to live one’s life. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  Fr sem

PHIL 115a, First-Order Logic  Kenneth Winkler
An introduction to formal logic. Study of the formal deductive systems and semantics for both propositional and predicate logic. Some discussion of metatheory.  QR

PHIL 116a/DEVN 193a/PSYC 152a, Moralities of Everyday Life  Paul Bloom
For description see under DeVane Lecture Courses.

History of Philosophy

PHIL 125a/CLCV 125a, Introduction: Ancient Philosophy  Verity Harte
An introduction to ancient philosophy, beginning with the earliest pre-Socratics, concentrating on Plato and Aristotle, and including a brief foray into Hellenistic philosophy. Intended to be taken in conjunction with PHIL 126.  HU

PHIL 126b, Introduction: Modern Philosophy from Descartes to Kant  Michael Della Rocca
An introduction to major figures in the history of modern philosophy, with critical readings of Descartes, Malabranche, Spinoza, Leibniz, Locke, Berkeley, Hume, and Kant. Intended to be taken in conjunction with PHIL 125 although PHIL 125 is not a prerequisite.  HU

Ethics and Value Theory

PHIL 175a, Introduction to Ethics  Shelly Kagan
What makes one act right and another wrong? What am I morally required to do for others? What is the basis of morality? These are some of the questions raised in moral philosophy. Examination of two of the most important answers, the theories of Mill and Kant, with brief consideration of the views of Hume and Hobbes. Discussion of the question: Why be moral?  HU

PHIL 178a, Introduction: Political Philosophy  Matthew Smith
A survey of social and political theory, beginning with Plato and continuing through modern philosophers such as Rawls, Nozick, and Cohen. Emphasis on tracing the development of political ideas; challenges to political theories.  HU

PHIL 180b/INTS 266b/PLSC 191b, Ethics and International Affairs  Thomas Pogge, Matthew Lindauer
Moral reflection taken beyond state boundaries. Traditional questions about state conduct and international relations as well as more recent questions about intergovernmental agencies, nongovernmental organizations, and the design of global institutional arrangements.  HU
PHIL 181b/CGSC 281b/PSYC 181b, Philosophy and the Science of Human Nature
Tamar Gendler
Central texts from the Western philosophical tradition paired with recent findings in cognitive science and related fields. Possible topics include Plato's discussion of innate ideas and current research on infant development; Aristotle's conception of character and modern research in social psychology; Epictetus's writings on human flourishing and contemporary work on happiness; Nietzsche's genealogy of morals and findings from cognitive science. HU

INTERMEDIATE COURSES

History of Philosophy

PHIL 204a, Kant's Critique of Pure Reason
Paul Franks
An examination of the metaphysical and epistemological doctrines of Kant's Critique of Pure Reason. Prerequisite: PHIL 126 or DRST 004. HU

PHIL 207a, Nietzsche: Truth, Value, Tragedy
Karsten Harries
An examination of Nietzsche’s struggle with nihilism. Texts include The Pathos of Truth, On Truth and Lie in an Extramoral Sense, The Birth of Tragedy, and Zarathustra. HU

*PHIL 211b/CLCV 201b, Aristotle's Natural Philosophy
Verity Harte, Timothy Clarke
Examination of central topics in Aristotle's philosophy of nature, the dominant view of the physical world until the early modern period. Topics include causation, change, time and place, and the existence of a “prime mover.” HU

Metaphysics and Epistemology

PHIL 267a, Mathematical Logic
Sun-Joo Shin
An introduction to the metatheory of first-order logic, up to and including the completeness theorem for the first-order calculus. Introduction to the basic concepts of set theory. Prerequisite: PHIL 115 or permission of instructor. QR

PHIL 269a, Philosophy of Science
Eric Mandelbaum
Consideration of central questions about the nature of scientific theory and practice, including what makes a discipline a science, whether science discovers the objective truth about the world, how and why scientific theories change over time, to what extent observation and experiment determine which theories we accept, what constitutes a good scientific explanation, what laws of nature are, and whether physics has a special status compared to other sciences. HU

PHIL 270b, Epistemology
Keith DeRose
Introduction to current topics in the theory of knowledge. The analysis of knowledge, justified belief, rationality, certainty, and evidence. HU

PHIL 271a/LING 271a, Philosophy of Language
Zoltán Szabó
An introduction to contemporary philosophy of language, organized around four broad topics: meaning, reference, context, and communication. Introduction to the use of logical notation. HU
*PHIL 272a, Philosophy of Mind  George Bealer
A survey of contemporary issues in the philosophy of mind, including arguments for and against materialism and accounts of intentional states, qualitative states, and mental causation.  HU

PHIL 273b, Space and Time  Raul Saucedo
An introduction to philosophical issues about space and time. Topics include the ontological status of space and time, the reality of past and future, the passage and direction of time, the paradoxes of motion, and time travel.  HU

PHIL 274a/JDST 281a/RLST 249a, Jewish Philosophy  Paul Franks
An introduction to problems arising from the claim that God speaks to human beings. Topics include anthropomorphic language, kabbalistic anthropology, purposiveness in nature and history, law and commandment, chosenness and universality, and messianism.  HU

PHIL 281b, Infinity  Bruno Whittle
The idea of infinity. Traditional and contemporary versions of the paradoxes of space, time, and motion, as well as the paradoxes of classes, chances, and truth. Some elementary arithmetic, geometry, probability theory, and set theory.  QR, HU

PHIL 302b, Modality  Zoltán Szabó
A study of metapthysics, preceded by a brief introduction to the logic and semantics of modality. Topics include essentialism, possible worlds, counterfactuals, laws of nature, moral obligation, and chance. Prerequisites: PHIL 115 and another course in philosophy.  HU

*PHIL 310b, Metaphysics  George Bealer
An examination of central questions in metaphysics from historical and contemporary perspectives. Topics include ontological categories; the nature and existence of universals; the fundamental types of particulars and whether they can persist through change; the realism or antirealism debate. Prerequisites: PHIL 115 or 267, and either DRST 003, 004 or PHIL 125, 126.  HU

Ethics and Value Theory

PHIL 325b, Philosophy of Law  Scott Shapiro
An introduction to the problems and methods of the philosophy of law. Topics include the nature of law and legal authority; the philosophical bases of various areas of law, including criminal law and the practice of punishment; and the political philosophy of law, including the nature of rights and the obligation to obey laws.  HU

[PHIL 326b/RLST 402b, The Philosophy of Religion]

PHIL 327a/HUMS 364a, Existentialism  Scott Edgar
A survey of major existentialist thinkers from the mid-nineteenth century to the mid-twentieth. Questions about the nature of freedom available to human beings, and how to express that freedom authentically.  HU

PHIL 328a/PLSC 293a, European Political Thought from Weber to Derrida  Seyla Benhabib
For description see under Political Science.
**PHIL 329b, Practical Reason and Ethics**  Sonny Elizondo
An assessment of contemporary theories of practical reason. Focus on views that include moral principles as standards of reason.  HU

**PHIL 332a/HUMS 259a, Aesthetics – Sensuality and Rationality**  Barbara Sattler
The philosophical study of art and beauty. Focus on the relationship between sensuality and rationality in the aesthetic realm. Periods and movements include ancient times, German idealism, romanticism, and the twentieth century.  HU

**PHIL 335b/HUMS 255b/LITR 314b, Art, Love, and Beauty**  Karsten Harries
A critical examination of the divorce of beauty and love that is a presupposition of the establishment of aesthetics and of a distinctly modern approach to art. Writers include Plato, Alberti, Baumgarten, Kant, Schopenhauer, Nietzsche, Freud, and Marcuse.  HU

**SEMINARS**

**History of Philosophy**

**PHIL 400a/GREK 427a, Aristotle’s Metaphysics XII**  Verity Harte, John Hare
Reading and discussion of the Greek text of Aristotle’s *Metaphysics*, Book XII. Consideration of philosophical issues raised by Aristotle’s investigation into substance, in which he sets out to prove and to characterize the existence of a divine substance. Prerequisites: GREK 131 or 141 or equivalent; PHIL 125.  HU

**PHIL 401b/CLCV 488b/HUMS 343b, Ancient Philosophy of Science**  Barbara Sattler
A study of notions central to the philosophy of science that developed in ancient times. Topics include time, space, motion, matter, continuity, and infinity. Focus on the discussion of these topics in the pre-Socratics, Plato, and Aristotle.  HU

**PHIL 402b/CLCV 412b, Plato’s Philebus**  Verity Harte
Reading, in translation, of Plato’s *Philebus*, the late work in which he examines the competing claims of pleasure and reason to be the basis of human happiness and provides a portrait of the best human life.  HU

**PHIL 404a, The Philosophy of Spinoza**  Michael Della Rocca
An in-depth study of Spinoza’s major work, the *Ethics*, with some attention to his earlier writings. Focus on Spinoza’s views in metaphysics and the philosophy of mind.  HU

**PHIL 405a, Hume**  Kenneth Winkler
A study of Hume’s epistemology and metaphysics and his science of human nature. Topics include our knowledge of space and time; inductive reasoning; the nature and representation of causation; the origin and justification of belief in an external world; personal identity; the normative bearing of naturalized epistemology; the explanation and justification of religious belief; and the attractions and limits of skepticism. Readings in Book I of *A Treatise of Human Nature*, *An Enquiry concerning Human Understanding*, and *Dialogues concerning Natural Religion*.  HU
Metaphysics and Epistemology

*PHIL 425b, Frege*  
Susanne Bobzien  
Reading and evaluation of selected articles by Gottlob Frege, including “On Sense and Reference,” “Function and Concept,” “Thought,” and “Negation.” Focus on Frege’s contributions and relevance to modern philosophical logic (as opposed to his contributions to the philosophy of mathematics).  
HU

*PHIL 427b, Computability and Logic*  
Sun-Joo Shin  
A technical exposition of Gödel’s first and second incompleteness theorems and of some of their consequences in proof theory and model theory, such as Löb’s theorem, Tarski’s undefinability of truth, provability logic, and nonstandard models of arithmetic. Prerequisite: PHIL 267 or permission of instructor.  
QR, HU

*PHIL 428b, Philosophy of Philosophy*  
George Bealer  
An examination of the central aims of philosophy, the methods used in philosophizing, their epistemological grounds, and the prospects for success. Also considered are the role of intuitions in philosophy and philosophy’s relationship to empirical science. Prerequisites: PHIL 115 and either DRST 003, 004 or PHIL 125, 126.  
HU

*PHIL 429b, Monism*  
Michael Della Rocca  
The resilience of monism—the thesis that there is only one thing—despite its apparent refutation by the observed multiplicity of things. Focus on the viability of various forms of monism. Attention to topics such as relations, dependence, existence, and modality, as well as to relevant topics in philosophy of language.  
HU

*PHIL 430b/CGSC 430b/PSYC 427b, Mind Perception*  
Joshua Knobe  
Consideration of how people make the distinction between things that have minds and things that do not. Topics include the attribution of minds to machines and robots, to group agents such as corporations, to God, and to people from other genders or racial groups. Prerequisites: PHIL 115 and either DRST 003, 004 or PHIL 125, 126.  
HU

*PHIL 431a/CGSC 431a, Cognitive Architecture: Belief and Modularity*  
Eric Mandelbaum  
An investigation of cognitive architecture: an attempt to create a model of the mind in the broadest sense. Alternative models of the mind, with modular models as the starting point. Selected models of central cognition, focusing in particular on the roles of belief acquisition and belief storage in constraining models of central cognition.  
HU

*PHIL 432a, Convention*  
Zoltán Szabó  
Exploration of the nature of convention, with special emphasis on linguistic convention. Topics include objectivity, normativity, coordination, rule-following, and relativism.  
HU

*PHIL 433a, Post-Kantian Themes in Analytic Philosophy*  
Paul Franks  
An examination of themes in analytic philosophy that are connected to Kantian and post-Kantian traditions, with a view to assessing the viability of contemporary analytic versions of Kantian, Fichtean, and Hegelian positions. Themes such as a priori knowledge; psychologism; skepticism; holism; translational indeterminacy and supervenience; unity of consciousness and multiple realizability; conceptual and nonconceptual content; idealism
and realism. Readings include Brandom, Carnap, Davidson, Fichte, Frege, Hegel, Kant, McDowell, and Quine.  

*PHIL 434b, Propositional Attitudes  
Bruno Whittle  
Survey of approaches to modeling propositional attitudes, and of challenges faced by these approaches. Topics include Fregean and Russellian propositions, possible worlds models of attitudes, de se attitudes, semantic relationism, and the context sensitivity of attitude ascriptions.  

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Ethics and Value Theory

*PHIL 450b/EP&E 261b, Animal Ethics  
Shelly Kagan  
Exploration of the moral status of nonhuman animals, and the nature of our moral obligations toward them. Focus on theoretical issues, such as what the major approaches to ethics imply about the status of animals, with some attention to practical questions such as vegetarianism or the use of animals in research. Prerequisite: a course in moral philosophy.  

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*PHIL 452a/EP&E 231a, Recognition  
Stephen Darwall, Matthew Smith  
Exploration of theories of recognition, the relationship that two equal moral beings bear toward one another. Origins of recognition theory in questions about property rights: the normative structure of the relation between a rights holder and someone against whom he can make a claim. Development of broad questions concerning the basic moral relationship, expressed in Kant, post-Kantian German idealists such as Fichte and Hegel, and recent moral and political philosophers.  

H

*PHIL 453b/EP&E 396b, Metaethics  
Matthew Smith  
A study of moral theorizing and moral discourse. The linguistic role of words like “good,” “bad,” “right,” and “wrong”; whether propositions that use these terms can be true or false. What ethical claims mean, if anything, and what kinds of reasoning or evidence might justify such claims.  

H

*PHIL 454b/EP&E 397b, Kant’s Ethical Theory  
Sonny Elizondo  
An assessment of Kant’s ethical theory. Special attention to Kant’s conception of the aims and methods of moral philosophy and how this conception bears on his substantive ethical views.  

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*PHIL 455b/EP&E 334b, Normative Ethics  
Shelly Kagan  
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*PHIL 456a/EP&E 366a/HUMS 292a, Freedom of Expression  
Jonathan Gilmore  
The history and theory of freedom of expression examined from the standpoints of philosophy, law, art history, and literary criticism. Topics include censorship of art and literature, self-expression and self-realization, First Amendment interpretation, autonomy, paternalism, and rights.  

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*PHIL 457b, Aesthetics and Philosophy of Art  
Jonathan Gilmore  
The nature and significance of works of art. Topics include aesthetic judgment, art and morality, depiction and cognition, fictions and emotions, imagination, originality and forgery, intention and interpretation, artistic style, and freedom of expression.  

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TUTORIAL AND SENIOR ESSAY COURSES

*PHIL 480a or b, Tutorial  Keith DeRose
A reading course supervised by a member of the department and satisfying the following conditions: (1) the work of the course must not be possible in an already existing course; (2) the course must involve a substantial amount of writing, i.e., a term essay or a series of short essays; (3) the student must meet with the instructor regularly, normally for at least an hour a week; (4) the proposed course of study must be approved by both the director of undergraduate studies and the instructor.

*PHIL 490a and 491b, The Senior Essay  Keith DeRose
The essay, written under the supervision of a member of the department, should be a substantial paper; a suggested length is between 8,000 and 12,000 words for one-term projects, and between 12,500 and 15,000 words for two-term projects. Students completing a one-term project should enroll in either 490 in the fall or 491 in the spring. Students completing a two-term project should enroll in both 490 and 491. The deadline for senior essays completed in the fall is December 2; the deadline for both one- and two-term senior essays completed in the spring is April 20.

GRADUATE, DIVINITY, AND LAW SCHOOL COURSES
THAT COUNT TOWARD THE MAJOR

Some Graduate, Divinity, and Law School courses are open to qualified undergraduates with permission of the instructor and the director of graduate studies or the dean or registrar of the Divinity or the Law School. (See “Courses in the Yale Graduate and Professional Schools” in chapter II, section K.) With permission of the director of undergraduate studies, relevant Graduate, Divinity, and Law School courses may count toward the major. Course descriptions appear in the Graduate, Divinity, and Law School bulletins.

Philosophy and Mathematics
(See under Mathematics and Philosophy.)

Philosophy and Physics
(See under Physics and Philosophy.)

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Physics forms a foundation for all other sciences. The various undergraduate courses and degree programs offered by the Physics department provide students with a thorough preparation in physics for any career. To satisfy the needs of science students and to provide the general background in physics that should be part of a liberal education, the department offers four different introductory sequences and two different degree programs for Physics majors. Combined majors are also available in mathematics and physics (see Mathematics and Physics), astronomy and physics (see Astronomy), and philosophy and physics (see Physics and Philosophy). Applied Physics is a closely related major (see Applied Physics).

Introductory courses with no calculus prerequisite  PHYS 110 (one term) and 120 (one term) are for students with little or no previous experience in physics who do not plan to major in the natural sciences. Neither course has a mathematics requirement, and neither course satisfies the medical school requirement.

Introductory calculus-based lecture sequences
1. PHYS 170, 171 (two terms) is for students with little background in physics and mathematics who will probably not major in the physical sciences but who may be interested in the medical and biological sciences. There is no mathematics prerequisite other than high school mathematics, but MATH 112 and 115 should be taken concurrently.
2. PHYS 180, 181 (two terms) is for students with some previous background in physics and mathematics who plan to major in the physical sciences. Calculus at the level of MATH 112 is a prerequisite; MATH 115 and 120 should be taken concurrently.
3. PHYS 200, 201 (two terms) is for students with a strong background in mathematics and physics who plan to major in the physical sciences. Calculus at the level of MATH 115 is presumed. MATH 120 should be taken concurrently with PHYS 200. It is suggested that MATH 222 or 225 be taken concurrently with PHYS 201.
4. PHYS 260, 261 (two terms) is intended for students who have had excellent training in and have a flair for mathematical methods and quantitative analysis; a solid foundation in physics is required. MATH 230, 231 or the equivalent should be taken concurrently with PHYS 260, 261.
If students have the appropriate mathematics background, they are advised to take a calculus-based physics course. Sir Isaac Newton developed calculus while trying to describe the world around him; it is the natural language of physics. Students enrolled in one of the calculus-based introductory courses will be invited to a series of Chairman’s Teas, which provide an opportunity to discuss topics on the frontiers of physics with faculty and peers. Completion of a calculus-based course also prepares students for the 340-level series of advanced physics electives, which cover special topics of interest to both majors and nonmajors.

PHYS 170, 180, 200, and 260 meet at the same time so that students are easily able to change levels if necessary. Questions about placement should be addressed to the director of undergraduate studies.

**Introductory laboratories**  Two different introductory laboratory sequences are offered: PHYS 165L, 166L, and PHYS 205L, 206L. Each of these laboratory courses earns one-half course credit. Students normally take the laboratory courses associated with the introductory physics sequence in which they are enrolled. Students should register for a section of the appropriate laboratory course during the first week of classes by logging onto [classes2.yale.edu](http://classes2.yale.edu).

1. PHYS 165L, 166L (two terms) is an introductory laboratory for students without a strong high school physics laboratory preparation. Related lecture courses are PHYS 170, 171, and PHYS 180, 181.
2. PHYS 205L, 206L (two terms) is for students who plan to major in the physical sciences. Related lecture courses are PHYS 180, 181, PHYS 200, 201, and PHYS 260, 261. Students who take the lecture courses in freshman year are advised to start this laboratory sequence with PHYS 205L in the spring of freshman year or in the fall of sophomore year.

**Advanced electives**  A series of 340-level electives explores special topics of interest to both majors and nonmajors. The electives are open to any student in Yale College who has completed a year of introductory calculus-based physics (PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261). The offering for 2011–2012 is PHYS 343, Gravity, Astrophysics, and Cosmology.

**Major degree programs**  Two different majors are offered in Physics: the B.S. and the B.S. with an intensive major. Students in either program acquire advanced training in physics, mathematics, and related topics through the core courses. They use electives to design individualized programs with more depth or breadth, depending on their needs and interests. Both degree programs require research experience through PHYS 471 and 472—one term for the B.S. degree and two terms for the B.S. degree with an intensive major. Both programs are excellent preparation for a wide variety of postgraduate activities, including professional school in business, law, or medicine; graduate school in engineering or other sciences; or careers in business, consulting, financial services, government service, or teaching.

The B.S. program with an intensive major is distinguished by depth of study in advanced physics courses and prepares students to study physics or closely related physical sciences in graduate school. The director of undergraduate studies can help students in the B.S. program prepare for graduate school in physics by recommending appropriate electives to supplement the core courses.

Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the requirements of the major.
**B.S. degree program** The prerequisites are an introductory lecture course sequence with a mathematics sequence equivalent to, or more advanced than, the corequisite of the physics sequence. The following options are appropriate: PHYS 170, 171 with MATH 112, 115; or PHYS 180, 181 with MATH 115, 120; or PHYS 200, 201 with MATH 120 and either 225 or 222; or PHYS 260, 261 with MATH 230, 231 or equivalent. In addition, the laboratory sequence PHYS 205L, 206L or PHYS 165L, 166L is required. Students who take these physics and mathematics courses starting in their freshman year may satisfy the prerequisites by the middle of their sophomore year. Students who begin taking physics courses in their sophomore year may also complete either the standard or the intensive major. Students are advised to take mathematics courses throughout their freshman year at the appropriate level.

Eight courses are required beyond the prerequisites, including the senior project. Students must take a mathematics course at the level of, or more advanced than, PHYS 301. Three courses at the core of the major involve advanced study of fundamental topics common to all branches of physics, and must be taken in order. The first two, PHYS 401 and 402, pertain to advanced classical physics (mechanics, statistical physics and thermodynamics, and electromagnetism), and the third, APHY 439 or PHYS 440, covers quantum mechanics. Three advanced elective courses are also required. Suitable advanced courses include the PHYS 340-level electives, an advanced laboratory such as PHYS 382L, and 400-level courses in Physics. Students may also find suitable advanced courses in other departments in the sciences, engineering, and mathematics. Courses taken to satisfy these requirements must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies. In order to pursue their individual interests in sufficient depth, many students choose to take more than the required number of advanced courses.

**Senior requirement for the B.S. degree program** The senior requirement for the regular B.S. degree is fulfilled by receiving a passing grade on a one-term research project in PHYS 471 or 472 or equivalent. Students should consult the director of undergraduate studies for further information.

**B.S. degree program, intensive major** The prerequisites for the B.S. degree with an intensive major are the same as for the standard program. Ten courses are required beyond the prerequisites, including the senior project. Students must take a mathematics course at the level of, or more advanced than, PHYS 301. Five courses at the core of the major involve advanced study of fundamental topics common to all branches of physics. Three of the courses pertain to advanced classical physics: mechanics (PHYS 410), statistical physics and thermodynamics (PHYS 420), and electromagnetism (PHYS 430). Two other courses incorporate quantum mechanics (PHYS 440 and 441). These courses must be taken in order because the ideas build progressively: PHYS 410 precedes 440, which precedes 441, 420, and 430.

Because experiment is at the heart of the discipline, the intensive major requires one term of advanced laboratory (PHYS 382L or equivalent) and at least two terms of independent research (PHYS 471, 472 or equivalent). One advanced elective course is required to complete the program. Suitable advanced courses include the PHYS 340-level electives and 400-level courses in Physics. Students may also find suitable advanced courses in other departments in the sciences, engineering, and mathematics. Courses taken to satisfy these requirements must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies. In order
to pursue their individual interests in sufficient depth, many students choose to take more than ten advanced courses.

**Senior requirement for the B.S. degree program, intensive major** The senior requirement for the intensive major is fulfilled by receiving a passing grade on a two-term research project in PHYS 471, 472 or equivalent. Students should consult the director of undergraduate studies for further information.

**Sequence of courses** For both the regular B.S. degree and the B.S. degree with an intensive major, students are advised to begin the program in their freshman year to allow the greatest amount of flexibility in course selection. It is possible, however, to complete either program in a total of six terms, as illustrated below.

A program for a student completing the Physics B.S. in three years might be:

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**Approval of programs** All Physics majors in the sophomore, junior, and senior classes must have their programs approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Freshmen and undeclared sophomores who are interested in Physics or related majors are encouraged to meet with the director of undergraduate studies to discuss their questions and proposed programs.

**Requirements of the Major**

**B.S. Degree**

**Prerequisites** PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261, with appropriate math coreqs; PHYS 205L, 206L, or PHYS 165L, 166L

**Number of courses** 8 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

**Distribution of courses** 3 advanced electives approved by DUS

**Specific courses required** PHYS 301 or other advanced math course; PHYS 401, 402, and either APHY 439 or PHYS 440, in sequence

**Senior requirement** PHYS 471 or 472 or equivalent
**B.S. DEGREE, INTENSIVE MAJOR**

**Prerequisites**  PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261, with appropriate math coreqs; PHYS 205L, 206L, or PHYS 165L, 166L

**Number of courses**  10 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

**Distribution of courses**  1 advanced elective approved by DUS

**Specific courses required**  PHYS 301 or other advanced math course; PHYS 410, 440, 441, 420, 430, in sequence; PHYS 382L

**Senior requirement**  PHYS 471 and 472 or equivalent

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**PHYS 050a/APHY 050a, Science of Modern Technology**  Daniel Prober
For description see under Applied Physics.

**PHYS 060b/APHY 060b/ENAS 060b, Energy Technology and Society**  Paul Fleury
For description see under Engineering & Applied Science.

**PHYS 095a, Radiation and the Universe**  Peter Parker
An exploration of nuclear physics in the cosmos and on Earth, without intense mathematics. Nuclei as the heart of matter and the cores of stars; nuclear reactions as they power the stars and are responsible for the existence of every element; the role of radioactivity in our lives, including nuclear medicine, X rays, nuclear power, nuclear weapons, and terrorism. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  QR, SC

**PHYS 101a or b, Movie Physics**  Frank Robinson [F], Stephen Irons [Sp]
A critical evaluation of Hollywood action movies, using the laws of physics and Fermi-type estimation techniques to distinguish between fictional and real movie physics. Enrollment limited to freshmen and sophomores.  QR, SC

**PHYS 110b, Developments in Modern Physics**  Sarah Demers
An introduction to modern physics and quantitative reasoning. Topics include subatomic particles, electromagnetic waves, black holes, galaxies, and the fate of the universe. The stages of descriptive modeling, with examples ranging from Newtonian physics to Einstein’s theory of relativity. See comparison of introductory sequences and laboratories in the text above.  QR, SC

**PHYS 115a/THST 115a, The Physics of Dance**  Sarah Demers, Emily Coates
Critical investigation of introductory concepts in physics through the lens of dance. Topics in physics include the normal force, friction, Newton’s laws, projectile motion, potential and kinetic energy, and conservation of energy. Topics in dance include aspects of dance history, contemporary artists who engage with science, and the development of movement studies. Class meetings include movement exercises. Prerequisite: basic trigonometry and algebra. Prior dance experience is not required.  QR, SC

**PHYS 120a, Quantum Physics and Beyond**  Helen Caines
Current topics in modern physics, beginning with quantum physics and continuing through subatomic physics, special and general relativity, cosmology, astrophysics, and string theory. See comparison of introductory sequences and laboratories in the text above.  SC
**PHYS 165La and 166Lb, General Physics Laboratory** Richard Casten
A variety of individually self-contained experiments are roughly coordinated with the lectures in PHYS 170, 171, and 180, 181 and illustrate and develop physical principles covered in those lectures. SC RP ½ Course cr per term

**PHYS 170a and 171b, University Physics for the Life Sciences** Simon Mochrie
An introduction to classical physics with special emphasis on applications drawn from the life sciences and medicine. Fall-term topics include vectors, kinematics, Newton's laws of motion, oscillations and waves, gravitation, elasticity, statics, diffusion, fluids, and thermodynamics. Spring-term topics include electricity and magnetism, circuits, light and optics, sound, and modern physics. Essential calculus is introduced as needed. Concurrently with MATH 112, 115. See comparison of introductory sequences and laboratories in the text above. QR, SC

**PHYS 180a and 181b, University Physics** Sean Barrett
A broad introduction to classical and modern physics for students who have some previous preparation in physics and mathematics. Fall-term topics include Newtonian mechanics, gravitation, waves, and thermodynamics. Spring-term topics include electromagnetism, optics, special relativity, and quantum physics. Concurrently with MATH 115 and 120 or equivalents. See comparison of introductory sequences and laboratories in the text above. May not be taken for credit after PHYS 170, 171. QR, SC

**PHYS 200a and 201b, Fundamentals of Physics** Paul Tipton
A thorough introduction to the principles and methods of physics for students who have good preparation in physics and mathematics. Emphasis on problem solving and quantitative reasoning. Fall-term topics include Newtonian mechanics, special relativity, gravitation, thermodynamics, and waves. Spring-term topics include electromagnetism, geometrical and physical optics, and elements of quantum mechanics. Prerequisite: MATH 115 or equivalent. See comparison of introductory sequences and laboratories in the text above. QR, SC

**PHYS 205La or Lb and 206Lb or Lb, Modern Physical Measurement**
John Harris [F], David DeMille [Sp]
A two-term sequence of experiments in classical and modern physics for students who plan to major in Physics. In the first term, the basic principles of mechanics, electricity, and magnetism are illustrated in experiments designed to make use of computer data handling and teach error analysis. In the second term, students plan and carry out experiments illustrating aspects of wave and quantum phenomena and of atomic, solid state, and nuclear physics using modern instrumentation. May be begun in either term. SC RP ½ Course cr per term

*PHYS 260a and 261b, Intensive Introductory Physics* Charles Baltay
The major branches of physics—classical and relativistic dynamics, gravitation, electromagnetism, heat and thermodynamics, statistical mechanics, quantum physics—at a sophisticated level. For students majoring in the physical sciences, Mathematics, and Philosophy who have excellent training in and a flair for mathematical methods and quantitative analysis. Concurrently with MATH 230 and 231, or PHYS 301, or equivalent. QR, SC
PHYS 295a/ASTR 255a, Research Methods in Astrophysics  Charles Bailyn
For description see under Astronomy.

PHYS 301a, Introduction to Mathematical Methods of Physics  O. Keith Baker
Topics include multivariable calculus, linear algebra, complex variables, vector calculus, and differential equations. Designed to give accelerated access to 400-level courses by providing, in one term, the essential background in mathematical methods. Recommended to be taken concurrently with PHYS 401 or 410. Prerequisite: PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261, or permission of instructor.  QR

PHYS 320a, Science and Public Policy  Bonnie Fleming
Case studies in the science and technology enterprise in the United States and selected foreign countries; how science and technology affect public policy and in turn are affected by it; how research is planned, supported, evaluated, and utilized; how criteria for selection of research areas are developed and used in the executive and legislative branches of government. No detailed background in physical science or mathematics required.  SO

[PHYS 341a, Biological Physics]

[PHYS 342a/G&G 342a, Introduction to Earth and Environmental Physics]

PHYS 343b/ASTR 343b, Gravity, Astrophysics, and Cosmology  Daisuke Nagai
In-depth discussion of the physics underlying several recent discoveries in astrophysics and cosmology, including extrasolar planets, black holes, and the accelerating universe. Prerequisite: PHYS 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261, or permission of instructor.  QR, SC

[PHYS 344b, Quantum and Nanoscale Physics]

PHYS 382Lb, Experimental Research Studies  Steven Lamoreaux
Laboratory experiments with some discussion of theory and techniques. An advanced course focusing on modern experimental methods and concepts in atomic, optical, nuclear, and condensed matter physics. Intended to prepare students for independent research. For majors in the physical sciences. Prerequisite: PHYS 206L. After or concurrently with PHYS 439 or 440, or with permission of instructor.  SC

PHYS 401a and 402b, Advanced Classical Physics from Newton to Einstein  Ramamurti Shankar
Advanced physics as the field developed from the time of Newton to the age of Einstein. Topics include mechanics, electricity and magnetism, statistical physics, and thermodynamics. The development of classical physics into a “mature” scientific discipline, an idea that was subsequently shaken to the core by the revolutionary discoveries of quantum physics and relativity. Prerequisite: PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261. Concurrently with PHYS 301 or other advanced mathematics course.  QR, SC

PHYS 410a, Classical Mechanics  Witold Skiba
An advanced treatment of mechanics, with a focus on the methods of Lagrange and Hamilton. Lectures and problems address the mechanics of particles, systems of particles, and rigid bodies, as well as free and forced oscillations. Introduction to chaos and special relativity. Prerequisite: PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261. Concurrently with PHYS 301 or other advanced mathematics course.  QR, SC
PHYS 420a, Statistical Thermodynamics  A. Douglas Stone
An introduction to the laws of thermodynamics and their theoretical explanation by statistical mechanics. Applications to gases, solids, phase equilibrium, chemical equilibrium, and boson and fermion systems. Prerequisites: PHYS 301 and 410 or equivalents. QR, SC

PHYS 430b, Electromagnetic Fields and Optics  Richard Easther
Electrostatics, magnetic fields of steady currents, electromagnetic waves, and relativistic dynamics. Provides a working knowledge of electrodynamics. Prerequisites: PHYS 301 and 410 or equivalents. QR, SC

PHYS 439a/APHY 439a, Basic Quantum Mechanics  Robert Schoelkopf
For description see under Applied Physics.

