

WORLD LITERATURE AND CULTURES - MINOR

College of Arts and Sciences

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Description

The World Literature and Cultures minor is dedicated to the interdisciplinary study of historical and contemporary literature, which is representative of a diversity of the world's cultures. Students explore world literature and cultures with the aid of a variety of disciplinary methods of analysis and interpretation in the study of cultural texts and artifacts, as well as the interactions of the political, economic, cultural and social complexities with literature. The study of world literature and cultures is devoted to promoting a central trend among major research universities in the United States to engage in the critical integration of knowledge that cuts across the different disciplines, with sustained focus on the global study of cultures and literature, past and present.

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Admission Requirements

Admission to a minor is open to students declared in a bachelor's degree, the A.A.B. or A.A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree (not Individualized Program major). Students declared only in the A.A. or A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree in Individualized Program may not declare a minor. Students may not pursue a minor and a major in the same discipline.

Minor Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Minor Requirements		
Minor Electives, choose from the following:		6
ANTH 18210	GLOBAL CULTURAL DIVERSITY: ANTHROPOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES (DIVG) (KSS)	
ARTH 12001	ART AS A WORLD PHENOMENON (KFA)	
ARTH 22006	ART HISTORY: ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL ART (KFA)	
ARTH 22007	ART HISTORY: RENAISSANCE TO MODERN ART (KFA)	
ARTH 22020	ART OF AFRICA, OCEANIA AND THE AMERICAS (DIVG) (KFA)	
CLAS 21404	THE GREEK ACHIEVEMENT (DIVG) (KHUM)	
CLAS 21405	THE ROMAN ACHIEVEMENT (DIVG) (KHUM)	
DAN 27076	DANCE AS AN ART FORM (DIVG) (KFA)	
GEOG 17063	WORLD GEOGRAPHY (DIVG) (KSS)	
GEOG 22061	HUMAN GEOGRAPHY (DIVG) (KSS)	
HIST 11050	WORLD HISTORY: ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL (DIVG) (KHUM)	
HIST 11051	WORLD HISTORY: MODERN (DIVG) (KHUM)	

JWST 11001	INTRODUCTION TO JEWISH STUDIES	
JMC 20001	MEDIA, POWER AND CULTURE (DIVD) (KSS)	
MCLS 21417	MULTICULTURALISM IN TODAY'S GERMANY (DIVG)	
MCLS 28404	THE LATIN AMERICAN EXPERIENCE (DIVG)	
MUS 22111	THE UNDERSTANDING OF MUSIC (KFA)	
MUS 22121	MUSIC AS A WORLD PHENOMENON (DIVG) (KFA)	
PAS 20300	BLACK IMAGES	
PAS 22200	INTRODUCTION TO THE AFRICAN ARTS	
PAS 23310	NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES	
PAS 24407	CARIBBEAN STUDIES (DIVG)	
PSYC 22221	MULTICULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY (DIVD)	
REL 11020	INTRODUCTION TO WORLD RELIGIONS (DIVG) (ELR) (KHUM)	
REL 21021	MOSES, JESUS AND MOHAMMAD (DIVG) (ELR) (KHUM)	
Courses from the Minor Upper-Division Electives		
Minor Upper-Division Electives, choose from the following:		12
ANTH 48150	RELIGION: A SEARCH FOR A MEANING	
ANTH 48212	KINSHIP AND SOCIAL ORGANIZATION (DIVG)	
ANTH 48230	SOCIO-CULTURAL CHANGE	
ANTH 48245	PSYCHOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY (DIVG)	
ARAB 41301	ARABIC CULTURE	
ARTH 42031	GREEK ARCHAEOLOGY AND ART	
ARTH 42032	ROMAN ARCHAEOLOGY AND ART	
ARTH 42041	ITALIAN RENAISSANCE ART	
ARTH 42042	NORTHERN RENAISSANCE ART	
ARTH 42051	EUROPEAN ART AND IDEAS: 1750-1900	
CHIN 45301	CHINESE CULTURE	
CLAS 41301	CLASSICAL MYTHOLOGY	
CLAS 41304	LITERATURE OF THE ROMAN WORLD (ELR) (WIC)	
CLAS 41305	CLASSICAL LITERARY STUDIES	
CLAS 41404	ANCIENT CHRISTIANITIES	
CLAS 41503	LITERATURE OF THE ANCIENT GREEKS (ELR) (WIC)	
COMM 35852	INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION (DIVG)	
COMM 42000	MEDIA, WAR AND PROPAGANDA	
COMM 45766	COMMUNICATION IN A GLOBAL SOCIETY	
DAN 47063	DANCE HISTORY I	
ENG 34011	WORLD LITERATURE IN ENGLISH (DIVG)	
ENG 34041	FAIRY TALES	
GEOG 32080	POLITICS AND PLACE (DIVG)	
GEOG 42053	GEOGRAPHIES OF MEMORY AND HERITAGE	
HIST 31053	MODERN EUROPE, 1815 TO PRESENT	
HIST 31112	CHINESE CIVILIZATION	
HIST 31130	HISTORY OF AFRICAN CIVILIZATION	
HIST 31140	MODERN LATIN AMERICA (DIVG)	
HIST 31141	EARLY LATIN AMERICA	
JAPN 45421	JAPANESE CULTURE	
MCLS 30420	FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND CULTURE STUDIES	
MUS 42111	AFRICAN MUSIC AND CULTURES	
MUS 42141	FOLK MUSIC OF EUROPE AND NORTH AMERICA	
MUS 42151	ASIAN MUSICS	
MUS 42181	POPULAR WORLD MUSIC (DIVG)	
PACS 31003	NONVIOLENCE: THEORY AND PRACTICE	

