

**MAJOR (B.A) in RELIGIOUS STUDIES (36 units)**  
**Department of Religious Studies**

California State University, Fullerton  
 Department of Comparative Religion  
 Undergraduate Major B.A. in Religious Studies

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**Introduction, Methods and Texts (12 units)**

| <b>Courses Required-check chosen course options</b>  | <b>Units</b> | <b>Transfer or other credit</b> | <b>Plan to take (sem/year)</b> | <b>Completed (sem/year)</b> | <b>TDA</b> |
|--|--------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| RLST 100 - Introduction to the Study of Religion (3) or<br>RLST 105 - Religion and the Quest for Meaning (3) or<br>RLST 110 - Religions of the World (3) | <b>3</b>     |                                 |                                |                             |            |
| RLST 300 - Methods of Studying Religion (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of any lower-division Religious Studies course.                                  | <b>3</b>     |                                 |                                |                             |            |
| RLST 485T - Major Religious Thinkers and Concepts (3)<br>Prerequisites: 15 units in Comparative Religion, including RLST 105 or RLST 110 and RLST 300    | <b>3</b>     |                                 |                                |                             |            |
| RLST 330T - Hebrew Scriptural Studies (3) or<br>RLST 331T - New Testament Studies (3) or   | <b>3</b>     |                                 |                                |                             |            |

**Religious Traditions 1: Judaism, Christianity, Islam (9 units)**

**Lower-Division Requirement (3 units)**

| <b>Courses Required-check chosen course options</b>   | <b>Units</b> | <b>Transfer or other credit</b> | <b>Plan to take (sem/year)</b> | <b>Completed (sem/year)</b> | <b>TDA</b> |
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| RLST 200 - Introduction to Christianity (3)<br>RLST 201 - Introduction to the New Testament (3)<br>RLST 210 - Introduction to Judaism (3)<br>RLST 250 - Introduction to Islam (3) | <b>3</b>     |                                 |                                |                             |            |

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### Upper-Division Requirement (6 units)

| Course Name   | Units | Transfer or other credit | Plan to take (sem/year) | Completed (sem/year) | TDA |
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| HIST 412A - History of the Christian Church to the Reformation (1517) (3)<br>Prerequisite: Completion of General Education Category C.2 or C.3 or HIST 110A or D.1 or HIST 110B or Graduate Standing.           | 3     |                          |                         |                      |     |
| HIST 412B - History of the Christian Church from the Reformation to the Present (3)<br>Prerequisite: Completion of General Education Category C.2 or C.3 or HIST 110A or D.1 or HIST 110B or Graduate Standing. |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| HIST 435A - The Holocaust (3)<br>Prerequisite: HIST 110B or any modern European upper-division course.  |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| HIST 466A - Islamic Civilization: Arab Era (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of General Education Category C.2 or C.3 or HIST 110A; or graduate standing.   |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| HIST 466B - Islamic Civilization: Imperial Age (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of General Education Category C.2 or C.3 or HIST 110A or graduate standing.  |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 351 - History and Development of Early Christian Thought (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.   | 3     |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 352 - History and Development of Modern Christian Thought (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.  |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 361 - History and Development of Jewish Thought: Biblical and Rabbinical Eras (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.  |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 362 - History and Development of Jewish Thought: Medieval and Modern Eras (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.  |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 371 - History and Development of Islamic Thought: The Beginning to 1258 (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.  |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 372 - History and Development of Islamic Thought: 1259 to Modern Times (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.   |       |                          |                         |                      |     |

### Religious Traditions 2: Hinduism, Buddhism, Jainism, Sikhism (9 units)

#### Lower-Division Requirement (3 units)

| Courses Required-check chosen course options   | Units | Transfer or other credit | Plan to take (sem/year) | Completed (sem/year) | TDA |
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| RLST 270T - Introduction to the Asian Religions (3)<br>RLST 280 - Introduction to Buddhism (3) | 3     |                          |                         |                      |     |

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| PHIL 350 - Asian Philosophy (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.  | 3     |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 307 - Non-violence, Animal Rights and Diet in Jainism (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2, D.1 or D.2. |       |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 341 - Hindu Tradition to 400 B.C.E. (3)<br>Prerequisite: RLST 110 or completion of G.E. Category C.2.                   | 3     |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 342 - Hindu Tradition from 400 B.C.E. (3)<br>Prerequisite: RLST 105, RLST 110 or completion of G.E. Category C.2.       |       |                          |                         |                      |     |

## Religion, Culture and Experience (6 units)

| Courses Required-check chosen course options   | Units    | Transfer or other credit | Plan to take (sem/year) | Completed (sem/year) | TDA |
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| ANTH 305 - Anthropology of Religion (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.<br>RLST 306 - Contemporary Practices of the World's Religions (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.<br>RLST 311 - Religion and Film (3)<br>Prerequisite: Completion of any lower-division RLST or CTVA course.<br>RLST 312 - The Bible as Literature (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.<br>RLST 321 - Psychology of Religion (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category D.1.<br>RLST 325 - African American Religions and Spirituality (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category D.1.<br>RLST 333 - Religion and Sexuality (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category D.1.<br>RLST 367 - Religion in Latino/a Life (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2. | <b>3</b> |                          |                         |                      |     |
| RLST 370 - New Religious Movements in the U.S.A. (3)<br>Prerequisites: completion of G.E. category D.1 and C.3, D.3 or E.<br>RLST 373 - Women in Islam (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.<br>RLST 374 - Issues in Contemporary Islam (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.<br>RLST 375 - Conceptions of the Afterlife (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category C.2.<br>RLST 380 - Religion and Violence (3)<br>Prerequisites: completion of G.E. Categories C.2 and D.1.<br>RLST 381 - Religion and Politics in the United States (3)<br>Prerequisite: completion of G.E. Category D.1.<br>RLST 400 - Religion, the Media, and Contemporary Culture (3)<br>Prerequisite: AMST 201, COMM 233, HIST 180, RLST 105 or RLST 110.  | <b>3</b> |                          |                         |                      |     |

## Writing Requirement

The course requirement of the university upper-division baccalaureate writing course is met through RLST 300 or through ENGL 301.

## Graduation Requirement (3 units)

| Course Name   | Term Taken | Grade |
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| HONR 201B - Honors Seminar: American Institutions and Values since 1900 (3)<br>Prerequisite: Student must be in the Honors Program. |            |       |
| POSC 100 - American Government (3)  |            |       |

## Total (120 units)

Notes: