

Total Major hours: 80 Suggested hours per semester: 16-18
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German Studies Major with Secondary Education Licensure

Major Academic Plan (MAP) for Catalog Year 2022-2023

The catalog is the final authority on CATC and major requirements; this is intended as a tool for planning purposes.
Student course sequencing may vary depending on course offerings and other variables.

Fall Semester 1	Spring Semester 1	Summer 1
<p>GERM 101 Elementary OR GERM 201 Intermediate* OR GERM 341 Contemporary Culture & Mores^{F,2} EDUC 101 The Teaching Profession (2)⁸ EDUC 135 School & Society (2)^{1,8} EDUC 136 Teaching Ethnically & Linguistically Diverse Students (2)⁸ EDUC 136L Cross-Cultural Tutoring (1)⁸</p> <p><i>CORE 101: First Year Seminar</i> <i>First Year CATC options-</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AHS 101: Wellness (2) • COMM 101: Oral Comm (2) • ENGW 103: First-Year Writing • Thematic Core Course¹ 	<p>GERM 102 Elementary* OR GERM 103 Accelerated Elementary^{3*} OR GERM 201 Intermediate* OR GERM 342 Contemporary German Culture: Politics, Economics, & Current Events^{5,2}</p> <p><i>First Year CATC Options</i> <i>Thematic Core Course</i> BITH 211/ARCH 211: Old Testament</p>	<p><i>Consider study, internship or research options –Wheaton In summer program, WIN (HoneyRock), Wheaton in the Black Hills, non-major internship, summer research</i></p>
<p>Fall Semester 2</p> <p>GERM 201 Intermediate* OR GERM 341 Contemporary Culture & Mores^{F,2} OR GERM 351 Topics in German Literature^{1,5} /GERM 361 Topics in German Language & Cultural Studies⁵ EDUC 225 Learning & Development¹ EDUC 225L Teacher Aiding Practicum (1)</p> <p><i>Core Competency Course</i> BITH 213/ARCH 213: New Testament Advanced Integrative Seminar?[*]</p>	<p>Spring Semester 2</p> <p>GERM 342 Contemporary German Culture: Politics, Economics, & Current Events^{5,2} OR GERM 351^{1,5}/361 Topics⁵ GERM 371 Methods of Teaching Foreign Languages EDUC 305 Learning Differences (2)^{*9}</p> <p><i>Thematic Core Course</i> BITH 315: Christian Thought* Advanced Integrative Seminar?[*]</p>	<p>Summer 2</p> <p><i>Consider Study Abroad⁶</i> <i>Consider summer coursework</i></p>
<p>Fall Semester 3</p> <p>GERM 341 Contemporary Culture and Mores^{F,2} OR GERM 351 Topics in German Literature^{1,5}/GERM 361 Topics in German Language & Cultural Studies⁵ OR German Studies elective course⁴ EDUC 306 Classroom Communication & Curriculum Integration^{F*}</p> <p><i>Consider Study Abroad⁶</i></p> <p><i>Thematic Core Course</i> Advanced Integrative Seminar?[*]</p>	<p>Spring Semester 3</p> <p>GERM 342 Contemporary German Culture: Politics, Economics, & Current Events^{5,2} OR GERM 351^{1,5}/361 Topics⁵, if not complete EDUC 305L Learning Differences Practicum (1)⁷ EDUC 324L Methods Practicum (Middle & High School) (1)⁷ LING 326 English Language Methods for Content Area Teachers (2)</p> <p><i>Advanced Integrative Seminar?[*]</i></p>	<p>Summer 3</p> <p><i>Consider Study Abroad⁶</i> <i>Consider summer coursework</i></p>

Fall Semester 4	Spring Semester 4	Summer 4
EDUC 494 Senior Seminar (2) EDUC 496 Student Teaching (9) EDUC 497 Phil. Foundations of Ed (3) ¹	GERM 494 Senior Seminar ^{S#*} German Studies elective course ⁴ Complete Major Coursework Complete CATC Coursework	

Notes or Special Guidance for Majors:

*Course has prerequisite

^F Fall only course

^S Spring only course

[#]Offered every other year

¹ Courses that meet CATC tags (with max of 3 from major counting for Christ at the Core Thematic Core) are included in elective and study abroad courses. See course catalog to plan for CATC Thematic Core tags with German Studies. Secondary Education courses that meet the CATC Thematic Core tags: EDUC 225 (SI) and EDUC 497 (with EDUC 135 taken at Wheaton) meets the PI theme. A maximum of 3 themes can count in both the major requirements and the general education requirements - for each major.

² GERM 341 and GERM 342 do not need to be taken in sequence.

³ GERM 103 combines GERM 101 and 102 in a single semester and is recommended a.) for students with prior German background enrolling via placement or b.) for beginning students with a strong background in another language who wish to take an accelerated course.

⁴ German Studies majors must take either 4 hours of upper division German courses or 4 credits of German-themed courses offered by other departments; please see catalog for the listing of approved courses. These are all upper division courses.

⁵ GERM 351 and 361 are courses with varying topics, such as Terrorism in Literature and Film, Crime Narratives in Literature and Film, and German for Business. Students may take more than one topic under the same course number. Some courses also include CATC Thematic Tags.

⁶ Study abroad is a requirement for the German Studies major, either via the Wheaton in Germany program (8), or via an approved semester abroad or summer intensive program with 8 credits of German coursework.

⁷ EDUC 324L and EDUC 305L are taken concurrently the semester prior to student teaching.

⁸ While EDUC 135, 136 and 136L need to be taken together, EDUC 101 can be taken separately. These courses should be complete during the first year.

⁹ EDUC 305 may be taken any semester after EDUC 225. It must be completed prior to student teaching.

-GERM 372 is open to German Studies majors by special permission and is recommended for students anticipating graduate study in the humanities or theological studies. GERM 372 is a prerequisite for GERM 373.