## CATALOG

## Correspondence Directory

If you ask Virginia Wesleyan students why they came here, most


The honor code offers guidelines for academic conduct and disciplinary procedures for infractions o the code. For a complete statement of the honor code, see the Student Handbook distributed through the D ean of Students 0 ffice.

## TheVirginiaWeseyan Creed

We accept and support the Virginia Wesleyan

## onor Code.

- a commitment to trustworthiness and a
willingness to assume personal responsibility fo honorable behavior
We seek experiences that enhance persona academic excellence and an integrated liberal arts perspective
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classroom.
We abide by and uphold the Virginia Wesleyan Community Standards.
- a commitment to good campus citizenship in all undertakings.
We value and respect diversity in all facets of our multicultural society.
a commitment to recognize and to celebrate the importance of cultural differences within ou campus community and to oppose all forms of discrimination.
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4. Providing opportunities for experientia learning. In addition to the many opportunities offered through course enhancements, faculty members are committed to developing and supporting the wider academic program, which offers an array of experiential learning opportunities, including the PORTfolio program, travel abroad in W inter Session, semesters abroad, community service opportunities such as the annual Homeless Shelter week, internships and externships related to specific academic disciplines and intercollegiate academic activities such as the Model U.N. and Ethics Bowl programs
5. Offering a multi-faceted educational Offering a multi-faceted educational
experience. Although faculty members have experience. Although faculty members have
their own academic specialties, their interests tend to be broad and their experiences varied so that the educational program as a whol manifests a commitment to considering multiple approaches to intellectual questions. This flexibility is evident in the faculty's support of First-Year Experience and the General Studies Program, as well as the various experiential learning opportunities listed above
6. Providing quality faculty advising. Faculty assist students personally as they choose majors, minors, and elective courses; they also mentor students as they address issues related to their academic performance, plan their careers, and apply to graduate and professional schools.
7. Encouraging civic engagement. Faculty designed the curriculum to encourage reflection on the ethical dimensions of human experience by asking students to think abou heir values and their civic and human roles and responsibilities. While no specific cause or deology is promoted, they intend that students should come to recognize and value thei involvement in various local, regional, nationa and global communities
In short, under the direction of a strong, dedicated faculty, Virginia Weseyan's academic program challenges students to take responsibility or their learning, to embrace a wide variety of cademic experiences, and to commit themselves to substantial inteliectual work and personal development.

## The Student Experience

Recognizing that the skills and previous ducational experiences of students vary widely faculty at Virginia Wesleyan are committed to guiding students and helping them advance their skills, from the time they enter the college until the graduate. To get the most from their college experience, students will need to possess the following general academic skills and personal qualities:

1. Organizational and time management skills. The $4 \times 4$ curriculum demands that students prioritize their academic work over jobs, sports, and other activities. The time commitment required for success is a major change for many students who are new to the college. The papers, independent projects, and other enhancements in many courses require students to devote significant time outside of class to course-related activities, working independently or in small groups. Firstsemester students need to recognize and adapt quickly to this increase in their academic responsibilities.
2. The ability to persist. The $4 \times 4$ curriculum requires that students enter the college with well-established study habits and the willingness to spend countless hours strengthening their academic skills to accomplish the intense intellectual work typica of the 4 -semester hour courses. Writing an original research paper or completing a significant hands-on project requires students to tackle a series of complex problems over an extended period of time. They must be willing and able to work through multiple stages and multiple revisions, assisted by professors who provide mentoring and encouragement.
3. Effective communication with faculty, staff, and other students. $M$ any of the course enhancements in the $4 \times 4$ curriculum require students to be proactive and articulate as they seek information and assistance from other sek lents faculty librarians, and professional sat students, faculty, librarians, and professionals a institutions and organizations outside the college. This is a change for many students, compared to their high school experience. They must be wiling to seek out support and encouragement from faculty members and advisors as they learn to articulate their needs clearly and diplomatically
4. The ability to read and respond to complex texts. The $4 \times 4$ curriculum requires entering students to possess strong general reading skills. During their years at the college, they will be expected to draw on a broad educational background to interpret texts according to thei cultural and rhetorical contexts, and to recognize structural elements, analyze arguments, and detect implicit assumptions and agendas.
5. The ability to develop questions, synthesize and respond to ideas, and apply theory to practice. The $4 \times 4$ curriculum requires student
and math skills, test preparation, time management academic counseling, and services and accommodations for students with special needs Services are available free of charge to all students.

${ }^{\prime \prime} W$ hat kind of job can I get with a major


The Center for Sacred M usic at Virginia all students to broaden their awareness of the music and ritual that have been part of humankind's

American Protestant hymnody; "Let All the World in Every Corner Sing," an examination of "service music" used in various world religions; "H ere Comes the Bride," wedding ritual and music in various world traditions; and "Sing M e To H eaven," an exploration of the music and ceremony used in various cultures for funerals and services of remembrance.

Performance Opportunities: The Wesleyan Festival Chorus and the Wesleyan Worship Choir are massed choirs of students and community singers which link choral musicians with the finest conductors in the world for worship leadership and partipate in evance. Each emadership and


Commuter Assistant, who holds office hours

## CLUB SPORTS

D ance Team
Dance Company
Equestrian Club
Field H ockey Club
Lacrosse Club
Roller H ockey Club
Step Team
Surf Club
Swim Club

## FRATERNITIESAND

## SORORITIES

Alpha K appa Alpha
Alpha Sigma Alpha
Greek Presidents Council
Interfraternity Council
Iota Phi Beta
Kappa Alpha
Panhellenic Council
Phi K appa Tau
Phi Sigma Sigma
Sigma Sigma Sigma

## LEADERSHIP GROUPS

Commuter Club
Club President Roundtable
First Year Leadership Council
Honors and Scholars
Residence H all Association
Student Government Association
Wesleyan Activities Council

- After D ark
- ICE
- M ainstage
- TGIF
- Traditions
- VWC and Beyond


## CLUBS ORGANIZE

## AROUND MAJORS

American Criminal Justice Club
Classics Club
D rama Club
French, German, Spanish Club
M ath/C omputer Science Club
O rder of Infinity
Philosophical Society
Political Science Association
Psychology Club
Recreation M ajors Club
Science Club
Society for the Advancement of
$M$ anagement (SAM)
SVEA/NEA
NATIONAL HONOR
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responsibility for their educational and living expenses. Students must submit a financial affidavit before an I-20 can be issued.

International students who have outstanding academic records and have taken the SAT exam may apply to the Admissions Office for an academic or leadership scholarship. Scholarships are awarded based on the TO EFL score, the SAT scores, the high school transcript, and a scholarship essay.

Veterans



The schedule for payment for new students entering fall 2013 is as follows:

Resident Student (double room)

| M ay 1 (deposit) | $\$$ | 300 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| July 29 |  | 20,520 |
| D ecember 9 |  | 20,020 |
| C ommuter Student |  |  |
| M ay 1 (deposit) |  | 300 |
| July 29 |  | 16,116 |
| D ecember 9 |  |  |
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New students who have not completed their

## Full-Time Students

- Full-time students receiving financial aid are allowed six academic years (an academic year is two semesters plus one
- Full-time students must successfully complet a minimum of 22 semester hours in any single academic year (fall, Winter Session, spring academic year
- Full-time students must also maintain an acceptable grade point average as follows: a student classified as a freshman must have minimum cumulative GPA of 1.6 ; a sophomore, 1.8; a junior, 2.0; and a senior, 2.0.

A student whose cumulative grade point average is below the minimum is considered to be making satisfactory progress if he or she has earned the required number of semester hours and maintained grade point average of 2.5 for the immediate past semester.

## Part-Time Students

Part-time students receiving financial aid are expected to progress at proportionately the same rat as full-time students. They are limited to 12 academi years of aid eligibility.

