

JUDAIC STUDIES MINOR

Banner Code: JS

Academic Advising

3200 Horizon Hall
Fairfax Campus

Website: <https://religious.gmu.edu/programs/la-minor-reli-js>

This minor is designed for students interested in the culture, history, and politics of Jewish communities across the world.

Admissions & Policies

Policies

Eight credits of coursework must be unique to the minor and students must complete all coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.00. For policies governing all minors, see AP.5.3.4 Minors (<http://catalog.gmu.edu/policies/academic/undergraduate-policies/#ap-5-3-4>).

Requirements

Minor Requirements

Total credits: 15

Students should be aware of the specific policies associated with this program, located on the Admissions & Policies tab.

Core Course

Code	Title	Credits
RELI 310	Judaism (Mason Core) (http://catalog.gmu.edu/mason-core/)	3
Total Credits		3

Electives

Code	Title	Credits
Students choose 12 credits from the following. No more than 6 credits of foreign language or 9 credits of Experiential Learning can be applied to the minor. ¹		12

General Electives

HIST 465	The Middle East in the 20th Century
RELI 211	Introduction to Religions of the "West" (Mason Core) (http://catalog.gmu.edu/mason-core/)
RELI 350	Religion and History of Ancient Israel
RELI 352	Judaism from Exile to Talmud
RELI 348	American Judaism

Foreign Language (up to 6 credits)

HEBR 101	Elementary Hebrew I
HEBR 102	Elementary Hebrew II
HEBR 150	Introduction to Biblical Hebrew
HEBR 160	Readings in Biblical Hebrew
HEBR 201	Intermediate Hebrew I

HEBR 202	Intermediate Hebrew II
Experiential Learning (up to 9 credits)	
Any study abroad program approved by minor director	
An internship experience approved by the minor director	
Total Credits	12
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Special topics courses and independent studies courses, when relevant, may be used to fulfill this requirement with prior written approval of the undergraduate director.