

Winter Actions of the Curricular Review Committee
Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences
Northwestern University

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1. CRC-approved new courses

If a course was also approved for fulfilling a general WCAS degree requirement, the entry in the “FD/OVRL/AE” column indicates the area(s) for which it was approved. Some of these were considered by the CPC rather than the CRC.

Dept/Pgm	#	Title	FD/OVRL/AE
ANTHRO	275-0	Introduction to Forensic Anthropology	FD-NS
ANTHRO	375-0	Advanced Methods in Forensic Anthropology	FD-NS
BLK_ST	247-0	Black Life. Trans Life.	OVRL-US
BLK_ST	275-0	Africans and African Americans	FD-LA & OVRL-G
BLK_ST	317-0	Black Political Thought	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
CHEM	310-1	Physical Organic Chemistry I	None
CHEM	310-2	Physical Organic Chemistry II	None
ENGLISH	288-0	Topics in Literature and Ethics	FD-EET & FD-LA
ENGLISH	382-0	Literature and Law	FD-LA
GBL_HLTH / GNDR_ST	221-0	Beyond Porn: Sexuality, Health and Pleasure	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
GBL_HLTH	303-0	(Re)mixing Qualitative Methods	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
GBL_HLTH / ENVR_POL	339-0	Silent but Loud: Negotiating Health in a Cultural, Food, Poverty, and Environmental Caste	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
HISTORY	215-0	History of the American Family	FS-SBS & FD-HS & OVRL-US
HISTORY	219-0	History of the Present	FD-HS, OVRL-US
HISTORY	220-0	History of the Future	FD-HS, OVRL-G
HISTORY	254-0	Global Entrepreneurs	FS-SBS & FD-HS & OVRL-G
HISTORY	350-0	Soviet History Through Film	FD-HS & FD-LA & AE

HISTORY	353-0	History of Capitalism	FD-SBS & FD-HS & OVRL-G & AE
HISTORY	354-0	History of Socialism	FD-HS & FD-SBS & OVRL-G
HISTORY	374-0	The Arabian Peninsula Since the 18 th Century	FD-HS
HISTORY	367-0	History of Mexico	FD-SBS & FD-HS & OVRL-G & AE
LEGAL_ST / HISTORY	221-0	Famous American Trials	FD-HS & OVRL-US
PHIL	397-0	Honors Colloquium HONKOL	none
POLI_SCI	338-0	Labor Politics in America	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
RELIGION / BLK_ST	262-0	Introduction to Black Religions	FD-HS & OVRL-US
SLAVIC	318-0	Polish Cinema	FD-LA & OVRL-G
SPANISH	349-0	Critical Thought in Latin America	FD-EET & OVRL-G & AE

2. Course revisions

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Dept/Pgm	#	Title & change	FD/OVRL/AE
FRENCH	355-0	Topics in Modern and Contemporary French Literature and Culture <i>Revision to course previously titled “The Invention of Modernity.”</i>	FD-LA, OVRL-G, AE
KOREAN	125-1,2,3	Korean II – Accelerated <i>This sequence changing from a two-course to a three-course sequence (previously KOREAN 125-1,2).</i>	None
RELIGION	382-0	Religion, Law, & Politics: Politics of Religious Diversity <i>Revision to course, title, and new co-list; previously taught only as POLI_SCI 382-0.</i>	FD-SBS & FD-EET & OVRL-US

3. Courses approved for post-Spring-2023 requirements

The following existing courses were approved by the CRC or the CPC for the degree requirements followed by students who matriculated after Spring 2023.

