

Degree Worksheet

			Grades	
			Earned	Needed
Mason Core Requirements	Course Information	Credits		
Mason Core Foundation				
Written Communication (lower-level)	ENGH 101 (100)	3		
Oral Communication	COMM 101	3		
Quantitative Reasoning		3		
Information Technology & Computing		3		
Mason Core Exploration				
Arts		3		
Global Understanding	May be satisfied by Major Requirements	3		
Literature	May be satisfied by Major Requirements	3		
Natural Science Overview		3		
Natural Science with Lab		4		
Social and Behavioral Sciences		3		
Global History		3		
Mason Core Integration				
Written Communication (upper-level)	ENGH 302	3		
Synthesis/Capstone	May be satisfied by RUSS 353	3		
College Level Requirements for the BA Degree				
Philosophy or Religious Studies		3		
(PHIL 323, 324, 327, 393, 460 cannot be used to fulfill this requirement. PHIL 253 and RELI 235 cannot be used to fulfill both the PHIL/RELI requirement and the Mason Core literature requirement)				
Additional Social & Behavioral Sciences		3		
(The two courses used to fulfill the combined college and university requirements must be from different disciplines. This requirement may be fulfilled by completing any course in ANTH, CRIM, ECON, GOVT, HIST (except 100 or 125), LING, PSYC, or SOCI & these courses in GGS: 101, 103, 110, 301, 303, 304, 305, 306, 315, 316, 320, 325, 330, 357, 380)				
Foreign Language		0-12		
(Intermediate level in a single language by completing a course in a foreign language numbered 202 (or higher); or achieving a satisfactory score on an approved proficiency test; or by completing the following ASL three course sequence EDSE 115, 116, and EDSE 219; or students who are already proficient in a second language may be eligible for a waiver of this requirement)				
Non-Western Culture		3		
(Approved courses for this requirement may be found under Degree Requirements for the major listed within the University Catalog. The course used for this requirement may not simultaneously fulfill Mason Core Global Understanding)				
Major Requirements (33 credits)				
Minimum GPA of 2.0				
			Credits	Earned
			Needed	
Two courses of Russian or other Eurasian-related language (6 credits)				
Courses used to meet this requirement may be in the same language that is used to meet the college language requirement, in which case the student needs to complete 6 credits beyond intermediate proficiency (beyond courses numbered 202 at Mason). With the approval of the director, courses used to meet this requirement may be in a Eurasian-related language that was not used to meet the college language requirement at a level approved by the director.				
Russian/Eurasian language course #1		3		
Russian/Eurasian language course #2		3		
Two social science courses at the 300 and 400-level (6 credits)				
Courses used to fulfill this requirement must focus primarily on Central Asia and Eurasia and may be in any social science discipline (ANTH, ECON, GGS, GOVT, SOCI).				
Social science course #1		3		
Social science course #2		3		
Two history courses at the 300 and 400-level (6 credits)				

Courses used to fulfill this requirement must focus primarily on Central Asia and Eurasia.

History course #1		3		
History course #2		3		
Two literature or film courses at the 300 and 400-level (6 credits)				
Courses used to fulfill this requirement must be related to Eurasia.				
Literature or film course #1		3		
Literature or film course #2		3		
Three courses at the 300 and 400-level that focus predominantly on Eurasia chosen from the following (9 credits)				
ARTH 386; HIST 328, 329, 387, 388, 460, 462, 499; GOVT 338, 340, 345, 444, 447; RUSS 470, GGS 330; ECON 380; Any 300/400-level CONF course.				
Upper-level course #1		3		
Upper-level course #2		3		
Upper-level course #3		3		

Degree Notes

The major writing intensive requirement may be fulfilled by RUSS 302 or 325. Any remaining credits may be completed with elective courses to bring the degree total to 120 with 45 of these credits at the 300/400 level.