# Fall 2019 Courses

## UNC Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies

The attributes for General Education requirements are listed at the end of course descriptions

## >> FEATURED COURSES <<

#### **CZCH 401 Elementary Czech I**

Instructor: Pichova

MoWeFr 9:05 AM - 9:55 AM

Proficiency-based instruction at the elementary level that develops the four language skills (speaking, listening, reading, writing). In addition to mastering basic vocabulary and grammar, students will communicate in Czech about everyday topics. **FL** 

#### **PLSH 401 Elementary Polish I**

Instructor: Eliza Rose

MoWeFr 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM

Proficiency-based instruction at the elementary level that develops the four language skills (speaking, listening, reading, writing). In addition to mastering basic vocabulary and grammar, students will communicate in Polish about everyday topics. **FL** 

#### **ANTH/WGST 443 Cultures and Politics of Reproduction**

Instructor: Rivkin-Fish TuTh 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

This course takes a cross-cultural approach to understanding how reproduction and associated phenomena become arenas where political debates are played out, and where global and local social relations are contested. **Not listed** 

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Instructor: Morgan

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#### HIST 484 Islam in Tsarist and Soviet Russia

Instructor: Tasar

TuTh 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM

This course examines the role that Islam has played in the history of the Russian sphere--interior Russian, Siberia, the Caucasus, and Central Asia--from the 18th century to the present. Topics include methods of rule, social change, Islamic institutions, attempts to bureaucratize religion, and resistance. **HS BN** 

#### POLI 438 Democracy and International Institutions in an Undivided Europe

Instructor: Vachudova TuTh 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Explores the collapse of communist rule in 1989 and the reaction of international institutions to the challenges of democratization, economic transition, ethnic conflict, and European integration in an undivided Europe. **SS NA** 

#### POLI/PWAD 469 Conflict and Intervention in the Former Yugoslavia

Instructor: Jenkins

TuTh 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM

Focuses on ethnic and political conflicts in the former Yugoslavia and efforts by the international community to end conflict and promote peace and reconstruction. **SS GL** 

# **LANGUAGES**

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#### **RUSS 101 Basic Russian Communication I**

Instructor: Chernysheva, Magomedova

MoWeFr 11:15 AM - 12:05 PM, Th 11:05 AM - 11:55 AM; MoWeFr 12:20 PM - 1:10 PM, Th 12:30 PM - 1:20 PM; MoWeFr 1:25 PM - 2:15 PM, Th 1:30 PM - 2:20 PM; MoWeFr 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM, Th 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM.

Essential basics of Russian for everyday conversations. Lays foundation for development of four language skills (speaking, writing, and reading) indispensable for communication on everyday topics in a variety of contexts. Fosters interaction through acquisition of essential communicative and conversational strategies. Introduces learners to structure of contemporary standard Russian through culturally relevant materials. **FL** 

#### **RUSS 203 Intermediate Russian Communication I**

Instructor: Chernysheva

MoWeFr 11:15 AM - 12:05 PM MoWeFr 10:10 AM - 11:00 AM

Prerequisite, RUSS 102; permission of the instructor for students lacking the prerequisite. Transitional skills for fluent speaking, writing, listening, and reading for intermediate learners. Furthers learners' competency for communication on everyday topics. Prepares learners for communication on subjects beyond their immediate needs. Expands interactive skillset necessary to maintain conversations and present individual opinions using complex structures. Employs adapted and non-adapted learning materials to promote mastery of contemporary standard Russian. FL

# RUSS 411 Advanced Communication, Conversation, and Composition in Contemporary Standard Russian I

Instructor: Magomedova MoWe 3:35 PM - 4:50 PM

Prerequisite, RUSS 410; permission of the instructor for students lacking the prerequisite. Develops and maintains advanced skills for speaking, writing, and reading in contemporary standard Russian in a variety of communicative situations. Assists advanced learners in solving a wide range of communicative tasks with the aid of unadapted authentic cultural materials. **Not Listed** 

#### BCS 403 Intermediate Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian Language I

Instructor: Džumhur TuTh 9:30AM-10:45AM

Prerequisite, BCS 402; permission of the instructor for students lacking the prerequisite.