## Transfer Students

The satisfactory progress of transfer students
receiving financial aid is based on a student's class
status at the time of enrollment at Virginia Wesley 5D graT 1(T 0-0.0000 9 53mOrs and m3948 0 6)c2.11112 Twuir3948



## Historical Perspectives (H)

C omplete one from the following list:

| ARTH 231 | FR 329 | H IST 313 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ARTH 232 | GER 317 | H IST 314 |
| ARTH 341 | GER 344 | H IST 316 |
| ARTH 351 | HIST 219 | H IST 317 |
| CLAS 209 | HIST 220 | H IST 325 |
| CLAS 210 | HIST 250 | H IST 328 |
| CLAS 356 | HIST 251 | H IST 347 |
| CLAS 360 | HIST 252 | H IST 348 |
| FR 328 | HIST 306 | H IST 349 |


| HIST 350 | HIST 418 |
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| HIST 351 | MBE 330 |
| H IST 352 | PH IL 332 |
| HIST 353 | PH IL 336 |
| H IST 380 | POLS 317 |
| HIST 385 | RELST 303 |
| HIST 415 | RELST 304 |
| HIST 417 | RELST 326 |

Natural Science Laboratory (L)
Complete one from the following list:

| BIO 100 | BIO 221 | EES 131 | EES 210 | PH YS 142 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| BIO 131 | BIO 222 | EES 133 | PH SC 100 | PH YS 221 |
| BIO 132 | CHEM 120 | EES 200 | PH YS 141 | PH YS 222 |
| BIO 150 |  |  |  |  |

Quantitative Perspectives (Q)
Complete one from the following list

| CS 110 | MATH 104 | MATH 150 | M ATH 189 | POLS 265 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| CS 112 | MATH 135 | MATH 171 | M ATH 205 | PSY 210 |
| CS 205 | MATH 136 | MATH 172 | M ATH 210 | SW 450 |

Institutional and Cultural Systems (S)
Complete one from the following list:

| AM ST 200 | M BE 106 | POLS 210 | POLS 350 | SOC 237 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| BIO 285 | M BE 332 | POLS 250 | POLS 353 | SOC 251 |
| CJ 348 | M BE 333 | POLS 302 | POLS 355 | SOC 270 |
| COM 101 | M BE 373 | POLS 323 | POLS 373 | SOC 311 |
| ENVS 106 | POLS 103 | POLS 326 | POLS 422 | SOC 351 |
| ENVS 326 | POLS 111 | POLS 335 | PSY 380 | SPAN 355 |
| GEO 112 | POLS 112 | POLS 343 | REC 101 | SPAN 365 |
| GEOG 113 | POLS 201 | POLS 344 | SOC 100 | SW 201 |
| H IST 346 | POLS 202 | POLS 345 | SOC 110 | WGS 219 |
| INST 202 | POLS 206 | POLS 348 | SOC 219 |  |

LiteraryTextual Analysis (T)
Complete one from the following list:

| CLAS 263 | ENG 258 | ENG 265 | ENG 284 | ENG 289 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| CLAS 264 | ENG 259 | ENG 266 | EN 285 | PH IL 203 |
| ENG 216 | ENG 261 | ENG 280 | EN G 286 | POLS 203 |
| ENG 250 | ENG 263 | ENG 281 | EN G 287 | TH 250 |
| ENG 251 | ENG 264 |  |  |  |

## Ethical Values and Faith Perspectives (V)

C omplete one from the following list:

| CLAS 105 | PHIL 110 | PH IL 350 | RELST 217 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| COM 335 | PHIL 212 | PH IL 353 | RELST 218 |
| CSRF 232 | PHIL 215 | PH IL 372 | RELST 232 |
| CSRF 233 | PHIL 221 | POLS 204 | RELST 233 |
| ENVS 304 | PHIL 253 | POLS 239 | RELST 238 |
| GER 205 | PHIL 272 | RELST 113 | RELST 250 |
| GER 305 | PHIL 304 | RELST 116 |  |
| HIST 248 | PHIL 316 | RELST 140 |  |
| HUM 150 | PHIL 321 | RELST 157 |  |
| PHIL 101 | PHIL 328 | RELST 180 |  |
| PHIL 102 | PHIL 337 | RELST 181 |  |
| PHIL 105 |  |  |  |

## Majors

Each student must successfully complete at least one major offered by the college. The student must declare a major and designate a major advisor no late than the semester in which the student completes 64 hours. Subsequent change to a different major is subject to the requirements of that particular major such as restrictions on GPA and time of declaration Forms for completing this process are available on the Registrar's home page or in the Registrar's Office Students may change majors at any time by filing a new declaration.
The student's major advisor or committee must certify that the student has successfully completed al the requirements for the major prior to graduation. A student may not present more than 64 semester hours in any one discipline or more than 88 semester hours in any one discipline or more than 88 semester hour in any two disciplines to fulfill graduation
requirements (see "Limitation on C ourse Credits").



Cross-Registration: Virginia Wesleyan's membership in the Virginia Tidewater Consortium provides students with opportunities for enriching their educational programs through a process of crosseducational programs through a process of crossregistration at other institutions of higher education ocated in H ampton Roads. Subject to avail able space at another school, Virginia Wesleyan students may course that is not offered here in a given semester. course that is not offered here in a given semester. Students requesting to cross-register for a course at another school must have the written approval of their advisor and the Registrar and be in good academic standing ( 2.00 GPA). Grades earned through cross-registration become part of the student's grade point average. Complete information covering the conditions of cross-registration is available in the Registrar's $O$ ffice.
Transient Registration: Virginia Wesleyan students may take courses at other institutions of higher education and transfer the credit in. To do so, they must be in good academic standing, complete an application, and receive the written approval of their advisor and the Registrar prior to registering for any courses at other institutions. Approved credit is

*After 64 credit hours, students with a GPA below
2.0 can be placed on probation by the Committee
on Academic Standing, or suspended or dismissed by the Committee.

## Academic Clemency

Virginia Wesleyan College recognizes that some students may, for a variety of reasons, develop academic records that do not reflect their true abilities. Students who leave the college with poor records di8witsh tore

O ne of the following:
COMM 321
Theories of M ass C ommunication
ENG 311
Theory \& Criticism
HIST 360
Junior Research Seminar
SOC 345
Foundations of Sociology
SOSCI 3xx
Research M ethods for the Social Sciences

Research M ethods for the Social Sciences
WGS 319
$\frac{\text { Feminist and Gender Theory }}{\text { One additional course from either }}$
C ategory 1 or Category 2*
AMST 4xx

American Studies Thesis
TOTAL
*For a complete listing of courses, please see the program coordinator.

## Minor Requirements: American Studies

| COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE | SEM. <br> HRS. |
| :--- | :---: |
| AM ST 200 <br> Introduction to American Studies | 4 |
| One 300/400-level course from <br> the Social Sciences* | 4 |
| One 300/400-level course from <br> the H umanities* | 4 |
| Electives* | TOTAL |

*For a complete listing of courses available in the American Studies minor, please see the program coordinator.

## AMERICAN STUDIES COURSES

 (AMST)200 Introduction to American Studies (4)
Introduces students to the interdisciplinary field of American studies and exposes them to a variety of approaches to understanding American nationa experiences, values, and ideals. Investigates the myths and cultural narratives that have shaped our definition of what it means to be American, and general perceptions about American culture. Offered each fall.

## ANTHROPOLOGY

(See Sociology)

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## ART

M s. Sharon Swift, Program Coordinator
Mr. Philip Guilfoyle
Dr. Joyce Howell
Mr. John Rudel
The Art Department offers courses in studio art and art history, balancing art production with an awareness of related cultural values. The art major consists of core courses in studio art and art history, upper-level electives in a choice of media, and a capstone course that involves creating a body of work and exhibiting it. Class work is supported by ongoing art exhibitions in two campus gallery spaces and by field trips to local and regional museums and galleries, further enriching the curriculum. Art majors may also earn certification for teaching by mupplementing the major with specific education supplementing the major with specific education coursesudio and art history. Students should select both studio art and according to their interestsor to coursesfor hemin accor for strengthen skilis, communications, design, business, recreation therapy, arts management, and other creative fields.

## Major Requirements: Art

COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE SEM.

ART 204
Digital Art
ART 206
Painting I
ART 205
Drawing I
Drawing I
ART 207
Representation
ART 208
Photography
ART 209
Sculpture I
ART 213
OR 4
Ceramics
ARTH 231
Ancient \& M 38

Explores the possibilities of sculptural form and threedimensional problem solving through materials such as cardboard, paper, clay, plaster, wood, wax, etc such as cardboard, paper, clay, plaster, wood, wax, etc Emphasis is placed on understanding three round through carving modeling and constructing round through carving, modeling, and constructing

## 213 Ceramics I (4)

Structured to provide an introduction to ceramic
art production, balanced with ceramic art history

## 320 Ornithology (4)

A study of birds emphasizing diversity, behaviora ecology, and life history. Regular field observations are required and may occur under a variety of weathe conditions. Prerequisite: BIO 131. Lecture three hours, laboratory three hours each week. O ffered on demand.