PHYS 440b, Quantum Mechanics and Natural Phenomena I  Karyn Le Hur
The first term of a two-term sequence covering principles of quantum mechanics with examples of applications to atomic physics. The solution of bound-state eigenvalue problems, free scattering states, barrier penetration, the hydrogen-atom problem, perturbation theory, transition amplitudes, scattering, and approximation techniques. Prerequisites: PHYS 410 or 401. QR, SC

PHYS 441a, Quantum Mechanics and Natural Phenomena II  Steven Lamoreaux
Continuation of PHYS 440. Prerequisite: PHYS 440. QR, SC

PHYS 442b, Introduction to Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics  Daniel McKinsey
Fundamental concepts in nuclear and particle physics, including the discovery of radioactivity, the Dirac equation, antimatter, Feynman diagrams, hadron resonances, quarks and gluons, fundamental symmetries, the weak interaction, beta decay, quantum chromodynamics, neutrino oscillation, unification, and particle theories for dark matter. Prerequisite: two term courses in quantum mechanics. QR, SC

PHYS 448a/APHY 448a, Solid-State Physics I  Paul Fleury
For description see under Applied Physics.

PHYS 449b/APHY 449b, Solid-State Physics II  A. Douglas Stone
For description see under Applied Physics.

PHYS 458a/APHY 458a, Principles of Optics with Applications  Hui Cao
For description see under Applied Physics.

PHYS 460a, Mathematical Methods of Physics  Francesco Iachello
Survey of mathematical techniques useful in physics. Physical examples illustrate vector and tensor analysis, group theory, complex analysis (residue calculus, method of steepest descent), differential equations and Green’s functions, and selected advanced topics. Prerequisite: PHYS 301 or other advanced mathematics course. QR

*PHYS 471a and 472b, Independent Projects in Physics  Sean Barrett
Each student works on an independent project under the supervision of a member of the faculty or research staff. Students participate in a series of seminar meetings in which they present a talk on their project or research related to it. A written report is also submitted. For students with a strong background in Physics course work. RP
Physics and Astronomy
(See under Astronomy.)

Physics and Mathematics
(See under Mathematics and Physics.)

Physics and Philosophy

Prospective majors in Physics and Philosophy are advised to begin taking the prerequisites during their freshman year, and to take at least two of the required Philosophy courses by the end of their sophomore year. Prerequisites for this major are as follows: mathematics through calculus at the level of MATH 120; any introductory Physics lecture sequence numbered 170 or higher; PHYS 165L and 166L, or 205L and 206L; one introductory Philosophy course.

Beyond the prerequisites, students take seven courses in Physics approved by the director of undergraduate studies and numbered 301 or higher, including (1) PHYS 301 or the equivalent, (2) PHYS 439 or 440, and (3) PHYS 382L; and six courses in Philosophy or in History of Science, History of Medicine, including PHIL 125 and 126, one course in logic above the introductory level, and a Philosophy seminar selected with the approval of the directors of undergraduate studies.

Senior requirement Seniors must complete one of the following: (1) Physics senior essay; (2) PHYS 471 or 472; (3) PHIL 490 or 491 (senior essay); (4) PHIL 480 (tutorial) in an appropriate subject; (5) an appropriate Philosophy seminar with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies in Philosophy.

Majors should consult Peter Parker (Physics), 206B WNSL, 432-3601, dus.physics@yale.edu, and Keith DeRose (Philosophy), 410 C, 432-1674, keith.deros @yale.edu.

Requirements of the Major

Prerequisites MATH 120; PHYS 170, 171, or 180, 181, or 200, 201, or 260, 261; PHYS 165L, 166L, or 205L, 206L; 1 intro Phil course

Number of courses 13 term courses beyond prereqs, not incl senior req

Distribution of courses 7 Physics courses at level 301 or higher approved by DUS; 6 courses in Philosophy or HSHM, incl 1 in logic above intro level and a Philosophy sem, as specified

Specific courses required PHYS 301 or equivalent; PHYS 439 or 440; PHYS 382L; PHIL 125, 126

Senior requirement 1 from Physics senior essay, PHYS 471 or 472, PHIL 490 or 491, PHIL 480 on appropriate topic, or approved Philosophy sem

Polish
(See under Slavic Languages and Literatures.)
Political Science

Director of undergraduate studies: Peter Swenson, 115 Prospect St., 432-5236, peter.swenson@yale.edu

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Senior Lecturers  Boris Kapustin, David Smith

Lecturers  Steven Bilakovic, Harry Blair, Elizabeth Carlson, Keith Darden, Thomas Donahue, Conor Dowling, Alexandra Dufresne, Cynthia Farrar, Alvin Felzenberg, Michael Fotos, Stuart Gottlieb, Elizabeth Hanson, James Hollyer, Cynthia Horan, Gaye Ilhan Demiryol, Pablo Kalmanovitz, Matthew Kocher, Jean Krasno, Stephen Latham, Kristin McKie, Mark Oppenheimer, Danilo Petranovich, Andrew Reeves, Elihu Rubin, David Simon, James Sleeper, Sean Smith, John Bryan Starr, Annalisa Zinn

Advising  Students majoring in Political Science are expected to choose a member of the Political Science faculty as an adviser. Students are also encouraged to seek advice from other members of the department working in their particular field of interest. Majors must secure written approval of course selections each term from the adviser or another member of the department. All subsequent changes in a student’s major program must also be approved. Seniors’ schedules must be approved by the director of undergraduate studies.

Students are urged to take the initiative in shaping a coherent program suited to their interests. If they intend to write a senior essay requiring substantial empirical analysis, they should plan to acquire sufficient training in statistics or other methods, as appropriate. Students should consult with their advisers frequently. The director of undergraduate studies and other members of the department can give advice about special programs or problems. Opportunities for two majors, study abroad, and work-and-study arrangements are normally discussed with the director of undergraduate studies. More information on advising can be found on the department’s Web site at www.yale.edu/polisci/undergrad/advising.html.
The standard major Eleven term courses of political science are required. (One term of Directed Studies, DRST 005, 006, may count as a political science course, with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies.) To fulfill the standard major’s distributional requirement, students must take two courses each in three of five fields of political science— international relations, American government, political philosophy, analytical political theory, and comparative government. Students expecting to major in Political Science should take several introductory-level courses in the department early in their college careers. This allows a student to make an informed choice of a field for specialization. Introductory courses count toward the overall course requirement and toward the distributional requirement. Students are allowed to take related offerings in other departments. They may petition to have appropriate courses in other departments count toward the requirements of the major. College seminars count only when taught by a member of the Political Science faculty.

Senior requirement Students majoring in Political Science are required to take at least two seminars taught by members of the Political Science department. One seminar must be taken in the senior year. Admission to seminars is at the instructor’s discretion. Students must complete a substantial paper, as described in “Senior essays” below, in at least one course taken during the senior year, either a seminar or a course specifically designated for that purpose (PLSC 480). Fall-term senior essays are due on November 28, 2011; spring-term and yearlong senior essays are due on April 16, 2012. In order to graduate from Yale College, a student majoring in Political Science must achieve a passing grade on the senior essay by the end of the senior year.

Seminar preregistration Political Science majors are given first preference for admission to departmental seminars. The department has instituted a preregistration system that allows instructors of seminars to preregister up to twelve majors prior to the start of each term. The system is administered by the office of the director of undergraduate studies. All majors are eligible to participate in preregistration.

Senior essays The senior essay provides an appropriate intellectual culmination to the student’s work in the major and in Yale College. It should ordinarily be written on a topic in an area in which the student has previously done course work. It should rest on extensive research that is appropriate to the subject matter. The suggested length is approximately twenty-five double-spaced pages. At the beginning of the term in which the essay is written, students must have their senior essay topic approved by a faculty member who has agreed to advise them. The student must consult regularly with the seminar instructor or adviser and take the initiative in developing a mutually acceptable plan of research, regular meetings, and preliminary drafts. More extensive information about the senior essay can be found on the department’s Web site at www.yale.edu/polisci/undergrad/senior_essay.html.

The yearlong senior essay Students who wish to undertake a more extensive research project than is possible in a single term may fulfill the senior requirement by enrolling in the two-term course sequence PLSC 490, The Senior Colloquium, and 491, The Senior Essay. In PLSC 490 students develop a research prospectus for the senior essay and begin their research. PLSC 490 counts as a seminar in the major. In PLSC 491 students write the essay under the supervision of a member of the faculty who specializes in the area being investigated. Yearlong senior essays are expected to be substantially longer than a regular
term paper. While there is no fixed length, yearlong essays are normally fifty to sixty pages long. Yearlong senior essays are due on April 16, 2012.

Admission to the yearlong senior essay   Majors who wish to enroll in the yearlong senior essay apply for admission in the spring of their junior year. The deadline for the Class of 2013 is March 30, 2012. Students should submit to the office of the director of undergraduate studies: (1) a two-page statement of project, signed by a faculty adviser who has agreed to supervise the student’s essay, and (2) an up-to-date transcript. Normally a successful candidate will have at least an A– average in political science courses and a B+ average outside the major. It is expected that no more than fifteen students will be admitted.

The major with an interdisciplinary concentration   Students majoring in Political Science may choose an interdisciplinary concentration, which allows them to pursue an area of study that crosses conventional disciplinary and department boundaries. Examples of interdisciplinary concentrations are international studies, urban studies, health politics and policy, and political economy. Students choosing such a concentration are required to take twelve term courses toward the major, at least seven of which must be in the field of concentration. As many as three courses in the concentration may be taken in other departments, with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies. In addition to taking seven courses in their field of concentration, interdisciplinary concentration majors must take two courses in each of two other fields in the department. The senior requirement is the same as for the standard major, with the proviso that the essay must be written on a subject that falls within the field of concentration.

The intensive major   The intensive major gives students an opportunity to undertake extensive research on a topic of interest. To carry out this research, the student takes PLSC 474, a directed reading and research course, in the sixth term of enrollment. In the seventh term the student takes PLSC 490, The Senior Colloquium (see above under “The yearlong senior essay”). In the eighth term the student takes PLSC 493, the independent senior essay course for intensive majors. All other requirements for the intensive major are identical to those for the standard major or interdisciplinary concentration major.

Admission to the intensive major   Juniors wishing to pursue an intensive major must apply to the director of undergraduate studies by November 18, 2011. Admission is based on performance and promise. The director of undergraduate studies and the prospective senior essay adviser serve as advisers to candidates for the intensive major in the junior year.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites   None

Number of courses   Standard major — 11 term courses; Interdisciplinary concentration — 12 term courses

Distribution of courses   Standard major — 2 courses in each of 3 of the 5 departmental fields; Interdisciplinary concentration — 2 courses each in 2 fields in addition to 7 in field of concentration

Substitution permitted   Standard major — relevant courses by petition to DUS; Interdisciplinary concentration — up to 3 courses in other depts with DUS approval; other courses by petition to DUS
**Intensive major** 11 term courses; 2 courses in each of 3 fields; PLSC 474, 490, 493; **Intensive major with interdisciplinary concentration**—12 term courses as specified, up to 3 of which may be from other depts; PLSC 474, 490, 493

**Senior requirement** 2 seminars, 1 in senior year, and senior essay

*PLSC 025a/ENGL 011a, Lincoln in Thought and Action*  David Bromwich
For description see under English Language & Literature.

**INTRODUCTORY COURSES**

**PLSC 111a, Introduction to International Relations**  Jolyon Howorth
World affairs in the unsettled aftermath of a half-century of Cold War traumas. The relative positions of the United States, Japan and Germany, Russia, China, and the Third World. The spread of capitalistic markets and democratic forms; nongovernmental activity across nation-state boundaries; and the precariousness of the status quo.  so

**PLSC 113b, Introduction to American Politics**  Samuel DeCanio
Introduction to American national government. The Constitution, American political culture, civil rights, Congress, the executive, political parties, public opinion, interest groups, the media, social movements, and the policy-making process.  so

**PLSC 114a, Introduction to Political Philosophy**  Steven Smith
A study of the first and most fundamental of all political concepts, the regime or constitution. Definition of a regime; evaluation of various kinds of regimes; the kinds of citizens that different regimes produce; differences between ancient and modern conceptions of constitutional government. Readings from Plato, Aristotle, Machiavelli, Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, and Tocqueville.  so

**PLSC 116b, Introduction to Comparative Politics**  David Simon
Introduction to politics and political life outside the United States. State institutions, patterns of rule, political participation, collective behavior, and political-economic outcomes across different countries, settings, and political regimes.  so

**PLSC 118b, The Moral Foundations of Politics**  Ian Shapiro
An introduction to contemporary discussions about the foundations of political argument. Emphasis on the relations between political theory and policy debate (e.g., social welfare provision and affirmative action). Readings from Bentham, Mill, Marx, Burke, Rawls, Nozick, and others.  so

**INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

*PLSC 120a/EP&E 381a, Ethics in the Age of Globalization and Multinational Corporations*  Prakash Sethi
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*PLSC 121b/HLTH 450b/INTS 349b, Strategic Thinking in Global Health*  Elizabeth Bradley and staff
For description see under Global Health Studies.
PLSC 126b, The Balance of Power  Nuno Monteiro
The theory and practice of the balance of power in international politics. Different theories of the role of the balance of power. The history of great-power politics since the turn of the twentieth century, including the causes and conduct of World Wars I and II, the Cold War, and post–Cold War events and trends.  so

*PLSC 136a, Religion and War  Vivek Sharma
An introduction to the problem of religion and violence in politics. Focus on Europe from late antiquity onward. Religion and conflict in the context of identity politics, with perspectives from history, political science, and sociology.  so

*PLSC 138a, International Institutions  Nikolay Marinov
The role of international institutions in structuring cooperation between nations. The theory of cooperation. Examples drawn from the post–World War II era.  so

*PLSC 140b, Military Power  Nuno Monteiro
The foundations, applications, evolution, and limits of military power. Reading of Clausewitz’s On War in conjunction with contemporary works. Issues include civil-military relations, military power and political influence, coercion, small wars, occupation and insurgency, and the revolution in military affairs.  so

*PLSC 141a/EP&E 317a, Ethics of Humanitarian Intervention  Annalisa Zinn
Key ethical dilemmas accompanying the practice of humanitarian intervention. Ethical and political obligations of states to protect citizens of other states, justifications for “killing in order to save,” who can legitimately make the decision to intervene, and what criteria should guide humanitarian interventions in the twenty-first century.  so

PLSC 145b/ECON 337b/EP&E 254b/GLBL 337b/INTS 337b, International Political Economy  Kenneth Scheve
An examination of how domestic and international politics influence economic relations between countries. Why governments promote or oppose globalization, cooperate economically in some situations but not others, and sometimes adopt bad economic policies. The politics of trade, international investment, finance, immigration, and environmental policy making. After introductory microeconomics or with permission of instructor.  so

PLSC 146a/EVST 245a/F&ES 245a, International Environmental Policy and Governance  Benjamin Cashore
For description see under Environmental Studies.

For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

PLSC 148a/GLBL 376a/INTS 376a, Central Issues in American Foreign Policy  Stuart Gottlieb
For description see under Global Affairs.

PLSC 149a/INTS 334a, Economic Sanctions  Nikolay Marinov
A study of economic sanctions, including questions of their effectiveness and appropriate use. Development of an appropriate analytical apparatus; study of the empirical record.  so
**PLSC 150a/EP&E 257a/INTS 371a, State Building** Keith Darden
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

**PLSC 151/c/INTS 335a, International Dimensions of Democratization**
Nikolay Marinov
The role played by international factors such as socialization, coercion, and emulation in the current wave of democratizations around the world. Focus on the extent to which democratic processes can be affected from the outside. SO

**PLSC 152a/EP&E 245a, Global Firms and National Governments**
Joseph LaPalombara
Challenges for political policy makers, governmental regulators, and managers of global corporations when corporations make direct investments in foreign countries. Special attention to emergent exclusionary measures in advanced industrial countries. SO

**PLSC 156a/GLBL 350a/INTS 364a, International Organizations** Susan Hyde
The role international organizations play in solving global problems of political economy, security, development, human rights, democracy promotion, and the environment. Debates over the effects and relative importance of international organizations in world politics, using international relations theory, case studies, and history of specific issue areas. SO

**PLSC 158a/EP&E 412a/INTS 328a, Nationalism and Identity** Keith Darden
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

**PLSC 164b/EP&E 450b/INTS 371b, The Causes of War** Keith Darden
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

**PLSC 166b, The New Europe** David Cameron
European politics since World War II, with emphasis on postwar geopolitical settlement, the development of the European Community and Union, the demise of the Soviet Union and other communist regimes, and current challenges facing Europe. SO

**PLSC 168b/INTS 232b/LAST 168b, Law and Politics of Globalization**
Alec Stone Sweet
The relationship between globalization (primarily economic activity across national borders) and national, international, supranational, and transnational legal systems. Topics include global trade and the World Trade Organization, European integration, the new lex mercatoria, and corporate responsibility for violations of human rights and environmental law. SO

**PLSC 169b, Classics of World Politics** Bruce Russett
Examination of classic political theory from Thucydides to the present. Attention to historical context and contemporary relevance. Enrollment limited to sophomores. SO

**PLSC 170b/AFST 170b/GLBL 214b, African Poverty and Western Aid**
Christopher Blattman
Consideration of why so many African nations are poor, volatile, and unequal. Options for the West in addressing these conditions. Development policy approached from the perspectives of history, economic theory and empirics, geography, public health, and political science. Emphasis on critical reading, analysis, and writing. Recommended preparation: introductory economics, introductory statistics, or a course in critical writing. WR, SO
PLSC 172a, *Strategy, Technology, and War*  Paul Bracken
The interrelationship of strategy, foreign policy, and technology as it has shaped international relations from Napoleon to the global information grid. Transformations arising from political change and technological advance. Topics include the role of “big” military organizations in the United States, Europe, and Asia; organizing for defense and intelligence; arms control; and the challenge of a second nuclear age.  so

PLSC 176a/HIST 261a, *The Cold War*  John Gaddis
For description see under History.

*PLSC 177b/INTS 315b, Political Authority and State Formation*  Vivek Sharma
European state formation in the context of current debate on the nature of political authority in late medieval and early modern Europe. Applications of historical insights to modern issues of state building and failure. The nature of the state and the difficulty of constructing viable and stable states in troubled regions of the world.  so

*PLSC 181b/EPE 425b/SAST 342b, South Asia in World Politics*  Elizabeth Hanson
Relations of the countries of South Asia—Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Pakistan, Nepal, and Sri Lanka—with each other and with the rest of the world. Broad issues of world politics, including problems of development and security that confront developing countries.  so

*PLSC 183b, Europe, the United States, and the Iraq Crisis*  Jolyon Howorth
Examination of the contrasting relations between the main European powers and the United States in their approaches to Iraq in order to understand the divisions attending the 2003 war and the subsequent transfer of sovereignty. Topics include the Iran-Iraq War (1980–88), the first Persian Gulf crisis (1990–91), the sanctions regime (1991–2002), problems of peacekeeping and nation building, and the Obama exit strategy.  so

*PLSC 184a/INTS 378a, The United Nations and the Maintenance of International Security*  Jean Krasno
The evolution of the United Nations and its role in a post–Cold War international system both in preventive diplomacy, with its use of force for peacekeeping and peace enforcement, and in peace building.  so

PLSC 187b/GLBL 373b/INTS 373b, *Terrorism and Counterterrorism*  Stuart Gottlieb
For description see under Global Affairs.

*PLSC 188b/INTS 361b, International Human Rights*  Staff
For description see under International Studies.

*PLSC 190a/MMES 184a, Religion, Middle East Politics, and Conflict Resolution*  Sallama Shaker
Analysis of major issues affecting twenty-first-century politics in the Middle East. The relationships between culture, identity, religion, and socioeconomic challenges. Faith-based diplomacy as a means of reaching out to warring groups; Islamic principles and values that support nonviolence and peace building. Focus on case studies of minority groups such as Kurds and Shiites.  so
PLSC 191b/INTS 266b/PHIL 180b, Ethics and International Affairs  
Thomas Pogge, Matthew Lindauer  
For description see under Philosophy.

*PLSC 102a/INTS 314a, Development of the International Human Rights Regime  
Pablo Kalmanovitz  
The development of the human rights regime from the first appearance of the laws of war in Grotius, through the Hague conventions of 1899 and 1907, the Nuremberg Tribunal, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, and the Covenant on Civil and Political Rights. Formation of the Yugoslav and Rwanda Tribunals; creation of the International Criminal Court. The politics of human rights law; effects of the Cold War on the human rights regime; the rise of the NGO community; the role of the great power states.

*PLSC 108b, War and Society in Historical and Theoretical Context  
Vivek Sharma  
Examination of the problems of conflict and violence in international politics. Reconsideration of concepts and assumptions that underlie the dominant theoretical approaches to international war and peace. Broad questions are addressed in a comparative historical framework. Not a survey course of the international security literature.

AMERICAN GOVERNMENT

PLSC 201b/PSYC 332b, Political Psychology  
John Bullock  
Examination of mental processes that underpin political judgments. The origins of political views, the influence of political parties and other groups, reactions to political news, common decision-making heuristics and biases, and causes and effects of political ignorance. Emphasis on the political thinking of ordinary citizens, with some attention to political elites.

PLSC 205a, The American Presidency  
Stephen Skowronek  
The historical development and current operations of the American presidency. Topics include constitutional powers, the organization of popular support, the modern executive establishment, and the politics of presidential leadership.

*PLSC 207a, Political Economy of Representation in the United States  
Daniel Butler  
Ways in which institutions affect the functioning of democracy in the United States. Focus on representation of citizens’ preferences in the public sphere. Institutions studied include primary elections, redistricting, campaign finance, early voting, multimember districts, term limits, and term lengths.

*PLSC 210a, Political Preferences and American Political Behavior  
John Bullock  
Introduction to research methods and topics in American politics. Focus on ideas about choice that are useful for the study of politics. Topics include utility theory, heuristics and biases, proximity vs. directional voting, Bayesian updating, retrospective voting, priming and framing, the role of emotion, and the consequences of political ignorance.

*PLSC 212a/EP&E 390a, Democracy and Sustainability  
Michael Fotos  
Democracy, liberty, and the sustainable use of natural resources. Concepts include institutional analysis, democratic consent, property rights, market failure, and common pool resources. Topics of policy substance are related to human use of the environment and to U.S. and global political institutions.
**PLSC 215b/EVST 255b/F&ES 255b, Environmental Politics and Law**  
John Wargo  
For description see under Environmental Studies.

**PLSC 217a, U.S. National Elections**  
David Mayhew, Eitan Hersh  
An investigation of electoral realignments, voting for president and Congress, voter turnout, incumbency advantage, nominations, and campaign finance.  

**PLSC 218b/ECON 275b, Public Economics**  
Ebonya Washington  
For description see under Economics.

**PLSC 224b, Political Leadership**  
Stephen Skowronek  
Examination of political leadership as both a concept and a practice. Survey of classic works by Machiavelli, Carlyle, Weber, Lenin, and Schumpeter. Consideration of the difference between transformational leadership and transactional leadership, and between executive leadership and reform leadership. Issues include the conundrum of “democratic leadership” and the role of narrative in leadership.

**PLSC 226b, Parties, Elections, and Policy Making**  
David Mayhew  
A survey of electoral history, party ideologies, party competition, campaigns, turnout, voter coalitions, congressional and presidential elections, party control of the government, and policy making.

**PLSC 227b/EP&E 310b, Refugee Law and Policy**  
Alexandra Dufresne  
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

**PLSC 229b, Election Rules and Campaign Strategy**  
Eitan Hersh  
Examination of political campaigns in the United States, with special attention to the 2012 presidential primary season. Political science perspectives on campaign strategy and electoral outcomes. The effects of election rules on candidate strategy and voter decision-making; factors voters use to make up their minds; why candidates choose particular strategies; the effectiveness of those strategies at winning votes. Priority to junior and senior Political Science majors.

**PLSC 232b, Information, Technology, and Political Power**  
Eitan Hersh  
The role of information in the political process; focus on technologies that create information environments. The effects of information generated through technology on politics and of politics on information technologies. Information in the decision-making process of both citizens and elite political actors. Political and moral issues related to information flows, including privacy, innovation, and collective action. Priority to junior and senior Political Science majors.

**PLSC 234b/EP&E 389b, The Politics, Law, and Economics of Affirmative Action**  
Ian Shapiro, Michael Graetz  
The politics, law, and economics of affirmative action, principally in the United States. Arguments for and against affirmative action. Focus on education, employment, and political representation.

**PLSC 238a, Public Opinion and Representation in the United States**  
John Bullock  
Americans’ views on political issues and the extent to which their views influence, and are influenced by, elected officials. Special attention to opinion polarization, the roles of
political knowledge and partisanship, and the effects of public opinion on legislators. Online datasets help answer questions about politics and public opinion. SO

*PLSC 239b*, Experimental Methods in Political Science  Alan Gerber
An introduction to experimental methods as they can be used to study politics. Strengths and weaknesses of experimental and nonexperimental studies. Applications include effects of television advertising, formation of political attitudes, and causes of voter turnout. Design and implementation of an experiment. Recommended preparation: introductory statistics. SO

*PLSC 240b/EP&E 443b, Public Schools and Public Policy  John Starr
Exploration of policy options on controversial education issues. Case studies from both districts and states. Preference to students with training and experience in national, state, and local public policy. SO RP

*PLSC 243a, Communication and Congress  Alvin Felzenberg
Influence of the media on Congressional priorities; impact of actions taken by Congress on how the old and new media cover the legislative branch. How Congress develops, conveys, and acts upon information. Topics include legislative oversight, executive-legislative relations, the role of money in politics, political recruitment, and legislative apportionment. SO

*PLSC 244a, Journalism, Liberalism, Democracy  James Sleeper
The news media’s role in configuring the democratic public sphere, from the early synergy of print capitalism and liberalism through the corporate consolidation of mass media and the recent fragmentation and fluidity of “news.” Classical-humanist and civic-republican responses to these trends. SO

*PLSC 245a, Urban Politics and Policy  Cynthia Horan
Approaches to urban politics and political economy. Application of theories to contemporary policy issues such as policing, metropolitan disparities, and inner-city revitalization. SO

*PLSC 246a/EP&E 369a, Ethics and American Business  Prakash Sethi
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

PLSC 249b, Introduction to Public Opinion  Samuel DeCanio
Public opinion in democratic societies. Voter ignorance, representation, elite manipulation of public opinion, and attitude formation. SO

*PLSC 250a/ARCH 347a/EP&E 426a, Infrastructure: Politics and Design  Elihu Rubin
Infrastructures – the physical frameworks for human settlement, urbanization, and social life, including networks for transportation, water, energy, and communication. Current debates on infrastructure spending in the context of historical investments in the modern American city. SO

PLSC 252b, Crime and Punishment  Gregory Huber
The theory and practice of crime and punishment in contemporary America from the standpoint of politics and political theory and in light of debates about empirical evidence, the politicization of crime, civil rights issues, abortion, psychiatry and the law, and arguments about punishment and prison reform. SO
**PLSC 255b, Politics and the Media in the United States**  Daniel Butler

Major ideas, theories, and evidence in the study of political communication, in particular the effects of the mass media on public discourse, politics, and American government. Democracy and deliberation; the political economy of news production; the creation and effects of political campaigns; and the use of critical and scientific methods in the study of politics and communication.  SO

**PLSC 256b/EP&E 248b, American Political Institutions**  Michael Fotos

The origins and development of American political institutions, especially in relation to how institutions shape the policy process. Issues of temporality, policy feedback, and policy substance.  SO

**PLSC 257b, Bioethics and Law**  Stephen Latham

The treatment by American law of major issues in contemporary biomedical ethics: informed consent, assisted reproduction, abortion, end-of-life care, research on human subjects, stem cell research, and public health law. Readings include legal cases, statutes, and regulations. No background in law assumed.  SO

**PLSC 260a, Public Schools and Politics**  John Starr

Investigation of how political decisions that affect public schools are made at local, state, and federal levels. Case studies from both districts and states. Preference to students with training and experience in national, state, and local politics.  SO  RP

**PLSC 261b, American Political Development**  Stephen Skowronek

Patterns of political change and institutional development in the United States. Topics include patterns of reform, the political construction of interests and movements, problems of political culture, party building, and state building.

**PLSC 264b, Big City Politics in America: New York, Los Angeles, Chicago**  Cynthia Horan

How globalization and responses to it are changing the politics of New York, Los Angeles, and Chicago. Focus on economic restructuring, government reorganization, transformations of urban space, immigration, racial conflicts, and grassroots mobilization.  SO

**PLSC 265b, Classics of Political Journalism**  Mark Oppenheimer

The history of political writing by American journalists, with emphasis on lasting works of literature. Ways that journalists have represented the political process; narratives that have come and gone over time. Authors include H. L. Mencken, Murray Kempton, Walter Lippmann, David Halberstam, Hunter S. Thompson, Garry Wills, Rick Perlstein, and Timothy Crouse.  SO

**PLSC 271b, Political Participation and Collective Action**  Donald Green

The social, economic, and political factors that cause people to engage in political action. The varied forms of collective action, from voting to political violence. Close study of classic works in the field; contemporary applicability of key claims evaluated through use of survey and experimental data.  SO

**PLSC 272a, U.S. Party Formation**  Samuel DeCanio

The ideological development of the Republican and Democratic parties. The rise of contemporary American ideological divisions; economic regulatory issues generating partisan conflict during the nineteenth and twentieth centuries.  SO
*PLSC 277b, Politics and the New Media  Cynthia Farrar
A study of changes taking place in contemporary American journalism. The impact of these changes on government and political campaigns.  SO

*PLSC 280b, Poverty, Politics, and Policy in the American City  Cynthia Horan
Examination of how politics informs the formulation and implementation of policies to address urban poverty. Consideration of alternative explanations for poverty and alternative government strategies. Focus on efforts by local organizations and communities to improve their situations within the context of government actions.  SO

POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY

PLSC 281a/RLST 273a, Moral, Religious, and Social Issues in Bioethics  David Smith
A selective survey of issues in biomedical ethics. Comparison of different points of view about biomedical issues, including religious vs. secular and liberal vs. conservative. Special attention to issues in research and at the beginning and end of life.  SO

PLSC 290b/HUMS 302b/SOCY 151b, Foundations of Modern Social Theory  Sadia Saeed
For description see under Sociology.

PLSC 293a-CN/PHIL 328a, European Political Thought from Weber to Derrida  Seyla Benhabib
A survey of major themes in twentieth-century Continental political thought. Topics include reason and rationalization in modernity; legality, legitimacy, and sovereignty; decline of the public sphere; origins of totalitarianism; and communicative ethics and the inclusion of the “other” in the new Europe.  SO

PLSC 294b/HUMS 319b, Modern Political Philosophy  Steven Smith, Bryan Garsten
Fundamental political questions about freedom, authority, modernity, and the nature of politics as they are treated in Western political thought from the sixteenth century to the twentieth. Competing interpretations by Machiavelli, Hobbes, Spinoza, Locke, Rousseau, Publius, Tocqueville, and others.  SO

*PLSC 295b, Democracy, Statesmanship, and Greatness  Danilo Petranovich
A study of great democratic statesmen as a means to explore the possibility of individual human flourishing in modern democracy. Examples of modern democratic leadership in response to the charge that mass democratic societies can breed uniformity, timid souls, and average ambitions.  SO

*PLSC 297a/EP&E 312a/INTS 269a, Moral Choices in Politics  Boris Kapustin
For description see under International Studies.

PLSC 298b, The Tea Party: American Populism  Andrew March
The ideology, sociological voting base, recent legislative behavior, and political culture of the Tea Party movement. Theoretical, historical, and empirical perspectives.  SO RP

*PLSC 300a, The Separation of Church and State and Its Critics  Steven Bilakoves
Theory and practice of the separation of church and state, from the earliest formulations to contemporary controversies. The origins of tolerance, the idea of civil religion, the division between public and private life, the right of free exercise of religion, the possibility of state neutrality, and the content of so-called culture wars.  SO
*PLSC 305b/EP&E 353b/INTS 363b, Critique of Political Violence  Boris Kapustin
For description see under International Studies.

*PLSC 306b/EP&E 255b, Sovereignty  Paulina Ochoa Espejo
The history of the concept of sovereignty, including current debates over its meaning in
political philosophy, international relations, and jurisprudence. Discussion of how these
debates relate to both historical and contemporary political problems.  SO

*PLSC 319b/EP&E 452b, Theory and Practice in Recent Bioethics  David Smith
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*PLSC 321b, The Spirit of Capitalism and Its Critics  Steven Bilakovics
The theories and practices of capitalist economics, including effects on modern concep-
tions of politics, society, and nature. Classical formulations and critiques from the works
of Hobbes, Adam Smith, Rousseau, Marx, and Weber; key contemporary advocates and
opponents.  SO

*PLSC 327a/EP&E 220a, Collective Choice and Political Morality  Thomas Donahue
For description see under Ethics, Politics, & Economics.