Continuation of the proficiency-based instruction started in Elementary

Bosnian-Croatian-Serbian, FL

### **HEBR 101 Elementary Modern Hebrew I**

Instructor: Sprintzik

MoWeFr 9:05 AM - 9:55 AM MoWeFr 12:20 PM - 1:10 PM

Introduces the essential elements of modern Hebrew structure and vocabulary and aspects of modern Israeli culture. Aural comprehension, reading, speaking, and writing are stressed. **FL** 

#### **HEBR 203 Intermediate Modern Hebrew I**

Instructor: Sprintzik

MoWeFr 10:10AM - 11:00AM

Prerequisite, HEBR 102. Second-year instruction in the essential elements of modern Hebrew structure and vocabulary and aspects of modern Israeli culture. Aural comprehension, reading, speaking, and writing are stressed. An introduction to representative literary works is included. **FL** 

#### **HEBR 305 Advanced Modern Hebrew I**

Instructor: TBD

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Prerequisite, HEBR 204. Third year of instruction in modern Hebrew with an emphasis on Israeli culture, literature, and media.

#### PLSH 401 Elementary Polish I

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#### **TURK 101 Elementary Turkish I**

Instructor: Havlioglu

MoWeFr 10:10AM - 11:00AM

Introduces the essential elements of Turkish structure and vocabulary and aspects of Turkish culture. Aural comprehension, reading, speaking, and writing are stressed. **FL** 

#### TURK 203 Intermediate Turkish I

Instructor: Havlioglu

MoWeFr 1:25PM - 2:15PM

Prerequisite, TURK 102. Second-year level instruction in the essential elements of Turkish structure and vocabulary and aspects of Turkish culture. Aural comprehension, reading, speaking, and writing are stressed. Introduces representative literary works. **FL** 

# **ANTHROPOLOGY**

#### **ANTH 147 Comparative Healing Systems**

Instructor: Rivkin-Fish TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

In this course we compare a variety of healing beliefs and practices so that students may gain a better understanding of their society, culture, and medical system. **SS GL** 

#### **ANTH 318 Human Growth and Development**

Instructor: Sorensen TuTh 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

Comparative study of human growth and development from conception through adulthood. Special emphasis on evolutionary, biocultural, ecological, and social factors that influence growth. **PL** 

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## **ANTH 703 Evolution and Ecology**

Instructor: Sorensen Th 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Permission of the instructor. Development of a critical understanding of anthropological approaches to evolution and ecology in paleontological, archaeological, and present-day cross cultural contexts through the historical and comparative study of theory, method, and content. **Not Listed** 

#### **ANTH 897 Seminar in Selected Topics**

Instructor: Tomášková Th 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Topic determined by instructor and announced in advance. Not Listed

# **ECONOMICS**

### **ECON 111 The Economics of Entrepreneurship and Innovation**

Instructor: Conway

TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

This course will present the fundamental concepts of economics necessary to the understanding of the theory and practice of entrepreneurship. Topics include supply and demand, consumer choice, profit maximization and choice under uncertainty. The presentation of these topics will be structured around a series of case studies of entrepreneurial innovation. **Not Listed** 

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Instructor: Rosefielde TuTh 8:00 AM - 9:15 AM

Study of the principles, design, organization, and performance of state-controlled economies relying on planning or regulated markets, with an emphasis on continuity and post-communist transition. **Not Listed** 

#### **ECON/ASIA 469 Asian Economic Systems**

Instructor: Rosefielde

TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

This course provides and in-depth examination of the behavioral principles and performances of five core Asian economic systems: Japan, China, Taiwan/South Korea, North Korea and Thailand. **Not Listed** 

#### **ECON 580 Advanced Labor Economics**

Instructor: Peter

TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

A theoretical and empirical analysis of current social problems involving individuals and their jobs. Included are such topics as poverty, discrimination, and working conditions.

