



University of Maryland University College

Associate of Arts Foreign Language Area Studies – German Curriculum

Campus: Asia/Europe On-site and Online

<p>Degree Objective - This two-year program provides students not only the foundations for written and spoken German, but the opportunity for advanced language and cultural studies as well. Students may more effectively assume roles as liaisons with German-speaking businesses and/or communities. http://www.ed.umuc.edu/undergrad/associate/foreign_language_area_studies_german_curriculum.html</p> <p>Academic Residency - At least 15 credits must be taken with UMUC, with at least 9 credits of the required core courses and German-related area studies courses. An overall grade point average (GPA) of C (2.0) is required. All core courses must have a grade of C or better.</p>	<p>Portable Jobs and Careers - This degree can assist in obtaining portable jobs such as translator for government agencies and customs; education as an instructor/trainer; hospitality as a tour guide or events planner or in any field that requires the ability to learn languages and provide cross-cultural services.</p>
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DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

General Education Requirements (Total of 35 credits)

Communications (Total of 9 credits)	Suggested Courses	Credits Required	Credits Completed
WRTG 101 is a required course (To be taken within first 18 credits) Placement exam is required before registering for WRTG 101 (Placement may require EDCP 103 Fundamentals of Writing and Grammar as a prerequisite for WRTG 101)	WRTG 101 Introduction to Writing (3) (Required)	3	
All 3-credit WRTG courses (except WRTG 486A or 486B); ENGL102, 294, 303, and 485; and JOUR 201 apply	WRTG 291 Expository and Research Writing (3) (Recommended)	3	
All 3-credit COMM, SPCH, and WRTG courses (except 486A and 486B); ENGL 102, 281, 294, 303, 384, and 485; and JOUR 201 apply	WRTG 391 Advanced Expository and Research Writing (3) SPCH 101 Introduction to Public Speaking (3) (Recommended)	3	
Arts and Humanities (Total of 6 credits from two different disciplines)			
One 3-credit course that offers a historical perspective (any 3-credit ARTH or HIST)	ARTH 334 Understanding Movies (3) HIST 157 History of the United States Since 1865 (3)	3	
One 3-credit course chosen from the following disciplines: ARTH, ARTT, ASTD (not all apply), GRCO, HIST, HUMN, MUSC, PHIL, THET, dance, literature, or foreign language (Discipline must be different from first course)	PHIL 140 Contemporary Moral Issues (3) SPAN 111 Elementary Spanish I (3) ITAL 111 Elementary Italian I (3)	3	
Behavioral and Social Sciences (Total of 6 credits from two different disciplines)			
One 3-credit course each in two of the following disciplines: AASP (AASP 201 only), ANTH, ASTD (not all apply), BEHS, CCJS, ECON, GEOG, GERO, GVPT, PSYC, SOCY, or WMST (WMST 200 only). Note: Not all CCJS and GERO courses apply.	ANTH 102 Introduction to Anthropology: Cultural Anthropology (3) ECON 201 Principles of Macroeconomics (3) GVPT 170 American Government (3) PSYC 100 Introduction to Psychology (3) SOCY 100 Introduction to Sociology (3)	3	
Second course from above list (Discipline must be different from first course)	Second course from above list (Discipline must be different from first course)	3	
Mathematics (Total of 3 credits)			
Placement exam required before registering for MATH courses except MATH 103 for which the placement exam is highly recommended. (To be taken within first 18 credits.)	MATH 103 College Mathematics (3) (Or higher MATH) MATH 107 College Algebra (3)	3	
Biological and Physical Sciences (Total of 7 credits to include one lab)			
Courses from the following disciplines satisfy the requirement, and must include one lab course: ASTR, BIOL, CHEM, GEOL, NSCI, PHYS, biotechnology, botany, entomology, general science, and zoology (Or other course with lab)	BIOL 101 Concepts of Biology (3) and BIOL 102 Laboratory in Biology (1) CHEM 103 General Chemistry I (4) GEOL 100 Physical Geology (3) and GEOL 110 Physical Geology Laboratory (1) NSCI 100 Introduction to Physical Science (3) and NSCI 101 Physical Science Laboratory (1)	4	
Courses from the following disciplines satisfy the requirement: ASTR, BIOL, CHEM, GEOL, NSCI, PHYS, biotechnology, botany, entomology, general science, and zoology (Or other course)	BIOL 101 Concepts of Biology (3) GEOL 100 Physical Geology (3) NSCI 100 Introduction to Physical Science (3) PHYS 121 Fundamentals of Physics I (3)	3	
Interdisciplinary or Emerging Issues (Total of 4 credits)			
LIBS 150 is a required course (To be taken within first 18 credits)	LIBS 150 Introduction to Research (1) (Required)	1	
One course chosen from either IFSM 201 or CMST 303	IFSM 201 Concepts and Applications of Information Technology (3) CMST 303 Advanced Application Software (3)	3	



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Required Core Courses (Total of 12 credits)	Suggested Courses	Credits Required	Credits Completed
Twelve credits of required core courses including GERM 111, GERM 112, GERM 211, and GERM 212	GERM 111 Elementary German I (3)	3	
	GERM 112 Elementary German II (3)	3	
	GERM 211 Intermediate German I (3)	3	
	GERM 212 Intermediate German II (3)	3	
German-related Courses (Total of 12 credits)			
Twelve credits chosen from HIST 141, HIST 142, HIST 216H, HIST 217J, or HIST 218D, and any approved courses in the culture, history, language, literature, or government and politics of the area	GERM 250 Intermediate Conversation (3)	12	
	GERM 301 Review Grammar and Composition I (3)		
	GERM 302 Review Grammar and Composition II (3)		
	GERM 333 German Life and Culture I (3)		
	GERM 334 German Life and Culture II (3)		
	HIST 141 Western Civilization I (3)		
	HIST 142 Western Civilization II (3)		
	HIST 217B Heidelberg Through the Ages (3)		
	HIST 317B Heidelberg Through the Ages (3)		
	HIST 318P Germany at War: 1939-1945 (3)		
HIST 319Z Nazism and the Third Reich (3)			
Electives (Total of 1 credit)			
Any courses related to interests and goals Complete prerequisites prior to enrolling for course		1	
Total Credits		60	

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