PACS 32030	INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT RESOLUTION (DIVG)
PACS 32040	CROSS-CULTURAL CONFLICT MANAGEMENT (DIVG)
PACS 41010	RECONCILIATION VERSUS REVENGE: TRANSITIONAL JUSTICE (DIVG) (WIC)
PAS 30010	AFRICAN AND AFRICAN-AMERICAN PHILOSOPHIES (DIVD)
PAS 32050	AFRICAN LITERATURES (DIVG)
PAS 33200	ANCIENT AFRICAN CIVILIZATIONS
PAS 34000	INTRODUCTION TO AFRICAN WORLD VIEW (DIVG)
PAS 35100	BLACK SOCIAL AND POLITICAL THOUGHT
PAS 37020	THE MODEL AFRICAN UNION (ELR)
PAS 37100	PAN-AFRICAN WOMEN'S LITERATURE (DIVG)
PHIL 31001	ANCIENT GREEK PHILOSOPHY (WIC)
PHIL 31002	MEDIEVAL PHILOSOPHY (WIC)
PHIL 31006	NINETEENTH-CENTURY PHILOSOPHY (WIC)
PHIL 31060	PHILOSOPHY OF ART AND BEAUTY (ELR)
PHIL 31072	AMERICAN INDIAN PHILOSOPHIES (DIVD)
PHIL 31075	PHILOSOPHY AND MULTICULTURALISM (DIVG)
PSYC 31532	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY
PSYC 40461	PSYCHOLOGY OF LANGUAGE
REL 31065	COMPARATIVE RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE
RUSS 32501	RUSSIAN LITERATURE IN ENGLISH
SOC 42559	CULTURE AND SOCIETY
SOC 42561	SOCIOLOGY OF RELIGION
WMST 30001	FEMINIST THEORY

Minimum Total Credit Hours: 18

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Minor GPA

2.000

- Students must complete at least two upper-division (30000 or 40000 level) courses in the minor at Kent State on a graded basis (A-F).
- Students may not select more than two courses from one subject area.
- Students must complete any prerequisites required for courses in this list.
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be upper-division coursework (30000 and 40000 level).
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be outside of the course requirements for any major or other minor the student is pursuing.
- Minimum 50 percent of the total credit hours for the minor must be taken at Kent State (in residence).