## 354 Marine Invertebrate Evolution (4)

An introduction to the study of evolutionary processes, with particular attention paid to marine invertebrates, especially marine bivalves, because o their rich evolutionary history and well-documented ossil record. Evolution is examined at a variety of scales from molecular to ecological. Lecture three ours, laboratory three hours each week. Prerequisite IO 131 or 132. \$50 lab fee. Offered fall of even numbered years on demand

## 355 Marine Biology (4)

A study of organismal adaptation and community organization in marine and estuarine habitats. A variety of marine habitats are examined, with the laboratory focusing primarily on local species and abitat types. Prerequisite: two semesters of gener iology or BIO 131 and sophomore status or higher ffered each fall.

## 371 Histology (4)

A detailed study of the cells, tissues, and organs that comprise the mammalian body. Intended for students seeking careers in biology, medicine, or veterinary sciences. Prerequisite: a grade of C or higher in BIO 131 and 132 or consent. Lecture three hours, laboratory three hours each week. Offered on demand.

## 372 Comparative Anatomy (4)

A study of the evolution, morphology, and physiology of ver

## 305 International AccountingTheory (4)

A study of accounting for firms engaged in international commerce: translation of foreign currency financial statements, and for branches, subsidiaries, mergers, acquisitions, and divestitures of multinational corporations. Prerequisites: M BE 203 and 204. Offered spring of odd-numbered years.

## 306 Business Law (4)

A study of contract law and the Uniform Commercial Code. Prerequisites: M BE 101 or 201 and junior/senior status. Offered spring of evennumbered years.

## 308 Comparative Economic Systems (4)

An in-depth, integrated study of the development and functioning of the American economic system compared with those of other countries. Prerequisite M BE 100 or 201. O ffered intermittently

## 310 Money, Banking, and

Financial Institutions (4)
The basics of monetary policy in terms of public policy. Includes the study of the Federal Reserve System, commercial bank lending, investments, money, and capital markets. Prerequisites: M BE 201 and 202. Offered each fall.

## 315 Managing Diversity in Organizations (4)

Promotes an awareness of cultural differences and positive attitudes toward these differences. Includes topics related to effective management of people who vary in race, gender, age, disability status, nationality or sexual orientation. Prerequisite: EN G 105 with a grade of $C$ or higher. Offered fall of odd-numbered years.

## 316 Marketing Principles (4)

Builds upon the analytical and communication skills gained in lower-level courses. Students gain an understanding of products and services, channels of istribution, pricing strategies, and elements of promotion. Prerequisites: MBE 201 and 203 and unior status. Offered each semester.

## 322 Financial Management (4)

Students learn how to determine in what assets a firm should invest and what sources of funding are appropriate. Topics include mathematical analysis o perating and financial leverage, the cost of capital management of working capital, and sources of management of working capital, and sources of 203, and 204, and M ATH 210 (formerly M AT H 106). O ffered each semester

## 324 Human Resource Management (4)

A study of the human resource process incuding such issues as recruiting, selection, training performance appraisal, and compensation. Learning activities include experiential and group exercises, discussions, readings on HRM framework and discussions, readings on H RM framework and application to cases, analytical issue papers, and ora reports. Prerequisites: ENG 105 with a grade of C or higher and M BE 301, or consent. O ffered fall of oddnumbered years.
330 History of EconomicThought (4)2 Tc51m5mewn HF

Prerequisites: senior status, M BE 301, 316, 322, 400 and all other general studies requirements completed at least concurrently. 0 ffered intermittently.

## 414 Internship Exploration and Design (4)

Students find, design, and maximize the independent learning experience to be undertaken in the spring internship courses, M BE 416 and 417. A major outcome is the negotiation of a learning plan agreement with a sponsoring organization Prerequisites: a major in business with a 3.0 or higher GPA, all required major and general studies requirements completed at least concurrently, and admission to the internship program. Offered each fall.

## 416 Management Internship (12)

Students implement the work-and-learning greements devised in MBE 414 for full-time placement ( 14 weeks or a minimum of 560 tota hours) as a professional in a sponsoring organization hey gain practical experience in applying previously acquired knowledge and managerial skills. Students self-evaluate and are evaluated by their organizationa fevaluate and fascail grading Prerequisite: MBE 414 supervisor. Passffail grading. Prerequisite: M BE 414

## 417 Internship Seminar (4)

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Integrates management theory, especially ethical analysis and action, with general studies knowledge while enhancing business skills during a full-time internship. Weekly written and oral reports, two major reflection papers, and a strategic managemen simulation enhance learning. Prerequisite: M BE 414 must co-register for M BE 416. O ffered each spring.

## 490 Independent Study in Management (1-3)

problem solving skills. Lecture four hours, laboratory
three hours each week. Prerequisites: high school
chemistry, CHEM 105 or equivalent or PH SC 100

## 450 Global Environmental Cycles (4)

Explores the connections among the atmosphere, hydrosphere, lithosphere, and biosphere through exploration of global cycling of nutrients and pollutants. Students investigate these biogeochemical cycles through analysis of primary research articles, field measurements, chemical analysis, and a self-

Civilization, Culture, Tradition
Three of the following:
CLAS 105
C lassical M ythology
CLAS 120
Introduction to Classical Archaeology
CLAS 209
Greek H istory
CLAS 210
CLAS 210
Roman History
CLAS 263
World Literature I
ARTH 231
Ancient \& M edieval Art History
RELST 217
The Old Testament World
RELST 218
The N ew Testament W orld

## Synthesis and Specialization $\ddagger$

Four of the following:
CLAS 330

| Classical Epic \& the Epic Tradition CLAS 350 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Women in the Ancient World |  |
| CLAS 370 |  |
| The Ancient World in Cinema |  |
| CLAS 356 |  |
| VW C in Greece |  |
| CLAS 360 | 16 |
| Classical Virginia |  |
| LATN 305* |  |
| Topics in Latin Prose |  |
| LATN 306* |  |
| Topics in Latin Poetry |  |
| RELST 303 |  |
| Saints \& H eretics: Christian History I |  |
| PHIL 332 |  |
| Ancient Greek Philosophy |  |
| CLAS 450 | 4 |
| Senior Seminar in Classics | 4 |
| TOTAL | 36 |

*If taken only once, LATN 305 or 306 may count either toward the language component or the civilization component, but not both. When a student's previous language experience and career goals make it appropriate, the language requirement for the major in classical studies may be waived by the program coordinator, or the LAT N 111-112 or GREK 121-122 sequence counted as sufficient. In these circumstances the additional 4 hours needed to reach the minimum of 36 hours required for the major must be taken from other courses under the CLAS, LATN, or GREK rubrics, or from
appropriate courses in related disciplines approved by the Classics Program Coordinator. When offered, intermediatelevel biblical H ebrew may also be used to fulfill the language requirement.
$\mp$ O ther appropriate 300/400-level courses in related disciplines such as art history may also be counted oward these 16 hours, subject to the approval of the Classics Program Coordinator.

## Major Requirements: Latin

## COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE

## Civilizatio

G reek History
Greek H istory
Roman H istory
Two of the following:
CLAS 105
Introduction to Classical M ythology
CLAS 120
Classical Archaeology
CLAS 263
World Literature
LATN 213
Intermediate Latin
GREK 213
Intermediate Greek

## Language, Translation, Rhetoric,

Textual Analysis, and Etymology
(both repeated with a different topic)
LATN 305
Topics in Latin Prose
LATN 306
Topics in Latin Poetry

## Synthesis and Specialization $\ddagger$

O ne of the following:
CLAS 330, 350, 356, 360, 370,
CLAS 330, $350,356,360,370$,
RELST 303, PH IL 332, LATN 471

| RELST 303 |
| :--- |
| CLAS 450 |

Senior Seminar in Classics
4
TOTAL
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$\ddagger 0$ ther appropriate 300/400-level courses in related areas such as art history may also be counted toward these four credits, subject to the approval of the Classics Program Coordinator.
Students interested in graduate school are strongly encouraged to undertake more iterations of these courses. Those considering graduate school in classics, archaeology, or a related discipline should takeG REK 121,122 , and some Greek at the 300 level.
architecture helped to shapethe culture of the state of
Virginia. O ffered W inter Session when circumstances permit.

370 The Ancient World in the Cinema (4) A
Studies how ancient Greece and Rome continue to interest and influence us through the modern medium of cinema. Includes readings of selected medium of cinema. Includes readings of selected assical texts and comparisons with modern screen reatments. Attention is given both to moder "his inel" "hictin reativity, audience expectation, historical accuracy and modern myth-making.