Dept/Pgm	#	Title	FD/OVRL/AE
ANTHRO	326-0	Archaeologies of Sustainability and Collapse	FD-SBS & OVRL-G
ENVR_POL	385-0		
ART	270-0	Contemporary Art Survey	FD-HS & FD-LA
ART_HIST	224-0	Introduction to Ancient Art	FD-HS & FD-LA
ART_HIST	260-0	Introduction to Contemporary Art	FD-HS & FD-LA
ART_HIST	320-3	Medieval Art: Late Medieval	FD-HS & FD-LA
ANTHRO	318-0	Material Worlds of the Middle Ages	FD-HS
ANTHRO	319-0	Material Life & Culture in Europe, 1500-1800	FD-HS
ASIAN_AM / BLK_ST	251-0	Introduction to Critical Mixed Race Studies	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
BLK_ST	213-0	History of the Black World	FD-HS & OVRL-G
BLK_ST	325-0	Education for Black Liberation	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
CLASSICS	212-0	Rome: Culture and Empire	FD-HS
EARTH	101-0	Earth Science for the 21 st Century	FD-NS
EARTH	202-0	Earth's Interior	FD-NS
EARTH	300-0	Earth and Planetary Materials	FD-NS
EARTH	361-0	Scientific Programming in Python	FD-EDR
ENVR_POL / LEGAL_ST	360-0	Animal Law	FD-SBS
FRENCH	335-0	17 th Century Literature	FD-LA
FRENCH	340-0	Sexual Politics and the Ancien Regime	FD-LA
FRENCH	362-0	African Literatures and Cultures	FD-LA & AE
FRENCH	365-0	The Maghreb and the Middle East	FD-LA & OVRL-G & AE
FRENCH	367-0	Transnational Francophone Studies	FD-LA & AE
FRENCH	374-0	Proust	FD-LA
FRENCH	390-0	Topics in Literature and Culture	FD-LA & AE
GNDR_ST / LEGAL_ST	340-0	Gender, Sexuality and the Law	FD-SBS & OVRL-US
GERMAN	228-0	German Film	FD-LA
GERMAN	230-0	Berlin and the Culture of Democracy	FD-HS & FD-LA
GERMAN	248-0	Learning Diversity: Germany and Global Migration	OVRL-G
GERMAN	236-0	Kafka and Nietzsche	FD-EET & FD-LA

GERMAN	322-0	German Contributions to World Literature	FD-LA & AE
GERMAN	326-0	German Cultural Studies	AE
GERMAN	335-0	Minority Voices in Germany	FD-LA & OVRL-G & AE
GERMAN	337-0	Science and Culture in Germany	FD-HS & OVRL-G
HISTORY	201-1	Europe in the Medieval and Early Modern World	FD-HS & OVRL-G
HISTORY / BLK_ST	212-1	Introduction to African-American History: Key concepts from 1700-1861	FD-HS & OVRL-US
HISTORY / LEGAL_ST	318-1	Legal and Constitutional History of the United States: Colonial Period to 1850	FD-HS & OVRL-US
HISTORY / LEGAL_ST	318-2	Legal and Constitutional History of the United States: 1850 to Present	FD-HS & OVRL-US
HISTORY	333-0	The European Renaissance	FD-HS
HISTORY	342-1	The French Revolution and Napoleon	FD-HS
HISTORY / GERMAN	344-2	Germany Since 1945	FD-HS & AE
HISTORY	366-0	Latin America in the Independence Era: American Indians and Nations	FD-HS & OVRL-G
HISTORY	386-3	Southeast Asia: Decolonization & Independence	FD-SBS & FD-HS & OVRL-G & AE
HISTORY	381-1	Modern China: The Transition to Modern Times, 1600-1912	FD-HS & OVRL-G
HISTORY	381-2	Modern China: The Twentieth Century	FD-HS & OVRL-G
HISTORY	393-0	Approaches to History	FD-HS & AE
HISTORY	395-0	Research Seminar	FD-HS & AE
HISTORY	398-1,2,3	Thesis Seminar	AE
INTL_ST	393-SA	Development in the Global Context: Participation, Power, and Social Change	FD-SBS* & OVRL-G
*This course is for students in the Global Engagement Studies Institute study abroad program. If students receive more than one unit of credit, only one would be eligible to be directed to FD-SBS.			
ITALIAN	277-0	Global Neorealism	FD-LA & OVRL-G
ITALIAN	377-0	Gender and Sexuality in Italian Culture	FD-LA & OVRL-G
JWSH_ST	280-6	Topics in Israel Studies	FD-LA
MATH	395-0	Undergraduate Seminar	AE
MENA	200-0	Making the Modern Middle East: Culture, Politics, History	OVRL-G
MENA	290-3	Introductory Topics in Middle East and North African Studies	FD-SBS
MENA	290-4	Introductory Topics in Middle East and North African Studies	FD-HS
MENA	290-5	Introductory Topics in Middle East and	FD-EET