*PLSC 330a, Liberal and Conservative Traditions in America  Danilo Petranovich
Liberal and conservative understandings of America from the founding generation to
the current era, with special attention to the place of patriotism in modern liberalism and
conservatism. The intellectual roots of the two traditions; differing visions of the Ameri-
can way of life; the fundamental philosophic and moral differences at stake; comparison
of ways in which American liberals and conservatives conceive of belonging in a national
tradition.  SO

PLSC 331a/HUMS 318a, Ancient Political Philosophy  Bryan Garsten, Steven Smith
Fundamental political questions about authority, freedom, citizenship, and the nature of
politics as they are treated in ancient political thought in the West. Competing interpreta-
tions in philosophical dialogues, histories, plays, orations, and treatises. Authors include
ancient Greeks and Romans and their Christian, Jewish, and Muslim interpreters in the
medieval and Renaissance periods.  SO

*PLSC 332a/EP&E 272a, The People  Paulina Ochoa Espejo
The concept of “the people” in the history of political philosophy and in contempo-
rary theories of liberalism, democracy, and popular sovereignty. The problem of how to
constitute the demos in a liberal democratic state, and the relationship of this problem
to debates on the legitimacy of rule, nationalism, cosmopolitanism, immigration, and
populism.  SO

*PLSC 333a/EP&E 395a, Non-Domination as a Political Ideal  Ian Shapiro
Defining the concept of non-domination as it operates in political theory and argument.
How non-domination relates to other values such as freedom, equality, and justice. Read-
ings from the works of Aristotle, Machiavelli, Nietzsche, Weber, Foucault, Habermas, Sen,
Skinner, and others. Priority to juniors and seniors.  SO

*PLSC 339b/EP&E 394b, Hannah Arendt’s Political Thought  Gaye Ilhan Demiryol
The political philosophy of Hannah Arendt, one of the most influential thinkers of the
twentieth century. Focus on Arendt’s critique of Western philosophy, with particular
emphasis on history as a developmental process toward the realization of human freedom. Themes include totalitarianism, the rise of modernity, action and public sphere, power and freedom, revolutions, and responsibility and judgment.  

**ANALYTICAL POLITICAL THEORY**

[PLSC 343b/ECON 473b/EP&E 227b, Equality]  
[PLSC 344bG, Game Theory and Political Science]

**COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT**

**PLSC 347a/AFST 347a/LAST 348a, Post-Conflict Politics**  
David Simon  
Consideration of a range of issues and challenges faced by countries emerging from domestic conflict. Focus on elements of peace-building — demilitarization, post-conflict elections, institution-building, and reconstruction — as well as modes of transitional justice and mechanisms for truth and reconciliation.  

**PLSC 350bG/GLBL 182b, Formal Models of Comparative Politics**  
Thad Dunning  
Recent formal models of the determinants of democracy and autocracy; causes and consequences of electoral rules. Focus on insights provided by analytic models of these political phenomena, with attention to technical aspects of the models. A goal of the course for students is to become better consumers, critics, and producers of formal work. Recommended preparation: college-level calculus and a course in game theory.  

**PLSC 354aG/EP&E 250a/INTS 357a, The European Union**  
David Cameron  
Origins and development of the European Community and Union over the past fifty years; ways in which the often-conflicting ambitions of its member states have shaped the EU; relations between member states and the EU’s supranational institutions and politics; and economic, political, and geopolitical challenges.  

**PLSC 355aG/LAST 352a, Armed Groups and Patterns of Violence**  
Elisabeth Wood  
Characteristics of armed organizations such as state militaries, police forces, insurgent groups, secessionist movements, and terrorist organizations. The patterns of political violence (including torture and sexual violence) used by these groups. Readings from political science, history, anthropology, and sociology.  

**PLSC 359aG/GLBL 269a/INTS 324a, Violence and Civil Strife**  
Stathis Kalyvas  
An examination of political violence with an emphasis on civil wars, presently the dominant form of war.  

**PLSC 360aG/INTS 247aG, Comparative and International Bioethics**  
Stephen Latham  
Approaches in different countries, both developed and developing, to a number of core issues in biomedical ethics: organ transplants, end-of-life care, human-subject research, and access to health care. Readings in primary and secondary sources, including international treaties and standards.  

**PLSC 364aG, Identities**  
Ato Kwamena Onoma  
The formation of identities, their evolution over time, and their deployment in political economic life. Why some identities are more salient than others.
PLSC 365b/SLAV 207b, Languages and Politics  Robert Greenberg
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

PLSC 368a, Global Politics  Stathis Kalyvas
Major issues in current international politics, from political economy to international security, with a broad geographic focus. Emphasis on analytic and synthetic skills. Themes include the politics of economic crisis, global governance, state failure, and political and economic development.  SO

PLSC 369a/EAST 212a/INTS 321a, Politics in South and North Korea  Seok-Ju Cho
Introduction to the politics and political economies of South and North Korea. Investigation of different pathways taken by the two Koreas in attempts to achieve political and economic development. Application to Korean politics of theories in comparative politics, political processes, and international relations. Political institutions in the two Koreas, democratization and economic development in South Korea, and peacekeeping strategies on the Korean peninsula.  SO

PLSC 377b, The Political Economy of Taxation  Kenneth Scheve
The politics and economics of taxation in historical and comparative perspective. Why some countries tax more than others; factors that determine the capacity of states to tax; variations in the types of taxes used to fund states; consequences of tax policy for economic growth and inequality; normative theories that inform ideas about the fairness of tax regimes. Alternative theoretical approaches evaluated using historical and contemporary evidence.  SO

PLSC 382a, Comparative Politics in Latin America  Susan Stokes
Introduction to major theories of political and economic change in Latin America, and to the political and economic systems of particular countries. Questions include why the continent has been prone to unstable democratic rule, why countries in the region have adopted alternatively state-centered and market-centered economic models, and, with the most recent wave of democratization, what the remaining obstacles might be to attaining high-quality democracy.  SO

PLSC 383a, Political Parties in the Developing World  Tariq Thachil
Introduction to key issues surrounding political parties and party systems, with emphasis on the non-Western world. The formation of different kinds of parties; ways in which political parties seek to forge links with ordinary citizens; the effects of parties’ competition on democratic institutions. Examples drawn from countries in Latin America, Asia, the Middle East, and sub-Saharan Africa.  SO

PLSC 384b/SAST 244b, Indian Democracy in Comparative Perspective
Tariq Thachil
Introduction to the major dimensions of Indian democracy; comparison with the political experiences of other developing nations such as China, South Africa, Brazil, and Egypt. Topics include colonial legacies, identity politics, social movements, and social and human development.  SO

PLSC 385b/AFST 385b, Introduction to African Politics  Ato Kwamena Onoma
Themes in contemporary African politics, including the impact of colonialism, the challenges of geography, and the effects of economic and political reform attempts and of efforts at resistance. Comparative introduction to the politics of various African countries.  SO
PLSC 395b, Topics in Ethnic Politics  
Jian Zhang  
Readings in the literature of nationalism and nation building. Emphasis on the building of the Chinese nation in the past century and a half. Topics include theoretical perspectives on national and ethnic identities; nation building in the Western world; the late imperial Chinese state; origins of Chinese nationalism; urbanization of ethnic people in China; and education, language, and identity formation. Offered in Beijing, China. See under Peking University—Yale University Joint Undergraduate Program.  

*PLSC 307a/RSEE 205a/SLAV 205a, Language, Nationality, and Ethnic Conflict in the Balkans  
Robert Greenberg  
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.  

*PLSC 401b/EP&E 252b, Promoting Democracy in Developing Countries  
Harry Blair  
Western efforts to promote democratization in developing countries in the past twenty years through foreign aid programs. Emphasis on “applied democracy”—putting theory into action.  

*PLSC 403a/AFST 403a/EP&E 373a, The Politics of Human Rights  
Ato Kwamena Onoma  
Examination of contemporary political struggles and debates over human rights. A human rights standpoint is applied to major themes in comparative politics, including democratization, development, property rights, family law, race, and forced migration. Debate over the extent to which these processes and phenomena engender or ameliorate human rights abuses.  

*PLSC 408a/EP&E 400a, Capitalism as a Political Order  
Ian Shapiro, Douglas Rae  
The evolving relations between capitalism and the political systems with which it lives in tension. Classic treatments of the subject from Smith to Schumpeter. Contemporary writings on capitalism and democratic regulation, with attention to ways in which technical matters can conceal political conflicts and choices. Lessons gleaned from political and social responses to the global credit crisis of 2008–2010; case study of the relations between Goldman Sachs and the political elites and central banks of major Western countries.  

*PLSC 412b/EP&E 447b, Global Journalism, National Identities  
James Sleeper  
Changes in the relationship between journalism and nationalism as new technologies, capital flows, and human migrations alter public understandings of political legitimacy. The consequences of these shifts for national identity in the United States, Europe, and selected Middle Eastern and Asian nations.  

PLSC 415b/INTS 389b/SOCY 188b, Religion and Politics  
Sigrun Kahl  
Challenges to the view of religion as an archaic force destined to dwindle away in a secularized society. A historical and comparative investigation of the relationship between religion and politics in Europe and the United States, with comparisons to the Muslim world.  

*PLSC 416a/HIST 238Ja/INTS 276a/MGRK 227a, South European Dictatorships  
Konstantina Maragkou  
For description see under Hellenic Studies.
Study of democratization in countries. Whether theories of elections in democratic countries can be applied to elections in politically volatile environments. How the emphasis on elections by international actors has influenced the global spread of elections. Long-term consequences of electoralism on democratization.
*PLSC 451b/INTS 331b*, Social, Economic, and Political Dimensions of Development
Jennifer Ruger
Aspects of development explored with a focus on the health and well-being of disadvantaged and at-risk populations. The philosophical foundations underlying the field of development; how to distinguish different paradigms of development. so

*PLSC 461a/SAST 242a*, India and Pakistan: Democracy, Conflict, and Development
Steven Wilkinson
The variation in democracy, conflict, and development between India and Pakistan since 1947, as well as variation within each country. Management of ethnic and religious conflicts, secularism, secessionist movements in Kashmir and elsewhere, the tension between economic growth and equity, and problems of governance. so

**STATISTICAL AND MATHEMATICAL METHODS**

*PLSC 452a/EP&E 203a/STAT 102a*, Introduction to Statistics: Political Science
Jonathan Reuning-Scherer, Conor Dowling
For description see under Statistics.

*PLSC 453a/EP&E 209a/STAT 103a*, Introduction to Statistics: Social Sciences
Jonathan Reuning-Scherer
For description see under Statistics.

**ADVANCED COURSES**

*PLSC 471a and 472b*, Individual Reading for Majors  Peter Swenson
Special reading courses may be established with individual members of the department. They must satisfy the following conditions: (1) a prospectus describing the nature of the program and the readings to be covered must be approved by both the instructor and the director of undergraduate studies; (2) the student must meet regularly with the instructor for an average of at least two hours per week; (3) the course must include a term essay, several short essays, or a final examination; (4) the topic and/or content must not be substantially encompassed by an existing undergraduate or graduate course.

*PLSC 474b*, Directed Reading and Research for Junior Intensive Majors  Peter Swenson
For juniors preparing to write senior essays as intensive majors. The student acquires the methodological skills necessary in research, identifies a basic reading list pertinent to the research, and prepares a research design for the project.

*PLSC 480a or b*, One-Term Senior Essay  Peter Swenson
For seniors writing the senior essay who do not wish, or are unable, to write the essay in a department seminar. Students must receive the prior agreement of a member of the department who will serve as the senior essay adviser, and must arrange to meet with that adviser on a regular basis throughout the term.

*PLSC 490a*, The Senior Colloquium  David Cameron
Presentation and discussion of students’ research proposals, with particular attention to choice of topic and research design. Each student frames the structure of the essay, chooses research methods, begins the research, and presents and discusses a draft of the
introductory section of the essay. Enrollment limited to Political Science majors writing a yearlong senior essay.

*PLSC 491b, The Senior Essay  Peter Swenson
Each student writing a yearlong senior essay establishes a regular consultation schedule with a department member who, working from the prospectus prepared for PLSC 490, advises the student about preparation of the essay and changes to successive drafts. Enrollment limited to Political Science majors writing a yearlong senior essay.

*PLSC 493b, Senior Essay for Intensive Majors  Peter Swenson
Each student writing a senior essay establishes a regular consultation schedule with a department member who, working from the prospectus prepared for PLSC 490, advises the student about preparation of the essay and changes to successive drafts, as well as reporting the student’s progress until submission of the final essay in April. Enrollment limited to Political Science intensive majors.

Portuguese

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Portuguese is taught at Yale as part of the Department of Spanish and Portuguese; the names of departmental faculty members teaching Portuguese courses appear in the faculty list under “Spanish.”

The major in Portuguese is a liberal arts major intended to develop competence in the Portuguese language and to provide students with a comprehensive knowledge of the literatures and cultures of Portugal, Brazil, and African and Asian lands of Portuguese language or influence.

Students begin the study of Portuguese with PORT 110 or 125, elementary courses without prerequisites. After two years of Portuguese language study, students have sufficient proficiency to take advanced courses in Luso-Brazilian literature and culture.

The standard major, for which the prerequisite is PORT 140 or the equivalent, consists of twelve term courses. Students must take at least two term courses each in the literatures of Portugal and of Brazil. In completing their programs, students may elect up to four courses in other languages and literatures, anthropology, history, or history of art, or from study abroad, that are related to their field of study and approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Juniors and seniors majoring in Portuguese may, with the permission of the instructor and the director of graduate studies, enroll in graduate courses in Portuguese.

Senior requirement  All majors must either present a senior essay or take the departmental examination. The essay is written in PORT 491 or 492. A maximum of two credits counts toward the major. The examination is both written and oral and covers three periods of Portuguese and Brazilian literatures.

Placement  All students who have not yet taken Portuguese at Yale are expected to take the departmental placement test, with the exception of students who have no previous
knowledge of Portuguese whatsoever. The departmental placement test covers reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills. The examination will be given on Sunday, August 28, from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m., and in the spring term on Sunday, January 8, at 6 p.m.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisite PORT 140 or equivalent

Number of courses 12 term courses beyond prereq (incl senior essay course, if elected)

Distribution of courses At least 2 courses in lit of Portugal, 2 in lit of Brazil

Substitution permitted With DUS permission, up to 4 relevant courses from other depts or from study abroad

Senior requirement Senior essay (PORT 491 or 492) or dept exam

*PORT 001b/LAST 001b/SPAN 050b, Latin American Short Fiction  Paulo Moreira
Introduction to Latin American literature through one of its highest achievements: the short narrative from Brazil and Spanish America. Works of Brazilian authors (Machado de Assis, Guimarães Rosa, Graciliano Ramos, Clarice Lispector) compared with short stories from Spanish America (Quiroga, Rulfo, Carpenter, Borges) and the United States (Faulkner, Ellison, Chopin). Narrative structure and expressive qualities of the texts; literary currents; and social, psychological, and existential themes. Readings and discussion in English; texts available in the original languages. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.

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PORT 110a, Elementary Portuguese I  Marta Almeida
Basic vocabulary and fundamentals of grammar through practice in speaking, reading, and writing, with stress on audiolingual proficiency. Introduces Brazilian and Portuguese culture and civilization. Credit only on completion of PORT 120. L1 RP 1½ Course cr

PORT 120b, Elementary Portuguese II  Marta Almeida
Continuation of PORT 110. To be followed by PORT 130. Prerequisite: PORT 110. Qualifies students for summer study abroad. L2 RP 1½ Course cr

PORT 125b, Intensive Elementary Portuguese  Marta Almeida
An intensive beginning course in Portuguese that covers in one term the material taught in PORT 110 and 120. Admits to PORT 130. Qualifies students for summer study abroad. L1–L2 RP 2 Course cr

PORT 130a, Intermediate Portuguese I  Marta Almeida
Contemporary and colloquial usage of Portuguese in the spoken and written language of Brazil. Grammar review and writing practice. Readings on Brazilian society and history used to build vocabulary. Exercises develop students’ oral command of the language. L3 RP 1½ Course cr

PORT 140b, Intermediate Portuguese II  Staff
Continuation of PORT 130. Grammar review, conversation, cultural topics, and readings from Brazilian literature. Prerequisite: PORT 130. L4 RP 1½ Course cr
*PORT 150a, Advanced Practice in Portuguese  Paulo Moreira
Advanced conversation and composition, with an introduction to Luso-Brazilian literature and culture. After PORT 140 or equivalent. May be repeated for credit.  L5  RP

PORT 246a/LAST 245a/SPAN 245a, Latin American Film: Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina  Paulo Moreira
An overview of the best cinema produced in Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina; survey of recent films by influential directors from these countries. Comparative discussion of cultures, using the contexts of film production and content. Conducted in English.  HU

PORT 249b, Introduction to Brazilian Culture  Paulo Moreira
Introduction to current cultural issues in Brazil, with an overview of the country's music, art, dance, theater, literature, and cinema. Source materials include literary and nonliterary texts in Portuguese, Web pages, music, and films. Conducted in Portuguese.  L5, HU

PORT 370b/LITR 293b/SPAN 383b, Psychology in Literature: Characters on the Margins of Reality  K. David Jackson
Study of characters from mainly Portuguese and Spanish literatures who are on the margins of reality in their perceptions or actions. Topics include fantasy, alienation, perversion, deviance, delusion, and ecstasy. Conducted in English.  WR, HU  Tr

*PORT 392a/LAST 392a/LITR 296a, Brazil's Modern Art Movement  K. David Jackson
A study of Brazilian modernism in literature and the arts, centered on São Paulo's “Modern Art Week” of 1922 from the perspective of the European avant-gardes (cubism, futurism, surrealism). The Cannibal Manifesto and cultural independence from Europe; avant-garde practices in literature and the arts from the 1920s to the construction of Brasília. Reading knowledge of French and Portuguese helpful but not required.  WR, HU  Tr

PORT 393a/LAST 393a/LITR 231a, Modern Brazilian and Portuguese Fiction in Translation  K. David Jackson
An introduction to major writers in modern Brazilian and Portuguese literatures, including J. M. Machado de Assis, Clarice Lispector, João Guimarães Rosa, Fernando Pessoa, and José Saramago. Conducted in English.  WR, HU  Tr

PORT 396b/LAST 396b/LITR 292b, Modern Brazilian Literature in Translation  K. David Jackson
Study of major writers, movements, and works in Brazilian literature, including drama, poetry, essay, manifesto, memoir, and fiction. Introduction to canonical writers, works, and movements, including naturalism, realism, modernism, social realism, innovative writing, and postmodern trends. General introduction to key concepts in Brazilian civilization. Conducted in English.  WR, HU  Tr

*PORT 471a and 472b, Directed Reading or Directed Research  K. David Jackson
Individual study for qualified students under the supervision of a faculty member selected by the student. Approval of the director of undergraduate studies required.

*PORT 491a or b and 492a or b, The Senior Essay  K. David Jackson
A research project designed under a faculty director, resulting in a substantial paper written in Portuguese, submitted to the DUS and a second designated reader.
Psychology

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The introduction to psychology is PSYC 110, the general survey course. All other courses
have PSYC 110 as a prerequisite, except the courses listed under “Survey Courses without
Prerequisite.”

Courses in the department are organized so that they are best taken in several parallel
sequences. Courses numbered from 120 to 190 and ending in a zero are core survey courses
that introduce students to major areas of psychology and provide additional background
for more advanced courses. These courses represent major content areas of psychology;
students should sample broadly from them before specializing. Courses numbered from
200 to 209 focus on statistics and general methodology. Courses numbered from 210
to 299 teach data collection in various areas of psychology. Courses numbered from
300 to 399 are more advanced courses in a particular specialization. Senior seminars, whose
enrollment is limited to twenty students, are numbered from 400 to 489. These seminars
are best taken once a student has appropriate background. Courses numbered from 490
to 499 are special tutorial courses for which permission of the adviser and the director of
undergraduate studies is required.

The standard major  The major in Psychology requires twelve term courses beyond
PSYC 110, including the senior requirement. No more than two term courses taken
Credit/D/Fail may be applied toward the major; no 200-level course taken Credit/D/Fail
may be applied toward the major.

1. Because psychology is so diverse a subject, every student is required to take at least two
courses from the social science point of view in psychology (List A) and at least two from
the natural science point of view (List B). At least one course from each list must be
a core course numbered from 120 to 190 and ending in zero. Students are expected
to take those two core courses as early as possible in the major, normally within two terms after declaring their major.


2. Because statistical techniques and the mode of reasoning they employ are fundamental in psychology, a course in statistics (PSYC 200 or equivalent) is required, preferably prior to the senior year. A student may substitute an examination arranged with the instructor of PSYC 200 for this requirement. Students may take such an examination only one time.

3. To assure some direct experience in collecting and analyzing data, students must elect at least one course, preferably prior to the senior year, in which research is planned and carried out. Courses numbered between 210 and 299 fulfill this requirement. (The same course may satisfy both this and the first requirement.)

4. To encourage consideration of the relation between psychology and other disciplines, students may count toward the major as many as three term courses in other related departments, including college seminars. Appropriate courses are offered in anthropology, biology, cognitive science, computer science, philosophy, political science, and sociology. Some students may find courses in other subjects related to their major. Students should consult with the director of undergraduate studies in Psychology about selecting outside courses. In all cases, courses in other departments must have substantial psychological content or clear links to topics in psychology.

5. Students interested in research are encouraged to take an independent study course (PSYC 490, 491, 492, 493) as early as the sophomore year. Students may also take PSYC 495 for one-half course credit per term with prior permission of the faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies. No more than a total of three credits from PSYC 490–495 combined may count toward the major.

**Senior requirement** Majors are required to earn two course credits from courses numbered PSYC 400–495. At least one of these course credits must be taken during the senior year and, for the B.S. degree, at least one must be a directed research course (PSYC 492 or 493) taken during the senior year. Juniors may preregister for senior seminars at the end of the junior year. In order to count credits obtained from PSYC 400–495 toward the senior requirement, a student must submit a substantial final paper (a minimum of 20 pages for a one-credit course, 10 pages for a half-credit course).

**Distinction in the Major** To be considered for Distinction in the Major, students must submit a senior essay to the Psychology department at least one week before the last day of classes in the final term of enrollment. The senior essay must be written during the senior year and must be a product of one or two of the 400-level courses taken to fulfill the senior requirement. Before submitting a senior essay, students must have an approved proposal and an essay adviser. Senior essays that are submitted after the deadline will be subject to grade penalties.

**B.S. requirement** The B.S. degree is typically awarded to students who conduct empirical research through a directed research course. B.S. candidates must fulfill the research
methods and statistics requirements before starting the senior year. An empirical research project normally includes designing an experiment and collecting and analyzing the data. To be considered for a B.S. degree with Distinction, a student must submit a research proposal of one to two single-spaced pages, signed by the senior essay adviser, by the end of the registration period in the fall term of the senior year. The proposal must specify a research hypothesis, a rationale for the hypothesis, and proposed methods for collecting and analyzing data.

B.A. requirement The B.A. degree is typically awarded to students who conduct a non-empirical literature review, but there are no restrictions in the research format. To be considered for a B.A. degree with Distinction, a student must submit a senior essay proposal of one to two pages, signed by the essay adviser and specifying the research topic, by the end of the registration period in the fall term of the senior year.

Computer Science and Psychology major The interdepartmental major in Computer Science and Psychology may be considered by students with interests lying squarely between the two disciplines. See under Computer Science and Psychology for more information.

Departmental advisers Schedules for all majors must be discussed with, and approved by, the director of undergraduate studies or the advisers for the neuroscience and philosophy tracks in Psychology. Only then may a schedule be submitted to the residential college dean's office. For questions concerning credits for courses taken at other institutions or at Yale but outside the Department of Psychology, students should consult with the director of undergraduate studies. For questions concerning special tracks, students should consult with the advisers for the neuroscience and philosophy tracks in Psychology.

Neuroscience track in Psychology Students with a major interest in neuroscience may wish to elect the neuroscience track. Such students are considered Psychology majors for whom the requirements have been modified to accommodate their interests, and to reflect the multidisciplinary nature of modern neuroscience and psychology. Given the broad nature of the field of neuroscience, students may wish to concentrate their studies in one area of the field (e.g., behavioral, cellular and molecular, cognitive, affective, social, clinical, or developmental). Students with such interests are encouraged to meet with the track adviser, Glenn Schafe, 204 DL, 432-3461, glenn.schafe@yale.edu.

Requirements for the neuroscience track are the same as for the standard major, with the following exceptions:

1. Two introductory courses are required for the major, MCDB 120 and E&EB 122. Some students with advanced preparation may place out of either or both of these courses (see the “Placement” paragraph under Biology for details) at the discretion of the adviser for the neuroscience track. When the exemption is granted, the student is strongly encouraged to take an additional course in Psychology or Biology.

2. The student must take PSYC 160 or 170, and a data-collection course chosen from PSYC 230L, 240, or 270. PSYC 235 does not count as a data-collection course except with additional neuroscience lab experience and approval of the neuroscience track adviser. MCDB 320 may substitute for the PSYC 160 or 170 requirement, or MCDB 320 and 321L may substitute for the PSYC 230L, 240, or 270 requirement, but not both. If
MCDB 320 is substituted for a psychology course, it cannot also be counted as one of the three additional courses outside the department.

3. At least six courses must be in the Psychology department, including at least two from the Psychology List A. The List A courses do not need to be core courses with a number ending in zero.

4. At least three courses must be chosen from the following: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology courses numbered 200 and above that deal with human and/or animal biology (recommended courses include MCDB 200, 202, 205, 210, 300, and 320); BENG 350 and 421; CPSC 475; MB&B 300, 301, 420, 421, 425, 435, 443, and 452; MATH 222, 225, 230, and 231; and STAT 241. In addition to these courses, others may be selected in consultation with the neuroscience track adviser. Students should note that many of these courses have prerequisites that must be taken first.

5. The senior requirement for the neuroscience track is the same as for the standard major, except that the two required course credits from PSYC 400–495 must have neuroscience content. Independent study courses require prior permission of both the faculty adviser and the adviser for the neuroscience track. Students writing a senior essay for Distinction in the Major may have as their senior essay adviser a faculty member in another related department, subject to approval by the director of undergraduate studies. Topics for the senior essay vary widely. When appropriate, all topics should include discussion of the known or potential neurobiological mechanisms underlying the psychological phenomena of interest. By the end of the junior year, students must obtain approval from the neuroscience track adviser for the proposed program for the senior year.

**Philosophy track in Psychology** Students with interests encompassing both philosophy and psychology may wish to elect the philosophy track. Students in this track are considered Psychology majors for whom the requirements have been modified to accommodate their interests in philosophy. The adviser for the philosophy track is Brian Scholl, 304 SSS, 432-4629, brian.scholl@yale.edu.

Requirements for the philosophy track are the same as for the standard major in Psychology except that five of the elective courses required for the major must be taken from the Philosophy department, with the remaining seven courses (beyond the prerequisite) taken from the Psychology department. (This track thus precludes the possibility of counting any additional classes from other departments toward the major, as is possible in the standard major.) Students electing the philosophy track must still satisfy all other requirements of the major, including the prerequisite and the requirements for statistics, research methods, List A and List B, and the senior project. For the senior project, one credit is required from courses numbered PSYC 400–495 and the other from courses numbered PHIL 400–480. Senior project advisers for students in this track may be chosen from either the Psychology or Philosophy departments. In selecting courses in philosophy, students are advised to consider the following aims: (1) to obtain a background through an introductory or historical course in philosophy; (2) to obtain breadth by taking at least one course in each major area defined in the description of the Philosophy major; (3) to include courses addressing problems especially pertinent to psychology.
Students interested in psychology and philosophy are also urged to consult the description of the psychology track offered by the Philosophy department for an alternative method of satisfying these interests.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

STANDARD MAJOR

Prerequisite  PSYC 110
Number of courses  12 term courses beyond prereq (incl senior req)
Specific course required  PSYC 200
Distribution of courses  B.A. — 2 courses from List A, 2 courses from List B as specified; 1 Psych course numbered 210–299; B.S. — Same, with completion of the statistics and research methods reqs before senior year
Substitution permitted  For PSYC 200, exam arranged with instructor; up to 3 relevant courses in other depts, with DUS permission
Senior requirement  B.A. — 2 course credits from PSYC 400–495, 1 during senior year; B.S. — PSYC 492 or 493 taken during senior year; 1 addtl course credit from PSYC 400–495

NEUROSCIENCE TRACK

Prerequisite  PSYC 110
Number of courses  12 term courses beyond prereq (incl senior req)
Specific courses required  PSYC 160 or 170; PSYC 200; PSYC 230L, 240, or 270; MCDB 120; E&EB 122
Distribution of courses  B.A. — At least 6 courses in Psych, incl 2 from List A; at least 3 courses in biological and mathematical sciences, as specified; B.S. — Same, with completion of the statistics and research methods reqs before senior year
Substitution permitted  MCDB 320 for PSYC 160 or 170, or MCDB 320 and 321L for PSYC 230L, 240, or 270; for PSYC 200, exam arranged with instructor
Senior requirement  B.A. — 2 course credits from PSYC 400–495 with neuroscience content, 1 during senior year; B.S. — PSYC 492 or 493 taken during senior year, with neuroscience content in research project; 1 addtl course credit from PSYC 400–495 with neuroscience content

PHILOSOPHY TRACK

Prerequisite  PSYC 110
Number of courses  12 term courses beyond prereq (incl senior req)
Specific course required  PSYC 200
Distribution of courses  7 courses in Psych, 5 courses in Phil; 2 courses from List A, 2 courses from List B as specified; 1 Psych course numbered 210–299
Substitution permitted  For PSYC 200, exam arranged with instructor
Senior requirement  1 course credit from PSYC 400–495 and 1 course credit from PHIL 400–480, with 1 credit completed during senior year

INTRODUCTORY COURSE

PSYC 110a or b, Introduction to Psychology  Marvin Chun [F], Kristina Olson [Sp]
A survey of major psychological approaches to the biological, cognitive, and social bases of behavior.  SO
SURVEY COURSES WITHOUT PREREQUISITE

*PSYC 120a/CGSC 201a, Brain and Thought: An Introduction to the Human Brain
Amy Arnsten
For description see under Cognitive Science.

*PSYC 125a/CHLD 125a/TPRP 125a, Child Development  Nancy Close, Carla Horwitz
For description see under Child Study Center.

PSYC 126a, Attraction and Relationships  Margaret Clark
Theory and empirical research on the antecedents and consequences of attraction, and on intra- and interpersonal processes that either facilitate or interfere with the formation and maintenance of close relationships. Methodological bases for rigorous study of these topics.  SO

*PSYC 127a/CHLD 127a/TPRP 127a, Theory and Practice of Early Childhood Education  Carla Horwitz
For description see under Child Study Center.

*PSYC 128b/CHLD 128b/TPRP 128b, Language, Literacy, and Play
Nancy Close, Carla Horwitz
For description see under Child Study Center.

PSYC 130a/CGSC 110a, Introduction to Cognitive Science  Brian Scholl
For description see under Cognitive Science.

PSYC 137a/LING 117a©, Language and Mind  Maria Piñango
For description see under Linguistics.

PSYC 147a, Animal Models of Clinical Disorders  Nelson Donegan
An interdisciplinary approach to understanding and treating psychiatric disorders, integrating clinical psychology, psychiatry, and advances in basic neuroscience. Focus on how research with animal models can advance our understanding of psychiatric disorders and generate more effective treatments for patients. Topics include drug addiction, depression, Parkinson's disease, and schizophrenia.  SC, SO

PSYC 149a/LING 149a, Animal Communication and Human Language  Stephen Anderson
For description see under Linguistics.

PSYC 152a/DEVN 193a/PHIL 116a, Moralities of Everyday Life  Paul Bloom
For description see under DeVane Lecture Courses.

SURVEY COURSES WITH PREREQUISITE

PSYC 110 is a prerequisite for the courses in this group.

PSYC 140a, Developmental Psychology  Frank Keil
An introduction to research and theory on the development of perception, action, emotion, personality, language, and cognition from a cognitive science perspective. Focus on birth to adolescence in humans and other species.  SO
PSYC 150b, Social Psychology  John Bargh
Study of social cognition, attitudes and persuasion, group processes, intergroup processes, prosocial behavior, aggression, and conformity. Theories, methodology, and applications of social psychology.  soc

PSYC 160b, Human Neuroscience  Gregory McCarthy
Introduction to the neural bases of human psychological function, including social, cognitive, and affective processing. Preparation for more advanced courses in cognitive and social neuroscience. Topics include memory, reward processing, neuroeconomics, individual differences, emotion, social inferences, and clinical disorders. Neuroanatomy, neurophysiology, and neuropharmacology are also introduced.