## 450 Senior Seminar in Classics (4)

Offers students the opportunity to do sustaine esearch on a chosen topic and to present the result in a substantial (20-30 page) piece of work. Upon ompletion of the project, students present their work in a public oral defense. Prerequisites: successful completion of EN G 105 with a grade of C or higher and senior status, with a major in Classical Studies or Latin. O ffered annually as needed.

## GREEK COURSES (GREK)

## 121 BeginningAncient Greek I (4)

An introduction to the grammar, syntax, and vocabulary of ancient Greek. Completion of the year long sequence prepares students to read connected passages in ancient texts such as the dialogues of Plato

- At least 24 of the 44 total semester hours in the major must betaken at the 300/400 level. These 24 upper-level semester hours must be distributed across at least two academic divisions.
- No more than half of the semester hours from courses in any one division may be taken in the same department or discipline.
- O ne interdisciplinary course designated IN ST may be included in the major and counted either as a humanities or social sciences course An INST course may not be counted in the major as a natural sciences and mathematics course
- At least one laboratory science course must be included as part of the major.
- English and foreign language courses taken to satisfy core requirements in the Program of General Studies may not be included in th major, but courses satisfying other Gener Studies requirements may be included.
- A 2.5 grade point average in all courses included in the CLS is required for graduation.
A student wishing to declare the CLS major must file a Declaration of $M$ ajor form with the $O$ ffice of the Registrar at least two semesters before graduation summer not counting as a semester. In addition, ontract outlining the plan of study must be worked ut in close consultation with an academic advisor, who may be a full-time faculty member from any one of the three academic divisions. This contract mus include (1) a list of the courses the student plans to take and include in the proposed CLS major; and (2) an essay explaining the student's goals and reasons for choosing the CLS major and articulating a unifying theme that will define and give clear irection to the major; and (3) a statemen dentifying courses that will be used to fulfill th ollege's requirements for oral communication ompetence computer proficiency and showing how ose courses wil these requirements.
The contract must be appr


## 132 Environmental Geology

without Laboratory (4)
Identical to EES 133 but with web-based assignments in lieu of a formal laboratory. Intended for those interested in learning about environmental
each week. Includes at least two required field trips to key locations in the central Appalachians. O ffered spring of even-numbered years.

## 340 Climatology (4)

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An examination of the earth's climate system and the science of climate change. Topics include the dynamics and feedbacks of the climate system, ocean and biosphere influences on climate, reconstruction of past climate, predications of future climate, and human influences on global and regional weather patterns. Prerequisite: EES 200 or EES 210. O ffered fall of even-numbered years.

## 400 Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM) (2)

Introduces the broad research applications of SEM. Topics include sample preparation, critical point drying, sputter coating, imaging, and x-ray microanalysis. Includes weekly hands-on training with the SEM and completion of an independent research project. Identical to BIO 400. Prerequisites: junior/senior status and consent. Offered in select spring semesters.

## 410 Watershed Hydrology (4)

An introduction to the underlying theory and practical applications of water science at the watershed scale. Lectures include brief in-class exercises and problems that illustrate hydrologic principles. Prerequisites: EES 132 or ESS 133 and math placement H or A, or M ATH 135. Offered spring of even-numbered years.

## 425 TheAge of Oil (4)

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Explores all aspects of oil: its chemistry and origin; how we find it and turn it into myriad products; the influence that cheap, abundant oil has had on our society; and its role in politics and war. Environmental effects and the questions about the future supply will also be considered. Prerequisites: senior status or consent. O ffered when circumstances permit.

435 Tropical Ecology (4)

## EDUCATION/ <br> SPECIAL EDUCATION

Dr. Karen Bosch, Director of Teacher Education Ms. Ginger L. Ferris
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Director of Field Experiences
Virginia Wesleyan College is known for excellence in preparing classroom teachers. The Professional Education Program provides the highest quality of teaching methodology and disciplinary preparation in the content areas. Unique features of the program include a comprehensive liberal arts education, early field experiences, strong mentoring by faculty and staff, and the development of area school partnerships through advisory committees and school division contacts. The program is reviewed periodically by the Virginia Department of Education and approved by the Virginia Board of Education. All programs fulfil the curricular requirements detailed in the Regulations Governing the Review and Approval of Education Programs in Virginia. C areer assistance is provided to all candidates who successfully complete one of the approved programs.

## Admission to the Professional <br> Education Program

Students interested in becoming teachers mus formally apply for admission to the Professiona Education Program. Packets for admission are distributed in INST 202 and EDUC 225 classes and are also available in Pruden 103. The packets are to be completed and submitted to the Education D epartment Administrative Assistant in Pruden 103 before the end of your sophomore year, and definitely one semester before enrolling in 300 level classes.

Students interested in teacher certification will not be allowed to register for upper level ( $300+$ ) professional education courses until they are admitted into the Professional Education Program. Transfer students must complete and submit the packet for admission by the end of their first semester of coursework at VWC

Specifically, students will not be able to continue with Education Coursework beyond IN ST 202, IN ST 203, and ED UC 225 or PSY 205 until admitted to the Professional Education Program. Transfer students will not be able to continue with education courses beyond the first semester of attendance until admitted to the

Professional Education Program. The 300/400-leve education courses will be "C onsent 0 nly."

When the completed packet for admission is received, a committee will determine acceptance into the Professional Education Program. A letter will be sent to confirm acceptance. The packet for admission has the following requirements listed below:
a. Achieve passing scores on Praxis I test (composite) or SAT/ACT equivalent and passing scores on the VCLA, or passing scores on VCLA and Praxis I M ath.
b. M aintain a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5 at the time of application.
c. Achieve a grade of $C$ or better in ALL Professional Education courses.
d. Pass Civics Education Module found at following link: http://www.civiceducationva. org and submit certification of completion.
e. Pass $C$ hild Abuse and $N$ eglect module found at the following link: http://www.dss.virginia.gov/ family/cps/mandated_reporters/cws5691/index. html and submit certification of completion. Following admission to the Professional Education Program, a teacher candidate is required to complete the following requirements prior to the pre service student teaching semester to remain in good standing with the department:

- M aintain the required GPA in your major. GPA requirement for the Comprehensive Liberal Studies major is 2.5.
- Grades of C or better in ALL Professional Education courses.
Pass Praxis II prior to the start of preservice student teaching.
- Elementary/Special Education ON LY:

Pass the Reading for Virginia Educators (RVE) assessment upon completion of EDUC 320 and EDUC 321 (Passing score is 157).

- NOTE: Passing scores on VCLA, Praxis II, and RVE (where applicable) are required for licensure by the Virginia Department of Education.


## Elementary Education Program

The student seeking elementary teacher certification completes the Comprehensive Liberal Studies major, along with the required general studies courses and the sequence of professional education courses. C areful coordination of these three sets of requirements is essential if the course of study is to be completed in four years. This program prepares the successful candidate for licensure with an endorsement in elementary education prek-6.

## COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE <br> SEM.

PSY 205
INST 202
The School \& Society
INST 203
hours and 150 hours of direct instruction. The placements are in diverse school settings. The student must request a placement from the Director of Field Experiences the semester before student teaching ncludes an on-campus seminar. Prerequisite: consen and admission to the Education Program. Offered each semester.

## 435 Elementary PreserviceTeaching II (8)

A preservice teaching experience in grades 4-5. The student teaching I and II provide over 300 clock hours and 150 hours of direct instruction. The placements are in diverse school settings. The student must request a placement from the Director of Field Experiences the semester before student teaching ncludes an on-campus seminar. Prerequisite: consen and admission to the Education Program. Offered each semester.

## 436 Middle Education

Preservice Teaching I (8)
A preservice teaching experience in grade 6 Student teaching I and II provide over 300 clock hours and 150 hours of direct instruction. The placements are in diverse school settings. The student must request a placement from the D irector of Field Experiences the semester before student teaching Includes an on-campus seminar. Prerequisite: consent and admission to the Education Program. Offered each semester.

## 437 Middle Education

 PreserviceTeaching II (8)A preservice teaching experience in grades 7-8 Student teaching I and II provide over 300 clock hours and 150 hours of direct instruction. The placements are in diverse school settings. The studen must request a placement from the Director of Field ncludes an on-campus seminar. Prerequisite: consen and admission to the Education Program. Offered each semester.

