MINOR IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES

The goal of our programs isn't to make you into a priest or nun. Rather, it is to let you study different expressions of religion throughout history, as well as in contemporary society. The study of religion is essential to understand our world. Our multidisciplinary programs combine history, sociology, psychology and anthropology. The result is a rich mix of perspectives on an array of topics: world religions (Hinduism, Buddhism, Islam and Judaism), mysticism, Amerindian religions, mythology of First Nations in Canada, religions in colonial America, witchcraft and magic, ecology and religion, sexuality, contemporary spiritual movements, globalization and multiculturalism.

This program is offered in English and in French.

Program Requirements

The table below includes only discipline-specific courses. Please refer to the Academic Regulations (http://web5.uottawa.ca/admingov/regulations.html) for information on including a minor to your degree.

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2017-2018 calendars (http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives) for the previous requirements.

Compulsory course at the 1000 level

SRS 1112 The Religions of the World I
3 Units

Compulsory course at the 2000 level

SRS 2113 The Religions of the World II
3 Units

Optional courses

6 course units from:
6 Units

- EAS 3103 Indigenous Spiritualities in the Americas
- SRS 2111 Women and Religions
- SRS 2172 Religion, Nature and Ecology
- SRS 2191 Sociology of Religion
- SRS 2194 Anthropology of Religion
- SRS 2195 Religion and Politics in Global Society
- SRS 2351 Psychology of Religion
- SRS 2382 The World of the New Testament
- SRS 2383 Religion in Late Antiquity
- SRS 2386 Religion in Canada from First Contact to Modern Challenges
- SRS 3100 Religion in a Digital Age
- SRS 3110 Religion, Spirituality and Secularism in the Contemporary World
- SRS 3165 Gender and Religion
- SRS 3190 Religion and Popular Culture
- SRS 3385 Religion and Multiculturalism in Canada

12 optional course units in religious studies (SRS)
12 Units

6 optional course units in religious studies (SRS) at the 3000 or 4000 level
6 Units

Total:
30 Units

Note(s)

1 The number of units at the 3000 level can be reduced according to the number of courses already taken at the 3000 level.