PSYC 161b, Drugs, Brain, and Behavior  Hedy Kober
Psychoactive drugs and their effects on both brain and behavior. Pharmacological and brain mechanisms of different classes of legal, illegal, and medicinal drugs, including alcohol, caffeine, tobacco, stimulants, depressants, antidepressants, and hallucinogens. Individual drugs’ pharmacokinetics, mechanisms of action, dosing, routes of administration, and patterns and effects of use and misuse. Some attention to substance use disorders, prevention, and treatment.  soc

PSYC 170a, Fundamentals of Neuroscience  Glenn Schafe
Examination of the way the nervous system controls behavior. Biological insights about neural cell function are applied to processes such as learning, emotion, and perception.  soc

PSYC 171a, Sex, Evolution, and Human Nature  Laurie Santos
Consideration of human behavior in a broad evolutionary context. Topics include basic evolutionary theory, human mating strategies, the biology of warfare, sex differences in behavior, love and lust, the evolution of morality, and the role of language and culture.  soc

PSYC 180a, Abnormal Psychology  Susan Nolen-Hoeksema
The major forms of psychopathology that appear in childhood and adult life. Topics include the symptomatology of mental disorders; their etiology from psychological, biological, and sociocultural perspectives; and issues pertaining to diagnosis and treatment.  wr, soc

PSYC 181b/CGSC 281b/PHIL 181b, Philosophy and the Science of Human Nature  Tamar Gendler
For description see under Philosophy.

STATISTICS AND GENERAL METHODOLOGY

PSYC 200a, Statistics  Marney White
Measures of central tendency, variability, association, and the application of probability concepts in determining the significance of research findings.  qr

DATA COLLECTION

PSYC 230La, Research Methods in Human Neuroscience  Gregory McCarthy
Methods of human neuroscience research. Focus on functional magnetic resonance imaging, electroencephalography, and evoked potentials. Students design experiments, acquire
data, and perform analyses. Extensive use of MATLAB. Prerequisites: PSYC 160 or 170 and a course in statistics, or permission of instructor.  

**PSYC 231Lb, Research Methods in Happiness**  June Gruber  
Methods of research in the study of happiness and human emotion. Psychophysiology, behavioral observation and coding, and self-report assessment instruments. Attention to experimental design, data acquisition, computerized methods of analysis, and writing research reports. Prerequisites: PSYC 110 or 131, and a course in statistics; or with permission of instructor. Recommended preparation: research experience.  

*PSYC 235b, Research Methods in Psychology*  Woo-kyoung Ahn  
Introduction to general principles and strategies of psychological research. Topics include generating and testing hypotheses, laboratory and field experiments, scale construction, sampling, archival methods, case studies, ethics and politics of research, and Internet and cross-cultural methods. Hands-on research experience in laboratories. Prerequisites: PSYC 200 and STAT 103, or permission of instructor.  

*PSYC 240a, Research Methods in Conditioning and Learning*  Allan Wagner  
Laboratory examination of the basic procedures used in the investigation of animal learning. Topics include habituation, classical conditioning, and instrumental learning.  

**PSYC 250a, Research Methods in Clinical Psychology**  Alan Kazdin  
Introduction to the underpinnings, processes, and methods of scientific research utilized in clinical psychology. Rationale for various methods, generating and testing hypotheses, nonhuman animal models, laboratory and applied studies, assessment methods, ethical issues, protection of participants, and research findings in relation to public life and policy.  

*PSYC 270b, Research Methods in Behavioral Neuroscience*  Nelson Donegan  
Laboratory course in which students design and conduct research to study brain function and behavior. Emphasis on hands-on participation in behavioral and neuroscience techniques. Prerequisites: PSYC 170 and a course in statistics.  

**ADVANCED COURSES**

**PSYC 318a/LING 120a*, General Phonetics**  Jelena Krivokapić  
For description see under Linguistics.  

**PSYC 319b/HLTH 215b, Health Psychology**  Benjamin Toll  
For description see under Global Health Studies.  

**PSYC 321a*, Psychopharmacology**  Thomas Brown  
Study of therapeutic and recreational drugs that affect the central nervous system and influence mood, cognition, perception, and behavior. Drugs considered vary from psychotropic to hypnotic to narcotic. Prerequisite: PSYC 160 or 170 or equivalent, or permission of instructor.  

**PSYC 322b/LING 130b*, Evolution of Language**  Stephen Anderson  
For description see under Linguistics.
**PSYC 327a/LING 141a**, Language and Computation  
Gaja Jarosz  
For description see under Linguistics.

**PSYC 320b/LING 146b**, Language, Sex, and Gender  
Laurence Horn  
For description see under Linguistics.

**PSYC 330b, Psychology and the Law**  
Kristi Lockhart  
Contributions of psychological theory and research to our understanding of the law and the criminal justice system. Topics include criminality, eyewitness testimony, lie detection, jury decision making, the death penalty, the insanity defense, civil commitment, prisons, repressed memories, children as witnesses and defendants, and the role of psychologists as expert witnesses and trial consultants.  

**PSYC 332b/PLSC 201b, Political Psychology**  
John Bullock  
For description see under Political Science.

**PSYC 342b/WGSS 315b, Psychology of Gender**  
Marianne LaFrance  
Exploration of the relationship between gender and psychological processes at individual, interpersonal, institutional, and cross-cultural levels.

* **PSYC 350a or b/CHLD 350a or b, Autism and Related Disorders**  
James McPartland, Fred Volkmar  
For description see under Child Study Center.

* **PSYC 355a and 356b, Clinical Psychology in the Community**  
Kristi Lockhart  
Mental disorders as they are treated within a community setting. Students participate in a fieldwork placement, working either one-on-one or in groups with the psychiatrically disabled. Seminar meetings focus on such topics as the nature of severe mental disorders, the effects of deinstitutionalization, counseling skills, and social policy issues related to mental health. Prerequisite: PSYC 180.  

* **PSYC 372a/LING 490a**, Research Methods in Linguistics  
Jelena Krivokapic  
For description see under Linguistics.

**PSYC 376b, Basics of Learning and Memory**  
Thomas Brown  
The basic facts, general principles, and theories that describe how higher animals, from mice to humans, are changed by their experiences. The historically separate fields of learning and memory research desegregated under a neuroscientific perspective that recognizes the evolutionary continuity among higher animals. Prerequisites: introductory courses in biology and psychology, or permission of instructor.

**SENIOR SEMINARS**

The seminars below may be used to fulfill the senior requirement.

* **PSYC 402b, Topics in Infant Studies**  
Karen Wynn  
Advanced topics in infant cognitive, social, and emotional development. In 2012 the theme is parents, children, and evolution. Attention to infant attachment strategies as well as maternal and paternal investment and attachment. Perspectives from biology, anthropology, and developmental, comparative, clinical, physiological, and evolutionary psychology.
**PSYC 408b/CGSC 408b, Cognitive Science of Ignorance**  Frank Keil
Examination of how adults and children make sense of the artificial and natural world with incomplete knowledge and understanding. Topics include awareness of the limits of one's knowledge, mistakes in understanding, gullibility and cynicism, deference, the division of cognitive labor, knowledge management, and science literacy.  SO

**PSYC 414a/WGSS 466a, Gender Images: A Psychological Perspective**  Marianne LaFrance
The nature and effects of gender images (males and females, sexual orientation, gender identities) on the construction of self-identity, stereotypes, aspirations, and interpersonal relationships. Focus on contemporary media, with attention to how, when, and why gender images change with time.  SO

**PSYC 419b, Food Policy and Science**  Kelly Brownell
Science on food and nutrition and its connections to pressing policy issues. Topics include hunger, obesity, and the impact of food production and consumption on the environment.  SO

**PSYC 427b/CGSC 430b/PHIL 430b, Mind Perception**  Joshua Knobe
For description see under Philosophy.

**PSYC 433a, Social Cognitive Development**  Kristina Olson
Topics in social cognition and development, including the emergence and development of theory of mind, attitudes, intentionality, essentialism, ownership, cooperation, and morality. Readings from a variety of fields, such as social psychology, cognitive development, social development, comparative psychology, cognitive psychology, behavioral economics, evolutionary biology, anthropology, and cognitive science.  SO

**PSYC 478a, Meditation and Self-Regulation**  Jeremy Gray
Critical examination of cognitive neuroscience literature on meditation from both clinical and basic science perspectives. Topics include reward and craving, stress, anxiety, agency and perceived control, attention, the self, and clinical application. Some background in neuroscience and psychology required.  SO

**PSYC 489b, Principles of Cognitive and Behavior Therapy**  Alan Kazdin
An examination of the diverse theories, principles, and treatments in behavior therapy, including operant and classical conditioning, cognitive behavioral approaches, and social learning. Enrollment limited to senior Psychology majors.  SO

**TUTORIALS**

**PSYC 490a and 491b, Directed Reading**  Laurie Santos
Individual study for qualified students, primarily seniors, who wish to investigate an area of psychology not covered by regular departmental offerings. A student must be sponsored by a faculty member, who sets requirements and meets regularly with the student. To register, the student must submit a written plan of study approved by the adviser to the director of undergraduate studies. The normal minimum requirement is a term paper, but individual faculty members may set alternative equivalent requirements. May be elected for one or two terms.
*PSYC 492a and 493b, Directed Research  Laurie Santos
Empirical research projects for qualified students, primarily seniors. A student must be sponsored by a faculty member, who sets the requirements and supervises research. To register, the student must submit a written plan of study approved by the adviser to the director of undergraduate studies. The normal minimum requirement is a written report of the completed research, but individual faculty members may set alternative equivalent requirements. May be elected for one or two terms.

*PSYC 495a or b, Research Topics  Laurie Santos
Discussion of current and advanced topics and/or ongoing research projects. Specific areas of research correspond to 700-level courses. Students sign up for sections at www.yale.edu/oci, using the last two digits of the corresponding 700-level course number. Enrollment forms, which must be signed by the instructor of the section, are available at the office of undergraduate studies. May be repeated for credit. ½ Course cr

Psychology and Computer Science
(See under Computer Science and Psychology.)

Psychology and Philosophy
(See under Philosophy or under Psychology.)

Public Health

For information about Yale College course offerings related to health, see under Global Health Studies.

B.A.–B.S./M.P.H. degree program  The Select Program in Public Health gives Yale College students interested in the field of public health the opportunity to earn a bachelor’s degree from Yale College and an M.P.H. degree from the Yale School of Public Health in a five-year joint program. During four years of Yale College enrollment, students complete a standard Yale College major and six course credits applicable toward the M.P.H. degree. Students are placed in a public health internship between the fourth and fifth years of the program and study at the School of Public Health (YSPH) full time in the fifth year, when they complete the master’s thesis and the remaining ten courses for the master’s degree.

Students apply to YSPH for the joint program in the fall term of their junior year. Candidates must present evidence of a commitment to public health, as well as a record of one year of college-level mathematics and either biology, chemistry, or physics. Applicants must complete YSPH application forms and submit transcripts, SAT scores, three letters of recommendation, and a personal statement. Financial aid, if provided during the fifth year, comes from YSPH.

Further information about this program may be obtained from the YSPH Office of Student Affairs, 60 College Street, P.O. Box 208034, New Haven, CT 06520-8034, 785-6260, or on the Web at publichealth.yale.edu.
Religious Studies

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Professors Harold Attridge, Gerhard Böwering, Robert Brody (Visiting), Jon Butler, Adela Yarbro Collins, John J. Collins, John Darnell, Stephen Davis, Carlos Eire, Steven Fraade, Bruce Gordon, Philip Gorski, Phyllis Granoff, Frank Griffel, John Hare, Jennifer Herdt, Christine Hayes (Chair), Paula Hyman, Bentley Layton, Ivan Marcus, Dale Martin, Harry Stout, Emilie Townes, Denys Turner, Miroslav Volf, Robert Wilson

Associate Professors Shannon Craigo-Snell, Hindy Najman, Carolyn Sharp

Assistant Professors Zareena Grewal, Willis Jenkins, Kathryn Lofton, Andrew Quintman, Eliyahu Stern, Tisa Wenger

Senior Lecturers Koichi Shinozara, David Smith

Lecturers Hugh Flick, Jr., John Grim, Jonathan Kaplan, Margaret Olin, George Syrimis, Mary Evelyn Tucker, Blake Wentworth

The study of religion investigates religious traditions, institutions, cultural practices, texts, and ideas in many different ways. Courses in the Religious Studies department concentrate on the history of religious traditions (Western and Eastern, ancient and modern) and the role of religion in shaping past human cultures and current events; on textual traditions and religious literatures of various kinds; and on ethical and philosophical issues central to religious reflection, such as the nature of the divine or the problem of evil and suffering. Because religious studies is an interdisciplinary field, it makes use of a wide variety of methods and academic disciplines. Students who want a broad introduction to the study of religions can choose courses listed under Groups A or B below, though courses listed under Group C are also open without prerequisite. Religious Studies majors develop specialized concentrations as they plan a major program in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies and other members of the faculty.

Religious Studies course offerings, other than freshman seminars, are arranged in four categories. Group A features general, comparative, and thematic courses that engage more than one religious tradition. Group B includes survey courses that provide a broad introduction to a particular religious tradition or scripture in historical context. Group C includes courses on specialized topics in religious studies, both introductory and intermediate. Group D offers advanced courses on specialized topics. Normally, courses in Groups A to C have no prerequisites while courses in Group D have a specific prerequisite or require the permission of the instructor.

The department offers two programs for students majoring in Religious Studies: the standard major and a major in which religious studies is combined with another subject closely related to the senior essay. Both programs require a core of courses and a two-term senior essay.
Core requirement  A core of six term courses in Religious Studies is required of all majors. One core course examines world religions; for qualifying courses in 2011–2012, consult the director of undergraduate studies. Three core courses are in the historical or textual study of a specific religion, most commonly from Group B; each of the three courses must be on a different religion, and at least one must be focused on Judaism, Christianity, or Islam and one on Buddhism or Hinduism. One core course, selected in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies, focuses on systematic thought (ethics, philosophy of religion, or theology). The final core course is RLST 490, the junior seminar on approaches to the study of religion. Before the end of the junior year, students must also complete a seminar (in addition to the junior seminar) that requires a major research paper. In Program I, this seminar must be an elective in Religious Studies. In Program II, it may be a course in Religious Studies, or it may constitute one of the four term courses outside the department.

PROGRAM I. THE STANDARD MAJOR

Program I consists of twelve term courses in Religious Studies, including the core of six required courses, the two-term senior essay, and four electives. The electives are usually selected from Groups C and D and form a coherent unit to help the student prepare for the senior essay. Certain cognate courses in other departments that investigate religious phenomena or literature and are integral to the student’s area of concentration may count toward the major with permission of the director of undergraduate studies. Normally the maximum number of cognate courses that may be applied is two. Two terms of an ancient language related to the study of religion may, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies, be counted.

PROGRAM II. RELIGIOUS STUDIES WITH ANOTHER SUBJECT

Program II consists of eight term courses in Religious Studies (the core of six required courses and the two-term senior essay) and four term courses outside the department, one of which may fulfill the seminar requirement outlined above. The four courses outside the department need not directly concern religion, but they must form a coherent unit. Through them students can develop expertise in a single methodological approach, cultural area, historical period, or body of literature contributing to the senior essay. Examples of successful combinations might be: four courses in Chinese history, language, and literature with a senior essay topic on Chinese Buddhism; four courses in early American history and literature with a topic on colonial American religion; four courses in a specific area of biology and medical science with a topic on biomedical ethics. Each student’s petition to take this program will be judged on its contribution to the student’s senior essay. Normally introductory courses in other departments may not count among the outside courses; appropriate language courses at a higher level may. Students electing Program II must, at the end of the junior year and in no case later than the beginning of the senior year, obtain approval for their proposed program from the director of undergraduate studies. Students who think they may elect this program should consult the director of undergraduate studies as early as possible in their studies to begin suitable selection of courses.
Senior requirement  Students in both programs must write a senior essay under the supervision of a faculty adviser in the student’s area of concentration. In selecting a senior essay topic, students normally choose a topic on which they have completed course work before commencing the senior year. The essay counts as two term courses toward the major and is taken in both terms of the senior year. The student should begin choosing a senior essay topic during the second term of the junior year, and early in the first term of the senior year must submit a Statement of Intention approved by a faculty adviser and the director of undergraduate studies. The Senior Essay (RLST 491, 492) includes research and writing assignments as well as colloquia in which seniors present and discuss their research. The student must submit at least ten pages of the essay to the director of undergraduate studies by the last day of classes of the first term in order to receive a grade of “satisfactory” for that term.

Students in Yale College are eligible to take certain courses in the Divinity School; those interested should consult its bulletin. Some Divinity School courses may count toward the major, with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

Students majoring in Religious Studies who plan to do graduate work in the subject are strongly encouraged to study languages of which a reading knowledge will be needed for their graduate program.

requirements of the major

Prerequisites None

Number of courses Program I—12 term courses (incl two-term senior essay); Program II—8 term courses in Rel St (incl two-term senior essay), and 4 nonintro courses in another subject linked with senior essay, chosen in consultation with DUS

Specific course required Both programs—RLST 490

Distribution of courses Both programs—1 course in world religions; 3 courses in historical or textual study of a specific religion, as specified; 1 course in systematic thought, as specified; 1 sem other than junior sem, as specified

Substitution permitted Program I—related courses in other depts, incl 2 courses in a related ancient lang, with DUS permission; Both programs—Divinity School courses, with DUS permission; related courses for world religions req, with DUS permission

Senior requirement Both programs—senior essay (RLST 491, 492)

Freshman Seminars

*RLST 001a/HIST 008a/HUMS 080a, Essential Heresies  Carlos Eire
For description see under History.

*RLST 002b/HUMS 094b/JDST 015b, Abraham and the Abrahamic Religions  Jonathan Kaplan
For description see under Judaic Studies.

General, Comparative, and Thematic Courses (Group A)

[RLST 101a, World Religions in New Haven]
[RLST 102b, Memory, Culture, and Religion]

*RLST 103b/EVST 103b, World Religions and Ecology: Asian Religions
Mary Evelyn Tucker, John Grim
The emerging relationships of world religions to the global environmental crisis. Attention to both the problems and the promise of these relationships. Ways in which religious ideas and practices have contributed to cultural attitudes and human interactions with nature. Examples from Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, and Taoism. HU

RLST 108a/AMST 150a/HIST 145a, Religion in Modern America, 1865–2000
Kathryn Lofton
For description see under American Studies.

[RLST 110b, Apocalyptic Religion in Cross-Cultural Perspective]

[RLST 111a/AMST 111a/HIST 129a/WGSS 111a, Sexuality and Religion]

[RLST 112b, Defining Religion]

SURVEYS OF RELIGIOUS TRADITIONS (GROUP B)

*RLST 130a/EALL 202a/HUMS 418a/SAST 367a, Traditional Literature of India, China, and Japan
Koichi Shinohara, Phyllis Granoff
For description see under Humanities.

RLST 134b/EALL 200b, Buddhism in China and Japan
Koichi Shinohara
Introduction to Buddhism in East Asia through a close reading of original sources in translation. Focus on the lives and teachings of several leading monks. Topics include meditation, faith, rebirth, and secret rituals. HU

*RLST 137b, Introduction to Hinduism
Phyllis Granoff
A broad introduction to classical Hinduism; focus on close reading of primary texts in translation. Readings include selections from the Rg Veda, Brahmanas, epics, puranas, and medieval devotional poetry. HU

*RLST 141b/ARCG 222b/NELC 112b, Egyptian Religion through the Ages
John Darnell
For description see under Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations.

RLST 145a/HUMS 349a/JDST 110a, The Bible
Christine Hayes
The writings common to both Jewish and Christian scripture examined as diverse and often conflicting expressions of the religious life and thought of ancient Israel. The works’ cultural and historical setting in the ancient Near East; the interpretive history of select passages influential in Western culture. Introduction to a wide range of critical and literary approaches to biblical studies. Students view course lectures, which survey the entire Bible, on line; class time focuses on specific biblical passages and their subsequent interpretation in Jewish and Christian culture. HU

*RLST 147b/JDST 235b, Introduction to Judaism in the Ancient World
Steven Fraade
For description see under Judaic Studies.
*RLST 148a*/HIST 219a*/JDST 200a*/MMES 149a, History of the Jews to Early Modern Times  Ivan Marcus
For description see under History.

RLST 150b, The New Testament in History and Culture  Dale Martin, Matthew Croasmun
Introduction to the New Testament, with a focus on its historical development and cultural significance. Use of New Testament documents in art, theological readings and debates, and politics. The historical Jesus; authorship of the texts and development of the canon; biblical interpretation and political and cultural use throughout history, with special attention to contemporary settings outside North America. Includes visits to the Yale University Art Gallery.  HU

[RLST 158a*/HIST 226a*/HUMS 422a*/NELC 326a, Jesus to Muhammad: Ancient Christianity to the Rise of Islam]

RLST 163a*/HUMS 316a, Reason, Faith, and Feeling: Early Modern Christian Thought  Shannon Craigo-Snell
A survey of major developments in religious thought in the West from Descartes to Schleiermacher, focusing on the struggles to defend, discredit, or distance religious belief in relation to reason. Connections between theology, philosophy, and social history. No background in religious studies assumed.  HU

RLST 164b*/HUMS 317b, History, Hope, and the Self: Modern Christian Thought  Shannon Craigo-Snell
An overview of important developments in Western religious thought during the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Connections between philosophy, theology, and social history. Authors include Hegel, Barth, Tillich, Rahner, and Gutiérrez. No background in religious studies assumed.  HU

RLST 170a/MMES 192a, The Religion of Islam  Gerhard Böwering
The rise of Islam in Arabia; Muhammad and the Qur’an; Muslim tradition and religious law; crucial issues of Islamic philosophy and theology; basic beliefs and practices of the Muslim community; Sufism and Shi’ism; religious institutions and modern trends; fundamentalism and violence; freedom and democracy.  HU

TOPICS IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES (GROUP C)
*RLST 178a*/CLCV 219a/HUMS 313a, Conflict and Discourse in Roman Religion  Matthew McCarty
For description see under Humanities.

*RLST 185b/SAST 368b, The Mahabharata  Hugh Flick, Jr.
Examination of the religious and cultural significance of the world’s longest epic poem within the Hindu bhakti religious tradition. Emphasis on the core narrative, the embedded narratives, and the internal philosophical discourses, including the Bhagavad Gita.  HU  Tr

*RLST 201a/HIST 232Ja/HUMS 443a*/JDST 270a/MMES 342a, Medieval Jews, Christians, and Muslims Imagining Each Other  Ivan Marcus
For description see under History.
RLST 202b\(^c\)/HIST 345b\(^g\)/JDST 265b\(^g\)/MMES 148b, Jews in Muslim Lands from the Seventh to the Sixteenth Centuries  Ivan Marcus
For description see under History.

*RLST 205a/JDST 279a/MMES 158a, Modern Jewish Religious Radicalism  
Eliyahu Stern
The historical origins and contemporary makeup of various traditional and, in some cases, extreme religious elements in Judaism, including ultra-orthodox, Hasidic, and messianist movements. Responses of these groups to the rise of modern democratic movements, sexual freedoms, science, reason, Zionism, and the division of church and state in European countries. Some background in religious studies or Judaism assumed.  HU

*RLST 206a\(^c\)/HUMS 327a, Secularism from the Enlightenment to the Present  
Eliyahu Stern
The historical construction of secularism from the eighteenth century to the twentieth. Attention to recent scholarship on the formation of secular ideologies and their effect on conceptions of time, space, and knowledge. Readings include works by Jose Casanova, Reinhart Koselleck, Charles Taylor, and Talal Asad.  HU

RLST 214b\(^c\)/HIST 248b\(^g\)/JDST 293b\(^c\), Introduction to Modern Jewish Thought  
Eliyahu Stern
For description see under Judaic Studies.

RLST 215a/HIST 148a/JDST 280a, America and Its Jews, 1654 to the Present  
Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

*RLST 225b\(^c\)/HIST 244b\(^g\)/JDST 385b\(^c\)/WGSS 385b, Women in Modern Jewish History  
Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

*RLST 226a\(^c\)/HIST 272a\(^g\)/JDST 291a\(^c\), Anti-Semitism in Modern Times  
Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

*RLST 227b\(^c\)/HIST 258b\(^c\)/JDST 278b\(^c\), Jewish Citizenship in Modern Europe  
Eliyahu Stern
For description see under History.

RLST 230b\(^c\)/HIST 269b\(^c\)/JDST 286b\(^c\), Holocaust in Historical Perspective  
Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

[RLST 240a, The Historical Jesus]

*RLST 247a\(^c\)/JDST 252a\(^c\), Hellenistic Jewish Thought  
Hindy Najman
For description see under Judaic Studies.

*RLST 248a\(^c\)/JDST 253a\(^c\), Destruction and Recovery in Ancient Jewish Texts  
Hindy Najman
For description see under Judaic Studies.
RLST 249a/JDST 281a/PHIL 274a, Jewish Philosophy  Paul Franks
For description see under Philosophy.

*RLST 253a*/HIST 211Ja/NELC 380a*, The Making of Monasticism  
Bentley Layton
The social and intellectual history of Christian monasteries, hermits, ascetics, and monastic institutions and values in late antiquity and the early Middle Ages, as seen in classic texts of monastic literature and in monastic archaeology. Readings in translation.  
HU (Formerly RLST 420)

*RLST 263a/EVST 270a, Indigenous Religions and Ecology  John Grim
Exploration of how particular indigenous peoples relate to local bioregions and biodiversity. Differences between and within indigenous societies, especially in cultural relationships to place. Ways in which values associated with physical places are articulated in symbols, myths, rituals, and other embodied practices.  
HU

RLST 273a*/PLSC 281a, Moral, Religious, and Social Issues in Bioethics  
David Smith
For description see under Political Science.

RLST 283b/HIST 215b, Reformation Europe, 1450–1650  Bruce Gordon
For description see under History.

*RLST 287a*/MMES 391a, Islamic Theology and Philosophy  Frank Griffel
Historical survey of major themes in Muslim theology and philosophy, from teachings of the Qur’an to contemporary Muslim thought. The systematic character of Muslim thought and of the arguments given by thinkers; reason vs. revelation; the emergence of Sunnism in the tenth through eleventh centuries; the reaction of Muslim theology (from 1800) to the challenges of the West; and contemporary Muslim thought.  
HU

ADVANCED TOPICS IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES (GROUP D)

*RLST 409b*/JDST 393b, Midrash Seminar: Sifre Shofetim  Steven Fraade
For description see under Judaic Studies.

*RLST 413a*/JDST 412a, The Academic Study of Talmud  Robert Brody
For description see under Judaic Studies.

*RLST 417b*/JDST 415b, Text and Context of the Dead Sea Scrolls  
Hindy Najman
For description see under Judaic Studies.

OTHER COURSES

*RLST 488a and 489b, Individual Tutorial  Shannon Craigo-Snell
For students who wish, under faculty supervision, to investigate an area in religious studies not covered by regular departmental offerings. The course may be used for research or for directed reading. A long essay or several short ones are required. To apply, students should present a prospectus with bibliography of work they propose to undertake to the director of undergraduate studies together with a letter of support from the faculty member who will direct the work.
*RLST 490b, Seminar on Approaches to the Study of Religion  Staff
Introduction to the study of religion in anthropology, sociology, phenomenology, philosophy, psychology, and history. Focus on current debates about how religion should be approached and on issues crucial to the investigation of religion in an academic setting. Required for all junior majors; open to others with permission of the instructor.

*RLST 491a and 492b, The Senior Essay  Shannon Craigo-Snell
Students writing their senior essay meet periodically in the fall and weekly in the spring for the colloquium directed by the director of undergraduate studies. The essay, written under the supervision of a member of the department, should be a substantial paper between 12,500 and 15,000 words.  Cr/yr only

Russian

(See under Slavic Languages and Literatures.)

Russian and East European Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE MAJOR

Professors  Vladimir Alexandrov (Slavic Languages & Literatures), Paul Bushkovitch (History), Katerina Clark (Comparative Literature, Slavic Languages & Literatures), Laura Engelstein (History), John Gaddis (History), Harvey Goldblatt (Chair) (Slavic Languages & Literatures), Robert Greenberg (Adjunct) (Slavic Languages & Literatures), John MacKay (Slavic Languages & Literatures), Timothy Snyder (History), Tomas Venclova (Slavic Languages & Literatures)

Associate Professor  Keith Darden (Political Science)

Assistant Professors  Molly Brunson (Slavic Languages & Literatures), Bella Grigoryan (Slavic Languages & Literatures)

Lecturer  Hilary Fink

Senior Lector II  Irina Dolgova

Senior Lectors  Krystyna Illakowicz, Rita Lipson, Constantine Muravnik, Julia Titus, Karen von Kunes

The major in Russian and East European Studies, administered by the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, offers an interdisciplinary approach to the study of a broad region: Russia, Ukraine, Belarus, the Caucasus, and Central Asia; Poland, Hungary, the Czech and Slovak Republics, and other areas in east central Europe; and the Balkans. The program is appropriate for students considering careers in international public policy, diplomacy, or business, and is also suited to students wishing to continue academic work.
Languages  A full understanding of the area demands a knowledge of its languages. Students must demonstrate either proficiency in Russian or intermediate-level ability in an East European language. Students may demonstrate proficiency in Russian by (1) completing fourth-year Russian (RUSS 160, 161); (2) passing a written examination to demonstrate equivalent ability; or (3) completing a literature course taught in Russian and approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Students may demonstrate intermediate-level ability in an East European language by (1) completing a two-year sequence in an East European language (currently Czech or Polish; students interested in studying other East European languages should contact the director of undergraduate studies); or (2) by passing a language examination demonstrating equivalent ability. Students are encouraged to learn more than one language.

Course requirements  Thirteen term courses taken for a letter grade are required for the major. Students must take one course in Russian or East European history selected in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. If Russian is presented as the primary language to satisfy the requirements of the major, then all East European language courses and third- and fourth-year Russian courses count toward the major. If an East European language other than Russian is presented as the primary language, then all courses in that language designated L3 or higher count toward the major. Electives are chosen in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies from an annual list of offerings. Electives must include at least one course in a social science. Other undergraduate courses relevant to Russian and East European Studies, including residential college seminars, may also count toward the major if approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Qualified students may elect pertinent courses in the Graduate School with the permission of the instructor, the director of graduate studies, and the director of undergraduate studies.

Senior requirement  Every major must write a senior essay in RSEE 490, 491. At the beginning of the senior year, students enroll in RSEE 490 and arrange for a faculty member to serve as senior adviser. By the third Friday of October, majors submit a detailed prospectus of the essay, with bibliography, to the adviser. A draft of at least ten pages of the text of the essay, or a detailed outline of the entire essay, is due to the adviser by the last day of reading period. The student provides the adviser with a form that the adviser signs to notify the director of undergraduate studies that the first-term requirements for the senior essay have been met. Failure to meet these requirements results in loss of credit for RSEE 490. The senior essay takes the form of a substantial article, no longer than 13,000 words, excluding footnotes and bibliography. Three copies of the essay are due in the Slavic departmental office by April 13, 2012. A member of the faculty other than the adviser grades the essay.

Study and travel  Students should be aware of opportunities for study and travel in Russia and eastern Europe. The director of undergraduate studies can provide information on these programs and facilitate enrollment. Students who spend all or part of the academic year in the region participating in established academic programs usually receive Yale College credit, and are strongly encouraged to take advantage of study abroad opportunities during summers or through the Year or Term Abroad program. Students wishing to travel abroad as part of the major should consult the director of undergraduate studies by October 1.
M.A. program  The European and Russian Studies program does not offer the simultaneous award of the B.A. and M.A. degrees. However, students in Yale College are eligible to complete the M.A. in European and Russian Studies (with concentration in Russia and eastern Europe) in one year of graduate work. Students interested in this option must complete eight graduate courses in the area by the time they complete the bachelor’s degree. Only two courses may be counted toward both the graduate degree and the undergraduate major. Successful completion of graduate courses while still an undergraduate does not guarantee admission into the M.A. program. Students must submit the standard application for admission to the M.A. program.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisite or corequisite  Demonstrated proficiency in Russian or intermediate-level ability in an East European language

Number of courses  13 term courses (incl senior essay and specified lang courses)

Distribution of courses  1 course in Russian or East European hist approved by DUS; at least 1 course in social sciences

Senior requirement  Senior essay (RSEE 490, 491)

*RSEE 205a/PLSC 307a/SLAV 205a, Language, Nationality, and Ethnic Conflict in the Balkans  Robert Greenberg
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*RSEE 240a/CZEC 246a/FILM 364a, Milos Forman and His Films  Karen von Kunes
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

RSEE 255b/LITR 206b/ RUSS 255b, Studies in the Novel: Tolstoy  Vladimir Alexandrov
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

RSEE 256a/LITR 208a/ RUSS 256a, Studies in the Novel: Dostoevsky  Bella Grigoryan
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*RSEE 490a and 491b, The Senior Essay  Bella Grigoryan
Preparation of the senior essay under faculty supervision. The essay grade becomes the grade for both terms of the course. Required of all seniors majoring in Russian and East European Studies.