## 445 Secondary PreserviceTeaching I (8)

A preservice teaching experience in grades 6-8. Student teaching I and II pro

## 438 Special Education Preservice

Teaching I (8)
A preservice teaching experience in grades K-6. Student teaching I and II provide over 300 clock hours and 150 hours of direct instruction. The placements are in diverse school settings. Students placements are in diverse school settings. Student must request a placement from the Director of Fiel Experiences the semester prior to student teaching ncludes an on-campus seminar. Attendance is the Education Program. Offered each semester.

## 439 Special Education Preservice Teaching II (8)

A preservice teaching experience in grades 6-12 Student teaching I and II provide over 300 clock hours and 150 hours of direct instruction. The placements are in diverse school settings. Student must request a placement from the Director of Field Experiences the semester prior to student teaching ncludes an on-campus seminar. Attendance is mandatory. Prerequisite: consent and admission to the Education Program. O ffered each semester.

## 465 Alternative Certification for <br> Teachers (ACT) Special Education

PreserviceTeaching I (4)
A preservice teaching experience for Alternative Certification for Teachers (ACT) students in specia education grades K-6. Student teaching I and II provide over 300 clock hours and 150 hours of direc nstruction. The placements are in diverse school settings. Students must request a placement from the Director of Field Experiences the semester before student teaching. Seminars are included. Attendance is mandatory. Prerequisite: consent and admission to the Education Program. Corequisite: SPED 466. Offered each semester.

## 466 Alternative Certification for <br> Teachers (ACT) Special Education

PreserviceTeaching II (4)
A preservice teaching experience for Alternative Certification for Teachers (ACT) students in specia education grades 6-12. Student teaching I and I provide over 300 clock hours and 150 hours of direct instruction. The placements are in diverse schoo settings. Students must request a placement from the Director of Field Experiences the semester before student teaching. Seminars are included. Attendance is mandatory. Prerequisite: consent and admission to he Education Program. Corequisite: SPED 465 O ffered each semester.

## ENGLISH

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O ne "outside voices" course at the 200
level or above: ENG 251, 258, 261, or an 4
appropriate topics course approved by
the student's advisor
ENG 222 4
Teaching Grammar and Writing
O ne of the following
COMM 101, JOUR 201, TH 210
Three courses in English, or literatur
Three courses in English, or literature
courses in classics, or literature courses
in foreign languages and literatures at
the 300/400 level and approved by the student's advisor

TOTAL

| Major Requirements: English with <br> Concentration in CreativeW <br> (PoetryTrack) |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| COU RSE NU M BER AND TITLE | SEM. <br> HRS. |
| EN G 289 <br> Approaches to Literary Study | 4 |
| EN G 311 <br> Theory \& Criticism | 4 |
| EN G 489 <br> Senior Thesis W orkshop | 4 |
| One English course in literature <br> before 1675 at the 300/400 lev |  |

## 232 Literature Into Film (4)

A
An examination of the differences between literary and film narrative. Both popular fiction and classics are used in examining how plot, characterization setting, spectacle, and other aspects of storytelling setting, spectacle, and other aspects of storytelling change depending on whether the medium is the written word, the stage, or the screen. Prerequisites ENG 105 with grade of $C$ or higher and either sophomore status or consent. D oes not fulfill Gener tudies "T" requirement. O ffered in selected Winter Sessions.

## 242 W riting for Business

and Organizations (4)
covers skills needed to write various types of business and organizational communication mphasizes planning, drafting, and editing as well eveloping a professional writing style to achiev results. Gives attention to global ethical issues concerning business and to intercultura communication. Prerequisite: EN G 105 with a grade of $C$ or higher, a " $T$ " course, and sophomore status or above. O ffered in selected semesters.

## 250 Studies in Literature (4)

Selected topics that approach literature from various generic, historical, or methodological perspectives. Versions of the course may includ several different media, but the focus is always on literature. At least 20 pages of writing are required including at least one documented essay Prerequisites: EN G 105 with a grade of $C$ or higher Offered each semester

251 Diversity in American Literature (4) T
An opportunity to study-and to listen to-

Prerequisites: ENG 105 with a grade of C or higher and any " T " course or consent. Identical to EN VS 306. O ffered in selected semesters.

## 310 DistinctiveVoices in Contemporary W <br> American Poetry (4)

A study of the many and varied voices in contemporary American poetry, especially selected works of poetry published since 1960. Author studied include Jorie Graham, H arryette M ullen Yusef Komunyakaa, and Adrienne Rich. Prerequisites ENG 105 with a grade of C or higher, one 200-leve literature course, and junior status or consent Offered spring even-numbered years.

## 311 Theory and Criticism (4)

W
A survey of key debates in the history of literary theory and criticism from Plato to the present, with an emphasis on contemporary approaches to interpretation and emerging directions in literary studies. Students also pursue research emphasizing methodological preparation for EN G 489, the senio English project. Prerequisites: EN G 105 with a grade of $C$ or higher and junior/senior status or consent. $O$ ffered each fall.

## 314 The English Language (4)

## W

A study of the English language from its originsto the present. Includes discussion of recent trends, dialect variation, and social and political issue relating to English today. Students write severa papers, including an original research study on a topic of interest. Prerequisites: EN G 105 with a grade of C or higher and junior status or consent. O ffered spring of even-numbered years.

## 315 The Experience of Poetry (4)

An intensive introduction to poetry through examining the poem's relationship to universal human experiences. Students gain a thorough

## 399 Advanced FictionWriting (4)

An advanced-level workshop in the writing of fiction with class discussions of student work as well as the work of established authors. Students work on a collection of short stories with an aim toward publication. Pass/fail grading. Prerequisite: ENG 299 or consent. O ffered fall of even-numbered years.
learn what it means to pursue a liberal arts education
connect to the college community, and build academic resourcefulness that will foster learning throughout their college years.

FIRST-YEAR EXPERIENCE
COURSES (FYE)

## 101 First-Year Experience (1)

D esigned to help students engage and succeed both academically and socially in the Virginia Wesleyan community. Led by a faculty mentor, a small, close-knit group of new students engage in an array of activities and exercises that invite them to explore the nature of liberal education, connect to the

## Minor Requirements: German Studies

| COU RSE NU M BER AND TITLE | SEM. <br> HRS. |
| :--- | :---: |
| GER 307 |  |
| Topics in Advanced Conversation | 4 |
| and Composition |  |
| Five of the following: |  |
| GER 307 |  |
| Topics in Advanced Conversation |  |
| and Composition (may be repeated |  |
| as topics vary) |  |
| GER 317 |  |
| Great German Thinkers |  |
| GER 318 |  |
| Great German Writers |  |
| GER 329 |  |
| M odern German Literature |  |
| GER 340 |  |
| German Cinema: Art and Politics |  |
| GER $344 / 444$ |  |
| M odern Germany through the Cinema |  |
| GER 350 |  |
| Topics in German Studies |  |
| GER 430 |  |
| The German Comedy |  |
| GER 471 |  |
| Practicum in the Teaching of German |  |
| Strongly encouraged: |  |
| GER 3xx |  |
| Study Abroad (at the Goethe Institut) |  |

## Minor Requirements: Hispanic Studies

COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE
SPAN 307
Topics in Advanced Conversation and Composition
(Taught in Spanish and can be taken more than once for credit.)

Five of the following:
SPAN 307 (second iteration only) Topics in Advanced Conversation and Composition
SPAN 312
Survey of Latin American Literature
SPAN 313
Seminar In H ispanic Cultures
Seminar in
SPAN 316
Studies In H ispanic Poetry
SPAN 317
Civilization of Spain
SPAN 318
Civilization of Spanish Peoples II:
Latin Americ
SPAN 321
SPAN 321
Political Writings of Latin America
SPAN 329
Latin America through the Cinema
SPAN 333
Commercial Spanish
SPAN 345
Seminar In Spanish Literature
SPAN 350
Hispanic American Women Writers
SPAN 355
M yths, Rituals, and Reality In the
$H$ ispanic Syncretic Imagination
H ispanic
SPAN 365
U.S. Latino culture

Strongly encouraged:
GER 3xx
Study Abroad
TOTAL

## FRENCH STUDIES

The French Studies major aims to develop in its students the skills, knowledge, attitudes, and values necessary for living and working in a French-speaking 4 society with little or no dependence on English. Students attain language skills at the high-advanced level, as well as knowledge of French history, literature, and the arts, including cinema. Courses are designed to help students understand contemporary French culture as compared to their own and deepen their appreciation of these differences. The major also prepares students for meaningful exchange in and multicultural complex, globalized, transnation and English speaking people has become not just desirable, but unavoidable and where liberal arts desirable, but unavoidable and where liberal arts graduates should have a sense of enlightened
understanding of, appreciation for, and solidarity with other countries, nations, and peoples. Themajor

## GERMAN STUDIES COURSES

 (GER)
## 111 Beginning German I (4)

An introduction to the German language and culture. Special attention is given to cultural aspects Emphasizes the development of basic listening speaking, reading, and writing skills. Audiovisua materials supplement the program. Prerequisite. no previous instruction in German. Offered each year.