**Research Intensive** 

#### **ECON 880 Labor Economics I**

Instructor: Peter

TuTh 8:00 AM - 9:15 AM

Analysis of short- and long-run aspects of supply and demand of labor, including empirical analysis of labor force behavior of males, females, blacks, and whites. Microeconomic effects of marriage, fertility, mobility on labor supply, and macroeconomic effects of unemployment on inflation. **Not Listed** 

#### **ECON 985 Dissertation Workshop in Applied Microeconomics**

Instructor: Peter

TuTh 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM

Permission from the instructor. Discussion of current research in applied microeconomics. Student presentations of dissertation and other research. Oral and written reports on dissertation research. **Not Listed** 

# **GEOGRAPHY**

## **GEOG 702 Contemporary Geographic Thought**

Instructor: Gökarıksel Mo 3:35 PM - 6:35 PM

History and philosophy of the geographic discipline, with particular emphasis on developments in recent decades. **Not Listed** 

#### **GEOG 804 Research Seminar in Social Geography**

Instructor: Olson

Th 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM

An in-depth seminar devoted to contemporary faculty research topics in social

geography. Topics and instructors vary. Not Listed

# LITERATURE & CULTURE

**GSLL 80 Not Just Dogs: Animals in Russian Literature** 

Instructor: Lapushin

TuTh 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM

First-years only. This seminar explores the question of the animal in the works of major Russian writers and introduces students to the main theoretical texts on the animal/human relationship. Among the topics to be discussed are the animal as the other, animal and human natures, dominance and submission, ethics of human/animal relations, and the theme of talking animals. **LA BN** 

#### **GERM 249 German Literature in Transition**

Instructor: Pike

TuTh 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

The idea of world literature was a German invention, proposed by Goethe to describe literature of universal importance for all of humanity. German thought, and German literature in particular, remains an important component in this canon. This English-language literature course introduces newcomers to some highlights of German literature. LA NA

#### **RUSS 278 Russian and Soviet Science Fiction**

Instructor: Shvabrin

MoWe 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM

The course will focus on key works of Russian and Soviet science fiction. Readings and discussions in English. **LA BN** 

#### **RUSS 464 Dostoevsky**

Instructor: Lapushin

TuTh 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM

Study of major works of Dostoevsky and a survey of contemporary authors and literary trends relevant to his creative career. Taught in English; some readings in Russian for qualified students. **LA BN** 

#### CMPL/CZCH 469 Milan Kundera and World Literature

Instructor: Pichova

MoWeFr 11:15 AM - 12:05 PM

This course traces Milan Kundera's literary path from his communist poetic youth to his present postmodern Francophilia. His work will be compared with those authors he considers his predecessors and influences in European literature. Taught in English. Some readings in Czech for qualified students. **LA BN** 

# RUSS/EURO 486 Exploration of Russian "Women's Prose" and Svetlana Alexievich (Nobel Prize in Literature 2015)

Instructor: TBD

#### TBD

Using Alexievich as our beacon, we will explore the writers behind the term "Russian Women's Prose": Valeria Narbikova, Lyudmila Petrushevskaya, Tatyana Tolstaya, and Lyudmila Ulitskaya. The course will delve into gender identity and body politics as they manifest themselves in the literary texts of lasting aesthetic quality and social relevance. Taught in English; some readings in Russian for qualified students. LA BN

#### **GERM 825 Topics in Early Modern Literature**

Instructor: Von Bernuth TuTh 3:10 PM - 4:25 PM

Selected topics in early modern literature. Topics will vary by offering. Not Listed

# **GLOBAL STUDIES**

#### **PLCY 110 Global Policy Issues**

Instructor: Sullivan

MoWe 10:10 AM - 11:00 AM

Global issues are challenges whose sources, impacts, and solutions extend beyond the borders of any one country. This course introduces students to some of the most pressing issues facing populations around the globe and to possible policy responses.

