

4-Year Bachelor of Arts

Religious Studies



Program Planner 2017-2018

While your degree planning is directed by the specific requirements for your chosen concentration and minor, it is also driven by your own personal interests; therefore, it is most effective when you are the master of your own academic planning.

Please be aware of all prerequisites, corequisites, and other registration regulations for all courses required within your degree. Program planning can be very effective to identify potential courses needed in addition to specific requirements. Refer to section 4.0 in the *Concordia University of Edmonton Calendar* for more information regarding registration policies.

You are responsible for registering in and completing the courses necessary to obtain your degree. The *Concordia University of Edmonton Calendar* is the final authority regarding program requirements and academic regulations.

All students in a Bachelor of Arts program must complete the Core Requirements as outlined in the table below, plus an additional 3 credits of Fine Arts (ARTH, DAN, DRA, MUS or MUP).

Category	Credits	Courses that Fulfill Requirement
Humanities	6	ENG 100 or (ENG 101 or ENG 111 or ENG 120) and (ENG 102 or ENG 112 or ENG 121)
Sciences	6	Any BES, BIO, BIOCH, CH, CMPT, EAS, ENSC, IT, MAT (excluding MAT 220), or PHY courses
Social Sciences	6	Any ECO, HIS, POEC, PSCI, PSY, or SOC courses
Foundational Studies: Religious Studies	3	Any REL courses
Foundational Studies: Ethics, Philosophy or Religious Studies	3	Any PHIL, or REL courses, or ENVH 523, MGT 374, MGT 474, MAT 220, PSCI 361, or PSY 305
Leadership: Communication	3	Any ARTH, DAN, DRA, GERM, GRK, HEBR, LAT, MUS (excluding MUS 630 and 631), MUP, SPA, or WRI courses, or BIO 227, ENSC 227, FR 101, FR 102, FR 211, FR 212, FR 250, FR 251, FR 252, FR 303, FR 372, HIS 290, MGT 310, PSY 319, PSY 332, PSY 333, PSY 405, SOC 344, or UFDN 199
Leadership: Leadership Service, or Management	3	Any RELA courses, or BIO 480, BUS 110, DRA 325, DRA 350, DRA 383, DRA 425, DRA 450, DRA 483, ENSC 485, FIN 220, HIS 221, HRM 220, LDR 310, LDR 320, MUS 263, MUS 321, MUS 361, MUS 395&396, PSCI 101, PSY 486, or PSY 496

Core course requirements may be fulfilled through both concentration and minor requirements; however, the same course may not be counted toward both concentration and minor requirements. (Example: ENG 100 or (ENG 101 or ENG 111 or ENG 120) and (ENG 102 or ENG 112 or ENG 121) taken toward an English minor simultaneously fulfill the Humanities core requirement).

Major Requirements

36-60 credits required to include:

- a) REL 101 and 102
- b) REL 248, 252, 253, and 373
- c) One of REL 320, 321, 322, 323 or 331
- d) One of REL 362, 364, 365, 367, or 382
- e) One of REL 359, 375, or 376
- f) REL 499
- g) 6-30 credits of unspecified senior level Religious Studies courses.

PHIL 290 is strongly recommended.

Note: Students are strongly advised to take at least six credits of a Language other than English which relates to their major interest (i.e., Hebrew or Greek in Biblical Studies; German, Latin, or French in Reformation Studies)

Sample Program

Below is a sample sequence of courses for your degree. Keep in mind that this is only an example; you may find that a different sequence works best for you.

	Fall Semester	Winter Semester
Year 1	ENG 100 or 101 or 111 or 120 REL 101 Social Science Minor Elective (LOE*)	ENG 100 or 102 or 112 or 121 REL 102 Social Science Minor Elective (LOE*)
Year 2	REL 248 REL 252 Science Minor Elective	REL 253 REL (requirement c) Science Minor Elective
Year 3	REL (requirement d) REL (requirement e) Leadership: Communication Minor Elective	REL 373 REL 499 Leadership: Leadership Service, or Management Minor Elective
Year 4	REL (requirement g) Fine Arts Elective Elective Elective	REL (requirement g) Elective Elective Elective Elective

*To earn a 4-year Bachelor of Arts degree, students must present credit in a 30-level Language Other than English (LOE) or one of CHIN 102, FR 102, GERM 102, GRK 102, HEBR 102, LAT 102 or SPA 102.