South Asian Studies (Minor)

This section presents the requirements for programs in:

- Minor in South Asian Studies

Program Requirements

**Minor in South Asian Studies (4.0 credits)**

This minor is available to all undergraduate degree students.

**Requirements:**

1. **1.0 credit in:**
   - SAST 1001 [0.5] Introduction to South Asian Studies I
   - SAST 1002 [0.5] Introduction to South Asian Studies II

2. **2.0 credits in Approved South Asian Studies Electives at the 1000-level or higher (see list below)**

3. **1.0 credit in Approved South Asian Studies Electives at the 3000-level or higher (see list below)**

**Total Credits**

- 4.0

**Approved South Asian Studies Electives**

Other courses not listed here may be used if they have sufficient South Asian content and advance approval of the department.

**Anthropology**

- ANTH 2020 [0.5] Race and Ethnicity
- ANTH 2630 [0.5] Studies in Asian Societies: Current Issues in Anthropological Research
- ANTH 3020 [0.5] Studies in Race and Ethnicity
- ANTH 4020 [0.5] Advanced Studies in Race and Ethnicity

**Art History**

- ARTH 2007 [0.5] Asian Art
- ARTH 3007 [0.5] Modern Asian Art

**English Language and Literature**

- ENGL 2936 [0.5] South Asian Literatures I
- ENGL 2937 [0.5] South Asian Literatures II
- ENGL 3940 [0.5] Studies in Diaspora Lit.
- ENGL 3965 [0.5] Intro to Postcolonial Theory
- ENGL 3972 [0.5] Studies in Postcolonial Literature

**Film Studies**

- FILM 2606 [0.5] History of World Cinema I
- FILM 2607 [0.5] History of World Cinema II

**History**

- HIST 1707 [1.0] World History
- HIST 2312 [0.5] History of the Indian Ocean World
- HIST 2910 [0.5] Special Subject in History
- HIST 3217 [0.5] Empire and Globalization
- HIST 3715 [0.5] Themes in South Asian History

**Music**

- MUSI 2009 [0.5] Music of Asia
- MUSI 3107 [0.5] Classical Indian Music

**Philosophy**

- PHIL 2700 [0.5] Asian Philosophy

**Political Science**

- PSCI 3700 [0.5] Government and Politics of South Asia

**Religion**

- RELI 1715 [0.5] South Asian Religions
- RELI 2410 [0.5] Buddhism
- RELI 2510 [0.5] Hinduism
- RELI 2515 [0.5] Religion and Aesthetics in India
- RELI 2711 [0.5] Love and Its Myths
- RELI 2750 [0.5] Sikhism
- RELI 3420 [0.5] Early Buddhism
- RELI 3520 [0.5] Early Hinduism
- RELI 3522 [0.5] Modern Hinduism

**Regulations**

In addition to the requirements listed here, students must satisfy:

1. the University regulations including the process of Academic Performance Evaluation (see the Academic Regulations of the University section of this Calendar).

**South Asian Studies (SAST) Courses**

- **SAST 1001 [0.5 credit]**
  **Introduction to South Asian Studies I**
  An introduction to South Asian studies, including history, literature, religion, philosophy and the arts.
  Includes: Experiential Learning Activity
  Lecture three hours per week.

- **SAST 1002 [0.5 credit]**
  **Introduction to South Asian Studies II**
  An introduction to contemporary dimensions of South Asia including cultural, social and political thought and practice.
  Includes: Experiential Learning Activity
  Lecture three hours per week.