SS GL

#### **GLBL 181 Teaching Great Decisions**

Instructor: Weiler

Mo 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Permission of the department. This class is for TAs of Great Decisions. Not Listed

#### **GLBL 210 Global Issues and Globalization**

Instructor: Weiler

TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

Survey of international social, political, and cultural patterns in selected societies of Africa, Asia, America, and Europe, stressing comparative analysis of conflicts and change in different historical contexts. LAC recitation sections offered in French, German, and Spanish. **GL** 

#### **GLBL 691H Honors in Global Studies**

Instructor: Johnson Th 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Course only for senior Global Studies major. Must submit Honors Thesis Application by 4/30/18 in order to be enrolled in course. Permission of the instructor. Preparation for writing the honors thesis. **E6** 

#### **GLBL 702 Global Politics, Institutions, and Societies**

Instructor: Johnson We 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM

This course will address global governance and global public policy; interactions among states, international organizations, businesses, social movements, and NGOs. It addresses the diffusion and promotion of democracy and other norms and the interactions between political institutions and social cleavages. Students with this concentration must take one appropriate methodology class. **Not Listed** 

# **HISTORY**

### **GSLL 51 Stalin and Hitler: Historical Issues in Cultural and Other Perspectives**

Instructor: Pike

TuTh 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM

First-years only. Critical issues that dominated the 20th century: WWI and Bolshevik Revolution; rise of fascism, Lenin, Stalin, Hitler and their roles; origins and evolution of Cold War; collapse of Eastern Bloc. Previously offered as GERM 51. **HS GL** 

#### **HIST 89 First Year Seminar: Special Topics**

Instructor: Auerbach

TuTh 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

First-years only. In this In this seminar we will examine the portrayal and representation of German National Socialism, the Nazis and the crimes they committed in war and postwar visual culture. We will track the transformation of the Nazi in the cultural imagination of Europe, America, and Asia as a way to understand not only the public culture of remembrance but, also the historical, political and ideological context in which the films were made. The selection of films that we will watch includes movies from the United States, Germany, Italy, France, Great Britain, the Soviet Union and Japan. This wide range of films from different countries will allow us to avoid a discussion limited by

national boundaries and will enable us to further grasp the role of the cinema in contextualizing major historical events in the 20th century. **HS GL** 

#### HIST 140 The World since 1945

Instructor: Tasar

TuTh 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

This introduction to the contemporary world examines the Cold War and its international aftermath, decolonization, national development across a variety of cass, and trends in the global economy. Recitation section required. **HS BN GL** 

#### HIST/EURO 159 From War to Prosperity: 20th-Century Europe

Instructor: Jarausch

MoWe 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM

A critical overview of 20th-century European history, with particular attention to the constant ethnic, religious, social, economic, and cultural struggles (including Holocaust, Cold War) in various subunits of the old continent. Recitation section required. **HS NA** 

#### HIST 174H Honors Seminar in African, Asian, and Middle Eastern History

Instructor: Larres Tu 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

This course will focus on Anti-Western ideas and Pan-National movements in Asia and Africa from the 1870s to the present. Why were there very influential Pan-national political and intellectual currents in a period associated with empires, imperialism and nationalism? What is the intellectual and political goals of so called "the revolt against the West" in Asia and Africa? What are the legacies of Pan-African, Pan-Asian and Pan-Islamic thought and ideas in contemporary politics of the world? **HS BN** 

### HIST/PWAD 206 War, Diplomacy, and Statecraft, 1815-1945

Instructor: Morgan

MoWe 1:25 PM - 2:15 PM

The history of international politics from the fall of Napoleon to the end of the Second World War, with special Attention to European nationalism, imperialism, the emergence of non-European great powers, the reasons for war, and the search for peace. Recitation section required. **HS GL** 

