

RUSSIAN, BS

REQUIREMENTS

UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

All undergraduate students at the University of Wisconsin–Madison are required to fulfill a minimum set of common university general education requirements to ensure that every graduate acquires the essential core of an undergraduate education. This core establishes a foundation for living a productive life, being a citizen of the world, appreciating aesthetic values, and engaging in lifelong learning in a continually changing world. Various schools and colleges will have requirements in addition to the requirements listed below. Consult your advisor for assistance, as needed. For additional information, see the university Undergraduate General Education Requirements (<http://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/#requirementsforundergraduatestudytext>) section of the *Guide*.

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| General Education | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breadth–Humanities/Literature/Arts: 6 credits • Breadth–Natural Science: 4 to 6 credits, consisting of one 4- or 5-credit course with a laboratory component; or two courses providing a total of 6 credits • Breadth–Social Studies: 3 credits • Communication Part A & Part B * • Ethnic Studies * • Quantitative Reasoning Part A & Part B * |
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* The mortarboard symbol appears before the title of any course that fulfills one of the Communication Part A or Part B, Ethnic Studies, or Quantitative Reasoning Part A or Part B requirements.

COLLEGE OF LETTERS & SCIENCE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BS)

Students pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in the College of Letters & Science must complete all of the requirements below. The College of Letters & Science allows this major to be paired with either the Bachelor of Arts or the Bachelor of Science degree requirements.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Mathematics Complete two courses of 3+ credits at the Intermediate or Advanced level in MATH, COMP SCI, or STAT subjects. A maximum of one course in each of COMP SCI and STAT subjects counts toward this requirement.

Language Complete the third unit of a language other than English.

L&S Breadth Complete:

- 12 credits of Humanities, which must include at least 6 credits of Literature; and
- 12 credits of Social Science; and
- 12 credits of Natural Science, which must include 6 credits of Biological Science and 6 credits of Physical Science.

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| Liberal Arts and Science Coursework | Complete at least 108 credits. |
| Depth of Advanced Coursework | Complete at least 60 credits at the Intermediate or Advanced level. |
| Major | Declare and complete at least one major. |
| Total Credits | Complete at least 120 credits. |
| UW–Madison Experience | Complete both: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30 credits in residence, overall, and • 30 credits in residence after the 86th credit. |
| Quality of Work | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.000 in all coursework at UW–Madison • 2.000 in Intermediate/Advanced level coursework at UW–Madison |

NON–L&S STUDENTS PURSUING AN L&S MAJOR

Non–L&S students who have permission from their school/college to pursue an additional major within L&S only need to fulfill the major requirements. They do not need to complete the L&S Degree Requirements above.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MAJOR

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| Russian Language: | | 15 |
| SLAVIC 275 & SLAVIC 276 or SLAVIC 279 | Third Year Russian I and Third Year Russian II | |
| SLAVIC 315 | Russian Language and Culture I | |
| SLAVIC 316 | Russian Language and Culture II | |
| SLAVIC 321 | Fourth Year Russian I | |
| Foundations in Russian Literature Culture (complete three distinct courses): | | |
| <i>Literature Survey (complete one):</i> | | 4 |
| LITTRANS 203 | Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature in Translation I | |
| | or LITTRANS 204 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature in Translation II | |
| <i>Literature Culture (complete two):</i> | | 6 |
| LITTRANS 201 | Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature in Translation I | |
| | or LITTRANS 202 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature in Translation I | |
| LITTRANS 202 | Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature in Translation II | |
| | or LITTRANS 203 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature in Translation II | |
| LITTRANS 233 | Russian Life and Culture Through Literature and Art (to 1917) | |

