

RUSSIAN CULTURE MINOR CONCENTRATION (B.A.) (18 CREDITS)

Offered by: Languages, Literatures, Cultures (Faculty of Arts)

Degree: Bachelor of Arts; Bachelor of Arts and Science

Program credit weight: 18

Program Description

The Minor Concentration Russian Culture is designed primarily as an adjunct to area studies and/or programs in the humanities or social sciences. There are no Russian language requirements.

This program may be expanded into a Major Concentration in Russian.

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Complementary Courses (18 credits)

Courses offered by LLC may be accepted subject to approval by the Department.

18 credits selected with the following specifications:

At least 6 credits from Group A

6-12 credits from Group B

Group A

At least 6 credits from:

Expand all Contract all

Course	Title	Credits
RUSS 217	Russia's Eternal Questions.	3
RUSS 218	Russian Literature and Revolution.	3
RUSS 223	Russian 19th Century: Literary Giants 1.	3
RUSS 224	Russian 19th Century: Literary Giants 2.	3

Group B

6-12 credits from:

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Course	Title	Credits
RUSS 213	Introduction to Soviet Film.	3
RUSS 229	Introduction to Russian Folklore.	3
RUSS 250	The Central European Novel.	3

RUSS 330	Chekhov without Borders.	3
RUSS 333	Petersburg: City of Myth.	3
RUSS 337	Vladimir Nabokov.	3
RUSS 340	Russian Short Story.	3
RUSS 347	Late and Post-Soviet Culture.	3
RUSS 350	Central European Film.	3
RUSS 357	Leo Tolstoy.	3
RUSS 358	Fyodor Dostoevsky.	3
RUSS 365	Supernatural and Absurd in Russian Literature.	3
RUSS 369	Narrative and Memory in Russian Culture.	3
RUSS 381	Russia's Utopia Complex.	3
RUSS 382	Russian Opera.	3
RUSS 385	Staging Russianness: From Pushkin to Chekhov.	3
RUSS 390	Special Topics in Russian.	3
RUSS 395	Soviet Cinema: Art and Politics.	3
RUSS 397	Tarkovsky: Cinema and Philosophy.	3
RUSS 398	Soviet Women Filmmakers.	3
RUSS 427	Russian Fin de Siècle.	3
RUSS 428	Russian Avantgarde.	3
RUSS 430	High Stalinist Culture 1.	3
RUSS 440	Russia and Its Others.	3
RUSS 454	Narratives of Desire.	3
RUSS 475	Special Topics in Russ Culture.	3
RUSS 500	Special Topics.	3
RUSS 501	Topics in Slavic Culture.	3