

Program Guide for Philosophy & Religion Specialization in Religion Studies

The Philosophy and Religion Studies Major accepts no “D” grades within the major. The lowest acceptable grade for major courses is “C-”. Only courses taken as free electives can be taken on a P/NC basis.

CHECK TO BE SURE THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS ARE COMPLETED:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Writing Intensive Course (WI) <input type="checkbox"/> Multicultural/Global Course (M/G) <input type="checkbox"/> Lab Science Course (LAB) <input type="checkbox"/> General Education Requirements	<input type="checkbox"/> Broad Based Literature Course (LIT) <input type="checkbox"/> Rowan Seminar (RS) – <i>Freshmen Only</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Public Speaking Course (PS) <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic and Creative Experience (ACE)

I. Required Courses

58 S.H.

A. COMMUNICATIONS/SPEECH

9 S.H.

TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	Composition I (Comp 111)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Composition II (Comp 112)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Public Speaking (CMS 202) (PS)

B. MATH/SCIENCE

10 S.H.

TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	One Lab Science (LAB)
_____	_____	_____	_____	One Math Elective
_____	_____	_____	_____	One Math or Science Elective

C. SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

6 S.H.

TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	World Regional Geography (GEOG 06.111) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Intro to Sociology (SOC 08.120) or
				Cultural Anthropology (ANTH 02.202) or
				Comparative Cultures (ANTH 02.350)

D. HISTORY/HUMANITIES/LANGUAGE

9 S.H.

TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	Western Civilization to 1660 (HIST 05.100)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Logic of Everyday Reasoning (PHIL 09.110) or
				Intro to Symbolic Logic (PHIL 09.130)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Readings in Non-Western Literature (ENGL 116) (LIT)

E. ARTS AND CREATIVE EXPERIENCE (ACE): ROWAN EXPERIENCE				3.S.H.
TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	Art Survey 1, 2, or 3 (ARHS 103, 104, or 105) or
				History of American Art (ARHS 210) or
				World Dance Forms (THD 146) or
				Music in World Cultures: Asia & Oceania (MUSG 447) or
				Music in World Cultures: Africa, India, Near & Middle East (MUSG 448)

F. NON-PROGRAM ELECTIVES				21 S.H.
TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	Non-Program Elective
_____	_____	_____	_____	Non-Program Elective
_____	_____	_____	_____	Non-Program Elective
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_____	_____	_____	_____	Non-Program Elective
_____	_____	_____	_____	Non-Program Elective

II. Philosophy and Religion Major: Religion Studies Specialization: **36 S.H.**

"D" grades are not accepted within the major.

A. Foundational Requirements **6 S.H.**

TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	Introduction to Philosophy (PHIL 09.120 or 121)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Religions of the World (REL 10.200)

B. Specialization in Religion **27 S.H.**

9 Courses- (5 Must be 300 or 400 level). One must be a Philosophy course, one must be an ethics course (one course can fulfill both requirements). Choose from among (each is 3 s.h.):

TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	_____	_____	Religions of Asia (REL 10.230) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Introduction to Buddhism (REL 10.220) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Asian Thought (PHIL 09.09.330) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Introduction to Bible (REL 10.110)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Introduction to Judaism (REL 10.301) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Introduction to Daoism (REL 10.330) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Introduction to Christianity (REL 10.320) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Religion in America (REL 10.210) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Sociology of Religion (SOC 08.120)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Indians of North America (ANTH 02.310) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Natives of South America (ANTH 02.210) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Ancient Mediterranean World (HIST 05.300)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Islamic Civilization (HIST 05.304)
_____	_____	_____	_____	African American History Since 1865 (HIST 05.377)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Women in Islam (HIST 05.417)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Sub-Saharan Africa to 1800 (HIST 05.394)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Sub-Saharan Africa Since 1800 (HIST 05.397)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Aesthetics (PHIL 09.310 or 311)

_____	_____	_____	_____	Philosophy of Religion (REL 10.300)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Selected Topics in Philosophy & Religion (PHRE 11.340)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Selected Topics in Religion Studies (REL 10.340) (repeatable)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Existentialism (PHIL 09.320)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Contemporary Moral Problems (PHIL 09.392) (M/G)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Introduction to Ethics (PHIL 09.250 or 251)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Biomedical Ethics (PHIL 09.341)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Feminist Ethics (PHIL 09.346)
_____	_____	_____	_____	Ethics and the Professions (INTR 174)

C. Service Learning component

0 S.H.

D. Capstone

3 S.H.

SEM	GRADE	
_____	_____	Senior Seminar in Philosophy & Religion (PHRE 11.490)
_____	_____	Portfolio requirement (not for credit)

III. Free electives

26 S.H.

TRAN	ROWAN	SEM	GRADE
_____	_____	_____	_____
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IV. General Education and Rowan Experience

In addition to fulfilling the program requirements, all students are required to fulfill the university-wide general education requirements and the Rowan Experience requirements.