**CLASSICS MAJOR**

**ANCIENT MEDITERRANEAN STUDIES CONCENTRATION**

**Requirements**

Classics focuses on the study of the languages, literatures, and civilizations of ancient Greece and Rome. Since many of the ideas and principles which emerged in the classical world are basic to Western culture, courses in Classics apply to the study of almost all the liberal arts and sciences.

Students pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in Classics may choose among four concentrations: Latin; an interdisciplinary concentration in Classical Civilization; an interdisciplinary concentration in Classical Archaeology; or an interdisciplinary concentration in Classics: Ancient Mediterranean Studies. **The focus for Ancient Mediterranean Studies is to be the ancient world of the Greeks and Romans—that is, wherever the Greeks and Romans held sway, along with the peoples and places with which they were in contact, from the Bronze Age through Late Antiquity.  This concentration includes, therefore, courses on peoples who lived beyond the Mediterranean.** **Because the focus is on the ancient world, courses that deal primarily with the classical tradition and classical reception are not included.** Students develop their major programs in consultation with a faculty advisor.

**Requirements for those declaring in Fall 2021 and beyond:**

*Major Course requirements*: In addition to major course electives (below), all students must complete the following course requirements for the Classics: Classical Civilization major concentration.

\_\_\_\_ CLAS 103: Ideas and Culture: Greek Civilization (3)

\_\_\_\_ CLAS 105: Ideas and Culture: Roman Civilization (3)

\_\_\_\_ CLAS 285: Greek and Latin Languages and Literatures (3)

*Major Course Electives*: In addition to major course requirements (above), all students must complete an additional 24 credits of any CLAS course or from approved courses. At least 6 of the 24 credits must be at the level of 300 or above; and, at least 9 of the 24 credits must be in CLAS (see below):

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*The following courses may be used to fulfill major electives in the Classics: Ancient Mediterranean Studies major concentration (CLAS designated courses):*

CLAS 110: Greek and Roman Mythology in Art and Literature

CLAS 202C: Ancient Tragedy

CLAS 204: Epic Traditions

CLAS 211: Greek and Roman Religion

CLAS 302: Democracy and Revolution in Ancient Athens\*

CLAS 305: Egyptian and Near Eastern Art and Archaeology

CLAS 310: Women in Antiquity

CLAS 312: Myth in Theory, Film, and Culture\*

CLAS 318: Ancient Slavery and its Legacy

CLAS 351, 352: Special Studies in Classical Civilization

CLAS 380: Archaeology of the Greek and Roman World

CLAS 385: The Ancient Mediterranean

CLAS 390: Ancient City

CLAS 485: Guided Research

CLAS 491, 492: Individual Study

CLAS 499: Internship

*The following courses may be used to fulfill major electives in the Classics: Ancient Mediterranean Studies major concentration:*

GREK: Any course at the level of 202 or above

LATN: Any course at the level of 202 or above

*The following approved courses relating to the Ancient Mediterranean in other programs and departments may also be used to fulfill major electives in the Classics: Ancient Mediterranean Studies major concentration:*

ARTH 114A, 305, 310, 311, 325

CPRD 100; CPRD 301, 302, or 331 (with permission)

HIST 331A, 332, 341

ITAL 395, 396

LING 205

MATH 207

PHIL 201, 310

RELG 205, 206A, 208, 211; RELG 231, 331, 341 (with permission); RELG 302, 309