

MEDIEVAL STUDIES, DOCTORAL MINOR

The Minor in Medieval Studies is of interest and use to graduate students seeking to study the Middle Ages in a way that would complement and deepen their study of history, language, literature, art, etc. The program will allow these students to gather the broadly interdisciplinary coursework outside the student's home department or program into a meaningful credential that appears on their transcript.

ADMISSIONS

A student should declare their interest to the Director of the Medieval Studies Program before beginning coursework required for the minor. See Contact Box for Director information.

REQUIREMENTS

Graduate students interested in completing the Doctoral Minor in Medieval Studies must complete a minimum of 9 credits of courses from the list that appears below.

Code	Title	Credits
SCAND ST/ MEDIEVAL 409	Survey of Old Norse-Icelandic Literature	3
SCAND ST/ MEDIEVAL 430	The Vikings	4
SCAND ST/ MEDIEVAL 444	Kalevala and Finnish Folk-Lore	4
ART HIST 715	Topics in Medieval Art	3
ENGL 314	Structure of English	3
ENGL 417	History of the English Language	3
ENGL/ MEDIEVAL 520	Old English	3
ENGL/ MEDIEVAL 521	Advanced Old English Literature	3
ENGL/ MEDIEVAL 803	Topics in Medieval Literature	3
HISTORY/ MEDIEVAL/ RELIG ST 309	The Crusades: Christianity and Islam	3-4
HISTORY 417	History of Russia	3-4
HISTORY/ LEGAL ST 426	The History of Punishment	3-4
HISTORY/ SCAND ST 431	History of Scandinavia to 1815	3
SPANISH/ MEDIEVAL 503	Survey of Medieval Literature	3
SPANISH/ MEDIEVAL 504	Survey of Medieval Literature	3
SPANISH/ MEDIEVAL 541	Old Spanish	3
SPANISH/ MEDIEVAL 718	Topics in Medieval Spanish Literature	3

HISTORY 805	Seminar-Medieval History	1-3
ITALIAN/ MEDIEVAL 659	Dante's Divina Commedia	3
ITALIAN/ MEDIEVAL 671	The 13th Century	3
LATIN/ MEDIEVAL 563	Mediaeval Latin	3
MUSIC 411	Survey of Music in the Middle Ages	3
MUSIC 412	Survey of Music in the Renaissance	3

The following constraints should be taken into consideration when selecting courses:

- Only courses that carry the "Graduate 50%" attribute may be used to meet program requirements.
- To ensure that students achieve interdisciplinarity in their studies, courses must be selected from at least two different subject listings.
- To ensure breadth of study beyond a student's focused doctoral research, courses must be selected from subject listings offered outside the student's home department or program.

PEOPLE

See a full list of faculty here: [Faculty - Medieval Studies - UW-Madison](https://medievalstudies.wisc.edu/faculty/) (<https://medievalstudies.wisc.edu/faculty/>).