## 112 Beginning German II (4)

An introduction to the German language and culture. Special attention is given to cultural aspects Emphasizes is placed on the development of basic listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills Audiovisual materials supplement the program. Prerequisite: A grade of C or higher in GER 111 or proficiency as determined by the instructor. Offered each year

## 205/305 The Short Prose of Kafka (4) V,W*

Examines the short prose of Franz K afka and it relevance in both literature and film today. Students search for common themes and interpretation in selected works. Taught in English. Offered in selected Winter Sessions. *GER 205: (V); GER 305 (V,W)

## 213 Intermediate German (4)

Continues the instruction of German as a spoken and written language. Extensive oral-aural practice undertaken in the daily classroom conversation and prepares the student for travel or study abroad Required lab. Prerequisite: GER 112 or equivalent Offered each fall.

## $240 / 340$ German Cinema: <br> Art and Politics (4)

From early silent films, through the time of H itler to the present, German cinema has reflected the challenges and tensions involved when art is shaped by politics. By looking at $G$ erman film in generaland at the Weimar and New German Cinema in particular-this course focuses on the aesthetics, history, and politics of German cinema. Taught in English. M ovies are screened outside of class. *GER 240: (A); GER 340 (A,W).


C an be taken more than once for credit. Prerequisite: SPAN 213 or consent.

312 Survey of LatinAmerican Literature (4)
The most important works of Spanish American prose, poetry and essay from the Conquest to the present are studied against the cultural background. Pninodu(sed). fP)fefer

## 375 Topics in Mexican Culture

 and History (4)A multidisciplinary approach to M exico and its diaspora throughout history based on discussion of specific issues. Students examine specific topics that define M exican culture using a selection of fictiona define M exican culture using a seection of fictiona cultural and artistic expression. Offered each spring.

## 420 The Latin American Novel (4)

A study of the development of the Latin American novel from the 19th century to the present. Examines theme, form, style, and technique; the historical and social context and Latin American women as authors and as characters. Prerequisite: SPAN 307. Offered spring of even-numbered years.

## 471 Practicum in the Teaching of Spanish (4)

Students learn various methods for the teaching of grammar, writing, and speaking in Spanish. They also serve as assistants and tutors in SPAN 111, 112, and 213. Prerequisite: SPAN 307 (or the capability of using the Spanish language effectively) and consent. Offered each year.

## LATIN COURSES (LATN)

(See Classics for Latin courses and major.)

## GEOGRAPHY

GEOGRAPHY COURSES (GEOG)

## 111 Physical Geography (4)

A study of the physical earth with an emphasis on the processes of planetary composition, planetary motion, the atmosphere, water, plate tectonics, glaciers, landforms, and other major topics. Environmental issues provide applications to current Environmental issues provide applications to current events and conditions. Basic location identification serves as a foundation for atlas and general thematic map usage. O ffered each semester

112 Cultural Geography (4)
The study of how geography affects culture and how culture affects geography. This course is regional in its approach and explores the reciprocal relationship of the earth and its inhabitants and how they affect each other. Urban, cultural, medical, historical, and economic themes provide the focus for regional applications. Basic map skills and location identification serve as a foundation for atlas and general thematic map usage. O ffered each spring and summer.
include government, civics, international studies, economics, and geography. This major also emphasizes historical interpretation and offers students opportunities to pursue independent historical research.

| Major Requirements: History |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| COU RSE NU M BER AND TITLE | SEM. <br> HRS. |
| Three history courses at the <br> 100/200 level* | 12 |
| Five history courses at the 300/400 level* | 20 |
| H IST 260 <br> Introduction to H istoriography | 4 |
| HIST 360 <br> Junior Research Seminar | 4 |
| H IST 460 <br> Senior Thesis Seminar | 4 |
|  | TOTAL |

*T hese courses should include at least two in U.S history and one in non-Western history. At least two of the courses should carry a "W" General Studies designation.

## Major Requirements:

History and Social Science
COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE

| HIST 111 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| World History to A.D. 1600 |  |
| HIST 112 | 8 |
| W orld History: The M odern Era |  |
| HIST 113 |  |
| H istory of U.S. to 1877 |  |
| HIST 114 |  |
| H istory of U.S. Since 1877 |  |
|  | OR |
| HIST 116 |  |
| History of the U.S. |  |
| HIST 260 | 4 |
| Introduction to Historiography | 4 |

performances, students investigate the historical developments of the cities, especially the conflicts radiating from the construction and destruction of the urban landscape. Begins at VWC with an

## 353 History ofWomen in

 Europe Since 1700 (4) H,WExplores the history of women in Europe from the 18th century to the present. Focuses on women's roles in society, both public and private. Examining women in the spaces they have historically occupied, women in the spaces they have historically occupied students probe some of the central question society define "woman," and why was she generally society define "woman," and why was she generally een as the "other". How did socieky construc omen'sroles, and to hat extent did women contest traditional gender roles? H ow did industrialization shape women's lives? To what extent did women participate in political struggle, and how did thei political goals and means of struggle vary from those of men? How did contemporaries view the femal body? W hy did some women oppose "emancipation" as defined by feminists? Prerequisite: sophomore junior/senior status. Offered fall of even-numbered years.

## HUMANITIES

HUMANITIES COURSES (HUM)

## 150 Service Learning in a

Global Context (4)
V
Students engage in service projects in communities that have been damaged by the effects of violence, poverty, and social injustice. They learn about the target community, engage in a service project that addresses the needs of that community and reflect on the service experience. $M$ ay be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: students should be prepared o travel abroad (have valid passports, etc.). Offered in selected W inter Sessions.

## 231/431 A Tale of Two Cities (4)

An individualized travel and research course through which students experience and analyze th ulture of two important cities, as represented in thei mseums, architecture, and historic sights, and in heir living culture. The course is tailored to each tudent's research interests and includes componen before, during, and after the trip. Prerequisite for 431 75 semester hours. Offered in selected Winter essions. *HUM 231: (A); HUM 431: (I)

## INDIVIDUALIZED STUDIES MAJOR

A student who has discovered a well-defined problem area or theme that cannot be addressed through Virginia Wesleyan's established major rograms may develop an individualized major. Because this type of study requires considerable nitiative and imagination, students pursuing this ption must demonstrate preparedness by having completed at least 32 credit hours of college work ith an overall GPA of at least 2.7. At least 16 semester hours must have been completed in residence.

Eligible students must identify an advisory board onsisting of a faculty sponsor and two addition faculty members. The members of the advisory board must be familiar with the student's academic work or have expertise in the proposed area of study. In onsultation with these faculty, the student will evelop a comprehensive academic plan of study, to include coursework in at least two differen departments/programs. The major must reflect between 40 and 48 semester hours of approved course
status, and one " $L$ " course. Offered Winter Sessions of even-numbered years.

## 482 Issues in Education (4)

I,W
Offers students the opportunity to develop escriptive research study. The student chooses a topic, conducts a review of the related literature esigns the study devel ops research questions, gathers and analyzes data, and reports the results. Does not ulfill divisional requirements for L atin honors but fulfill divisional requirements for Latin honors but aude Prorequisites: ENG 105 with summa cum laude. Prerequisites: EN G 105 with a grade of C or igher and junior/senior status, Offered each mester

## 485 SelectedTopics (1 to 4)

Provides opportunities to explore current topics, trends, and issues related to curriculum, methodology, and evaluation. Primarily intended to meet in-service and re-certification needs of practicing educators. Does not fulfill any requirements for Latin honors. Prerequisite: consent Offered each semester

## INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

The International Studies major emphasizes an interdisciplinary approach that teaches students to think critically about international political economic, cultural, and business processes and problems. The program contains a core of required courses, but offers students the opportunity to develop an individualized program in one of three oncentration areas. international politics, international business, and international cultura studies. Classroom study is supplemented by real-life international experiences with internship or study abroad opportunities. Virginia Wesleyan College is ocated in the international port of H ampton Roads. ntergovernmental organizations, including the United Nations, have offices here as do nationa nited Nations, have offices here, as do nationa
 government, intern experiences without students egion. Students prepare for careers in internationa work with governments, with non-government rganizations, and in international business. Th major consists of a minimum of ten courses and aither an internship or study abroad. Students mus become proficient in a foreign language.

