

INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED MAJOR COURSE (IDMA)

IDMA 1500 - Introduction to Interdisciplinary Learning (3 Credits)
This course introduces the theories, methodologies, and practices of interdisciplinary studies through a specific theme that will focus on how to learn in an online environment and how interdisciplinary scholars combine the theories and methods of a variety of fields. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 1500 will not earn credit for IDMA 1500. Term offered: fall, spring, summer. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.

IDMA 2840 - Independent Study (1-3 Credits)
Note: Students must submit a special processing form completely filled out and signed by the student and faculty member, describing the course expectations, assignments and outcomes, to the CLAS undergraduate advising office for approval. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 2840 will not earn credit for IDMA 2840. Repeatable. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Repeatable. Max Credits: 3.

IDMA 3000 - Special Topics (1-3 Credits)
Special classes for faculty-directed experiences examining issues and problems not generally covered in the curriculum. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 3000 will not earn credit for IDMA 3000. Max hours: 9 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Repeatable. Max Credits: 9.

IDMA 3100 - Learning Across Disciplines (3 Credits)
Examining a compelling issue, students will learn what kinds of questions require thinking beyond a single discipline, how interdisciplinary scholars combine a variety of fields, and how to approach the challenges of interdisciplinary writing. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 3100 will not earn credit for IDMA 3100. Term offered: fall, spring. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring.

IDMA 3500 - Interdisciplinary Experiential Learning (3 Credits)
In this course, students will use the knowledge from their chosen clusters to bear on an experiential opportunity. Choosing an internship, community-based project, or job extension, students will collaborate with peers to design projects in this highly student-driven course. Prereq: IDMA 1500 with a C- or higher. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 3500 will not earn credit for IDMA 3500. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Prereq: IDMA 1500 with a C- or higher

IDMA 3840 - Independent Study (1-3 Credits)
Note: Students must submit a special processing form completely filled out and signed by the student and faculty member, describing the course expectations, assignments and outcomes, to the CLAS undergraduate advising office for approval. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 3840 will not earn credit for IDMA 3840. Term offered: fall, spring, summer. Department consent required. Repeatable. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Repeatable. Max Credits: 3.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.

IDMA 3939 - Internship (1-3 Credits)
Designed experiences involving application of specific, relevant concepts and skills in supervised employment situations. Prereq: Students must have junior standing and at least a 2.75 GPA and must work with Experiential Learning Center advising to complete a course contract and gain approval. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 3939 will not earn credit for IDMA 3939. Term offered: fall, spring, summer. Repeatable. Max hours: 9 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Repeatable. Max Credits: 9.
Prereq: Junior standing or higher and at least a 2.75 cumulative GPA
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.

IDMA 4500 - Interdisciplinary Learning Capstone (3 Credits)
This course brings together students who have been working on individualized majors to share a capstone experience. The goal is for students to integrate knowledge from their cluster and apply it to a project relevant to their field of interest. Prereq: IDMA 3500 with a C- or higher. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 4500 will not earn credit for IDMA 4500. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Prereq: IDMA 3500 with a C- or higher.

IDMA 4840 - Independent Study (1-3 Credits)
Note: Students must submit a special processing form completely filled out and signed by the student and faculty member, describing the course expectations, assignments and outcomes, to the CLAS undergraduate advising office for approval. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 4840 will not earn credit for IDMA 4840. Department consent required. Repeatable. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Repeatable. Max Credits: 3.

IDMA 4880 - Directed Research (1-6 Credits)
Students will engage in original research projects supervised and mentored by faculty. Students must work with faculty prior to registration to develop a proposal for their project and receive permission to take this course. Note: Students must submit a special processing form completely filled out and signed by the student and faculty member, describing the course expectations, assignments and outcomes, to the CLAS undergraduate advising office for approval. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 4880 will not earn credit for IDMA 4880. Term offered: fall, spring, summer. Repeatable. Max hours: 6 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Repeatable. Max Credits: 6.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.

IDMA 4900 - Interdisciplinary Studies Capstone (3 Credits)
Students will be guided through the research process as they complete interdisciplinary capstone projects. They will receive feedback during each stage of the project's development and consultation from discipline specific faculty advisors. Prereq: IDMA 3100 with a C- or higher. Students who have earned credit for ISMA 4900 will not earn credit for IDMA 4900. Max hours: 3 Credits.
Grading Basis: Letter Grade
Prereq: IDMA 3100 with a C- or higher.