#### HIST 332 Identity and Community in Modern Jewish History: The Case of Durham

Instructor: Auerbach TuTh 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM This course explores diverse experiences of modernity among Jewish populations from the mid-18th century to the present under the influence of political, cultural, and socioeconomic changes. Diaries, memoirs, literature, and film challenge students to develop their own analysis while becoming familiar with arguments among scholars of Jewish life. **HS NA** 

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#### HIST 398 Undergraduate Seminar on Modern European History

Instructor: Jarausch Tu 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Permission of the department. The course is in general limited to 15 students. This is a seminar on Nazi Germany, based on the documents and images available on the website of the German Historical Institute in Washington, DC. Looking at primary sources will allow students to go beyond the many myths about the Third Reich and formulate their own judgement about controversial issues. Topics covered are the Nazi

seizure of power, the establishment of the dictatorship, Hitler's Blitzkrieg, the Holocaust and the ultimate German defeat. There will also be time for discussion of social trends, economic patterns and cultural life. Students have to do one oral presentation of a key document and write a seminar paper, based on actual research as well as secondary literature. CI E6 Research Intensive

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#### HIST/PWAD 577 United States Foreign Relations in the 20th Century

Instructor: Larres

Th 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

How the United States came to occupy a leading role in world affairs as a diplomatic, military, economic, and cultural power and what that role has meant to Americans and to other peoples, especially during the Cold War. **HS GL NA** 

#### **HIST 782 Readings in Soviet History**

Instructor: Raleigh Tu 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

A historiographical reading colloquium covering post-Soviet Russian history, 1917-present. The course familiarizes students with Western, Soviet, and post-Soviet literature on the most important issues in Soviet history. **Not Listed** 

# MUSIC, FILM, MEDIA

#### **MUSC/WGST 188 Introduction to Women and Music**

Instructor: Fauser

TuTh 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM

The role of women in performance, composition, patronage, and the music business across a wide range of repertories. **VP GL NA** 

#### MUSC/WGST 248 Women in Opera

Instructor: Fauser

TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

An examination and exploration of women's changing roles and influence, onstage and behind the scenes, in the history of opera. **NA** 

MUSC 291 Music and Politics

Instructor: Bohlman

TuTh 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

This course investigates both the theoretical and practical aspects of hip hop production around the world. We will explore global consumption and production of hip hop music and culture as well as the history and ethics of government sponsored musical diplomacy; simultaneously, students will learn song-writing, beat-making, and lyric-writing skills. In this course students will: (1) grapple with a cluster of critical issues that are central to hip hop culture including race, ethnicity, gender, and socio-political dynamics; (2) become familiar with the historical and contemporary musical practices of the Next Level partner countries on the African continent including Senegal, Zimbabwe, Uganda, and Tanzania; and (3) create original hip hop tracks (music and lyrics) in partnership with their global peers. **VP** 

#### **MUSC 950 Seminar in Musicology**

Instructor: Bohlman Th 2:00 PM - 4:50 PM

TBD. Not Listed

# PEACE, WAR, AND DEFENSE

# **PLCY 430 Analysis of National Security Policy**

Instructor: Sullivan

MoWe 3:35 PM - 4:50 PM

Course explores contemporary threats to national security, approaches to national security strategy, policy instruments, the role of military force, and the policy-making process. **SS GL** 

# POLITICAL SCIENCE

POLI 75 First-Year Seminar: Thinking about Law

Instructor: Szypszak TuTh 8:00 AM - 9:15 AM

This seminar explores the notion of a rule of law, statutory and case law, legal analysis, and the realities of the adversarial system and legal practice. Students will be engaged in analytical thinking and expression through classroom discussion, analytical papers, and examinations. **PH** 