## Major Requirements: International Studies

COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE SEM

POLS 103
Global Realities
POLS 206
ntroduction to
OR
OLS 210
Introduction to International Relations
on a specific theme, issue, geographic area, or time period relevant to the study of Judaism or the Jewish people. Prerequisites: RELST 180 or 181 or permission of the faculty member administering the JST minor. Offered on demand.

## JOURNALISM

(See Communication)

## MANAGEMENT

## (See Business)

## MATHEMATICSAND <br> COMPUTER SCIENCE

Mrs. Kathy R. Ames
Dr. Lydia Kennedy, Program Coordinator
Dr. Audrey Malagon
Dr. M argaret Reese
Dr. Z. John Wang
Ms. Denise Pocta Wilkinson
$M$ athematics is at its heart the search for pattern or structure. It is an essential component of the libera arts: A mathematician finds a structure and develops a vocabulary or theory for describing, exploring, and extending it further. Each course in mathematics engages students in the search and in the articulation of the consequences. The study of mathematics
requires both creativity and rigorous, logical thinking

roblems, management science, and others. Focus is on critical thinking skills, communicating mathematics orally and in writing, and application to other disciplines. Prerequisite: placement level A or B. O ffered each spring

## 171 Calculus I (4)

$\quad \mathbf{Q}$ Stur how to apply them in calus, why they work, and how to apply them in various contexts. Calculus I develops the differential calculus through symbolic, graphical, and numerical approaches opics include differentiation of algebraic and ranscendental functions, applications in modeling and optimization, and the Fundamental Theorem of alculus and an introduction to differential equation Prerequisite: placement level A or consent. Offered each fall.

## 172 Calculus II (4)

A continuation of Calculus I. M ore advanced techniques are studied and used to solve quantitative problems in various contexts. Topics include integration techniques, applications of definite integration techniques, applications of definite and sequences and series. Prerequisite: M ATH 136 or and sequences and series. Prerequisite: M AT H 136 or each semester.

189 Games and Decisions (4)
Learn how to win games with math! In this course, use discrete mathematics (game theory, logic probability) to model real-world situations involving lecision making. Prerequisite: placement level A, B or H. O ffered each fall

## 205 Foundations of Logic and Proof (4)

The analysis of finite step-by-step processes oveps reasoning skills, enhances software writing abilities, and introduces elementary compute ircuitry. Topics include Boolean algebra, digital logic circuits, the nature of valid argument, mathematica induction, recursive sequences, and counting echniques, including combinatorics methods. $M$ any ass examples are drawn from computer scienc Prerequisite: M ATH 135 with a grade of C - or higher or placement level H or A, or consent. Identical to CS 205. Offered each spring. Recommended spring freshman year.

## 210 Introductory Statistics (4)

introduces students to learning from data Topics include the basics of data production, data analysis probability, Central Limit Theorem, and statistic orence Statistical software is used for data
 management, calculation, and visualization. No Prerequisites: placement level B or A or H, M ATH

104 with a grade of C - or higher, or M ATH 105 with a grade of C - or higher, or consent. Freshmen by consent only. Students must have a TI-83 or TI-84 graphing calculator. O ffered each semester.

## 217 Linear Algebra (4)

The study of vector spaces and linear equations in several variables. Topics include systems of linear equations, vector spaces, linear dependence of vectors, bases, dimension, linear transformations, matrices, determinants and applications. Prerequisite: MATH 172 (grade of C. or higher) or consent Offered each fall.

Zwilich, and others are included. Students have the opportunity to attend selected live performances as part of their coursework. Offered spring of evennumbered years.
310 Topics in Sacred Music (4)
An in-depth study of some aspect of sacred music including, but not limited to, hymnology and sacred including, but not limited to, hymnology and sacred choral literature, sacred music history, and chora directing, all within the context of a variety of

## 321 ConductingTechniques (4)

Offers basic and advanced skills for choral and instrumental conductors. Includes all conducting patterns, instrumental and choral techniques,
and their application to controversial issues in contemporary life. Students develop the critical and analytical skills required for thinking clearly abou moral problems and forming their own conclusions about them. O ffered each spring.

## 105 Meaning, Happiness, and

the Good Life (4)
Examines key texts fms anf5.5 648 k8ii4io0xts fms 2,equired and

## 303 Urban Politics (4)

Students examine scholarly perspectives on the evolution of political processes, institutions, the intergovernmental context, key actors and contemporary issues in urban politics such as urban sprawl and economic development. A major part of this class is a six-week simulation of a city government where students take roles of city councilors, lawyers, business leaders, and citizen activists in making important decisions about the city's future Prerequisite: junior/senior status. Offered spring of odd-numbered years.

## 307 The Presidency and the American Political System (4)

Examines the institutions and processes of American government in regard to the presidency. 0 ffered spring of even-numbered years.

## 308 Elections in American Politics (4)

Examines the dynamics of the American elections system. Students explore theoretical literature that seeks to explain elections and their outcomes, and engage in practical activities associated with the running of electoral campaigns. Prerequisites: junior status or consent. Offered intermittently.

## 315 Politics in the Media (4)

Explores recurring themes in studies of the mass media, including the interplay between news producers, consumers, and politicians. Students will examine the role of mass media within a democracy, the media's effects on the citizens who consume it,
parties, and the regulatory agencies are treated as separate units of a unified focus upon our institutions of national government. O ffered each fall.

## 337 American Legislative Process (4)

Examines the structure and function of law making in Congress and the state legislatures, including consideration of such topics as committees representation, policy making, leadership, and interest group influence. Also examines the impact of Congress and statelegislatures on vital issues of public policy ranging from foreign policy to urban policy, or from taxation to energy policy. The role of party politics and campaigns in the legislative process are also considered. O ffered intermittently.

## 338 Comparative Politics:

## Middle East and NorthAfrica (4)

Offers students a basic understanding of broad trends of social change, state building, and economic development in the modern Middle East and North Africa (M ENA) during the post-World War I period. Attends to distinctions across MENA states along these three major dimensions, with special attention to public and private responses to modernization democratization, and globalization. O ffered fall of even-numbered years.

## 343 Public Administration (4)

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Reviews contemporary approaches to policymaking and decision-making techniques in light of the values represented in them and their promises for serving the public interest. Examines classic and modern theories of bureaucracy; the history development, and philosophical assumptions of the science of administration; the structure and functioning of American federal, state, and local administration; the budget-making process; government regulations of business and society; and the major challenges facing governmenta professionals in our time. O ffered each spring.

## 344 European Union inWorld Politics (4) S

Examines the foreign policies of European countries, both individually and collectively through the European Union, toward one another, regiona and intergovernmental organizations, and other regions of the world. Explores other issues related to Europe economic and political integration, including national identities, democratic accountability, the Union's expansion, U.S.-European relations, the European Constitution, Turkey's bid to join the Union, and immigration and Islam in Europe Prerequisite: junior status or consent. Offered fall of odd-numbered years.

## 345 International Law and Organizations (4)

 context for global politics. Examines how international and non-governmental organizations attempt to establish and protect international standards of political behavior. Special focus is placed on the United Nations, equipping students for participation in the National M odel United Nations in New York City. Prerequisite: consent. O ffered each fall.
## 346 Model United Nations (1)

Provides further understanding of the operations of the United Nations, including the UN's bureaucratic structure, resolution writing, multilateral diplomacy, and specific issues in contemporary international politics. Guides students' preparation for and participation in the annual N ational M ode United Nations conference. Pass/fail grading. Prerequisite: consent. May be repeated for credit. O ffered each spring.

## 348 International Human Rights (4)

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Examines the practical and philosophical questions surrounding civil, political, social, and economic rights, self-determination, and minority rights. Explores the contemporary practice of human rights in policy-making and law, with special emphasis on the role of politics in their interpretation, implementation, and enforcement. Prerequisites: ENG 105 with a grade of C or higher and junior status or consent. Offered spring of evennumbered years.

## 350 Immigration and Citizenship (4) <br> S,W

Explores the causes and consequences of international migration, how governments regulate it, and how it transforms our ideas of citizenship. $M$ igrants contribute to their native and adopted lands, but also exacerbate inequality, enflame nationalist sentiments, and carry with them value and attitudes that may threaten existing sociocultura and political orders. Offered fall of even-numbered years.