RELATED COURSES THAT COUNT TOWARD THE MAJOR

Students are encouraged to examine the offerings in Slavic Languages and Literatures and other departments, as well as residential college seminars, for additional related courses that may count toward the major.

CZEC 110a, Elementary Czech I  Karen von Kunes
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.
CZEC 120b, Elementary Czech II  Karen von Kunes
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

CZEC 130a, Intermediate Czech  Karen von Kunes
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

CZEC 140b, Advanced Czech  Karen von Kunes
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*HIST 224Jb, Narratives of War and Revolution in Twentieth-Century Europe  
Laura Engelstein

*HIST 225Ja, The Russian Revolution of 1917  Laura Engelstein

HIST 261a/PLSC 176a, The Cold War  John Gaddis
For description see under History.

HIST 263a, Eastern Europe to 1914  Timothy Snyder

HIST 264b, Eastern Europe since 1914  Timothy Snyder

HIST 295b, Empire and Foreign Policy in Russian History, 1552–1917  
Paul Bushkovitch

PLSH 110a, Elementary Polish I  Krystyna Illakowicz
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

PLSH 120b, Elementary Polish II  Krystyna Illakowicz
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

PLSH 130a, Intermediate Polish I  Krystyna Illakowicz
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

PLSH 140b, Intermediate Polish II  Krystyna Illakowicz
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

Sanskrit
(See under South Asian Studies.)

Science

Yale College offers two special interdepartmental courses for freshmen with strong
preparation in the sciences. SCIE 030 and 031, Current Topics in Science, is a freshman
seminar designed for incoming students who have strong preparation in mathematics
and science but who do not intend to major in the sciences. SCIE 198 and 199, Perspec-
tives on Science and Engineering, is a lecture and discussion course that supplements
the standard academic program of a selected group of freshmen who have unusually
strong preparation in mathematics and science. It presents a broader range of top-
ics than standard science courses and highlights the interdependence of the scientific
disciplines.
Students may apply to one or the other of these programs during the summer before their freshman year. Application information is available on the Web at yalecollege.yale.edu/content/freshman-seminar-program-2 (SCIE 030, 031) and yalecollege.yale.edu/content/perspectives-science-and-engineering-pse (SCIE 198, 199).

*SCIE 030a and 031b, Current Topics in Science  Douglas Kankel
A series of modules in lecture and discussion format addressing scientific issues arising in current affairs. Topics are selected for their scientific interest and contemporary relevance, and may include global warming, human cloning, and the existence of extrasolar planets. One course credit is awarded for successful completion of the year’s work. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program. sc  Fr sem  ½ Course cr per term  Cr/year only

*SCIE 198a and 199b, Perspectives on Science and Engineering  William Segraves,
C. Megan Urry
A series of lectures— one every other week— by science and engineering faculty guest lecturers. In alternate weeks, groups of students and faculty participants meet to discuss the lecture topics more fully. Students are expected to be enrolled in other science courses, usually with laboratory. One course credit is awarded for successful completion of the year’s work. Enrollment limited to freshmen. ½ Course cr per term  Cr/year only

Slavic Languages and Literatures

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SLAVIC LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

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Lecturer  Hilary Fink

Senior Lector II  Irina Dolgova

Senior Lectors  Krystyna Illakowicz, Rita Lipson, Constantine Muravnik, Julia Titus, Karen von Kunes

The major in Russian offered by the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures acquaints students with Russian literature and culture, develops students’ appreciation of literary values and skill in literary analysis, and gives them a basic competence in Russian. For an area major in Russian studies, see Russian and East European Studies, an interdisciplinary program administered by the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures.
Students majoring in Russian may concentrate exclusively on Russian language and literature (Program I), or they may elect to study Russian literature in the context of comparative studies of literature (Program II). For Program II, credit is given for work done in other departments. Specific courses in each program must be arranged with the director of undergraduate studies. Students interested in specializing in Russian or Slavic linguistics may arrange a special concentration in linguistics with the director of undergraduate studies.

The major  Prerequisite to the major in both programs is RUSS 151. The department offers two sequences of language courses to fulfill the prerequisite: either (1) RUSS 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, and 151 or (2) RUSS 125, 145, 150, and 151. Prospective majors should complete RUSS 140 or 145 by the end of their sophomore year or accelerate their course of study by taking summer courses or studying abroad. While completing the prerequisite, students are encouraged to begin fulfilling requirements of the major that do not presuppose advanced knowledge of Russian by taking courses in Russian history and Russian literature in translation.

In addition to the prerequisite, the major in Russian requires eleven term courses, which must include the following (some courses may fulfill more than one requirement):
1. Two terms of Russian literature in translation: RUSS 250 and 253.
3. Two terms of Russian literature read and discussed in the original language, typically selected from Group A courses numbered 170 or above.
4. At least two term courses in Russian literature of the nineteenth century and two in Russian literature of the twentieth century. Students should select courses from Group A and from the 250 series with this requirement in mind.
5. RUSS 490. The senior essay is the intellectual culmination of the student’s work in the major. All primary sources used in the essay must be read in Russian.

In addition to the requirements above, each program requires the following:

Program I  One term course in the history or culture of Russia, selected in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies; three additional term courses in the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures above RUSS 151. These may include literature courses taught either in translation or in the original, advanced language training courses, or graduate courses.

Program II  Four term courses outside the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures that are relevant to the major in the context of comparative studies of literature, selected in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies.

Study abroad  Students majoring in Russian are strongly encouraged to spend a summer or a term studying in the Russian Federation under the auspices of programs approved by the director of undergraduate studies. Language courses taken during the summer or during a term in Russia in approved programs may substitute for certain advanced Russian courses at Yale. Students interested in study abroad should consult the director of undergraduate studies well before their junior year.

Senior requirement  All majors write a senior essay (RUSS 490), an independent project carried out under the guidance of a faculty member. Three copies of the essay are due in the Slavic departmental office on April 13, 2012.
**Placement examination** A departmental placement examination will be given before the first day of classes in the fall term; see dls.yale.edu/placement-testing for the time and location. Students who have studied Russian elsewhere must take the placement examination before enrolling in any Russian language course at Yale. For further information consult Irina Dolgova, language coordinator, 432-1307.

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR**

**Prerequisite** RUSS 151

**Number of courses** 11 term courses beyond prereq (incl senior essay)

**Distribution of courses** Both programs — 2 terms of 19th-century Russian lit; 2 terms of 20th-century Russian lit; 2 courses from Group A numbered 170 or above; Program I — 1 course in hist or culture of Russia; 3 addtl courses in dept of Slavic Langs and Lits above level of RUSS 151; Program II — 4 courses relevant to major in other depts, with DUS approval

**Specific courses required** Both programs — RUSS 160, 161, 250, 253

**Senior requirement** Senior essay (RUSS 490)

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**GROUP A COURSES**

Unless otherwise noted, all Group A courses are conducted in Russian.

**RUSS 110a, First-Year Russian I** Julia Titus

A video-based course designed to develop all four language skills: reading, writing, speaking, and listening comprehension. Use of dialogues, games, and role playing. In addition to readings in the textbook, students read original short stories and learn Russian songs and poems. Oral and written examinations. Credit only on completion of RUSS 120. L1 RP 1½ Course cr

**RUSS 120b, First-Year Russian II** Julia Titus

Continuation of RUSS 110. After RUSS 110 or equivalent. L2 RP 1½ Course cr

**RUSS 122a, Russian for Bilingual Students I**

**RUSS 125a, Intensive Elementary Russian** Constantine Muravnik

An intensive course that covers in one term the material taught in RUSS 110 and 120. For students of superior linguistic ability. Study of Russian grammar; practice in conversation, reading, and composition. Recommended for prospective majors in Russian and in Russian and East European Studies. L1–L2 RP 2 Course cr

**RUSS 130a, Second-Year Russian I** Irina Dolgova

A course to improve functional competence in all four language skills (speaking, writing, reading, and listening). Audio activities, for use both in the classroom and independently, are designed to help students improve their listening comprehension skills and pronunciation. Lexical and grammatical materials are thematically based. After RUSS 120 or equivalent. L3 RP 1½ Course cr

**RUSS 140b, Second-Year Russian II** Irina Dolgova

Continuation of RUSS 130. After RUSS 130 or equivalent. L4 RP 1½ Course cr

**RUSS 142b, Russian for Bilingual Students II**
RUSS 145b, Intensive Intermediate Russian  Constantine Muravnik
A continuation of RUSS 125 that covers in one term the material taught in RUSS 130 and 140. For students of superior linguistic ability. Prerequisite: RUSS 125.  L3–L4  RP 2 Course cr

RUSS 150a, Third-Year Russian I  Constantine Muravnik
Intensive practice in conversation and composition accompanied by review and refinement of grammar. Readings from nineteenth- and twentieth-century literature, selected readings in Russian history and current events, and videotapes and films are used as the basis of structured conversation, composition, and grammatical exercises. Oral and written examinations. Audiovisual work in the Center for Language Study required. After RUSS 140 or 145 or equivalent.  L5  RP  1½ Course cr

RUSS 151b, Third-Year Russian II  Constantine Muravnik
Continuation of RUSS 150. After RUSS 150 or equivalent.  L5  RP  1½ Course cr

*RUSS 154a, Russian for Literary and Cultural Interpretation  Constantine Muravnik
Close reading of Russian fiction, poetry, and discursive prose in history and philosophy. Special attention to cultural significance, stylistics, and aesthetics, as well as to grammatical structures and syntax. Use of translation as a method for interpretation. Grammar review and extensive vocabulary building. Literary themes concerning the relationship between art and reality are paired with cultural/historical themes focusing on Russian national identity with respect to Slavophile and Western tendencies. Conducted in Russian and English. Prerequisite: RUSS 140 or 145 or permission of instructor.  L5, HU

RUSS 160a, Fourth-Year Russian I  Irina Dolgova
Discussion topics include Russian culture, literature, and self-identity; the old and new capitals of Russia, the cultural impact of the Russian Orthodox Church, and Russia at war. Readings from mass media, textbooks, and classic and modern literature. Use of video materials. After RUSS 151 or equivalent.  L5

RUSS 161b, Fourth-Year Russian II  Irina Dolgova
Continuation of RUSS 160. After RUSS 160 or equivalent.  L5

*RUSS 176a, Chekhov in Russian and World Cinema  Rita Lipson
The fascination of filmmakers with Chekhov’s prose and plays. Readings in Chekhov and in critical texts on theory of adaptations; screenings of pertinent films. Conducted entirely in Russian, with attention to mastery of language skills. After RUSS 151.  L5, HU

GROUP B COURSES

These courses, conducted in English, are open to all Yale College students.

*SLAV 202a, Old Church Slavic  Harvey Goldblatt
*SLAV 205a/PLSC 397a/RSEE 205a, Language, Nationality, and Ethnic Conflict in the Balkans  Robert Greenberg
The role of linguistic controversies in the polarization of ethnic relations within the former Yugoslavia. Language and nationalism; the integration and disintegration of Yugoslavia; and the Balkans in the context of other charged ethnolinguistic controversies, from the United States to India.  so

*SLAV 207b/PLSC 365b, Languages and Politics  Robert Greenberg
Political controversies surrounding issues of language planning and language policy. How social and political actors differentiate languages and dialects, and how nationalist ideology has shaped language choices. Topics include English-only movements in the United States, official bilingualism in Canada, and language policies in Europe, with emphasis on Slavic countries.  so

*RUSS 248a/CHNS 340a/FILM 408a, Chinese and Russian Cinema after Socialism  John MacKay
For description see under Film Studies.

*RUSS 250a, Masterpieces of Russian Literature I  Nathan Klausner
Introduction to major texts of the nineteenth-century Russian literary tradition. Works by Pushkin, Gogol, Lermontov, Turgenev, Dostoevsky, Tolstoy, and Chekhov examined in their social and historical contexts. Emphasis on the authors’ use of genre, language, and literary devices to explore pressing questions posed by Russian modernity. Readings and discussion in English.  HU  Tr

*RUSS 253b/HUMS 203b, Masterpieces of Russian Literature II  Hilary Fink
A survey of major writers and literary movements, focusing on the intersection of art and revolution in twentieth-century Russian literature. The Symbolists and Decadents at the end of the nineteenth century; the reception of the 1917 Revolution by Russian writers in the 1920s; the formation of Stalinist literary orthodoxy and reactions against it; contemporary literary rebellions against the political and artistic legacies of the past. Works by Chekhov, Bely, Babel, Akhmatova, Bulgakov, Pasternak, and Pelevin. Readings and discussion in English.  HU  Tr

RUSS 255b/LITR 206b/RSEE 255b, Studies in the Novel: Tolstoy  Vladimir Alexandrov
A survey of Leo Tolstoy’s legacy. Readings include early stories, War and Peace and Anna Karenina, and short later works. Close textual analyses, with primary attention to the interrelation of theme, form, and literary and cultural contexts. Readings and discussion in English.  HU  Tr

RUSS 256a/LITR 208a/RSEE 256a, Studies in the Novel: Dostoevsky  Bella Grigoryan
The literary and intellectual legacy of Fyodor Dostoevsky. Focus on Crime and Punishment and The Brothers Karamazov; consideration of several short stories and novellas. Special attention to Dostoevsky’s concept of modernity. Close textual analysis is accompanied by discussion of historical, biographical, literary, and philosophical contexts. Readings and discussion in English.  HU  Tr
RUSS 257b/HUMS 202b, Chekhov  John MacKay
Close analysis of the major stories and plays of Anton Chekhov. Chekhov’s innovations in narrative and dramatic form; the relationship of the works to their complex times. The importance of Chekhov for theatrical practice worldwide, as mediated by Stanislavsky and others. Readings and discussion in English.  HU  Tr

*RUSS 326b, Slavery and Serfdom in Russian and American Culture  John MacKay
Literary and other forms of cultural production associated with U.S. slavery and Russian serfdom. The relations between bondage and national, cultural, and personal identity; the role of bondage in definitions of aesthetic experience in the pre- and postemancipation periods; the relationship between literacy and the literary; literature of protest; and connections between geographical and subjective space within cultures of enslavement.  HU  Tr

*RUSS 379a, Nabokov  Vladimir Alexandrov
A close examination of selected major works from Vladimir Nabokov’s Russian and English periods, with particular attention to the connections among his metaphysics, ethics, and aesthetics.  Tr

GROUP C COURSES

*RUSS 480a and 481b, Directed Reading in Russian Literature  Bella Grigoryan
Individual study under the supervision of a faculty member selected by the student. Applicants must submit a prospectus approved by the adviser to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the first week of classes in the term in which the course is taken. The student meets with the adviser at least one hour each week, and takes a final examination or writes a term paper. No credit granted without prior approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

*SLAV 485a or b, Directed Reading or Individual Research in Slavic Languages and Literatures  Bella Grigoryan
Individual study under the supervision of a faculty member selected by the student. Applicants must submit a prospectus approved by the adviser to the director of undergraduate studies by the end of the first week of classes in the term in which the course is taken. The student meets with the adviser at least one hour each week, and takes a final examination or writes a term paper. No credit granted without prior approval of the director of undergraduate studies.

*RUSS 490a or b, The Senior Essay  Bella Grigoryan
Research and writing on a topic of the student’s own devising. Regular meetings with an adviser as the work progresses from prospectus to final form.

CZEC 110a, Elementary Czech I  Karen von Kunes
A comprehensive introduction to Czech for students with no previous knowledge of the language. Essentials of grammar, with emphasis on oral proficiency, reading, writing, and listening comprehension. Newspaper articles, annotated excerpts from Čapek’s R.U.R., Hašek’s Švejk, Kundera’s Joke and Unbearable Lightness of Being, and Havel’s Private View. Audio- and videotapes. Credit only on completion of CZEC 120.  L1  RP  1½ Course cr
CZEC 120b, Elementary Czech II  Karen von Kunes
Continuation of CZEC 110. After CZEC 110 or equivalent.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr

CZEC 130a, Intermediate Czech  Karen von Kunes
Continuation of CZEC 120. Grammar and usage, with emphasis on idiomatic expressions, syntax, and stylistics. Readings in modern Czech history, prose, and poetry; discussion of economic, political, and social issues. After CZEC 120 or equivalent.  L3  RP  1½ Course cr

CZEC 140b, Advanced Czech  Karen von Kunes
Continuation of CZEC 130. Emphasis on writing skills and spoken literary Czech. After CZEC 130 or equivalent.  L4  RP  1½ Course cr

*CZEC 246a/FILM 364a/RSEE 240a, Milos Forman and His Films  Karen von Kunes
An in-depth examination of selected films by Milos Forman and representatives of the New Wave, cinéma vérité in Czech filmmaking. Special attention to Forman’s artistic and aesthetic development as a Hollywood director in such films as Hair, One Flew over the Cuckoo’s Nest, Ragtime, and Amadeus. Screenings and discussion in English.  HU

PLSH 110a, Elementary Polish I  Krystyna Illakowicz
A comprehensive introduction to elementary Polish grammar and conversation, with emphasis on spontaneous oral expression. Reading of original texts, including poetry. Use of video materials. Credit only on completion of PLSH 120.  L1  RP  1½ Course cr

PLSH 120b, Elementary Polish II  Krystyna Illakowicz
Continuation of PLSH 110. After PLSH 110 or equivalent.  L2  RP  1½ Course cr

PLSH 130a, Intermediate Polish I  Krystyna Illakowicz
A reading and conversation course conducted in Polish. Systematic review of grammar; practice in speaking and composition; reading of selected texts, including poetry. Use of video materials. After PLSH 120 or equivalent.  L3  RP  1½ Course cr

PLSH 140b, Intermediate Polish II  Krystyna Illakowicz
Continuation of PLSH 130. After PLSH 130 or equivalent.  L4  RP  1½ Course cr

*PLSH 248b/THST 370b, Polish Theater and Its Traditions  Krystyna Illakowicz
Exploration of the rebellious, defiant, and explosive nature of Polish theater, including ways in which theater has challenged, ridiculed, dissected, and disabled oppressive political power. Polish experimental and absurdist traditions that resulted from a merger of the artistic and the political; environmental and community traditions of the Reduta Theatre; Polish-American theater connections. Includes attendance at live theater events as well as meetings with Polish theater groups and actors.  HU  Tr

GRADUATE COURSES

Courses in the Graduate School are open to qualified undergraduates with permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies. Course descriptions are available at the office of the director of undergraduate studies.
Sociology

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

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Lecturers Jasmina Beširević-Regan, Sadia Saeed

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Sociology provides the theoretical and empirical foundation for understanding how societies function and how they change over time. Sociologists are interested in the causes and consequences of processes such as the social construction of groups and identity, the evolution of culture, intersubjective meanings, intergroup relations, and hierarchies and social norms. They conduct research on individual behavior and outcomes such as educational attainment, jobs and careers, religious commitment, and political involvement; interpersonal processes such as intimate relationships, sexuality, social interaction in groups, and social networks; the behaviors of organizations and institutions; the causes and consequences of group differences and social inequality; and social change at the societal and global level.

The Sociology major provides both a solid foundation for students interested in careers in the social sciences and a strong background for a variety of professions in which knowledge about social processes and how societies work is relevant. Many recent graduates have gone on to law school, medical school, or graduate programs in public health, business, education, urban planning, criminology, or sociology. Others work in finance, consulting, publishing, marketing, city planning, teaching, research, and advocacy.

The Sociology department offers two undergraduate programs leading to the B.A. degree. The standard program focuses on sociological concepts, theories, and methods. The combined program provides students with the option to combine sociology with a concentration in another field. For example, students interested in business careers can combine sociology with economics. Students interested in the major are encouraged to contact the director of undergraduate studies early in their academic careers to discuss potential options.

Admission to the major Students interested in the Sociology major should complete either a freshman seminar or at least one introductory course (numbered 110–149) by the end of the sophomore year. This course may be applied toward the requirements of the major. The director of undergraduate studies can waive the introductory course requirement for students who demonstrate adequate preparation for advanced course work in sociology. All students interested in the Sociology major should meet with the director of undergraduate studies no later than the beginning of the junior year to elect a program of study.
**Division of courses** Courses in Sociology are divided by level, with introductory courses numbered from 110 to 149, courses in sociological theory from 150 to 159, courses in sociological methods from 160 to 169, intermediate courses from 150 to 299, advanced courses in the 300s, and individual study and research courses in the 400s. Freshman seminars are numbered below 100 and count as introductory or intermediate courses. In addition, qualified students may elect to enroll in graduate courses, with permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies. A list of graduate courses and descriptions is available from the director of undergraduate studies.

**PROGRAM I. THE STANDARD PROGRAM**

The requirements for the standard program are:

1. Thirteen term courses in sociology (including the senior colloquium), of which normally no more than two may be drawn from outside the Sociology department. At least one must be an introductory Sociology course or a substitute approved by the director of undergraduate studies, but no more than two introductory courses may count toward this total. A maximum of two courses taken Credit/D/Fail may count toward the requirements of the major.

2. Two courses in sociological theory and two in sociological methods, normally completed by the end of the junior year. SOCY 151, Foundations of Modern Social Theory, and 152, Topics in Contemporary Social Theory, are the required courses for theory. SOCY 160, Methods of Inquiry, and one additional Sociology course numbered between 161 and 169 are required for methods. Students planning to study abroad in their junior year are strongly encouraged to begin meeting the theory and methods requirements in their sophomore year. They should also discuss the options for their course of study with the director of undergraduate studies before finalizing their plans.

3. One advanced seminar in Sociology (SOCY 300–399).

4. For students in the intensive major, a two-term senior essay and colloquium, SOCY 493, 494. This yearlong biweekly colloquium provides students in the intensive major with an opportunity to share their research experiences. Students in the nonintensive major take one additional 300-level seminar in Sociology and write a one-term senior essay in SOCY 491.

**PROGRAM II. SOCIOLOGY WITH ANOTHER SUBJECT**

The combined program allows students to unite the study of sociology with the study of another discipline or substantive area. The requirements are:

1. Thirteen term courses (including the senior colloquium), of which at least nine and no more than ten are selected from Sociology, the remainder being chosen from another department or program. At least one must be an introductory Sociology course or a substitute approved by the director of undergraduate studies, but no more than two introductory courses in any department or program may count toward this total. The courses outside Sociology must constitute a coherent unit alone and form a logical whole when combined with the Sociology courses. For the Class of 2013 and subsequent classes, a maximum of two courses taken Credit/D/Fail may count toward the requirements of the major.
2. Two courses in sociological theory and two in sociological methods, normally completed by the end of the junior year. SOCY 151, Foundations of Modern Social Theory, and 152, Topics in Contemporary Social Theory, are the required courses for theory. SOCY 160, Methods of Inquiry, and one additional Sociology course numbered between 161 and 169 are required for methods. Students planning to study abroad in their junior year are strongly encouraged to begin meeting the theory and methods requirements in their sophomore year. They should also discuss the options for their course of study with the director of undergraduate studies before finalizing their plans.

3. One advanced seminar in Sociology (SOCY 300–399).

4. A one- or two-term senior essay in which the student integrates sociology and the other subject chosen. Students in the intensive major write a two-term senior essay and attend a yearlong biweekly colloquium (SOCY 493, 494). The colloquium provides students with an opportunity to share their research experiences. Students in the nonintensive major take one additional 300-level seminar in Sociology and write a one-term senior essay in SOCY 491.

The combined program allows students to design a program to satisfy their own substantive interests and future career plans. By the beginning of the junior year, participants in the combined program are expected to consult with the director of undergraduate studies in order to obtain approval for their course of study.

**Senior requirement for the nonintensive major** Students electing the nonintensive major take one additional seminar in Sociology (SOCY 300–399) and write a one-credit senior essay during the senior year (SOCY 491). The senior essay for nonintensive majors is intended to be an in-depth scholarly review and critical analysis based on secondary sources. Students select a controversial topic in any sociological field and write a literature review that evaluates what is known about the topic. All nonintensive majors are required to enroll in SOCY 491 to receive credit for the senior essay. To register for this course, students must submit a written plan of study approved by a faculty adviser to the director of undergraduate studies no later than the end of registration period in the term in which the senior essay is to be written. Nonintensive majors are not eligible to graduate with Distinction in the Major.

**Senior requirement for the intensive major** The intensive major gives students an opportunity to undertake a yearlong program of original research resulting in a contribution to sociological knowledge. The yearlong project requires substantial independent research and knowledge of a sociological subfield. Students use research methods such as data gathering through participant observation, in-depth interviewing, conducting of small-scale surveys, or secondary analysis of existing data. They may present findings in a variety of forms, from ethnographic narratives to analytical statistics. Students select primary and secondary advisers from the faculty. Students in the intensive major enroll in SOCY 493, 494, Senior Essay and Colloquium for Intensive Majors, during their senior year. The colloquium provides a forum for discussing the research process and for presenting students’ research at various stages. Intensive majors are eligible to graduate with Distinction in the Major if they meet the grade standards for Distinction (see chapter 1) and submit a senior essay written in SOCY 493, 494.
Admission to the intensive major Students should apply to the director of undergraduate studies by the last day of classes in the spring term of their junior year. In special circumstances, applications may be accepted through the end of registration period in the first term of the senior year. Applications should include a one-page statement of interest that includes a list of relevant courses taken and identifies a prospective senior essay adviser. Admission is based on performance and promise. The director of undergraduate studies and the senior essay adviser serve as advisers to candidates for the intensive major.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

**Prerequisite** 1 freshman sem or intro course (SOCY 110–149) or equivalent

**Number of courses** 13 term courses (incl prereq and senior essay)

**Specific courses required** SOCY 151, 152, 160, 1 addl Sociology course numbered 161–169

**Distribution of courses** Program I— at least 11 term courses in Sociology at intermediate and advanced levels, 1 Sociology sem at 300 level; Program II — 9 or 10 term courses in Sociology; at least 1 Sociology sem at 300 level; no more than 2 intro courses in any dept or program

**Senior requirement** Nonintensive major — 1 addtl 300-level Sociology sem and senior essay (SOCY 491); Intensive major — senior essay (SOCY 493, 494)

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FRESHMAN SEMINAR

*SOCY 041a, Sociology of Social Control and Criminal Justice* Philip Smith

The criminal justice system from a sociological perspective. Transformations in social control arising with the onset of modernity. Topics include policing, courts, the law, and prisons; costs and benefits of contemporary solutions to the problem of social control; and the role of power and culture in shaping current policy and activity. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  SO  Fr sem

INTRODUCTORY COURSES

**SOCY 133a, Computers, Networks, and Society** Scott Boorman

Comparison of major algorithm-centered approaches to the analysis of complex social network and organizational data. Fundamental principles for developing a disciplined and coherent perspective on the effects of modern information technology on societies worldwide. Software warfare and algorithm sabotage; blockmodeling and privacy; legal, ethical, and policy issues. No prior experience with computers required.  SO  RP

**SOCY 134a/WGSS 110a, Sex and Gender in Society** Rene Almeling

Introduction to the social processes through which people are categorized in terms of sex and gender, and how these social processes shape individual experiences of the world. Sex and gender in relation to race/ethnicity, class, sexuality, nationality, education, work, family, reproduction, and health.  SO

**SOCY 135a/AFST 280a/MMES 196a, Islamic Society, Culture, and Politics** Jonathan Wyrtzen

The historical development of the global Muslim community, from its origins in seventh-century Arabia through its spread over subsequent centuries into the Middle East, Africa, Central and South/Southeast Asia, and the West. The tremendous variation and
complexity expressed in society, culture, and politics across the Islamic world; Islam as a unifying factor on critical issues such as religious practice, political structure and activism, gender, and cultural expression. SO

**SOCI 141b, Sociology of Crime and Deviance**  Philip Smith
An introduction to sociological approaches to crime and deviance. Review of the patterns of criminal and deviant activity within society; exploration of major theoretical accounts. Topics include drug use, violence, and white-collar crime. SO

**SOCI 147b, Introduction to Social Policy Analysis**  Scott Boorman
Introduction to how policy is carried out—both nationwide and on a smaller scale—using the tools of markets, networks, bureaucracy, and legislation. Capabilities and limitations of those tools with respect to social structure, economics, and the law. SO

**COURSES IN SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY**

Open to all students without prerequisite.

**SOCI 151b/HUMS 302b/PLSC 290b, Foundations of Modern Social Theory**  Sadia Saced
Major works of social thought from the beginning of the modern era through the 1920s. Attention to social and intellectual contexts, conceptual frameworks and methods, and contributions to contemporary social analysis. Writers include Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, Montesquieu, Adam Smith, Marx, Freud, Nietzsche, Weber, and Durkheim. SO

**SOCI 152a, Topics in Contemporary Social Theory**  Ron Eyerman
An examination of central issues in contemporary social theory. Influential thinkers and their responses to changes in the modern world since the Second World War. Topics include the nature of modern society and the human condition, the selection of rulers, power, punishment, torture, national trauma, and individual and collective identity. SO

**COURSES IN SOCIOLOGICAL METHODS**

**SOCI 160a, Methods of Inquiry**  Julia Adams
The theory and practice of social inquiry. How social scientists—and aspiring social scientists—actually do their work, including designing research, sampling and measuring, and interpreting results. Examination of thesis proposal writing; ethical quandaries involved in social research. No background in social research assumed. SO

**SOCI 161b, Survey Methods**  Hannah Brueckner
Theory and practice of survey design, including conceptualization, measurement issues, sample design, questionnaire construction, interviewing, data analysis, publication of results, and limitations and ethical aspects of survey research. SO

**INTERMEDIATE COURSES**

The prerequisite for intermediate courses is one introductory Sociology course or permission of the instructor.

**SOCI 183a, Urban America**  Marcus Hunter
Introduction to urban sociology and to the study of American urban society over the past half century. Emphasis on the economic, political, and cultural dimensions of urban
growth and inequality; processes of class, racial, and ethnic group formation; urban social problems and policy; and local community organization and politics.  

**SOCY 188b/INTS 389b/PLSC 415b, Religion and Politics**  Sigrun Kahl  
For description see under Political Science.  

**SOCY 202a/HUMS 335a, Cultural Sociology**  Jeffrey Alexander, Philip Smith  
Collective meanings that make a profound difference in modern societies; that are symbolic but also sensual, emotional, and moral; that inspire ritual as well as creative performance and strategy. Examination of codes, narratives, icons, and metaphors to analyze how cultural structures energize capitalism, direct politics, create institutions, inspire social movements, and motivate war and peace.  

**SOCY 217b, Social and Economic Mobility**  Richard Breen  
Research and theory in the study of intergenerational social mobility and intergenerational income mobility. Focus on the United States, with an international perspective. The goal of equality of opportunity; how analyses of intergenerational mobility might shed light on the degree to which this goal has been achieved in the United States and Europe, and policies that might be adopted in its pursuit.  

* **SOCY 228b, Norms and Deviance**  Elijah Anderson  
A sociological analysis of the origins, development, and reactions surrounding deviance in contemporary society. Group labeling, stigma, power, and competing notions of propriety.  

* **SOCY 232b/MMES 291b, Islamic Social Movements**  Jonathan Wyrtzen  
Social movement and network theory used to analyze the emergence and evolution of Islamic movements from the early twentieth century to the present. Organization, mobilization, and framing of political, nonpolitical, militant, and nonmilitant movements; transnational dimensions of Islamic activism. Case studies include the Muslim Brotherhood, Hamas, Hizbollah, Al-Qaeda, Al-Adl wa-Ihsan, and Tablighi Jama`at.  

* **SOCY 237b, Agent-Based Modeling**  Richard Breen, Elizabeth Roberto  
Introduction to the study of social processes using agent-based models—computer simulations in which individuals interact and generate social outcomes such as norms, institutions, and culture. Theoretical foundations and applications in sociology; design of models to explore empirical questions; practice generating, visualizing, and analyzing results.  

* **SOCY 246b, Sociology of Religion**  Philip Gorski  
Introduction to the main theoretical traditions and research problems in the sociology of religion. Focus on the role of religion in political conflict.  

**ADVANCED COURSES**

Courses in this category are open to students who have completed one intermediate course and any other specified requirement, or by permission of the instructor. Preference is given to Sociology majors in their junior and senior years.  

* **SOCY 310b/EAST 410b, Civic Life in Modern China**  Deborah Davis  
The changing character of civil society and the public sphere under various political conditions in modern China. Key themes are the possibilities for civic action, citizenship,
and state-society relations. Prerequisite: a previous course on modern China or extended residence in Taiwan, Hong Kong, or the People’s Republic of China. Preference to majors in Sociology or East Asian Studies in their junior and senior years.  

