JEWISH STUDIES - MINOR

College of Arts and Sciences
School of Multidisciplinary Social Sciences and Humanities
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Fully Offered
• Delivery: In person
• Location: Kent Campus

Description
The Jewish Studies minor enables students enrolled in any major to learn about different aspects of Jewish heritage and culture. Each year, scholarships may be awarded to students pursuing the Jewish Studies minor.

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.

Program Learning Outcomes
Graduates of this program will be able to:
1. Identify historical events and consequences of the Holocaust
2. Demonstrate familiarity with the historiography or sociology of a major global religion
3. Recognize the history and lived experience of Jewish communities

Program Requirements

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Minimum Total Credit Hours: 18

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Minor GPA | Minimum Overall GPA
2.000             | 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).
• 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).