## 353 Globalization and Its Discontents (4) S

Studies the theoretical, political, economic, and institutional foundations and practices of free trade. Students develop case studies from Internet data on the issues and stakeholders in the globalization debate and the impact of their activities. Included among these are human rights, environmental and labor groups: the World Bank; the World Trad groups, the and Bank; the World Trad selected Winter Sessions.

## PORTFOLIO COURSES (PORT)

## 121 Introduction to the PORTfolio

 Program: Self and Circumstance (4)A time of self-exploration and discovery involving close work with faculty mentors and othe PORT folio students. Readings, off-campus explorations, and the development of an electronic portfolio assist students in clarifying their own reasons for coming to Virginia Wesleyan, their purposes while they are here, and the unique resources that they bring to the learning process. In addition, students discover their connections to the Chesapeake Bay environment and the international port of H ampton Roads and begin to use these unique resources to enrich their education Prerequisite: admission to PORT folio Program Taken in the fall of the freshman year.

## 22 Liberal Arts Seminar (4)

What are the liberal arts, and why spend four good years studying them? In the U.S., theliberal arts are housed institutionally in colleges and the undergraduate programs of universities, so th questions may be rephrased as: What are colleges? What are they for? How do they try to accomplish their goals? T hese questions are approached in severa ways. O ne is historical. How did colleges in general and VWC in particular, get to be the way they are? Where do ideas of what it means to be liberally educated come from? A second is more philosophical What does it mean to know something? H ow would you teach, given different answers to that question? Another is normative. What should colleges in eneral be doing? What kind of curriculum should we have at Virginia Wesleyan? $O$ ffered each spring.

## 123 Service Learning in Hampton Roads (1)

Raises civic consciousness by fostering engaged citizenship where students perform a week of direc community service. Orientation and preparation before the direct service, as well as a reflection journal document student learning. $M$ ay be repeated fo credit. Identical to IN ST 123. Offered each Winter Session.

124 Service Learning and Issues of
Civic Engagement in Hampton Roads (4)
Students are introduced to a community-based project and investigate the issue involved through research, reading, and lecture, followed by a week of direct community service. Includes reflection sessment, and consideration of broader contexts. May be repeated for credit. Identical to IN ST 124 Offered each W inter Session.

## 221 Problem Solving Seminar (2)

A course for sophomores participating in the PO RT folio Program. D evelops problem-solving skills by having students work out solutions, individually and collaboratively to real-life situations. Culminate in quided design. Prerequisite: PORT 122. Offered on demand.

## 225 Career Study (4)

Provides an in-depth introduction to a career field of choice, an externship experience in that career field, and subsequent reporting and processing Students spend the first week researching the career choice made in previous PO RT folio courses and the site at which they will extern. In the second week they carry out the on-site externship. The final week is used to document, process, and present the lessons learned. They include final reflection and summary in an updated electsed tinal reflection and summary in c-1.1urr0001 T2.003n

## HEALTH EDUCATION COURSES

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201 Safety and First Aid (4)
Provides the general public with the knowledge and skills necessary to meet and handle most emergency situations when first-aid care is needed Incorporates personal safety and accident prevention information and accuaints students with the many causes of accidents so care can be taken to eliminate or minimize such causes. Offered fall and spring of odd-numbered years.

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION


(Activity fees apply to some PE courses.)
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## Minor Requirements: Religious Studies

| COU RSE NU MBER AND TITLE | SEM. <br> HRS. |
| :--- | :---: |
| RELST 113 <br> Introduction to Religious Studies <br> RELST 116 <br> World Religions | 4 |
| One Religious Studies course <br> at the 200 level or above | 4 |
| Two Religious Studies courses <br> at the 300/400 level | 8 |
| One Religious Studies course at any level | 4 |
| TOTAL | $\mathbf{2 0}$ |

## RELIGIOUS STUDIES COURSES (RELST)

113 Introduction to Religious Studies (4) V
An introduction to the academic study of religion. Students gain familiarity with a wide range of religious traditions; ways in which religions shape society, culture, and world affairs; and scholarly tools for coming to terms with the wide variety of sometimes strange, always interesting phenomena O ffered each fall

## 116 World Religions (4)

A survey of major religions of the world, thei beliefs, practices, and ethical concerns. Focusin primarily on Judaism, Christianity, Islam, H induism, and Buddhism, students examine the history literature, structures, and manifestations of each of these religions. They examine how such disciplines as psychology, sociology, theology, art, and ethics shape and are shaped by, religious world views. Concludes with an examination of some of the key conflicts/disagreements between two of these religious traditions. O ffered each semester.

## 140 Religion in American Culture (4)

 instres on religion as practiced by both xamines how religion shapes, and is shaped by, American views on ethnicity, ethics, literature business, and politics. Offered each spring.
## 157 Bible inAmerican Culture/Life (4)

Focuses not on the content of the Bible, but on the function of the Bible in American culture, politics, and society. Students examine such person as Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Thomas Jefferson and distinctively American types of biblical interpretation

Issues such as slavery, prohibition, and the Scopes trial are studied and highlight how the Bible has been used and abused in arguments on social policies. By examining issues related to publishing and translating the Bible, some of the most intense theologica debates in American life are highlighted. Students also learn how American laws shape the influence of the Bible in American life by highlighting contemporary public educational contexts. Offered on demand.

## 180 Judaism and Film (4)

Introduces students to Judaism through the use of film. Examines images of Jewish history, text, ritual, and belief, as presented in film, and evaluates the contemporary positive and negative portrayal of Judaism from both non-Jewish and Jewish sources. Offered each spring.

## 181 Judaism through Food (4)

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A hands-on introduction to Judaism. From feasts to fasts, students explore the history, texts, and traditions of Judaism through the study and firsthand encounter with its foods; their place, preparation, restrictions, and geographical variations that are central to the religious and cultura experience of Judaism. O ffered each spring.

## 201 Religion in the News (4)

An introduction to the way in which religious communities and religious issues are portrayed in today's news. Through an investigation of multiple sources, students examine the ways in which news shapes- and is shaped by-our understanding of religions (or lack thereof). O ffered in W inter Sessions on demand.

## 217 The OldTestament World (4)

The ancient sralites wrote stories of their past. They preserved laws They wrote prophecies biographies, common-sense advice, love poetry, and apocalypses. An introduction to some of these writings; specifically, the writings preserved in the Old Testament and in the Apocrypha. Examines both the history of the H ebrews and Israelites and the literature they used to express and communicate their faith. O ffered fall of odd-numbered years.
primarily philosophical. In each case, discussions
begin with the issues raised in important primary

## Departmental Policies

1. Students must apply to the major. Applications
are available on the department's college
website. Students may apply to the program as
early as spring of their sophomore year.
2. Students must maintain a 2.5 GPR8T o-0.02¥.0555cots mgall $0.0196 \mathrm{Tc}(\mathrm{a}) \mathrm{T} j 0.42360 .000 \mathrm{aila4T} \mathrm{c}$ mu(and incation
classifications of drugs of abuse, their addictive potential and the continuum of use, misuse, abuse and addiction are addressed. The short and long term consequences of drug use are studied in addition to the dangers of drug interactions. Offered most fall semesters.
385 SubstanceAbuse and
Chemical Dependency (4)
Examines the effects of drugs of abuse on our society. Topics include defining the drug problem and its effects on the abuser, family, economy, legal system, and health care, and the issues and impact of treatment and 12 -step support groups. Offered mos spring semesters.

## 402 Women on the Brink (4)

Challenges the student to explore the interaction of complex societal and psychological factors as they relate to America's most vulnerable women. Students examine the histortudents

SPAN 307
Topics in Advanced Conversation
\& Composition
MATH 210
Statistics
CHEM (any course)
CS (any course)

Hispanic American Women Writers
SW 361
Human Sexuality
SW 402
Women on the Brink
TH 371
Images of Women in Theatre and Film
TH 410
Theater of Diversity
M any other topics courses fulfill W GS elective
requirements. See program coordinator for a
complete list each semester.

## WOMEN'S AND GENDER

STUDIES COURSES (WGS)

## 219 Women in Culture and Society (4) S

Students examine conflicting definitions of gender in the contemporary U.S., analyzing general patterns and the impact of gender definitions on their own lives. Differences in the definitions of womanhood and manhood are discussed, along with the variety of women's experiences and perspectives. Ideas about gender are contrasted with the real-life situations of women and men in our society. Emphasizes th opportunities and difficulties that women of differing races and classes encounter in today's society. Offered each fall


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