*SOCY 311a/WGSS 301a, Gender, Race, and Genetic Testing  
Rene Almeling  
Overview of sociological approaches to genetics, including gene/environment interactions and the history of genetic medicine. A focus on genetic testing in Huntington’s disease, pregnancy, cancer, and psychological disorders to explore how genetic information is provided to patients, and how patients experience genetic risk. Discussion of commercial firms offering direct-to-consumer genetic testing.  

*SOCY 312b, Identity and Inequality in Urban America  
Marcus Hunter  
Contemporary and historical manifestations of American cities; focus on ways in which inequality and identity shape urban landscapes, demographics, and lifestyles. The influence of race and class on politics, planning, housing, employment, community organization, and life opportunities.  

*SOCY 319a, Ethnography of the African American Community  
Elijah Anderson  
An ethnographic study of the African American community. Analysis of ethnographic and historical literature, with attention to substantive, conceptual, and methodological issues. Topics include the significance of slavery, the racial ghetto, structural poverty, the middle class, the color line, racial etiquette, and social identity.  

*SOCY 323b/EAST 412b, Understanding North Korea  
Jin Woong Kang  
For description see under East Asian Studies.  

*SOCY 334a, Punishment and Inequality  
Christopher Wildeman  
Massive increases in the American imprisonment rate since the mid-1970s that have rendered contact with the criminal justice system a common event for marginalized Americans. Effects of these increases on inequality in the labor market, family life, politics, and health.  

*SOCY 339b/GLBL 362b/INTS 301b/MMES 282b, Imperialism, Insurgency, and State Building in the Middle East  
Jonathan Wyrtzen  
The historical evolution of political order from Morocco to Central Asia in the past two centuries. Focus on relationships between imperialism, insurgency, and state building; modes of local resistance; recent transnational developments; American counterinsurgency and nation-building initiatives in the region.  

*SOCY 352b/HUMS 247b, Material Culture and Iconic Consciousness  
Jeffrey Alexander  
Exploration of how and why modern and postmodern societies have continued to sustain material symbolism and iconic consciousness. Theoretical approaches to debates about icons and symbols in philosophy, sociology, linguistics, psychoanalysis, and semiotics. Iconography in advertisements and branding, food and bodies, nature, fashion, celebrities, popular culture, art, architecture, and politics.  

*SOCY 363b/ER&M 362b/GLBL 384b/INTS 384b, Genocide and Ethnic Conflict  
Jasmina Beširević-Regan  
Exploration of the explosion of genocide and violent ethnic conflict in the past sixty years, including contributory historical and political elements. Consideration of ways to prevent or resolve such conflicts. Focus on questions of identity, religion, class, and nationhood as
related to violence and conflict. An analytical framework developed from four case studies: the Holocaust, Cambodia, the former Yugoslavia, and Rwanda.

*SOCY 369a/INTS 354a/PLSC 446a, Welfare States across Nations  Sigrun Kahl
For description see under Political Science.

*SOCY 395a/EAST 408a/EP&E 269a, Wealth and Poverty in Modern China  Deborah Davis
The underlying causes and consequences of the changing distribution of income, material assets, and political power in contemporary China. Substantive focus on inequality and stratification. Instruction in the use of online Chinese resources relevant to research. Optional weekly Chinese language discussions. Prerequisite: a previous course on China since 1949.

*SOCY 398a/AFST 398a/ER&M 398a/INTS 398a, Race and Class in Comparative Perspective  Jeremy Seekings
For description see under International Studies.

INDIVIDUAL STUDY AND RESEARCH COURSES

*SOCY 471a and 472b, Individual Study  Philip Smith
Individual study for qualified juniors and seniors under faculty supervision. To register for this course, each student must submit a written plan of study approved by the adviser to the director of undergraduate studies.

*SOCY 491a or b, Senior Essay and Colloquium for Nonintensive Majors  Rene Almeling
Independent library-based research under faculty supervision. To register for this course, students must submit a written plan of study approved by a faculty advisor to the director of undergraduate studies no later than the end of registration period in the term in which the senior essay is to be written. The course meets biweekly, beginning in the first week of the term.

*SOCY 493a and 494b, Senior Essay and Colloquium for Intensive Majors  Philip Smith
Independent research under faculty direction, involving empirical research and resulting in a substantial paper. Workshop meets biweekly to discuss various stages of the research process and to share experiences in gathering and analyzing data. The first meeting is in the second week of the term.

South Asian Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES

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(Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Kalyanakrishnan Sivaramakrishnan (Anthropology), Shyam Sunder (School of Management), Steven Wilkinson (Political Science)

**Associate Professor** Sarah Weiss (Music)

**Assistant Professors** Ashwini Deo (Linguistics), Mayur Desai (Public Health), Zareena Grewal (Ethnicity, Race, & Migration), Karuna Mantena (Political Science), Shital Pravinchandra (English), Andrew Quintman (Religious Studies), Kishwar Rizvi (History of Art), Tamara Sears (History of Art), Sara Shneiderman (Anthropology), Tariq Thachil (Political Science), Mark Turin (Adjunct)

**Senior Lecturers** Geetanjali Singh Chanda (Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Koichi Shinohara (Religious Studies)

**Lecturers** Harry Blair (Political Science), Carol Carpenter (Forestry & Environmental Studies, Anthropology), Hugh Flick, Jr. (Religious Studies), Elizabeth Hanson (Political Science), Sana Haroon, Juned Shaikh

**Senior Lecturer** Seema Khurana

**Lectors** David Brick, Swapna Sharma, Blake Wentworth

The program in South Asian Studies combines the requirements of a discipline-based first major with significant coursework in South Asian studies. South Asian Studies can be taken only as a second major. The major is intended to provide students with a broad understanding of the history, culture, and languages of South Asia, as well as the region’s current social, political, and economic conditions. Work in a discipline-based major coupled with a focus on South Asia prepares students for graduate study, employment in nongovernmental organizations, or business and professional careers in which an understanding of the region is essential.

The South Asian Studies major permits students to choose courses from a wide range of disciplines. Individual programs should have a balance between courses in the humanities and those in the social sciences. The proposed course of study must be approved each term by the director of undergraduate studies. Students should also identify an adviser from the South Asian Studies faculty in their area of specialization as early as possible.

Permission to complete two majors must be secured from the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. Application forms are available from the residential college deans and must be submitted prior to the student’s final term.

**Requirements of the major** In addition to fulfilling the requirements of the primary major, a student choosing South Asian Studies as a second major must complete seven term courses in South Asian Studies numbered 200 or above. At least two of the seven courses must address premodern South Asia, and at least two should be seminars. Students may petition the director of undergraduate studies to include one relevant course from another department or program; approval may require additional coursework on South Asian topics. Students must also complete the senior requirement and meet the major’s language requirement. A maximum of one course taken Credit/D/Fail may count toward the major.
**Language requirement**  One South Asian language must be studied at the advanced level (courses designated L5). Courses to fulfill this requirement must be taken while the student is enrolled at Yale. Students who matriculate with advanced proficiency in Hindi or Tamil, as demonstrated through testing, are encouraged to study Sanskrit, or to study a second modern language (Bengali, Urdu, Nepali, Telugu, Kannada, Marathi) through the Directed Independent Language Study program. Students may request substitution of another appropriate language (e.g., Persian or Arabic) for the core language requirement, and they are encouraged to pursue intensive language study through courses or work abroad.

**Senior requirement**  The senior requirement may be fulfilled by completion of a seminar that culminates in a senior essay. Alternatively, the requirement may be fulfilled by completion of a one-credit, two-term senior research project in SAST 491, 492. The senior essay should be a substantial paper with a maximum length of 8,000 words for one term and 10,500 words for two terms. The use of primary materials in the languages of the region is encouraged in senior essay projects.

**Requirements of the major**

**Prerequisites**  None

**Number of courses**  7 term courses (not incl senior req or lang req)

**Distribution of courses**  7 term courses in South Asian Studies numbered 200 or above, 2 in premodern; 2 sems

**Substitution permitted**  One relevant course in another dept, with DUS permission

**Language requirement**  Study in a South Asian lang through L5 level

**Senior requirement**  Senior essay in sem, or research project in SAST 491, 492

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**Language and Literature Courses**

*HNDI 110a*, **Elementary Hindi I**  Seema Khurana, Swapna Sharma

An in-depth introduction to modern Hindi, including the Devanagari script. A combination of graded texts, written assignments, audiovisual material, and computer-based exercises provides cultural insights and increases proficiency in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing Hindi. Emphasis on spontaneous self-expression in the language. No prior background in Hindi assumed. Credit only on completion of HNDI 120.  L1  1½ Course cr

*HNDI 120b*, **Elementary Hindi II**  Seema Khurana, Swapna Sharma

Continuation of HNDI 110. After HNDI 110 or equivalent.  L2  1½ Course cr

*HNDI 130a*, **Intermediate Hindi I**  Seema Khurana, Swapna Sharma

The first half of a two-term sequence designed to develop proficiency in the four language skills. Extensive use of cultural documents including feature films, radio broadcasts, and literary and nonliterary texts to increase proficiency in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing Hindi. Focus on cultural nuances and Hindi literary traditions. Emphasis on spontaneous self-expression in the language. After HNDI 120 or equivalent.  L3  1½ Course cr

*HNDI 132a*, **Accelerated Hindi**  Swapna Sharma

A fast-paced course designed for students who are able to understand basic conversational Hindi but have minimal or no literacy skills. Introduction to the Devanagari script;
development of listening and speaking skills; vocabulary enrichment; attention to socio-cultural rules that affect language use. Students learn to read simple texts and to converse on a variety of everyday personal and social topics.  

**HNDI 140b** Intermediate Hindi II  
Seema Khurana, Swapna Sharma  
Continuation of HNDI 130. After HNDI 130 or equivalent.  

**HNDI 150a** Advanced Hindi  
Seema Khurana  
An advanced language course aimed at enabling students to engage in fluent discourse in Hindi and to achieve a comprehensive knowledge of formal grammar. Introduction to a variety of styles and levels of discourse and usage. Emphasis on the written language, with readings on general topics from newspapers, books, and magazines. Prerequisite: HNDI 140 or permission of instructor.  

*HNDI 198a* or b, Advanced Tutorial  
Seema Khurana, Swapna Sharma  
For students with advanced Hindi language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise offered by the department. Work must be supervised by an adviser and must terminate in a term paper or the equivalent. Permission to enroll requires submission of a detailed project proposal and its approval by the language studies coordinator. Prerequisite: HNDI 150 or equivalent.  

*SKRT 110a/LING 115a*, Introductory Sanskrit I  
David Brick  
An introduction to Sanskrit language and grammar. Focus on learning to read and translate basic Sanskrit sentences in Devanagari script. No prior background in Sanskrit assumed.  

**SKRT 120b/LING 125b**, Introductory Sanskrit II  
David Brick  
Continuation of SKRT 110. Focus on the basics of Sanskrit grammar; readings from classical Sanskrit texts written in Devanagari script. After SKRT 110.  

**SKRT 130a/LING 138a**, Intermediate Sanskrit I  
David Brick  
The first half of a two-term sequence aimed at helping students develop the skills necessary to read texts written in Sanskrit. Readings include selections from the Hitopadesa, Kathasaritsagara, Mahabharata, and Bhagavadgita. After SKRT 120 or equivalent.  

**SKRT 140b/LING 148b**, Intermediate Sanskrit II  
David Brick  
Continuation of SKRT 130, focusing on Sanskrit literature from the kavya genre. Readings include selections from the Jatakamala of Aryasura and the opening verses of Kalidasa's Kumarasambhava. After SKRT 130 or equivalent.  

*SKRT 150a*, Advanced Sanskrit: Dharmasastra  
David Brick  
Introduction to Sanskrit commentarial literature, particularly to Dharmasastra, an explication and analysis of dharma (law or duty). Discussion of normative rules of human behavior; historical traditions of writing on the Indian subcontinent. Prerequisite: SKRT 140 or equivalent.  

*TAML 110a*, Introductory Tamil I  
Blake Wentworth  
An in-depth introduction to modern Tamil, focusing on skills in comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing as well as on cultural understanding. Course work includes graded texts, written assignments, audiovisual material, and computer-based exercises.
No prior background in Tamil assumed. Credit only on completion of TAML 120.

**TAML 120**, **Introductory Tamil II**  
Blake Wentworth  
Continuation of TAML 110. After TAML 110.  
1½ Course cr

**TAML 130**, **Intermediate Tamil I**  
Blake Wentworth  
The first half of a two-term sequence designed to develop proficiency in comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing through the use of visual media, newspapers and magazines, modern fiction and poetry, and public communications such as pamphlets, advertisements, and government announcements. Prerequisite: TAML 120 or equivalent.

**TAML 140**, **Intermediate Tamil II**  
Blake Wentworth  
Continuation of TAML 130, focusing on further development of proficiency in the four language skills. Prepares students to conduct fieldwork in Tamil. Prerequisite: TAML 130 or equivalent.

**TAML 198**, **Advanced Tutorial**  
Blake Wentworth  
For students with advanced Tamil language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise included in courses offered by the department. The work is supervised by the instructor and concludes with a term paper or its equivalent.

**GENERAL COURSES IN SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES**

**SAST 209A/ANTH 276A**, **Contemporary South Asia: Ethnographic and Critical Approaches**  
Sara Shneiderman  
For description see under Anthropology.

**SAST 237A**, **South Asia and the Gulf**  
Sana Haroon  
South Asia and the Persian Gulf as a subregion within the wider Indian Ocean world, charted by the processes of trade and human migration. Efforts by the government of India to control and secure sea routes through the Arabian Sea; the Persian Gulf in the colonial administrative system of the British Empire; modern Arab Gulf states within a system of imperial, cultural, and economic relations with South Asia from the eighteenth century to the twentieth.  
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**SAST 242A/PLSC 461A**, **India and Pakistan: Democracy, Conflict, and Development**  
Steven Wilkinson  
For description see under Political Science.

**SAST 244B/PLSC 384B**, **Indian Democracy in Comparative Perspective**  
Tariq Thachil  
For description see under Political Science.

**SAST 256A/HSAR 383A**, **Art of India, 300 B.C.–A.D. 1650**  
Tamara Sears  
For description see under History of Art.

**SAST 250B/MUSI 357B**, **Indian Music Theory and Practice**  
Stanley Scott  
Introduction to the basic concepts of Indian classical music traditions from Vedic times to the present, with a focus on Hindustani music. Discussion of history and theory
combined with practical instruction. Topics include improvisation, modern trends, gender, Bollywood, musical fusions, and interactions between Indian and Western music cultures. No previous experience in Indian classical music required. 

*SAST 274a/HSAR 306a, Art and the British Empire, 1600–1997  
Tim Barringer  
For description see under History of Art.

*SAST 306a/ANTH 332a/EVST 322a, Environment, History, and Society in India  
Kalayanakrishnan Sivaramakrishnan  
For description see under Anthropology.

*SAST 319b/ANTH 470b, Affirmative Action in South Asia and the United States  
Sara Shneiderman  
For description see under Anthropology.

*SAST 337b, Islam in Pakistan  
Sana Haroon  
Challenges faced by Pakistan because of its commitment to a transcendental Islamic identity. Pakistan's multifaceted history of Islamic belief and practice; the prominence of Sunni revivalism; the country's orthodox Islam from a north-India reformist imperative; devotionalism, politics, community, and the individual experience of faith; Shi’a and Ahmadi orthodoxy; preservation of a place for Sufi culture and practice.

*SAST 341b/PLSC 442b, Development in South Asia  
Tariq Thachil  
For description see under Political Science.

*SAST 342b/EP&E 425b/PLSC 181b, South Asia in World Politics  
Elizabeth Hanson  
For description see under Political Science.

*SAST 367a/EALL 202a/HUMS 418a/RLST 130a, Traditional Literature of India, China, and Japan  
Koichi Shinohara, Phyllis Granoff  
For description see under Humanities.

*SAST 368b/RLST 185b, The Mahabharata  
Hugh Flick, Jr.  
For description see under Religious Studies.

*SAST 369b/ANTH 353b, Himalayan Languages and Cultures  
Mark Turin  
Exploration of social, linguistic, and political aspects of the Himalayan region. Issues include classifications of communities and their languages; census-taking and other state enumeration projects; the crisis of endangered oral cultures and speech forms; the creation and adoption of writing systems and the challenges of developing mother tongue literacy materials. Case studies are drawn from Bhutan, northern India, Nepal, and Tibet.

*SAST 371a/ENGL 343a/LITR 268a, Postcolonial Studies  
Shital Pravinchandra  
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*SAST 458b/ER&M 328b/WGSS 328b, Popular Culture and Postcolonial India  
Geetanjali Singh Chanda  
For description see under Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies.

*RLST 137b, Introduction to Hinduism  
Phyllis Granoff
SENIOR ESSAY COURSE

*SAST 491a and 492b, Senior Essay*  Tariq Thachil
A yearlong research project completed under faculty supervision and resulting in a substantial paper.  ½ Course cr per term  Cr/year only

GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Graduate courses in South Asian Studies are open to qualified undergraduates. Course descriptions appear in the online Graduate School bulletin and are available in the South Asian Studies program office. Permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies is required.

Southeast Asia Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE COUNCIL ON SOUTHEAST ASIA STUDIES

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Associate Professor  Sarah Weiss (*Music*)

Assistant Professor  Erik Harms (*Anthropology*)

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Senior Lector II  Quang Phu Van

Senior Lector  Indriyo Sukmono

The Council on Southeast Asia Studies oversees an interdisciplinary program that brings together faculty and students sharing an interest in Southeast Asia and supplements the undergraduate curriculum with an annual seminar series, periodic conferences, and special lectures. Yale does not offer a degree in Southeast Asia studies. Majors in any department may consult with Council faculty regarding a senior essay on a Southeast Asian topic, and in certain circumstances students who have a special interest in the region may consider a Special Divisional Major. Students planning to undertake field research or language study in Southeast Asia may apply to the Council for summer fellowship support.

Courses featuring Southeast Asian content are offered within a variety of departments each year, including Anthropology, Economics, History, Music, and Political Science. A list of courses for the current year can be obtained through the Council office or Web site. Yale maintains extensive library and research collections on Southeast Asia.
Language instruction is offered in two Southeast Asian languages, Indonesian and Vietnamese. The Council on Southeast Asia Studies supports language tables and tutoring in other Southeast Asian languages by special arrangement.

**INDN 110a**, Elementary Indonesian I  Indriyo Sukmono
An introductory course in standard Indonesian with emphasis on developing communicative skills through a systematic survey of grammar and graded exercises. Credit only on completion of INDN 120.  L1  1½ Course cr

**INDN 120b**, Elementary Indonesian II  Indriyo Sukmono
Continuation of INDN 110. Introduction to reading, leading to mastery of language patterns, essential vocabulary, and basic cultural competence. After INDN 110 or equivalent. L2  1½ Course cr

*INDN 130a*, Intermediate Indonesian I  Indriyo Sukmono
Continued practice in colloquial Indonesian conversation and reading and discussion of texts. After INDN 120 or equivalent. L3

*INDN 140b*, Intermediate Indonesian II  Indriyo Sukmono
Continuation of INDN 130. After INDN 130 or equivalent. L4

*INDN 470a and 471b, Independent Tutorial*  Indriyo Sukmono
For students with advanced Indonesian language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise offered in courses. The work must be supervised by an adviser and must terminate in a term paper or its equivalent. Permission to enroll requires submission of a detailed project proposal and its approval by the program adviser.

**VIET 110a**, Elementary Vietnamese I  Quang Phu Van
Students acquire basic working ability in Vietnamese, developing skills in speaking, listening, writing (Roman script), and reading. Discussion of aspects of Vietnamese society and culture. Credit only on completion of VIET 120. No previous knowledge of Vietnamese assumed. L1  RP  1½ Course cr

**VIET 120b**, Elementary Vietnamese II  Quang Phu Van
Continuation of VIET 110. L2  RP  1½ Course cr

*VIET 130a*, Intermediate Vietnamese I  Quang Phu Van
An integrated approach to language learning aimed at strengthening students’ listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in Vietnamese. Communicative activities such as conversations, performance simulation, drills, role plays, and games. Discussion of aspects of Vietnamese society and culture. After VIET 120 or equivalent. L3  RP  1½ Course cr

*VIET 140b*, Intermediate Vietnamese II  Quang Phu Van
Continuation of VIET 130. L4  RP  1½ Course cr

*VIET 470a and 471b, Independent Tutorial*  Quang Phu Van
For students with advanced Vietnamese language skills who wish to engage in concentrated reading and research on material not otherwise offered in courses. The work must be supervised by an adviser and must terminate in a term paper or its equivalent. Permission to enroll requires submission of a detailed project proposal and its approval by the program adviser.
Spanish

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FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SPANISH AND PORTUGUESE

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Assistant Professors  Susan Byrne, Paulo Moreira, Kevin Poole

Senior Lectors II  Margherita Tortora, Sonia Valle

Senior Lectors  Sybil Alexandrov, Marta Almeida, Pilar Asensio, Teresa Carballal, Mercedes Carreras, Ame Cividanes, Sebastián Díaz, Maripaz García, Oscar González Barreto, María Jordán, Juliana Ramos-Ruano, Lissette Reymundi, Lourdes Sabé-Colom, Bárbara Safille, Terry Seymour

Lector  Rosamaría León

The Department of Spanish and Portuguese provides instruction in the languages, literatures, and cultures of the Hispanic and Luso-Brazilian worlds. Courses in Portuguese and the requirements of the major are described under “Portuguese”; the names of faculty teaching Portuguese courses are in the list above.

The major in Spanish is a liberal arts major that offers a wide range of courses in the language, literatures, and cultures of the twenty Spanish-speaking countries in Europe and Latin America. Today Spanish is the second language of the United States, one of the three most widely spoken languages in the world, and one of the five diplomatic languages of the United Nations. The program in Spanish provides students with the opportunity to acquire thorough linguistic proficiency as well as in-depth knowledge of both cultural and literary topics.

Students majoring in history, international studies, Latin American studies, anthropology, environmental studies, humanities, political science, literature, and economics, as well as those considering a career in medicine or law, are encouraged to consider completing the Spanish major as one of two majors.

Among the Spanish offerings, Group A includes beginning and intermediate language courses designed to help students develop fluency in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing Spanish. Group B courses seek to provide students with a broad but solid introduction to the fields of Hispanic literatures and cultures, and to strengthen their linguistic competence through courses in advanced grammar and composition. Group C allows students to perfect their linguistic and critical skills with courses organized around a specific problem or issue, e.g., a literary genre, a type of literary or cultural representation, or a specific writer or text. Students desiring more information about either language or literature offerings should consult with the director of undergraduate studies.

Beginning students ordinarily enroll in SPAN 110 or 125. Students who take SPAN 110 must continue with 120 in the following term, and no credit is awarded for 110 until 120 has been successfully completed.
Freshmen offering Spanish for admission are placed according to their scores on the Advanced Placement tests in Spanish Language and/or Literature or on the Yale Spanish departmental placement examination, given at the beginning of the fall term. Students with a score of 5 on either of the Spanish Advanced Placement tests, or an appropriate score on the departmental placement examination, may enroll in any Group B or C course or in SPAN 150 or 151.

Students wishing to take intensive beginning Spanish may, with the instructor’s permission, enroll in SPAN 125, which covers the same material as SPAN 110 and 120, but in one term. Students wishing to take intensive intermediate Spanish may, with the instructor’s permission, enroll in SPAN 145, which covers the same material as SPAN 130 and 140, also in one term. SPAN 132 and 142 are designed for heritage speakers and are available only to them; interested students should contact the instructor.

Regardless of previous Spanish study, students without a score of 5 on either of the Advanced Placement tests must take the departmental placement examination in order to enroll in any course above SPAN 110 or 125.

Requirements of the major for the Class of 2013 and previous classes The standard major, for which the prerequisite is SPAN 140 or the equivalent, consists of twelve term courses from Groups B and C, including the senior requirement. Students are required to take SPAN 243, 244, two courses chosen from SPAN 261, 262, 266, or 267, SPAN 491 (see “Senior requirement” below), and at least five courses from Group C. With prior permission of the director of undergraduate studies, two relevant courses from other departments may be applied toward the major. Successful completion of a special examination given at the beginning of each term may exempt Spanish majors from SPAN 243; details about the examination may be obtained from the course instructor.

Requirements of the major for the Class of 2014 and subsequent classes The standard major, for which the prerequisite is SPAN 140 or the equivalent, consists of twelve term courses from Groups B and C, including the senior requirement. Students are required to take SPAN 243 or 244; SPAN 246 or 247; three courses chosen from SPAN 261, 262, 266, or 267; SPAN 491 (see “Senior requirement” below); and six electives, five of which must be chosen from Group C. With prior permission of the director of undergraduate studies, two relevant courses from other departments may be applied toward the major. Successful completion of a special examination given at the beginning of each term may exempt Spanish majors from SPAN 243 and fulfill the requirement for SPAN 243 or 244. Details about the examination may be obtained from the course instructor. Students exempted from SPAN 243 may still enroll in SPAN 244 and count it toward the major as the allowed Group B elective.

Juniors and seniors majoring in Spanish may, with the permission of the instructor and the director of graduate studies, enroll in graduate literature courses in Spanish. A list of pertinent graduate courses is available at the office of the director of undergraduate studies.

Senior requirement Seniors write the senior essay in SPAN 491 in the spring of their senior year under the individual direction of a faculty adviser. Students expecting to complete their degree requirements in December write the senior essay in SPAN 491 in the fall of their senior year. Seniors in SPAN 491 are expected to submit their completed essay to
the director of undergraduate studies at 82–90 Wall Street by 4 p.m. on April 13 in the spring term, or by 4 p.m. on December 2 in the fall term. If the essay is submitted late without an excuse from the student’s residential college dean, the penalty is one letter grade, though no essay that would otherwise pass will be failed because it is late. Students in the intensive major both present the essay and take the departmental examination.

**Study abroad** Students are encouraged to apply to the eight-week summer language courses offered by Yale Summer Session in New Haven and Bilbao, Spain, and Quito, Ecuador. A five-week Spanish course at the L5 level is also offered in Buenos Aires, Argentina. More information about Yale Summer Session is available on the Web at www.yale.edu/summer. For information about the Year or Term Abroad program, refer to chapter II of this bulletin.

**Departmental placement examination** The placement examination will be given on Sunday, August 28, from 9 to 11 a.m. and from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in LC 101 and 102. Students should arrive by 8:30 a.m. to sign up for the first exam, and by 10:45 a.m. for the second. No other preregistration is required. A makeup examination will be given on Monday, August 29, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. (arrive by 10:45 a.m.) in LC 101. All students, including native speakers, who wish to enroll in a Spanish course above SPAN 110 or 125 and who have not earned a score of 5 on either of the Spanish Advanced Placement tests must take the placement examination. Students who have already taken one year or more of Spanish instruction before coming to Yale are required to take the placement examination before enrolling in a Spanish course. The results of the placement examination are valid for one year from the date on which it was taken.

**Requirements of the major**

**Prerequisite** SPAN 140, 142, 145, or equivalent

**Number of courses** 12 term courses from Groups B and C (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required**
- Class of 2013 and previous classes — SPAN 243, 244; 2 from SPAN 261, 262, 266, 267; Class of 2014 and subsequent classes — SPAN 243 or 244; SPAN 246 or 247; 3 from SPAN 261, 262, 266, 267

**Distribution of courses** At least 5 courses in Group C

**Substitution permitted** Up to 2 relevant courses in other depts, with DUS permission

**Senior requirement** Senior essay (SPAN 491)

**Intensive major** Senior req and dept exam

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**Course for freshmen**

*SPAN 050b/LAST 001b/PORT 001b, Latin American Short Fiction* Paulo Moreira

For description see under Portuguese.

**Group A courses**

SPAN 110a, Elementary Spanish I Maripaz García and staff

For students who wish to begin study of the Spanish language. Development of basic skills in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing through a functional approach to
the teaching of Spanish grammar. Includes an introduction to the cultures (traditions, art, literature, music) of the Spanish-speaking world. Audiovisual materials are incorporated into class sessions. Conducted in Spanish. To be followed immediately by SPAN 120. Credit only on completion of SPAN 120. L1 RP 1½ Course cr

SPAN 120a or b, Elementary Spanish II  Juliana Ramos-Ruano and staff
Further development of understanding, speaking, reading, and writing skills. Class sessions incorporate short authentic texts in Spanish, audiovisual materials, and film. Cultural topics of the Spanish-speaking world (traditions, art, literature, music) are included. Conducted in Spanish. After SPAN 110 or in accordance with placement results. Admits to SPAN 130 or 145. L2 RP 1½ Course cr

*SPAN 125a or b, Intensive Elementary Spanish  Lourdes Sabé-Colom
An intensive beginning course in spoken and written Spanish that covers the material of SPAN 110 and 120 in one term. Conducted in Spanish. Admits to SPAN 130 or 145. Not open to students who have completed SPAN 110 or 120. L1–L2 RP 2 Course cr

SPAN 130a or b, Intermediate Spanish I  Lissette Reymundi and staff
Development of language proficiency in listening, speaking, reading, and writing through communicative activities rather than a sequence of linguistic units. Authentic Spanish language texts, films, and videos serve as the basis for the functional study of grammar and the acquisition of a broader vocabulary. Cultural topics are presented throughout the term. Conducted in Spanish. Admits to SPAN 140. L3 RP 1½ Course cr

*SPAN 132a, Spanish for Heritage Speakers I  Sybil Alexandrov
A language course designed for students who have been exposed to Spanish—either at home or by living in a Spanish-speaking country—but who have little or no formal training in the language. Practice in all four communicative skills (comprehension, speaking, reading, writing), with special attention to basic grammar concepts, vocabulary building, and issues particular to heritage speakers. Admission in accordance with placement results. L2–L3

SPAN 140a or b, Intermediate Spanish II  Ame Cividanes and staff
Continuation of SPAN 130. Development of increased proficiency in the four language skills. Greater precision in grammar usage, vocabulary enrichment, and expanded cultural awareness are achieved through communicative activities based on authentic Spanish-language texts, including a short novel. Conducted in Spanish. Admits to L5 courses. L4 RP 1½ Course cr

*SPAN 142b, Spanish for Heritage Speakers II  Sybil Alexandrov
Continuation of SPAN 132. Examination of complex grammar structures; consideration of problems particular to heritage speakers through the reading of both literary and journalistic texts. Practice in all communicative skills (comprehension, speaking, reading, writing). After SPAN 132 or in accordance with placement results. L4

*SPAN 145b, Intensive Intermediate Spanish  Pilar Asensio and staff
An intensive intermediate course in spoken and written Spanish that covers the material of SPAN 130 and 140 in one term. Conducted in Spanish. Admits to L5 courses. Not open to students who have completed SPAN 130 or 140. L3–L4 RP 2 Course cr
*SPAN 150a and 151b, Advanced Conversational Spanish  Teresa Carballal and staff
Intended to improve active command of the language through readings, discussions, and reports. Conversational skills are stressed. Reading selections include commentaries on political and social problems as well as cultural topics. Prepares students for practical situations and for literature courses. Conducted in Spanish. After SPAN 140 or 145, or in accordance with placement results. Not open to students who have completed SPAN 132, 142, or 235. Not open to heritage speakers placed at the L5 level. May be taken for credit by students who have completed courses with higher numbers. Admits to Group B and C courses. Does not count toward the major. L5 RP

GROUP B COURSES

Open to students who have placed into L5 courses or who have successfully completed an L4 course in Spanish. Unless otherwise noted, all courses in Group B are conducted in Spanish.

*SPAN 220b/THST 220b, Theater and Poetry Workshop  Bárbara Safille
The dynamics of figurative language, advanced linguistic structures, and aural comprehension through close reading of original Latin American and Spanish dramatic and poetic texts reflecting on time, memory, identity, and love. Students participate in performance and creation of short dramatic and poetic texts. L5

*SPAN 222a or b/LAST 222a or b, Legal Spanish  Mercedes Carreras
An introduction to Spanish and Latin American legal culture with a focus on the specific traits of legal language and on the development of advanced language competence. Issues such as human rights, the death penalty, the jury, contracts, statutory instruments, and rulings by the constitutional courts are explored through law journal articles, newspapers, the media, and mock trials. L5

*SPAN 223b/LAST 223b, Spanish in Film: An Introduction to the New Latin American Cinema  Margherita Tórtora
Development of proficiency in Spanish through analysis of critically acclaimed Latin American films. Includes basic vocabulary of film criticism in Spanish as well as discussion and language exercises. L5

*SPAN 224a or b/LAST 224a or b, Spanish in Politics, International Relations, and the Media  Teresa Carballal
Issues of domestic and international politics are integrated with advanced usage of the Spanish language. A cross-cultural approach is used to analyze Spanish (vocabulary, style, content, and objectives) in political discourse, diplomatic relations, and the media. L5

SPAN 225b/LAST 225b, Spanish for the Medical Professions  Mercedes Carreras
Topics in health and welfare. Conversation, reading, and writing about medical issues for advanced Spanish-language students, including those considering careers in medical professions. L5

SPAN 226b/LAST 226b, The Unity and Diversity of Spanish  Lissette Reymundi
A sociolinguistic survey of the Spanish-speaking world (Africa, the Americas, Asia, and Europe). Exploration of the unity and diversity of the Spanish language and Spanish-speaking
people through the study of topics such as types of language variation, language and identity, language and society, and multilingualism (including Spanish in the United States).  

