

**Questions about American Studies?** If you have any questions about the American studies concentration, please contact Dr. Anne MacMaster in the English department or Dr. Robert McElvaine in the history department.

## Christian Education

The area of concentration in Christian education helps prepare students to plan, organize, lead, and teach in religious education programs. For further information, see the chair of the religious studies department or the College chaplain.

### Requirements for area of concentration:

1. RLST 2000: Introduction to Religious Studies,
2. RLST 2210: Hebrew Scriptures or RLST 2220: New Testament and Early Christianity,
3. RLST 3110: History of Christian Thought or RLST 3120: Modern and Contemporary Theology,
4. RLST 4850–4852: Religious Studies Internship,
5. IDST 1600: The Human Experience: A Cross-Cultural Perspective, and
6. EDUC 3200/3210: Classroom Methods and Management.

## Environmental Studies

The area of concentration in environmental studies is an interdisciplinary program that may be pursued by students majoring in any discipline. The required course work provides students the opportunity to consider the relationship between people and the environment from social, cultural, economic, political, ethical, and scientific perspectives.

**Requirements for area of concentration:** Seven courses are required: (1) Geology 1100: Environmental Issues; (2) one of the field courses listed below or an internship course or research course approved by the director of the concentration; (3) two of the humanities and social sciences courses listed below; (4) two of the natural sciences courses listed below; (5) ENVS 4911: Environmental Studies Seminar.

### Field Courses:

- SOAN 3410: Field Archaeology
- GEOL 3400: Special Problems in Geology: Yellowstone Field Study
- GEOL 3508: Directed Study in Geology: Living in Yucatán
- GEOL 4506: Field Geology
- BIOL 3210: Field Biology

### Humanities and Social Sciences:

- IDST 2500: Globalization and Technology
- PHIL 3750: Special Topics: Environmental Ethics
- RLST 3150: Religion, Science, and Nature
- RLST 3750: Special Topics: Religion and the Environment
- HIST 3610: Environment, Technology, and Power
- HIST 4760: Modern Environmental History
- PLSC 1000: American Government
- PLSC 2010: American Public Policy
- ECON 2000: Principles of Economics
- SOAN 1100: Introduction to Anthropology
- SOAN 1110: Introduction to Archaeology

- SOAN 2410: Human Ecology
- SOAN 4730: Geographic Systems and Archaeology

#### **Natural Science:**

- GEOL 1000: The Physical Earth
- GEOL 2000: Plate Tectonics and Earth History
- GEOL 3300: Hydrology and Chemistry of Natural Waters
- CHEM 1213: General Inorganic Chemistry I and 1211: General Inorganic Chemistry Lab I
- CHEM 1223: General Inorganic Chemistry II and 1221: General Inorganic Chemistry Lab II
- CHEM 3730/Geology 4100: Geochemistry
- BIOL 1010: General Botany
- BIOL 2200: Ecology
- BIOL 3200: Aquatic Biology

**4911 Environmental Studies Seminar (1 sem. hour).** An interdisciplinary colloquium in which students share the results of the environmental research, internship, or field course work they have undertaken as a requirement of the environmental studies concentration. Ordinarily taken in the senior year. Prerequisite or Corequisite: field course, research course, or internship course approved by the director of the concentration. Taken by permission of the instructor.

## **European Studies**

The program in European studies is designed for those students who are keenly interested in European affairs. The major or minor in European studies cuts across traditional departmental and divisional boundaries and allows the student to work with faculty to design a program of study that integrates those aspects of European affairs that best meet the student's interests. European art, business, history, languages, literatures, music, philosophy, and political science are among the areas of study available to students in European studies.

**Requirements for major:** Students complete a major in European studies with a total of 40 semester hours, including the following four components:

- 1. Introductory Course (4 sem. hours).** History 2210: European Civilization Since 1789.
- 2. Language Component.** Students are required to study one European language. In addition to satisfying the B.A. requirement in that language, the European studies major must complete at least twelve semester hours beyond the B.A. requirement in that language.
- 3. Multidisciplinary Component (20 sem. hours).** Students will take twenty semester hours, beyond those described above, from a list of elective courses provided by the director of the European studies program. No more than 12 semester hours may be in the same department. No more than four semester hours may be from the Core. No more than eight semester hours of language courses, beyond those that are required for the European studies major, may be counted as elective courses toward the major.
- 4. Colloquium and Comprehensive Exams (4 sem. hours).** Students will take written and oral examinations administered by the European Studies Committee.

**Requirements for minor:** Students may complete a minor in European studies with a total of 20 semester hours, including the following three components. First, students are required to