#### POLI/PWAD 150 International Relations and Global Politics

Instructor: Crescenzi

TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

This course introduces students to world politics from a logical, social scientific perspective. The substantive goal is to understand why and how political actors in the international arena make the decisions. Why do nations fight? Why do they cooperate, economically and politically? How can we understand the mechanisms that encourage cooperation over conflict in world politics? This course does not simply inform students of how others have studied problems in world politics. Rather, the intent is to demonstrate how theories of world politics can be constructed and applied, and, in turn, to have students engage in this process of application. There are several options of theoretical focus for such a course. In this course the basic perspective is rationalist, a powerful but imperfect set of assumptions about human behavior. As students learn about the mechanics of international relations, we will also examine the strengths and weaknesses of rational choice. The expectation is that students will master this approach even if they are critical of the core assumptions. SS GL

#### POLI/ENEC 254 International Environmental Politics

Instructor: McKeown TuTh 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM

Covers the politics of environmental issues, with a focus on issues that have become internationalized. It focuses on the special problems that arise in creating rules for environmental management and regulation when no single government has authority to enforce those rules. **SS GL** 

#### POLI/PWAD/SOCI 260 Crisis and Change in Russia and Eastern Europe

Instructor: Jenkins

TuTh 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM

Draws on historical, political, economic, and sociological perspectives to analyze social, cultural, and institutional change. **SS BN** 

#### **POLI 350 Political Science Research**

Instructor: Crescenzi, Gent TuTh 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

Prerequisite, POLI 150. This Course-Based Undergraduate Research Experience introduces students to the practice of quantitative research on peace, conflict, and conflict resolution. Students work in teams to develop research projects that answer policy-relevant questions in the field of peace science. **SS E6** 

### POLI 433 Politics of the European Union

Instructor: Vachudova TuTh 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM

Examines the politics and political economy of institutional change and policy making in the European Union in comparative perspective. **SS GL NA** 

## POLI 438 Democracy and International Institutions in an Undivided Europe

Instructor: Vachudova
TuTh 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Explores the collapse of communist rule in 1989 and the reaction of international institutions to the challenges of democratization, economic transition, ethnic conflict, and European integration in an undivided Europe. **SS NA** 

# POLI/PWAD 443 American Foreign Policy: Formulation and Conduct

Instructor: McKeown TuTh 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

Prerequisite, POLI 150 unless given instructor permission for students lacking the prerequisite. The role of Congress, the press, public opinion, the president, the secretary and the Department of State, the military, and the intelligence community in making American foreign policy. Emphasizes the impact of the bureaucratic process on the content of foreign policy. **SS** 

# POLI/PWAD 469 Conflict and Intervention in the Former Yugoslavia

Instructor: Jenkins

TuTh 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM

Focuses on ethnic and political conflicts in the former Yugoslavia and efforts by the international community to end conflict and promote peace and reconstruction. **SS GL** 

## **POLI 736 Political Transitions and Democratization in Comparative Perspective**

Instructor: Robertson Tu 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Examination of contrasting theoretical approaches to understanding democracy. Comparative study of Africa, Eastern Europe, and Latin America elucidates challenges and opportunities that affect possibilities for democratization and consolidation. **Not Listed** 

#### **POLI 783 Probability and Statistics**

Instructor: Gent

Lecture: TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM Lab: Th 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

Introduction to probability theory and basic principles of statistical inference, including estimation and tests of hypothesis; basic programming in R. There is a lab required with

this course. Not Listed

## POLI 788 Statistics and Data Analysis for Political Science and Policy Research

Instructor: Jenkins

TuTh 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

This course focuses on the application of statistical analysis to quantitative data in order to study theoretically and substantively interesting questions about politics and policy.

**Not Listed** 

#### **GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS KEY**

**BN** - Beyond the North Atlantic World

**CI** - Communication Intensive

**EE** - Experiential Education

**FL** - Foreign Language

**GL** - Global Issues

**HS** - Historical Analysis

**LA** - Literary Arts

NA - North Atlantic World

**PL** - Physical and Life Sciences

SS - Social Sciences

**WB** - World Before 1750