*SPAN 227a/LAST 227a, Creative Writing*  
María Jordán  
An introduction to the craft and practice of creative writing (fiction, poetry, and essays). Focus on the development of writing skills and awareness of a variety of genres and techniques through reading of exemplary works and critical assessment of student work. Emphasis on the ability to write about abstract ideas, sentiments, dreams, and the imaginary world.  

*SPAN 235a/LAST 235a, Advanced Spanish for Heritage Speakers*  
Sonia Valle  
Intended for heritage speakers with some previous training in Spanish grammar and writing. Development and refinement of reading, writing, and oral skills in standard Spanish to native-level fluency. Through literature, film, newspapers, and the Internet, an examination of different aspects of the Hispanic world. May be taken alone or as a continuation of SPAN 132 or 142.  

SPAN 243a or b/LAST 243a or b, Advanced Spanish Grammar  
Terry Seymour, Rosamaría León  
A comprehensive, in-depth study of grammar intended to improve students’ spoken and written command of Spanish. Linguistic analysis of literary selections; some English-to-Spanish translation.  

SPAN 244a/LAST 244a, Writing in Spanish  
Margherita Tórtora  
Intensive instruction and practice in writing as a means of developing critical thinking. Recommended for students considering courses in literature. Analysis of fiction and non-fiction forms, techniques, and styles. Classes conducted in a workshop format.  

SPAN 245a/LAST 245a/PORT 246a, Latin American Film: Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina  
Paulo Moreira  
For description see under Portuguese.  

[SPAN 246a/LAST 246a, Introduction to the Cultures of Spain]  
[SPAN 247b/LAST 247b, Introduction to the Cultures of Latin America]  

SPAN 261a/LAST 261a, Studies in Spanish Literature I  
Susan Byrne  
An introduction to Spanish prose, drama, and lyric poetry from their medieval multicultural origins through the Golden Age in the seventeenth century. Readings include El Cid, La Celestina, Conde Lucanor, and works by Miguel de Cervantes and Calderón de la Barca.  

[SPAN 262b, Studies in Spanish Literature II]  
[SPAN 266a/LAST 266a, Studies in Latin American Literature I]  

SPAN 267a/LAST 267a, Studies in Latin American Literature II  
Rolena Adorno  
An introduction to Latin American literature from the nineteenth century to the present. Works by Borges, García Márquez, Paz, Neruda, Cortázar, and others.  

[SPAN 268, Studies in Latin American Literature III]  
[SPAN 269, Studies in Latin American Literature IV]  
[SPAN 270, Studies in Latin American Literature V]
**GROUP C COURSES**

Open to students who have placed into L5 courses. Unless otherwise noted, all courses in Group C are conducted in Spanish.

**SPAN 300a/LITR 189a, Cervantes’s Don Quijote**  
Roberto González Echevarría  
A detailed study of the Quijote in the aesthetic and historical context of Renaissance and baroque Spain. Topics include the significance of the Quijote for modern European and Latin American fiction. Readings also include Cervantes’s *Exemplary Stories* and Elliott’s *Imperial Spain*. Conducted in English; a section in Spanish available depending on demand.  
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**SPAN 324a, Lorca: Poetry and Plays**  
Noël Valis  
A reading of several Lorca plays and selected poetry and an examination of the Lorca legend. Topics include Lorca’s place in Spanish and world literature; myths and realities of Lorca as a cultural icon; sexuality and gender in the plays and poetry; and social issues and aesthetic practices.  
L5, HU

**SPAN 328b*/HUMS 432b, Medieval Spain: Crossroads of Western Culture**  
María Rosa Menocal  
For description see under Humanities.

*SPAN 329b, Golden Age Theater**  
Susan Byrne  
Theater as a social and cultural phenomenon in sixteenth- and seventeenth-century Spain. Analysis of the written scripts of canonical works; semiotics of staged productions, including acting, staging, sound, and wardrobe. Works by Juan de la Cueva, Miguel de Cervantes, Lope de Vega, Tirso de Molina, and Calderón de la Barca. Theoretical views on what theater is and should be.  
L5, HU

*SPAN 350a/LAST 351a, Borges: Literature and Power**  
Aníbal González  
An introduction to the work of Jorge Luis Borges, focusing on the relation between literature and power as portrayed in selected stories, essays, and poems. Topics include Borges and postmodernity; writing and ethics; and Borges’s politics. Works include *Ficciones, Otras inquisiciones, El aleph, El hacedor, El informe de Brodie*, and *Obra poética*.  
L5, HU

[**SPAN 351a, Travelers in Latin American Fiction**]

**SPAN 383b/LITR 293b/PORT 370b, Psychology in Literature: Characters on the Margins of Reality**  
K. David Jackson  
For description see under Portuguese.

*SPAN 478a and 479b, Directed Readings and/or Individual Research**  
Susan Byrne  
Individual study under faculty supervision. The student must submit a bibliography and a written plan of study approved by the faculty adviser to the director of undergraduate studies. No reading or research course credit is granted without prior approval from the director of undergraduate studies. The student must meet with the instructor at least one hour a week. A final examination or essay is required.

*SPAN 491a or b, The Senior Essay**  
Susan Byrne  
A research project completed under faculty supervision and resulting in a paper of considerable length, in Spanish.
GRADUATE COURSES OF INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES

Graduate courses in Spanish are open to qualified undergraduates. Descriptions of courses are listed in the online Graduate School bulletin. Permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies is required.

Special Divisional Majors

Director of undergraduate studies: Jasmina Beširević-Regan, Dean’s Office TC, 432-0722, jasmina.besirevic@yale.edu

A Special Divisional Major affords an alternative for students whose academic interests cannot be met by an existing departmental or special major. Students may, with the approval of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing, design majors of their own in consultation with members of the faculty and in accordance with the procedures outlined below.

Special Divisional Majors differ so widely in content that there is no uniform format, but two patterns prevail. Some majors combine two disciplines (e.g., music and English, religious studies and anthropology), while others draw from several departments to focus on a particular culture, period, or problem (e.g., French studies, medieval studies, urban studies). Students interested in pursuing a Special Divisional Major in Renaissance studies should visit www.yale.edu/renstudies/undergrad.html. A Special Divisional Major may not be offered as one of two majors.

Students considering a Special Divisional Major should be aware of its particular demands and risks. They face the challenges of interdisciplinary work and must grapple with the conceptual processes of disparate disciplines. They must establish criteria for selecting courses and organize their courses in order to obtain an adequate base in the fields necessary for advanced work on a specific topic.

Students in a Special Divisional Major may get little help in designing their programs. Because they are in separate, independent programs, they forfeit some of the services normally provided as part of a departmental or special major. They must, for example, find their own advisers. They need to ask the help of faculty members already committed to other departments and programs who may not share their interdisciplinary interests. They must acquire the necessary background and sustain their interest without the help of any special seminar. They may lose other advantages of departmental affiliation, such as priority for acceptance in restricted-enrollment courses, opportunities to meet students and faculty members with similar interests, and participation in a program easily understood by graduate schools and others. Their transcripts will carry only the notation “Special Divisional Major,” without specifying the student’s field of concentration.

Before applying for a Special Divisional Major, students are urged to consult the directors of undergraduate studies in their fields of major interest, who can advise them whether a Special Divisional Major is necessary. Special interests can usually be accommodated within an existing major.
**Application** Students considering a Special Divisional Major are invited to talk with directors of undergraduate studies and with their residential college deans at any stage in their planning. Candidates may apply for admission as early as their fourth term of enrollment, but must have done so no later than one month after their seventh term of enrollment begins. The committee’s experience suggests that the last term of the sophomore or the first term of the junior year is the best time to apply.

Lucidity, coherence, and completeness in an application are of primary importance to a student’s candidacy, since they are indications of a thoughtfully prepared program of study and of the qualities of eagerness and initiative essential to a successful Special Divisional Major. The committee expects that applicants will have worked in close collaboration with the director of undergraduate studies of the Special Divisional Major in developing their proposals, and it will normally view failure to do so as grounds for rejection of the application.

Application forms are available at the Trumbull College dean’s office. They are submitted, along with letters of support from faculty advisers, to the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing in care of the Trumbull College dean’s office. The committee meets to consider proposals several times a year. All students in good standing are eligible, although the committee must be satisfied that candidates have particular aptitude and preparation for the work they propose.

In approving or rejecting proposals for a Special Divisional Major, the committee looks principally at the quality of the student’s planning. What are the objectives of the program? What are the principles for selecting courses and organizing material? Is the program comparable in breadth and depth to other majors in Yale College? What provisions have been made to guide and evaluate the student’s progress? What sort of senior project would focus and integrate the program? Finally, are the objectives of the program best served by a Special Divisional Major? The committee will not approve a major if the student can accomplish the desired aims in an existing major; the committee may consult directors of undergraduate studies and other faculty members to judge whether or not this is the case.

**Requirements of the major** Because of the variety of programs, there are no uniform prerequisites. All students must satisfy their prospective advisers and the committee that they have obtained adequate preparation for the advanced courses and senior projects they propose.

The major ordinarily comprises at least twelve advanced term courses and a senior project. Advanced courses include all but prerequisites for majors, beginning language courses, and comparable courses. When appropriate, approval is granted for graduate courses, tutorials, and residential college seminars. Courses taken Credit/D/Fail may not be counted toward the major. No distinction is made in the Special Divisional Major between standard and intensive majors.

The director of undergraduate studies in the Special Divisional Major presents proposals for the major to the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing. General problems connected with a student’s program may be discussed with the director of undergraduate studies. Students who revise their original proposal or change faculty advisers must obtain the committee’s approval. The committee advises the Yale College Faculty whether or not the student has completed a major and may not be able to recommend students for the degree who have changed their programs without proper consultation.
Senior requirement No later than midterm of their seventh term of enrollment, and after consultation with their faculty advisers, students provide the committee with an outline of their plans for the senior project. There are several options: a written or oral examination, a senior essay or project, or, in some circumstances, a graduate course or a tutorial. A senior essay usually offers the most effective means of integrating material from more than one discipline, and students in a Special Divisional Major typically request one course credit in each term of the senior year in SPEC 491, 492, The Senior Project.

Students who offer a yearlong senior project must, in order to continue the course into the second term, provide their advisers with substantial written evidence of their progress (i.e., a draft or detailed outline) by the end of their seventh term. The project must be completed no later than two weeks before the last day of classes in the student’s eighth term of enrollment. At least two faculty members evaluate it.

Advisers Candidates must arrange for faculty advisers before applying. Directors of undergraduate studies or department chairs can usually suggest advisers. The committee expects each student to obtain a primary adviser from the department that forms the principal component of the major as well as one or more adjunct advisers from other fields. The primary adviser must be a regular member of the Yale College faculty. Members of the faculties of other schools of the University and visiting faculty members may serve as adjunct advisers.

Both advisers and students assume special responsibilities when designing and completing a major that falls outside existing programs. The special nature of the program and the student’s loss of departmental affiliation make it particularly important for the faculty adviser to meet regularly with the student to help plan the program and to supervise its completion, including the senior project.

The primary adviser assumes chief responsibility for reporting the student’s progress to the committee and for assigning a grade to the senior project. The primary adviser also consults the student’s other advisers and works with them in directing, evaluating, and grading the senior project.

Requirements of the Major

Prerequisite Approval of 2 faculty advisers and Committee on Honors and Academic Standing

Number of courses 13 term courses (incl one-term senior essay) or 14 term courses (incl two-term senior essay)

Distribution of courses Advanced courses in 2 or more appropriate depts; grad courses, college depts, or tutorials with DUS permission

Senior requirement Senior essay or project (SPEC 491 and/or 492), or, with DUS permission, written or oral exam, or grad course, or tutorial

SPEC 491a and 492b, The Senior Project Jasmina Beširević-Regan

An essay or project, prepared during one or two terms by senior Special Divisional Majors. Conducted under the supervision of the student’s primary adviser and with the approval of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing in connection with an approved Special Divisional Major. Spring-term essays are due no later than two weeks before the last day of classes.
Statistics

Director of undergraduate studies: Andrew Barron, 24 Hillhouse Ave., 432-0667, andrew.barron@yale.edu

FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS

Professors †Donald Andrews, Andrew Barron, Joseph Chang, †Donald Green, John Hartigan (Emeritus), †Theodore Holford, †Peter Phillips, David Pollard, †Heiping Zhang, †Hongyu Zhao, Harrison Zhou

Associate Professors John Emerson, †Sekhar Tatikonda

Assistant Professors Lisha Chen, Mokshay Madiman, Jing Zhang

Lecturers Jonathan Reuning-Scherer, David Salsburg

†A joint appointment with primary affiliation in another department or school.

Statistics is the science and art of prediction and explanation. The mathematical foundation of statistics lies in the theory of probability, which is applied to problems of making inferences and decisions under uncertainty. Practical statistical analysis also uses a variety of computational techniques, methods of visualizing and exploring data, methods of seeking and establishing structure and trends in data, and a mode of questioning and reasoning that quantifies uncertainty.

The Statistics program at Yale is a blend of the mathematical theory of probability and statistical inference, the philosophy of inference under uncertainty, computational techniques, the practice of data analysis, and statistical analysis applied to economics, biology, medicine, engineering, and other areas. Statistical methods are widely used in the sciences, medicine, industry, business, and government; graduates can work in these areas or go on to graduate study.

The curriculum for the Statistics major is a synthesis of theory, methods, and applications. The requirements are designed to achieve some balance and depth in each of the three directions of probability, statistics, and data analysis. Statistics can be taken either as a primary major or as one of two majors, in consultation with the director of undergraduate studies. Appropriate majors to combine with Statistics include programs in the social sciences, natural sciences, engineering, computer science, or mathematics. A Statistics concentration is also available within the Applied Mathematics major.

Prerequisites Multivariable calculus and linear algebra are required and should be taken before or during the sophomore year. This requirement may be satisfied by MATH 120 and MATH 222 or 225, or equivalents.

Requirements of the major for the B.A. degree program The program requires ten term courses beyond the prerequisites, including the senior project. Majors take two courses in the theory and applications of probability (STAT 241 and 251), two courses emphasizing the theory of statistical inference (STAT 242 and 312), and two courses in the methods and practice of data analysis, chosen from STAT 230, 361, and 363. STAT
238 may be substituted for STAT 241 with the permission of the director of undergraduate studies. All majors are also required to take a course in computing (ENAS 130 or CPSC 112). The two remaining courses are electives chosen from Statistics courses numbered above 200. Appropriate courses in other departments or in the graduate school may count toward the major with permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

Requirements of the major for the B.S. degree program The program requires twelve term courses beyond the prerequisites. In addition to the courses indicated for the B.A. major, the B.S. degree requires a course in mathematical analysis (MATH 260, 300, or 301) and an additional Statistics elective numbered above 200.

Senior requirement In the senior year, majors in both degree programs complete a research project in STAT 490. Students enrolled in this course work on a research project under the supervision of a faculty member, present and share their progress with each other during the seminar meetings, and write a final report.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE MAJOR

Prerequisites Both degrees — MATH 120 and MATH 222 or 225, or equivalents
Number of courses B.A. — 10 term courses beyond prerequisites (incl senior project); B.S. — 12 term courses beyond prerequisites (incl senior project)
Specific courses required B.A. — STAT 241, 242, 251, 312; 2 from STAT 230, 361, 363; ENAS 130 or CPSC 112; B.S. — same, plus MATH 260, 300, or 301
Distribution of courses B.A. — 2 Stat electives numbered above 200, as specified; B.S. — 3 Stat electives numbered above 200, as specified
Substitution permitted STAT 238 for STAT 241, with DUS permission; courses in other depts or grad courses, with DUS permission
Senior requirement Both degrees — Senior project (STAT 490)

*STAT 100b, Introductory Statistics Andrew Barron
An introduction to statistical reasoning. Topics include numerical and graphical summaries of data, data acquisition and experimental design, probability, hypothesis testing, confidence intervals, correlation and regression. Application of statistical concepts to data; analysis of real-world problems. May not be taken after STAT 101–106 or 109. QR

STAT 101–106, Introduction to Statistics
A basic introduction to statistics, including numerical and graphical summaries of data, probability, hypothesis testing, confidence intervals, and regression. Each course focuses on applications to a particular field of study and is taught jointly by two instructors, one specializing in statistics and the other in the relevant area of application. The first seven weeks of classes are attended by all students in STAT 101–106 together, as general concepts and methods of statistics are developed. The remaining weeks are divided into field-specific sections that develop the concepts with examples and applications. Computers are used for data analysis. These courses are alternatives; they do not form a sequence and only one may be taken for credit. No prerequisites beyond high school algebra. May not be taken after STAT 100 or 109.

Students enrolled in STAT 101–106 who wish to change to STAT 109 must submit a course change notice, signed by the instructor, to their residential college dean by Friday,
September 30. The approval of the Committee on Honors and Academic Standing is not required.

STAT 101a, Introduction to Statistics: Life Sciences  
Jonathan Reuning-Scherer, Günter Wagner  
Statistical and probabilistic analysis of biological problems presented with a unified foundation in basic statistical theory. Problems are drawn from genetics, ecology, epidemiology, and bioinformatics.  

STAT 250b, Introductory Data Analysis  
John Emerson  
Survey of statistical methods: plots, transformations, regression, analysis of variance, clustering, principal components, contingency tables, and time series analysis. The R computing language and Web data sources are used.  

STAT 241a, Probability Theory  
David Pollard  
Introduction to probability theory. Topics include probability spaces, random variables, expectations and probabilities, conditional probability, independence, discrete and
continuous distributions, central limit theorem, Markov chains, and probabilistic modeling. After or concurrently with MATH 120 or equivalent. QR

**STAT 242b/MATH 242b, Theory of Statistics**  Lisha Chen  
Study of the principles of statistical analysis. Topics include maximum likelihood, sampling distributions, estimation, confidence intervals, tests of significance, regression, analysis of variance, and the method of least squares. Some statistical computing. After STAT 241 and concurrently with or after MATH 222 or 225, or equivalents. QR

**STAT 251b/MATH 251b, Stochastic Processes**  Jing Zhang  
Introduction to the study of random processes, including Markov chains, Markov random fields, martingales, random walks, Brownian motion, and diffusions. Techniques in probability, such as coupling and large deviations. Applications to image reconstruction, Bayesian statistics, finance, probabilistic analysis of algorithms, and genetics and evolution. After STAT 241 or equivalent. QR

**STAT 312a, Linear Models**  Joseph Chang  
The geometry of least squares; distribution theory for normal errors; regression, analysis of variance, and designed experiments; numerical algorithms, with particular reference to the R statistical language. After STAT 242 and MATH 222 or 225. QR

**STAT 330b/MATH 330b, Advanced Probability**  Mokshay Madiman  
Measure theoretic probability, conditioning, laws of large numbers, convergence in distribution, characteristic functions, central limit theorems, martingales. Some knowledge of real analysis assumed. QR

**STAT 361a/AMTH 361a, Data Analysis**  Lisha Chen  
Selected topics in statistics explored through analysis of data sets using the R statistical computing language. Topics include linear and nonlinear models, maximum likelihood, resampling methods, curve estimation, model selection, classification, and clustering. Weekly sessions in the Statistical Computing laboratory. After STAT 242 and MATH 222 or 225, or equivalents. QR

**STAT 362b, Multivariate Statistics for Social Sciences**  Jonathan Reuning-Scherer  
Introduction to the analysis of multivariate data as applied to examples from the social sciences. Topics include principal components analysis, factor analysis, cluster analysis (hierarchical clustering, k-means), discriminant analysis, multidimensional scaling, and structural equations modeling. Extensive computer work using either SAS or SPSS programming software. Prerequisites: knowledge of basic inferential procedures and experience with linear models. QR

**STAT 364b/AMTH 364b/EENG 454b, Information Theory**  Mokshay Madiman  
Foundations of information theory in communications, statistical inference, statistical mechanics, probability, and algorithmic complexity. Quantities of information and their properties: entropy, conditional entropy, divergence, redundancy, mutual information, channel capacity. Basic theorems of data compression, data summarization, and channel coding. Applications in statistics and finance. After STAT 241. QR

**STAT 365b, Data Mining and Machine Learning**  Lisha Chen  
Techniques for data mining and machine learning from both statistical and computational perspectives, including support vector machines, bagging, boosting, neural networks, and
other nonlinear and nonparametric regression methods. Discussion includes the basic ideas and intuition behind these methods, a more formal understanding of how and why they work, and opportunities to experiment with machine learning algorithms and to apply them to data. After STAT 242.

**STAT 490b, Senior Seminar and Project**  Andrew Barron
Under the supervision of a member of the faculty, each student works on an independent project. Students participate in seminar meetings at which they speak on the progress of their projects.

**GRADUATE COURSES OF PARTICULAR INTEREST TO UNDERGRADUATES**

Courses in the Graduate School are open to qualified undergraduates. Descriptions of graduate courses in Statistics are available on the departmental Web site at www.stat.yale.edu. Permission of the instructor and of the director of graduate studies is required.

**Study of the City**

**STCY 176b, Introduction to the Study of the City**  Alexander Garvin
An examination of forces shaping American cities and strategies for dealing with them. Topics include housing, commercial development, parks, zoning, urban renewal, landmark preservation, new towns, and suburbs. The course includes games, simulated problems, fieldwork, lectures, and discussion.

**Swahili**

(See under African Studies.)

**Syriac**

(See under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)

**Tamil**

(See under South Asian Studies.)

**Teacher Preparation and Education Studies**

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**COMMITTEE OF THE TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM**

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The Teacher Preparation and Education Studies program offers a variety of courses on educational issues including school reform, policy, pedagogy, and instructional design. Courses are organized around two different tracks, education studies and teacher preparation.

**Education studies** Courses in the education studies track are designed to examine the system of education as a civic institution. The goal is to introduce ways of challenging and disciplining thinking about educational issues from a historical or sociological perspective. Courses are open to all students.

**Teacher preparation** For the Class of 2012, the program offers a course of study for those interested in teaching. Completion of the full course of study, begun in the sophomore year, fulfills the requirements for a license to teach in any American public school either in an early childhood setting or in a secondary school setting (grades seven through twelve). Those who complete part of the program have a strong basis for teaching in a private or alternative setting such as Teach for America.

The teacher preparation course of study emphasizes the ability to think about teaching and the creation of learning environments for a wide range of students. Experiences in local schools and classrooms provide opportunities to explore students’ individual styles of teaching. Most graduates of the program, especially in the early education area, move into positions of leadership at either the school or the policy level. Courses are offered on a space-available basis to students not enrolled in the program.

To be eligible for certification, participants must complete the following program: secondary school teachers—a major in an academic field, sufficient course work in a subject taught in middle and high schools (English, history, modern languages, Latin, science, mathematics), and certain required professional courses; early childhood teachers—a major in an academic field, a designated series of courses for early childhood preparation, and certain required professional courses.

Students in the Class of 2013 and subsequent classes are not eligible to apply to the Teacher Preparation program.

* **TPRP 125a/CHLD 125a/PSYC 125a, Child Development**  
  Nancy Close, Carla Horwitz  
  For description see under Child Study Center.

* **TPRP 127a/CHLD 127a/PSYC 127a, Theory and Practice of Early Childhood Education**  
  Carla Horwitz  
  For description see under Child Study Center.

* **TPRP 128b/CHLD 128b/PSYC 128b, Language, Literacy, and Play**  
  Nancy Close, Carla Horwitz  
  For description see under Child Study Center.

* **TPRP 190a or b, Schools, Communities, and the Teacher**  
  Staff  
  An introduction to the study of schooling in America. The cultural and historical context of schools, and major philosophies of education, discussed along with consideration of contemporary developments in schooling.  
  SO RP
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*TPRP 191a or b/CHLD 126a or b, Clinical Child Development and Assessment of Young Children  Nancy Close
Exposure to both conceptual material and clinical observations on the complexity of assessing young children and their families.  SO ½ Course cr

*TPRP 192a, Observation  Linda Cole-Taylor
Supervised and directed observation in a middle or high school associated with the program or in an appropriate preschool or kindergarten setting.  RP ½ Course cr

*TPRP 291a6, The Teaching of History  Linda Cole-Taylor
Readings, discussions, and case studies focusing on all aspects of instruction: objectives, motivation, evaluation, short- and long-term planning, management, and curriculum.  RP

*TPRP 293b6, The Teaching of Mathematics  Staff
Readings, discussions, and case studies focusing on all aspects of instruction: objectives, motivation, evaluation, short- and long-term planning, management, and curriculum.  RP

*TPRP 299b6, Student Teaching  Linda Cole-Taylor
Teaching for a ten-week period, full time, in a local middle or high school or in an early childhood program, under the direction of a master teacher and the Yale supervisor.  RP 3 Course cr

*TPRP 471a or b, Independent Study  Linda Cole-Taylor
Readings in educational topics, history, policy, or methodology; weekly tutorial and a substantial term essay.  RP

Theater Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF THEATER STUDIES

Professors  Richard Lalli (Adjunct) (Music, Theater Studies), *Lawrence Manley (English), Donald Margulies (Adjunct) (Theater Studies, English), J. D. McClatchy (Adjunct) (Theater Studies, English), *Charles Musser (Film Studies, American Studies, Theater Studies), *Joseph Roach (English, African American Studies, Theater Studies), *Marc Robinson (School of Drama, Theater Studies, English), *Robert Stepto (African American Studies, English, American Studies)

Associate Professors  *Murray Biggs (Adjunct) (Theater Studies, English), *Toni Dorfman (Adjunct) (Theater Studies), Joan MacIntosh (Adjunct) (Theater Studies, School of Drama), *Deb Margolin (Adjunct) (Theater Studies)

Assistant Professors  Paige McGinley (Theater Studies, American Studies), Christopher Semk (French)

Senior Lecturer  Bettyann Kevles

Lecturers  Jessica Berson, Emily Coates, Lacina Coulibaly, Daniel Egan, Andrew Gerle, Grant Herreid, Annette Jolles, Polina Klimovitskaya, Kathryn Krier, Frederick Lamp,
Daniel Larlham, Paul McKinley, Stephen Quandt, Timothy Robinson, Rachel Sheinkin, Nicole Stanton (Visiting), Robert Woodruff

Senior Lectors Krystyna Illakowicz, Bárbara Safille

*Member of the Executive Committee for the program.

As a branch of the humanities and as a complex cultural practice, theater claims a rich history and literature and an equally rich repertoire of embodied knowledge and theory. Theater Studies emphasizes the reciprocal relationship between practice and scholarly study. The major combines practical training with theory and history, while stressing creative critical thinking. Students are encouraged to engage intellectual and physical approaches to explore diverse cultural forms, historical traditions, and contemporary life.

The study of theater is interdisciplinary in scope and global in perspective. Students are expected to take courses in cognate disciplines such as history, philosophy, anthropology, political science, film, art, literature, and foreign languages. Faculty members are affiliated with a range of departments; their diverse expertise lends breadth and depth to course offerings and enables students to devise a course of study reflective of their developing interests.

Special features of the program are the production seminars and guided independent study projects. Each production seminar concentrates on study, through practice, of one aspect of work in the theater; examples are approaches to acting, directing, writing, dance, or design. Each seminar involves numerous projects that grow out of the term’s work. For example, the project may be production of a play or several plays, adaptation or translation of existing works, or creation of original plays, performance pieces, or set design. Independent study projects give the student freedom to pursue individual and group-generated projects under the guidance of a Theater Studies faculty member. All production seminars require permission of the instructor (by application or audition). Independent study project courses are open only to majors.

Although students need not formally declare an intention to major in Theater Studies until the second term of the sophomore year, the requirements of the major may be difficult to complete in two years. Students intending to apply for admission to the major must have completed THST 110 and 111 before applying, which they must do by the end of the sophomore year. Information about the application process and advice about the program can be sought at any time from the director of undergraduate studies. Interested students are urged to consult the director of undergraduate studies early in their academic careers.

The major The major consists of ten term courses beyond the introductory prerequisites (THST 110, 111), one of which must be THST 210. Students are encouraged to enroll in a balanced combination of courses involving studio work and courses with literature, history, and theory content. Of the ten required term courses, four must be chosen from four periods of dramatic literature or theater history or from four cultures. A suggested scheme might be one course in each of four of the following categories: Shakespeare, African American theater, Greek drama, melodrama, British drama, modern American drama, contemporary American drama, German drama, or other courses in dramatic literature and theater history. At least one of the four courses should include dramatic literature originating in a
language other than English. Students are urged to read plays in the original languages whenever possible.

Students are encouraged to choose additional courses to develop the perspectives achieved in the production and literature courses. These courses may be selected (1) as a study of material that has influenced or provided sources for a playwright or theater; (2) as a study of the historical, political, or religious context of a particular playwright, theater, or literature; (3) as a study of forms of expression contemporary with a particular theater or author, for example, courses in music, art history, architecture, or film; or (4) as a study of theoretical aspects of the theater through courses in such areas as linguistics, aesthetics, psychology, or the history of criticism.

**Senior requirement** Majors satisfy the senior requirement in one of two ways. They may undertake a one-term senior project (THST 491), or, with the approval of the director of undergraduate studies, they may take one of the courses listed in the dramatic literature and theater history section as a senior seminar. Senior projects may take the form of directing, designing, or writing a play, performing a role, choreographing a dance piece, or writing a critical essay. Performance-oriented projects are in addition to a senior essay, which is an integral requirement of THST 491. Students wishing to undertake a senior project must submit a proposal before the deadline announced by the director of undergraduate studies. Each proposal is submitted to a faculty committee for approval.

Students interested in mounting a production as part of their senior project are encouraged to develop collaborative proposals among actors, writers, directors, designers, dancers, or dramaturgs. Students proposing a collaborative production project have priority for rehearsal time and production slots in the Whitney Theater Space, 53 Wall Street. For the Class of 2012, proposals for senior project productions will normally be approved only for students who have previously served as producers of curricular theater projects. For the Class of 2013 and subsequent classes, proposals for senior project productions will normally be approved only for students who have previously served as producers of senior projects.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisites** THST 110, 111

**Number of courses** 10 term courses beyond prereqs (incl senior req)

**Specific course required** THST 210

**Distribution of courses** 4 courses in dramatic lit or theater hist, each from a different period or culture as specified (1 with reading in lit other than English)

**Senior requirement** Senior sem or senior project (THST 491)

**Core Curriculum in Theater Studies**

NOTE: All performance-oriented classes that hold auditions during the first week of the term are marked with a dagger (†). Yearlong courses hold auditions once only at the beginning of the fall term. Other starred (*courses, limited in enrollment, are seminars intended primarily for juniors and seniors in the Theater Studies major. When openings are available, sophomores and nonmajors may be admitted with the permission of the instructor. All students interested in taking starred courses must preregister during the
reading period of the preceding term. Related courses in dramatic literature and theater history or those double-titled with another department may require earlier preregistration.

Preregistration and audition information is available at the office of the director of undergraduate studies, 220 York Street.

**THST 110a and 111b, Survey of Theater and Drama** Paige McGinley
An introduction to theater history, plays, aesthetic theories, and performance techniques. From antiquity to the Restoration period in the fall and continuing through to the present in the spring.  

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**THST 210a, Introduction to Performance Concepts** Joan MacIntosh and staff
A studio introduction to the basic techniques of acting, including the actor’s vocabulary and performance tools. Improvisation, performance exercises, and scene work based on Stanislavsky, Vakhtangov, Michael Chekhov, Strasberg, Adler, Meisner, and Hagen.

†Admission by audition. Open to Theater Studies majors only. Required for Theater Studies majors in the year immediately following THST 110, 111.  

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**PRODUCTION SEMINARS**

Production seminars concentrate on study through practice of a single aspect of work in the theater, for example, acting, directing, designing, dancing, or writing for the stage. Unless otherwise indicated, production seminars are open to junior and senior majors, and to nonmajors with permission of the instructor. Application procedures are given in the course descriptions. Note the information above on both performance-oriented (†) and limited-enrollment (*) courses. Additional information is available at the office of the director of undergraduate studies.

**THST 211b, Intermediate Acting** Daniel Larlham, Joan MacIntosh, and staff
Continued study of acting as an art, building on performance concepts introduced in THST 210. Various approaches to the actor’s task, requiring deeper understanding of conceptual issues and increasing freedom and individuality in building a character. Exercises, monologues, and scene work. Prerequisite: THST 210.