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| LITTRANS 234 | Soviet Life and Culture Through Literature and Art (from 1917) | |
| Capstone | | |
| SLAVIC 465 | Advanced Readings in Russian Literature & Culture | 3 |
| or SLAVIC 560 | Capstone Seminar in Russian Literature and Culture | |
| Electives | | |
| <i>Intermediate or Advanced Elective (complete one):</i> | | 3 |
| SLAVIC 309 | Russian Area Studies on Study Abroad | |
| SLAVIC 310 | Topics in Russian: Study Abroad | |
| SLAVIC/ LITTRANS 366 | Intermediate Special Topics in Russian Literature & Culture | |
| SLAVIC 433 | History of Russian Culture | |
| SLAVIC 434 | Contemporary Russian Culture | |
| SLAVIC/ FOLKLORE 444 | Slavic and East European Folklore | |
| SLAVIC/ LITTRANS 467 | Advanced Special Topics in Slavic Languages and Literatures | |
| SLAVIC 555 | Advanced Russian Listening & Speaking | |
| LITTRANS/ GEN&WS 205 | Women in Russian Literature in Translation | |
| LITTRANS 220 | Chekhov: The Drama of Modern Life | |
| LITTRANS 221 | Russia's Greatest Enigma: Nikolai Gogol | |
| LITTRANS 222 | Dostoevsky in Translation | |
| LITTRANS/ ENGL 223 | Vladimir Nabokov: Russian and American Writings | |
| LITTRANS 224 | Tolstoy in Translation | |
| LITTRANS 240 | | |
| LITTRANS/ THEATRE 423 | In Translation: Slavic Drama in Context | |
| <i>Additional Elective (complete one):</i> | | 3 |
| <i>Any Intermediate or Advanced-level course from the list above, or:</i> | | |
| SLAVIC/ LITTRANS 238 | Literature and Revolution | |
| SLAVIC 239 | Performance and Power | |
| SLAVIC 243 | Contemporary Russia: History, Politics, and Culture | |
| SLAVIC/GEOG/ HISTORY/ POLI SCI 253 | Russia: An Interdisciplinary Survey | |
| SLAVIC/ LITTRANS 266 | Elementary Special Topics in Russian Literature & Culture | |
| LITTRANS 207 | Slavic Science Fiction through Literature and Film | |

Total Credits**34**

RESIDENCE AND QUALITY OF WORK

- Minimum 2.000 GPA in all major courses
- Minimum 2.000 GPA on at least 15 credits of upper-level work in the major, in residence
- At least 15 credits in the major, taken on campus

UPPER-LEVEL COURSES IN THE MAJOR

The following courses are upper-level in the Russian major:

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| SLAVIC 275 | Third Year Russian I | |
| SLAVIC 276 | Third Year Russian II | |
| SLAVIC 309 | Russian Area Studies on Study Abroad | |
| SLAVIC 310 | Topics in Russian: Study Abroad | |
| SLAVIC 315 | Russian Language and Culture I | |
| SLAVIC 316 | Russian Language and Culture II | |
| SLAVIC 321 | Fourth Year Russian I | |
| SLAVIC 322 | Fourth Year Russian II | |
| SLAVIC 440 | | |
| SLAVIC/ FOLKLORE 444 | Slavic and East European Folklore | |
| SLAVIC 465 | Advanced Readings in Russian Literature & Culture | |
| SLAVIC 555 | Advanced Russian Listening & Speaking | |
| SLAVIC 560 | Capstone Seminar in Russian Literature and Culture | |
| SLAVIC 681 | Senior Honors Thesis | |
| SLAVIC 682 | Senior Honors Thesis | |
| SLAVIC 699 | Directed Study | |
| LITTRANS/ GEN&WS 205 | Women in Russian Literature in Translation | |
| LITTRANS 220 | Chekhov: The Drama of Modern Life | |
| LITTRANS 221 | Russia's Greatest Enigma: Nikolai Gogol | |
| LITTRANS 222 | Dostoevsky in Translation | |
| LITTRANS/ ENGL 223 | Vladimir Nabokov: Russian and American Writings | |
| LITTRANS 224 | Tolstoy in Translation | |

HONORS IN THE MAJOR

Students may declare Honors in the Major in consultation with the Russian advisor.

To earn Honors in the Major, students must satisfy both the requirements for the major (above) and the following additional requirements:

- Earn a 3.300 University GPA
- Earn a 3.500 GPA in all courses in the major
- Complete 18 credits in the major taken for Honors, taken on campus, with grades of B or better in the following:
 - SLAVIC 275, SLAVIC 276, SLAVIC 315, SLAVIC 316, SLAVIC 321 and SLAVIC 465 or SLAVIC 560

- Complete a Senior Thesis in SLAVIC 681 and SLAVIC 682 for at least 6 credits

UNIVERSITY DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Total Degree To receive a bachelor's degree from UW–Madison, students must earn a minimum of 120 degree credits. The requirements for some programs may exceed 120 degree credits. Students should consult with their college or department advisor for information on specific credit requirements.

Residency Degree candidates are required to earn a minimum of 30 credits in residence at UW–Madison. "In residence" means on the UW–Madison campus with an undergraduate degree classification. "In residence" credit also includes UW–Madison courses offered in distance or online formats and credits earned in UW–Madison Study Abroad/Study Away programs.

Quality of Work Undergraduate students must maintain the minimum grade point average specified by the school, college, or academic program to remain in good academic standing. Students whose academic performance drops below these minimum thresholds will be placed on academic probation.