		North African Studies	
MENA	290-6	Introductory Topics in Middle East and North African Studies	FD-LA
MENA	390-3	Advanced Topics in Middle East and North African Studies	FD-SBS
MENA	390-4	Advanced Topics in Middle East and North African Studies	FD-HS
MENA	390-5	Advanced Topics in Middle East and North African Studies	FD-EET
MENA	390-6	Advanced Topics in Middle East and North African Studies	FD-LA
PERF_ST	101-0	Modes of Performance	FD-LA
PHIL	364-0	Business and Professional Ethics	FD-EET & AE
POLI_SCI	301-0	Classical Political Theory	FD-EET
POLI_SCI	340-0	International Relations Theory	FD-SBS
POLI_SCI	346-0	European Union in International Affairs	FD-SBS
POLI_SCI	353-0	Politics of Latin America	FD-SBS
POLI_SCI	378-0	America and the World	FD-SBS
PORT	380-0	Contemporary Brazil: Literature and Film	FD-LA & OVRL-G
PSYCH	248-0	Health Psychology	FD-SBS
RELIGION	200-0	Introduction to Hinduism	FD-EET
RELIGION	230-0	Introduction to Judaism	FD-EET
RELIGION	264-0	American Religious History from 1865 to the Great Depression	FD-HS
RELIGION	265-0	American Religious History from World War II to the Present	FD-HS
RELIGION	270-0	Introduction to Theology	FD-EET
RELIGION	271-0	Theology of Love	FD-EET
RELIGION	295-0	Ahimsa: Nonviolence in South Asia and Beyond	FD-EET & OVRL-G & AE
RELIGION	312-0	Buddhism and Gender	FD-EET & OVRL-G & AE
RELIGION	314-0	Buddhism in the Contemporary World	FD-EET & OVRL-US & AE
RELIGION	315-0	Buddhist Auto/biography	FD-LA
RELIGION	351-0	Islamic Law	FD-HS & FD-EET & OVRL-G & AE
RELIGION	373-0	Religion and Bioethics	FD-EET
SLAVIC	211-1	20 th -Century Russian Literature	FD-LA
SLAVIC	255-0	Slavic Civilizations	FD-LA

SLAVIC	392-0	East European Literature and Visual Arts	FD-LA & AE
SOCIOL	276-0	Introductory Topics in Sociology	FD-SBS
SPANISH	223-0	Cervantes	FD-LA & OVRL-G
SPANISH	340-0	Colonial Latin American Literature	FD-LA & OVRL-G & AE
SPANISH	343-0	Latin American Avant-Gardes	FD-LA & AE
SPANISH	344-0	Borges	FD-LA
SPANISH	346-0	Testimonial Narrative in Latin America	FD-LA & OVRL-G
SPANISH	350-0	Visual Culture in Latina/o America and Spain	FD-LA & OVRL-G & AE

4. Administratively approved changes

The following updates were approved without CRC review.

Dept/Pgm	#	Change
BIOL_SCI	354-0	Title update to "Systems Biology"
CLASSICS	311-SA	Study abroad version of "Archaeology of the Ancient Mediterranean." Replacing 310-SA.
CLASSICS	321-SA	Study abroad version of "Greek and Roman History." Replacing 320-SA.
GERMAN	224-SA	Study abroad version of course "Contemporary Germany." Replacing GERMAN 222-SA.
GERMAN	228-0	Title update to "History of German Film"
GERMAN	248-0	Title update to "Migration in the German Past and Present: Gastarbeiter, Refugees, & Displaced Persons"
GERMAN	303-0	Title update to "Advanced Creative Expression in German: Speaking"
GERMAN	305-0	Title update to "Advanced Creative Expression in German: Writing"
GERMAN	307-0	Title update to "German Mass Media: from broadcast to stream"
GERMAN	309-0	Course number change from 309-1
GERMAN	311-0	Course number change from 309-2
GERMAN	321-0	Title update to "German Literature 1800-1900: The Age of Revolution." Also change to number (was 321-1)
GERMAN	323-0	Title update to "German Literature 1900-1945: Myth and Modernity." Also change to number (was 321-2)
GERMAN	325-0	Title update to "German Literature 1945-1989: Recoveries and Transitions." Also change to number (was 321-3)
GERMAN	327-0	Title update to "The German Avant-Garde and the Culture of Modernism"
GERMAN	333-0	Title update to "Literature of the Cold War"
PHIL	273-1	Title swap with 273-2. New title "The Brady Scholars Program: The Moral Life"
PHIL	273-2	Title swap with 273-1. New title "The Brady Scholars Program: The Good Life"
RELIGION	371-0	Title update to "Religion, Television, and Film."