†Admission by audition.  

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**THST 224a/MUSI 228a, Musical Theater Performance I**  
Annette Jolles
For description see under Music.

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**THST 226b/MUSI 229b, Musical Theater Performance II**  
Andrew Gerle
For description see under Music.

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**THST 230b, Advanced Acting and Scene Study**  
Polina Klimovitskaya
Combination of exercises and scene study to deepen the understanding and playing of action. Prerequisite: THST 211.

†Admission by audition. Open to junior and senior Theater Studies majors only. May be taken more than once.  

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**THST 300a, The Director and the Text I**  
Toni Dorfman
Basic exercises in approaching dramatic or other literary texts from the director’s perspective. Particular attention to the many roles and functions of the director in production. Rehearsal and production of workshop scenes. Prerequisite: THST 210.  

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**THST 315a, Shakespeare Acted**  Murray Biggs
An attempt to realize some of Shakespeare’s texts through performance. Emphasis on problems of language: how to give language meaning, clarity, and form, while making it suggestive and natural, in alliance with other acting considerations. Close work with sonnets and monologues, with duologues, and finally with scenes.
†Admission by September audition only; preference to seniors and juniors; open to nonmajors.  HU  RP

**THST 318b/MUSI 322b, Analyzing, Directing, and Performing Early Opera**  Grant Herreid, Toni Dorfman
For description see under Music.

**THST 320a/ENGL 453a, Playwriting**  Donald Margulies
For description see under English Language & Literature.

**THST 321b, Production Seminar: Playwriting**  Deb Margolin
A seminar and workshop in playwriting. Emphasis on developing an individual voice. Scenes read and critiqued in class. Admission by application, with priority to Theater Studies majors. A writing sample and statement of purpose should be submitted to the instructor before the first class meeting.  RP

**THST 324b, Playwright-Director Laboratory**  Toni Dorfman
An exploration of the collaboration between the director and the playwright in the creation of new work. Particular attention to the shaping of dramatic action, structure, and characters. Short scenes are written, staged, critiqued, and revised. Prerequisites: THST 210; for directors: THST 300; for playwrights: THST 320, 321; or with permission of instructor.  RP

**THST 327b/ENGL 468b, Advanced Playwriting Workshop**  Donald Margulies
For description see under English Language & Literature.

**THST 335b/AFST 435b, West African Dance: Traditional to Contemporary**  Lacina Coulibaly
A practical and theoretical study of the traditional dances of Africa, focusing on those of Burkina Faso and their contemporary manifestations. Emphasis on rhythm, kinesthetic form, and gestural expression. The fusion of modern European dance and traditional African dance.
†Admission by audition during the first class meeting.  HU  RP

**THST 341b, Comedy in Performance**  Daniel Larlham
Comic performance explored through discussion, exercises, and collaborative projects, with an emphasis on improvisation, playfulness, and physical engagement. Use of circus, commedia dell’arte, clowning, and other body-based techniques to extend physical and imaginative capabilities and expressiveness. Experimentation with the language of comedic storytelling through devised performance projects.

**THST 342a/AMST 355a, Modern Drama and Modern Technologies**  Paige McGinley
Early twentieth-century American drama and its confrontation with new technologies and technological media, such as radio, cinema, automobiles, and robots. The course culminates in a workshop production of Sophie Treadwell’s *Machinal* (1928); students perform in the play or contribute to the production behind the scenes.  HU  RP
**THST 358a, Introduction to Lighting Design**  Stephen Quandt
Conceptualization of a play into a sequence of visual ideas, incorporating both text and subtext. Expression and testing of those ideas within a space large enough to bring together performers and audience. Priority to Theater Studies majors.  RP

**THST 359b, The Actor and the Text: Hamlet**  Deb Margolin
The history and interpretive dramaturgy of Shakespeare’s Hamlet, as well as challenges faced by the actor in past productions and in a present interpretation of the work. Historical forces that influenced the author in his time; the immediacy and relevance of the play’s themes and dramatic tropes. The course culminates in a full production of the play.
†Admission by audition; open to nonmajors.  HU  RP

**THST 362a, Models for Performance Creation: Remaking Shakespeare**  Daniel Larlham
Acting techniques and dramaturgical strategies for reinterpreting Shakespeare in the context of contemporary theatrical practice. Shakespeare’s Coriolanus as a vigorous reworking of classical sources. Analysis of adaptations by Bertolt Brecht and Ralph Fiennes, as well as readings in the scholarship of Shakespearean interpretation. The course culminates in a fully staged version of Coriolanus adapted by the ensemble.  HU

**THST 364b, Dance in Musical Theater**  Emily Coates, Daniel Egan
Musicals and choreographers that influenced and altered the form of musical theater through dance. The growth of choreography as a primary story-telling element in American musical theater; the content and form of major dance musicals; the historical context in which such works emerged. Discussion of historical trends supplemented by studio work involving movement from classic musical shows. Open to nonmajors. Recommended preparation: background in dance and dance theory or in musical theater.  HU

**THST 387b, Advanced Dance Composition**  Emily Coates
A seminar and workshop in dance-theater composition. Focus on the history of dance composition, tools for generating and interpreting movement, basic choreographic devices, and dance in dialogue with media, music, and other art forms. Choreographic projects developed over the course of the term are presented in a final performance. Admission by application.  HU  RP

**THST 404b, Elements of Composition for the Stage**  Robert Woodruff
Workshop focused on enhancing directors’ theoretical foundations and theatrical skills. Exploration of elements that serve as sources of inspiration in creating live performance. Historical and contemporary performance theory as it deals with time, visual arts, text, and music. Specific artists who have contributed to the development of contemporary performance. Prerequisites: THST 210 and 300, or with permission of instructor.  HU

**THST 412b, Libretto Writing for Musical Theater**  Rachel Sheinkin
Practical instruction in book writing for musical theater combined with close reading of historical and contemporary examples of the genre. Weekly exercises focus on issues of craft, creativity, and collaboration.  RP
*THST 423b, The Actor and the Text: Othello  Murray Biggs
The text and contexts of Shakespeare’s Othello. Literary, historical, cultural, and theatrical perspectives. Includes a full production of the play near midterm.
†Admission by November audition only; preference to seniors; open to nonmajors.  HU

DRAMATIC LITERATURE AND THEATER HISTORY

*THST 115a/PHYS 115a, The Physics of Dance  Sarah Demers, Emily Coates
For description see under Physics.

*THST 220b/SPAN 220b, Theater and Poetry Workshop  Bárbara Safille
For description see under Spanish.

*THST 245a/FREN 245a, Twentieth-Century French Theater  Christopher Semk
For description see under French.

*THST 295a, Performance Studies  Joseph Roach
An introduction to the field of performance studies, with attention to events in music, theater, dance, performance art, and social practice. Live performances interpreted using strategies of observer-participant analysis.  HU

*THST 303b/ENGL 336b/LITR 323b, The Opera Libretto  J. D. McClatchy
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*THST 329b/ENGL 361b, Theater Now  Marc Robinson
Study of the drama, performance, and dance theater created in the last five years, with special attention to work produced in 2011–2012. Readings from both published and unpublished American and European plays, contemporary criticism and theory, interviews, and essays by the artists themselves. Video of works created by companies such as Elevator Repair Service and the Nature Theater of Oklahoma. May include attendance of productions at performance spaces in and around New York City.  HU

*THST 345b, Dramatic Theory and Criticism  Paul McKinley
Examination of theater and dramatic criticism in connection with Greek tragedy, the Italian Renaissance, French neoclassicism, the German Enlightenment, comedy, naturalism, expressionism, realism, absurdism, feminism, and performance theory. Texts include works by Plato, Aristotle, Diderot, Lessing, Hegel, Zola, and Brecht.  HU  RP

*THST 355a/AMST 366a/ENGL 419a, Modernism and American Theater  Marc Robinson
Examination of modernist principles as they are adapted to, and tested in, American theater. Playwrights include Eugene O’Neill, Gertrude Stein, e. e. cummings, Djuna Barnes, Mae West, Thornton Wilder, Tennessee Williams, Jane Bowles, and Frank O’Hara.

*THST 369b/AFAM 369b/AMST 378b/ENGL 364b/LITR 271b, African American Theater  Paige McGinley
African American dramatic literature and theater history. Black musical comedy and vaudeville, antilynching dramas, the Federal Theatre Project, and the Black Arts Movement. Playwrights include Hughes, Hansberry, Baraka, Kennedy, Wilson, and Parks.  WR, HU
*THST 370b/PLSH 248b, Polish Theater and Its Traditions  Krystyna Illakowicz
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

*THST 377b/ENGL 377b/HUMS 209b, Problem Plays  Murray Biggs
Study of plays with generic or moral positions that remain ambiguous. Works are selected from a variety of periods and countries and include plays by Euripides, Shakespeare, Lope de Vega, Gay, Shaw, Kushner, and Koltes.  HU RP

*THST 380a/AMST 370a, The History of Dance  Nicole Stanton
An examination of major movements in the history of concert and social dance from the late nineteenth century to the present, including ballet, tap, jazz, modern, musical theater, and different cultural forms. Exercises are used to illuminate analysis of the body in motion.  HU

[THST 392b, American Avant-Garde Theater of the 1960s and 1970s]

*THST 394b/HIST 141b/HSHM 462b, Science and Drama  Bettyann Kevles
For description see under History.

*THST 422a, The Senses in Visual and Performance Arts  Frederick Lamp
Sensory aspects of the material arts, theater, musical and movement performance, ritual, and architectural space. Cultural translation and presentation; theories on the arts and the senses throughout history. Includes museum visits and theater attendance.  HU

*THST 429b, Theater and Philosophy  Daniel Larlham
A survey of major philosophical engagements with theatrical theory and practice from Plato to the present. Themes of representation, relation, and interpersonal connection in the theater. Works by Plato, Aristotle, Diderot, Hume, Husserl, Sartre, Levinas, Buber, Merleau-Ponty, Stanislawsky, Brecht, Grotowski, and Zeami.  HU

*THST 444a, Theories of Embodiment  Jessica Berson
Examination of theories about the body and its motion. The inscription of identity on and through the body; ways in which the body resists and rewrites identity through movement. The body as a physical, social, and phenomenological entity; institutional, normative, aesthetic, and virtual bodies. Practical workshops and exercises include movement experiences.  HU

RELATED COURSES PERTINENT TO THE THEATER STUDIES MAJOR

DEVN 194b/AFAM 194b/AMST 194b/ENGL 194b, African American Arts Today  Elizabeth Alexander
For description see under DeVane Lecture Courses.

ENGL 200b, Shakespeare: Comedies and Romances  Lawrence Manley

ENGL 201a, Shakespeare: Histories and Tragedies  David Scott Kastan

*ENGL 215b, English Comic Drama, 1660–1800  Jill Campbell

*GMAN 222b/GMST 333b, Kleist and the Idea of the Present  Rüdiger Campe
For description see under Germanic Languages & Literatures.
HSAR 235b/ARCG 235b/HUMS 245b/NELC 106b, The Worlds of Homer  
Karen Foster  
For description see under History of Art.

*HUMS 219a, Shakespeare: Four Late Masterworks  
Harold Bloom

*HUMS 231b/MUSI 435b, Music in European Thought: Three Moments in the Modern Era  
Leon Plantinga  
For description see under Humanities.

*ITAL 153b, Theater Practicum: Pirandello  
Monica Georgeo

*LATN 423b, Roman Tragedy  
John Fisher  
For description see under Classics.

LITR 122b, World Poetry and Performance  
Katie Trumpener, Jan Hagens

*LITR 469b, The World as Theater  
Jan Hagens

*MUSI 214a, Songwriting for Composers and Lyricists  
Andrew Gerle, Joshua Rosenblum

*MUSI 311a, Arranging for Voices  
Jeffrey Klitz

*MUSI 314b, Composition of Musical Theater  
Joshua Rosenblum

RUSS 257b/HUMS 202b, Chekhov  
John MacKay  
For description see under Slavic Languages & Literatures.

SPAN 324a, Lorca: Poetry and Plays  
Noël Valis

*SPAN 329b, Golden Age Theater  
Susan Byrne

SPECIAL PROJECTS

*THST 471a and 472b, Directed Independent Study  
Toni Dorfman

An independent study should generally conform to the standards and procedures of the senior project, THST 491, even when not undertaken by a senior. If the independent study is a performance or directing project, the adviser visits rehearsals and performances at the mutual convenience of adviser and student. The project must be accompanied by an essay of about 15 pages, worth about half the final grade. Although the paper’s requirements vary with the project and its adviser, it must be more than a rehearsal log. The paper typically engages interpretative and performance issues as revealed in other productions of the work (if they exist). The writing should be concomitant with rehearsal, to enable each to inform the other, and a draft must be presented to, and commented on by, the adviser at least a week before—not after—the final performance. The final version of the paper, incorporating adjustments and reflections, should be turned in to the adviser no later than 10 days after the performance closes, and no later than the first day of the final examination period.

An essay project entails substantial reading, at least four meetings with the adviser, and a paper or papers totaling at least 20 pages. A playwriting project normally requires 20 new script pages every two weeks of the term and regular meetings with the adviser. A final draft of the entire script is the culmination of the term’s work.
Application forms are available from the director of undergraduate studies. Juniors may use one term of these courses to prepare for their senior projects. Open to juniors and seniors. Prerequisites: THST 210 and one seminar.

*THST 473a and 474b/ENGL 438a and 439b, Directed Independent Study:
  Eugene O’Neill  Murray Biggs
Individual or small-group study focused on the works of Eugene O’Neill. The course of study is planned by the student under faculty supervision; work may include one or more performances and/or written projects.

*THST 491a or b, Senior Project in Theater Studies  Toni Dorfman
Students must submit proposals for senior projects to the Theater Studies office by the deadline announced by the director of undergraduate studies. Attendance at weekly section meetings is required for all students undertaking production projects. Application forms are available in the Theater Studies office, 220 York St.

COURSES IN THE SCHOOL OF DRAMA

Undergraduate enrollment in School of Drama courses requires the consent of the instructor and of the associate dean of the School of Drama. For a description of these courses, see the director of undergraduate studies. Meeting times and places are posted in the Green Room, UT, on the first day of the term. Undergraduates may not enroll in acting or directing courses offered by the School of Drama. Majors in Theater Studies, however, are encouraged to consider taking selected courses in design, dramaturgy, and theater management.

Students enrolling in School of Drama courses should note that only four term courses given in the professional schools may be offered toward the bachelor’s degree. Permission to count any School of Drama course toward the major in Theater Studies must be obtained from the director of undergraduate studies at the beginning of the term in which the course is taken. Students also should note that the academic calendars of the School of Drama and of Yale College differ. The School of Drama calendar should be consulted for scheduling.

Unless otherwise specified in individual course descriptions, courses in the School of Drama are not open to the Credit/D/Fail option.

Turkish

(See under Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations.)

Urban Studies

FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH URBAN STUDIES

Professors  Katerina Clark (Comparative Literature, Slavic Languages & Literatures), Kathryn Dudley (Anthropology, American Studies), Dolores Hayden (School of Architecture, American Studies), Matthew Jacobson (History, American Studies), Jennifer Klein (History), Alan Plattus (School of Architecture), Douglas Rae (School of Management, Political Science), Helen Siu (Anthropology), Robert Solomon (Law School), Jay Winter (History)
Courses related to urban studies may be found in a number of different departments and programs, particularly African American Studies; American Studies; Anthropology; Architecture; Environmental Studies; Ethics, Politics, and Economics; History; Humanities; Political Science; and Sociology. The course Introduction to the Study of the City is offered each year; details may be found under the heading “Study of the City” in this bulletin.

Urban studies can be incorporated into a number of major programs. The Architecture major includes an urban studies track. American Studies and Ethics, Politics, and Economics majors are required to select an area of concentration, and urban studies meets this requirement. Political Science majors who select the optional interdisciplinary concentration may focus on urban studies. The Political Science department offers the seminar Poverty, Politics, and Policy in the American City (PLSC 280) for qualified students.

Students interested in pursuing a concentration in urban studies within a particular major are encouraged to contact their director of undergraduate studies. Faculty members listed above are available to help students identify appropriate sequences and combinations of courses and may also be willing to meet with students who are writing senior essays on interdisciplinary urban topics.

Vietnamese

(See under Southeast Asia Studies.)

Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies

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FACULTY ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM OF WOMEN’S, GENDER, AND SEXUALITY STUDIES

Professors Julia Adams (Sociology), Elizabeth Alexander (African American Studies), Carol Armstrong (History of Art), Hannah Brueckner (Sociology), Alicia Schmidt Camacho (American Studies), Jill Campbell (English), Hazel Carby (African American Studies, American Studies), Kang-i Sun Chang (East Asian Languages & Literatures), George Chauncey (History), Kamari Clarke (African American Studies, Anthropology), Deborah Davis (Sociology, East Asian Studies), Ronald Eyerman (Sociology), Glenda Gilmore (History), Jacqueline Goldsby (African American Studies, English), Inderpal Grewal (American Studies, Anthropology, Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies),

Associate Professors Keller Easterling (School of Architecture), Michael Rowe (School of Medicine)

Assistant Professor Khalilah Brown-Dean (African American Studies, Political Science)

Lecturers Ellen Brennan-Galvin (Forestry & Environmental Studies), Karla Britton (School of Architecture), Gordon Geballe (Forestry & Environmental Studies), Jay Gitlin (History), Cynthia Horan (Political Science), Virginia Jewiss (Humanities)
Dolores Hayden (School of Architecture, American Studies), Margaret Homans (English, Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Paula Hyman (History, Religious Studies), Marcia Inhorn (Anthropology, Global Affairs), Jennifer Klein (History), Marianne LaFrance (Psychology, Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Mary Lui (American Studies, History), Joanne Meyerowitz (American Studies, History), Sally Promey (American Studies, Institute of Sacred Music), Frances Rosenbluth (Political Science), Cynthia Russett (History), William Summers (Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry), Emilie Townes (African American Studies, Religious Studies), John Treat (East Asian Languages & Literatures), Michael Warner (English), Laura Wexler (American Studies, Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies)

Associate Professors Shannon Craig-Snell (Religious Studies), Moira Fradinger (Comparative Literature), Terri Francis (Film Studies, African American Studies), Janet Henrich (School of Medicine), Deb Margolin (Adjunct) (Theater Studies), Barry McCrea (Comparative Literature, English), Karen Nakamura (Anthropology), Naomi Rogers (History of Science, History of Medicine), Sarah Weiss (Music)

Assistant Professors Jafari Allen (African American Studies, Anthropology), Rene Almeling (Sociology), GerShun Avilez (African American Studies), Crystal Feimster (African American Studies), Kathryn Lofton (American Studies, Religious Studies), Alyssa Mt. Pleasant (American Studies, History), Naomi Pabst (African American Studies), Sam See (English)

Senior Lecturers Geetanjali Singh Chanda (Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Ron Gregg (Film Studies), Maria Trumpler (Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies)

Lecturers Melanie Boyd (Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Kathleen Cleaver (African American Studies), Liz Montegary (Women’s, Gender, & Sexuality Studies), Mikaela Rogozen-Soltar (Modern Middle East Studies), George Syrimis (Hellenic Studies), Rebecca Tannenbaum (History)

Genders and sexualities are powerful organizing forces: they shape identities and institutions, nations and economies, cultures and political systems. Careful study of gender and sexuality thus explains crucial aspects of our everyday lives on both intimate and global scales. The scholarship in Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies is interdisciplinary and wide-ranging, drawing on history, literature, cultural studies, social sciences, and natural science to study genders and sexualities as they intersect with race, ethnicity, class, nationality, transnational processes, disability, and religion.

Students majoring in Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies take a series of core courses, develop an individual area of concentration, and write a two-term senior essay. The program encourages work that is interdisciplinary, intersectional, international, and transnational. Individual concentrations evolve along with students’ intellectual growth and academic expertise. Recent examples of concentrations include literature and queer aesthetics; transnational feminist practices; the intellectual history of civil rights activism; AIDS health policies; gender, religion, and international NGOs; women’s health; food, sexuality, and lesbian community; and gender and sexuality in early education.

Requirements of the major Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies may be taken either as a primary major or as one of two majors. The major requires twelve term courses, including one gateway course, one intermediate course, one transnational perspectives
course, one methodology course, the junior sequence, and the senior sequence. The area of concentration consists of at least five courses, the majority of which should be drawn from program offerings. Courses for the area of concentration may also fulfill the requirements in transnational perspectives and methodology. Substitutions to the major requirements may be made only with the written permission of the director of undergraduate studies.

**Gateway course** The gateway courses (WGSS 110, 111, 115, 120, and 200) offer broad introductions to the fields of women’s, gender, and sexuality studies. Potential majors should aim to take a gateway course during the freshman or sophomore year.

**Intermediate course** There are two intermediate courses: Globalizing Gender (WGSS 295) and Introduction to LGBT Studies (WGSS 296). Majors are encouraged to take both but need take only one, preferably after the gateway course and prior to the junior sequence.

**Transnational perspectives course** Ideally, each student’s course work engages a broad diversity of cultural contexts, ethnicities, and global locations. Such study illuminates the links among nations, states, cultures, regions, and global locations. Most students take several classes that focus on genders and sexualities outside the U.S. context; majors are required to take at least one. (WGSS 295 cannot fulfill both the transnational perspectives and the intermediate requirements.)

**Methodology course** Given its interdisciplinary nature, Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies necessarily relies on a wide range of methodologies: literary criticism, ethnography, visual analysis, historiography, and quantitative data analysis, among others. Each student is expected to acquire competence in at least one methodology relevant to his or her own concentration and planned senior essay. In preparation for the senior essay, students are advised to complete the methods requirement in the junior year.

**Junior sequence** The two-term junior sequence consists of Feminist and Queer Theory (WGSS 340) and Junior Seminar: Theory and Method (WGSS 398). All students must take both courses. (Individualized alternatives are found for students who study abroad during the junior year and for students in the Class of 2012.)

**Senior sequence and senior essay** The two-term senior sequence consists of the Senior Colloquium (WGSS 490), in which students begin researching and writing a senior essay, followed by the Senior Essay (WGSS 491), in which students complete the essay. The senior essay is developed and written under the guidance and supervision of a WGSS-affiliated faculty member with expertise in the area of concentration. Students are expected to meet with their essay advisers on a regular basis.

**Requirements of the Major**

**Prerequisites** None

**Number of courses** 12 term courses (incl senior req)

**Specific courses required** WGSS 340, 398

**Distribution of courses** 1 gateway course; 1 intermediate course; 1 transnational perspectives course; 1 methodology course; 5 electives in area of concentration

**Senior requirement** Senior colloq and senior essay (WGSS 490, 491)
GATEWAY COURSES

WGSS 110a/ SOCY 134a, Sex and Gender in Society  Rene Almeling
For description see under Sociology.

[WGSS 111a/ AMST 111a/ HIST 129a/ RLST 111a, Sexuality and Religion]

[WGSS 115b/ AMST 115b/ ANTH 115b, Gender in a Transnational World]

WGSS 120a, Women, Food, and Culture  Maria Trumpler
Interdisciplinary exploration of the gendering of food production, preparation, and consumption in cross-cultural perspective. Topics include agricultural practices, cooking, pasteurization, kitchen technology, food storage, home economics, hunger, anorexia, breast-feeding, meals, and ethnic identity.  SO

WGSS 200a/ AMST 135a/ HIST 127a, U.S. Lesbian and Gay History  George Chauncey
For description see under History.

INTERMEDIATE COURSES

*WGSS 295b, Globalizing Gender  Geetanjali Singh Chanda
The use of gender as an analytical tool to understand a wide range of contemporary issues. Themes include nature versus culture, daily life, economic globalization, war, and fundamentalism; emphasis on connections between women’s experiences across national borders. Authors include Woolf, Enloe, Kincaid, Freedman, Mernissi, and Heilbrun.  WR, HU

*WGSS 296a, Introduction to LGBT Studies  Liz Montegary
Study of works that have as their theme gay and lesbian experience and identity since the late nineteenth century. Works include fiction and autobiographical texts, historical and sociological materials, texts on queer theory, and films. Focus on modes of representing sexuality and on the intersections between sexuality and race, ethnicity, class, gender, and nationality.  HU

JUNIOR SEMINARS

*WGSS 340a, Feminist and Queer Theory  Inderpal Grewal
Advanced theoretical approaches in feminism and queer studies. Readings from key texts include postcolonial, transnational, and critical race perspectives.

*WGSS 398b, Junior Seminar: Theory and Method  Melanie Boyd
An interdisciplinary approach to studying gender and sexuality. Exploration of a range of relevant theoretical frameworks and methodologies. Prepares students for the senior essay.  WR, HU, SO

SENIOR COURSES

*WGSS 490a or b, The Senior Colloquium  Maria Trumpler
A research seminar taken during the senior year. Students with diverse research interests and experience discuss common problems and tactics in doing independent research.

*WGSS 491a or b, The Senior Essay  Maria Trumpler
Independent research on, and writing of, the senior essay.
ELECTIVES

*WGSS 032b, History of Sexuality  Maria Trumpler
Exploration of scientific and medical writings on sexuality over the past century. Focus on the tension between nature and culture in shaping theories, the construction of heterosexuality and homosexuality, the role of scientific studies in moral discourse, and the rise of sexology as a scientific discipline. Enrollment limited to freshmen. Preregistration required; see under Freshman Seminar Program.  WR, HU  Fr sem

WGSS 132b/AMST 132b/HIST 132b, American Politics and Society, 1945 to the Present  Jennifer Klein
For description see under History.

WGSS 167a/AFAM 167a/AMST 317a, African American Women’s History  Crystal Feimster
For description see under African American Studies.

*WGSS 236b, Masculinity and Militarization  Liz Montegary
Historical and theoretical analysis of the relationship between masculinities and the U.S. military. Ways in which histories of colonial conquest and contemporary practices of empire shape discourse about manhood in relation to race and nation. Militarized processes underpinning the regulation of racialized, sexualized, and disabled masculinities. The extension of militarized constructions of masculinity into everyday life in the United States.

WGSS 272a/AMST 272a/ER&M 282a/HIST 183a, Asian American History, 1800 to the Present  Mary Lui
For description see under American Studies.

*WGSS 301a/SOCY 311a, Gender, Race, and Genetic Testing  Rene Almeling
For description see under Sociology.

*WGSS 309b/AFAM 304b/AMST 309b, Toni Morrison  Naomi Pabst
For description see under African American Studies.

WGSS 315b/PSYC 342b, Psychology of Gender  Marianne LaFrance
For description see under Psychology.

*WGSS 319a, Queer Mobilities  Liz Montegary
Ways in which histories of travel, immigration, and displacement shape the formation of sexual identities, communities, and politics. Rural and suburban movements; experiences of escape and exile; immigration, asylum, and diaspora; surveillance, imprisonment, and war; narratives of rescue; political, economic, and cultural dimensions of the lesbian and gay tourism industry.

*WGSS 327a/MMES 311a, Constructing the Self: From Autobiography to Facebook  Geetanjali Singh Chanda
Autobiography in its evolving form as literary genre, historical archive, and individual and community narrative in a changing geographical context. Women’s life stories from Afghanistan, China, Cambodia, Indonesia, India, Iran, Egypt, Jordan, and Vietnam illustrate the dialectic relationship between the global and the local. What the reading
and writing of autobiographies reveal about oneself and one's place in society; how autobiography can be considered a horizontal community formation.  WR, HU

*WGSS 328b/ER&M 328b/SAST 458b, Popular Culture and Postcolonial India  
Geetanjali Singh Chanda  
A study of films and literature of South Asians living, working, and directing in Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States. Questions of commercial populism, authenticity, and postcolonial identity.  WR

*WGSS 331a/AFAM 344a/ENGL 304a, Black Women Writers of the 1940s and 1950s  
Jacqueline Goldsby  
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*WGSS 336a/AFAM 327a/AMST 373a/ENGL 339a, American Literary Nationalisms  
GerShun Avilez  
For description see under African American Studies.

*WGSS 339b/ENGL 385b, Feminist Fictions  
Margaret Homans  
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*WGSS 342a/AFAM 279a/AMST 273a, Black Women’s Literature  
Naomi Pabst  
For description see under African American Studies.

*WGSS 367b/HIST 405Jb, Transnational History of Sexual Politics  
George Chauncey  
For description see under History.

*WGSS 368b/ANTH 398b/ER&M 498b/MMES 118b, Anthropology of Immigration  
Mikaela Rogozen-Soltar  
For description see under Anthropology.

*WGSS 369a/ENGL 369a/ER&M 367a, Adoption Narratives  
Margaret Homans  
For description see under English Language & Literature.

*WGSS 370a, Theorizing Sexual Violence  
Melanie Boyd  
Examination of varying theoretical frameworks for understanding sexual violence as it unfolds within specific cultural contexts. The influence of representations of gender, race, class, sexual orientation, sexual practice, and violence. Focus on the theoretical implications for efforts to combat sexual violence. Acquaintance rape on college campuses as the central but not sole example. Along with other course work, students design and implement their own intervention projects.  WR

*WGSS 371a/AMST 322a, Gender, Family, and Cultural Identity in Asia and the United States  
Geetanjali Singh Chanda  
A cross-cultural dialogue focusing on family, gender, and identity. An exploration of how specific Asian countries and people approach issues of religion, dress, education, and food as identity markers; U.S. perceptions and reactions to similar issues.  WR, HU

*WGSS 376b/AMST 136b/FILM 444bG, Sexual Modernity and Censorship in American Film  
Ron Gregg  
For description see under Film Studies.
WGSS 379b/HIST 122Jb, American Women Religious Leaders and Activists
Cynthia Russett
For description see under History.

WGSS 383b/HIST 244Jb/JDST 385b/RLST 225b, Women in Modern Jewish History
Paula Hyman
For description see under History.

WGSS 388a/AFAM 349a/AMST 326a, Civil Rights and Women's Liberation
Crystal Feimster
For description see under African American Studies.

WGSS 389b/AFAM 389b/ENGL 371b, Sexuality in African American Literature and Popular Culture
GerShun Avilez
For description see under African American Studies.

WGSS 402a/EALL 330a, Homosexual Desire in East Asian Literatures
John Treat
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

WGSS 405b/CHNS 201b, Women and Literature in Traditional China
Kang-i Sun Chang
For description see under East Asian Languages & Literatures.

WGSS 409a/AMST 410a/HIST 166Ja, Asian American Women and Gender, 1830 to the Present
Mary Lui
For description see under History.

WGSS 418b, Privacy, Privatization, and Queer Public Cultures
Liz Montegary
Queer critiques of neoliberal discourses of privacy and processes of privatization. Examination of queer scholarship and activism on privacy rights, marriage equality, and military service. The effects of prison and university privatization on marginalized queer communities. The past, present, and future of queer public cultures.

WGSS 425b, Graphic Memoir
Laura Wexler
The graphic memoir examined from literary, visual, historical, critical, and creative perspectives. History of the genre, theory of comics and popular culture, theory of memoir, and cultural and media studies. Works by Art Spiegelman, Marjane Satrapi, Joe Saco, Alison Bechdel, Phoebe Gloeckner, and Alissa Torres. HU

WGSS 427a/HIST 127Ja, Witchcraft in Colonial America
Rebecca Tannenbaum
For description see under History.

WGSS 428a/HIST 169Ja, Labor and Democracy in the Twentieth-Century United States
Jennifer Klein
For description see under History.

WGSS 431a/ANTH 451a, Intersectionality and Women's Health
Marcia Inhorn
For description see under Anthropology.
*WGSS 434b/AMST 349b/ER&M 288b, Border Feminism  Alicia Schmidt Camacho
For description see under American Studies.

*WGSS 438b/AFAM 414b, Women, Law, and the Black Freedom Movement  Kathleen Cleaver
For description see under African American Studies.

*WGSS 448b/HIST 151Jb/HSHM 448b, American Medicine and the Cold War  Naomi Rogers
For description see under History of Science, History of Medicine.

*WGSS 451bG/AMST 449b, Photography and Memory: Public and Private Lives  Laura Wexler
Photographs as a source for the creation of public and private memory in the United States from 1839 to the present.  HU

*WGSS 459bG/ANTH 455bG, Masculinity and Men's Health  Marcia Inhorn
For description see under Anthropology.

*WGSS 466a/PSYC 414a, Gender Images: A Psychological Perspective  Marianne LaFrance
For description see under Psychology.

*WGSS 471a or b, Independent Directed Study  Melanie Boyd
For students who wish to explore an aspect of women's, gender, and sexuality studies not covered by existing courses. The course may be used for research or directed readings and should include one lengthy or several short essays. Students meet with their adviser regularly. To apply for admission, students present a prospectus to the director of undergraduate studies along with a letter of support from the adviser. The prospectus must include a description of the research area, a core bibliography, and the expected sequence and scope of written assignments.

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