

Degree Requirements

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Pre-Law Concentration

General Education Requirements			
Course Name/ #	Credit Hours	Course Name/#	Credit Hours
English		Humanities	
ENGL 1157	3	FORL 1001 ¹	3
ENGL 1158 or 1159 ²	3	FORL 1002 ¹	3
Mathematics		Literature	
MATH 1031, 1115, 1125 or higher	3	Social Sciences	
MATH 1032, 1116, 1126 or higher	3	Social Sciences ³	6
Science		Arts	
BIOS ⁴	3	Arts elective ⁵	3
BIOS or Physical Science ⁴	6		
Total			39

Other Requirements			
Course Name/ #	Credit Hours	Course Name/#	Credit Hours
PHIL 1101	3	Electives outside of PHIL 3000+ ⁶	6
Foreign Language 2001 or 1001, 1002 ¹	3-6	General Electives	18-21
Literature	3	POLI 2151 and POLI 2200	6
Social Science 2000+ ⁷	6	POLI 4410, 4420, 4440, 4640 or 4860	3
Total			51

Course Requirements for Major			
Course Name/ #	Credit Hours	Course Name/#	Credit Hours
PHIL 2201	3	PHIL 3030 ⁸	1
PHIL 2311	3	PHIL Electives 3000+ ⁹	9
PHIL 2312	3	PHIL Electives ¹⁰	3
Total			22¹¹

Other Requirements (Pre-Law Concentration)			
Course Name/ #	Credit Hours	Course Name/#	Credit Hours
PHIL 2207 or 2215	3	Two courses from: PHIL 3094 ¹² , 3095 ¹² , 3101, 4200, 4201, 4205, or 4215	6
Total			9

Total Credit Hours Required	
120	

¹ Must complete nine credit hours in one language or six credit hours in two languages.

² "C" or better required

³ Must include courses from two different fields (ANTH, ECON, GEOG, POLI, PSYC, SOC, or URBN) and at least 6 hours at 2000-level or higher. Check General Education Courses to confirm what courses fulfill this requirement.

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⁴ 6 hour sequence in one science. Select from BIOS, CHEM, EES, PHYS. 3 hours must be BIOS. Check General Education Courses to confirm what courses fulfill this requirement.

⁵ From FA, MUS, theater or film/video-related FTA. Check General Education Courses to confirm what courses fulfill this requirement.

⁶ Pre-Law concentration majors must take POLI 4410, 4420, 4440, 4640 or 4860.

⁷ Pre-Law concentration majors must take POLI 2151 and POLI 2200.

⁸ PHIL 3001 will be substituted when appropriate but only 1 credit hour may be applied toward the required 30 credit hours in PHIL courses.

⁹ Pre-Law concentration majors must take two courses from: PHIL 3094, 3095, 3101, or 4200. See note 12.

¹⁰ Pre-Law concentration majors must take PHIL 2207 or PHIL 2215.

¹¹ No more than two 1000-level courses may count among the required 30 PHIL credit hours and each student must complete at least one course in Metaphysics/Epistemology ('-4--').

¹² PHIL 3094: Directed Readings in Philosophy and/or PHIL 3095: Special Topics in Philosophy may be taken by department permission to satisfy this requirement when the topic of PHIL 3094 or PHIL 3095 is connected with legal philosophy, social philosophy, political philosophy, ethics, logic, or some other topic determined by the department to be relevant to this concentration.