

# BENEDICTINE UNIVERSITY CHECKLIST FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS in GLOBAL STUDIES

## American Studies Concentration (2008-2009 Academic Year)

<b>NAME:</b>		<b>DATE:</b>
<b>BU ID #:</b>	<b>ADVISOR:</b>	<b>SEMESTER OF ENTRY:</b>

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT: Students must submit a total of 120 semester credit hours (with a minimum G.P.A. of 2.0 from Benedictine University courses) of which 45 semester hours, including twelve 200+ level semester credit hours in their major field, must be from Benedictine University.

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**CORE ELECTIVES** The approval of transfer courses for Core Electives is done at the point of transfer according to transfer guidelines. Transfer students must satisfy their remaining core elective hours using appropriate core elective courses [labeled 'C' in the Catalog and Course Schedule] or a designated history course. Substitutions are not allowed after entry.

<p><b>ARTS AND HUMANITIES (12 HOURS)</b></p> <p><i>Satisfied by PHIL-265</i> _____ PHIL _____</p> <p><i>Satisfied by RELS-285</i> _____ RELS _____</p> <p>_____ FNAR/MUSI _____</p> <p><i>Satisfied by LITR-255</i> _____ LITR/FRLGLITR _____</p> <p>For transfers with 20+ hours: 4 courses with at least 1 but no more than 2 courses in FNAR/MUSI, and one in PHIL/RELS/LITR/FRLGLITR. The remaining two courses are to be chosen from COMM; FNAR; FRLG; HIST; LITR; MUSI; PHIL; RELS.</p>	<p><b>NATURAL SCIENCES (9 HOURS)</b></p> <p>_____ LIFE SC _____</p> <p>(includes BIOL, BCHM, NRHL, NUTR)</p> <p>_____ PHYSICAL SC _____</p> <p>(includes CHEM, PHYS)</p> <p>For transfers with 20+ hours: 9 semester hours with at least one course from the life sciences and one from the physical sciences.</p>
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<p><b>SOCIAL SCIENCES (9 HOURS)</b></p> <p><i>Satisfied by INTB-101 or ECON-101 or 102</i> BUSN/ECON _____</p> <p><i>Satisfied by PLSC-210</i> ANTH/PLSC _____</p> <p>_____ PSYC/SOCL _____</p> <p>For transfers with 20+ hours: 3 courses from at least 2 areas of BUSN; ECON; ANTH; PLSC; PSYC; SOCL.</p>
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### **MAJORS AND COGNATES** ❖

College	Course	Cr	Gr	College	Course	Cr	Gr	
		3			GLBS-101 Theories of Global Studies	3		LITR-255 American Literature I or II*
		3			GLBS-102 Res and Meth in Global Studies	3		RELS-285 Religion in America *
		3			GLBS-300 Junior Seminar	3		PHIL-265 Contemporary Anglo-Amer Phil*
		3			GLBS-399 Senior Thesis	3		AMS-200 US Cultural Studies
		3			INTB-C101 The Global Economy * or ECON-C101 Macroeconomics*	3		AMS-300 Comparative American Studies
		3			HIST-288 History of International Law	3		300-level elective**
		3			GEOG-106 Geog & Cartography	3		PLSC-C210 International Relations * or ECON-C102 Microeconomics*
		3			HIST-111 American History to 1865	3		SPAN-101 Elem Spanish I
		3			HIST-112 American History since 1865	3		SPAN-102 Elem Spanish II
		3			HIST-265 African American History	3		SPAN-201 Intermed Spanish I
						3		SPAN-202 Intermed Spanish II

All majors must submit at least 63 credit hours in major and cognate courses, with a grade of "C" or better, of which 36 hours are at the 200 level or above, including 12 hours at the 300 level + an approved study abroad experience.

\*Also satisfies a core elective requirement

\*\*Choose from the following: HIST-360, HIST-364, HIST-367, LITR-380, LITR-364

❖ One Writing Intensive course (indicated by a "WI" in the course schedule) must be completed within the major

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**Minors are optional but recommended. Please see the Benedictine University catalog and the department for specific requirements.**

**NOTES:**


**HIGHEST LEVEL OF MATH COMPLETED** [if appropriate]: \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTALS:**

	Hours completed	Hours Remaining
Basic Skills		
Common Core		
Arts & Humanities		
Natural Sciences		
Social Sciences		
Major	*	*
Electives	*	*
<b>TOTAL</b>		*

The following semester hours will be posted on your transcript:


\* Please speak with your departmental advisor regarding further evaluation of major credits and remaining major requirements.

**RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS: Please note the checked boxes that apply to you:**

- A minimum total of 120 semester credit hours are required for graduation (with a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 from Benedictine University)
- 55 semester hours at the Baccalaureate level must be completed at a four-year regionally accredited college/university.
- At least twelve 200+ level semester credit hours in the major field must be from Benedictine University.
- 45 semester credit hours must be completed at Benedictine University.
- At least 30 of your final 45 semester credit hours must be completed at Benedictine University.
- At least the last 30 credit hours of your undergraduate degree must be completed without interruption at Benedictine University as a degree seeking student.

**Special Notes:**

1. Hours in progress are not included in the totals of this evaluation. Additional hours will be credited upon receipt of credentials.
2. Grades of "D" will not be applied towards major or Basic Skills requirements or toward some other courses as stated in the university catalog.
3. Double credit will not be given for repeated courses.
4. Only courses taken at Benedictine University will be included in the grade point average.
5. This checklist is applicable for the major indicated. If a different major is chosen, the requirements for both the major and core will vary.
- 6a. To be considered for Latin graduation hours, you must complete 55 undergraduate semester hours at Benedictine University.
- 6b. Students who complete 30 to 54 hours with a 3.5 cumulative grade point average at Benedictine University will graduate "with Honors".
7. Courses taken at Benedictine University may be repeated only at Benedictine University.
8. Equivalent transfer courses, if taken prior to admission, may meet core requirements. Any course taken to fulfill core requirements after admission to Benedictine must be a core elective course (labeled with a "C" in the Catalog or course schedule) or an IAI core course. Written permission is required for current Benedictine students to transfer in courses from other schools. See your advisor.

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Date

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Transfer Credit Evaluation and Articulation

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Department Chair