

Holocaust and Judaic Studies Certificate

Major: All
College: All
Degree: None (Certificate Program)
Option/Tracks: Judaic Studies

Limited Access Program: No

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The Dorothy F. Schmidt College of Arts and Letters offers an Interdisciplinary undergraduate program in Judaic Studies. Students in any college are invited to participate. Core courses in Language, History, and English, and Sociology are integrated by a Senior Seminar. Two elective courses are also required from among those offered in several disciplines, for a total of 26 credits required for the certificate. Close work with faculty and individual research are emphasized. Students who successfully complete the program will receive a transcript notation attesting to this.

The course requirements are as follows:

FAU Program (Core Courses):

HBR	1120/1121/2203/2204	Hebrew Language (2 years) or equivalent proficiency	16
JST	4701	The Holocaust	3
JST	2000	Introduction to Judaic Studies	3
JST	4425	History of Zionism and the State of Israel	3
JST	4935	Judaic Studies Senior Seminar	3
JST	4415	American Jewish History, 1492-1990	3

The program in Judaic Studies is open to all students who wish to study various forms of Jewish expression throughout the centuries. Judaic Studies may be especially useful for those who:

- are concerned with a well-rounded education
- wish to pursue graduate study in any aspect of Western civilization or culture
- wish to participate meaningfully in the post-Holocaust Jewish/Christian dialogue
- contemplate careers as clerics (rabbis, priests, or ministers)
- are concerned with vocational opportunities in Jewish communal organizations (community centers, family service bureaus, federations, group administrations)
- wish to study of Jewish literary and theological responses to the Holocaust