NEW PROGRAMS

New Catholic Minor

CATHOLIC STUDIES

The Catholic Studies minor invites students of all backgrounds to explore the multifaceted reality of Catholicism. The minor offers students the opportunity to gain an academic understanding of Catholicism as community, institution and worldview. Minors in Catholic Studies will progress through an interdepartmental course of study that immerses them in the historical, intellectual and cultural currents that shape and express Catholic faith and life. From an introductory course in Roman Catholicism through approved electives drawn from across the curriculum, Catholic Studies exposes students to the rich variety of the Catholic tradition and provides the opportunity to pursue individual personal and professional interests in relation to this tradition. The Catholic Studies Minor lies at the heart of Dominican University’s mission to integrate the core curriculum and departmental studies into a larger vision.

Requirements

Seven courses (21 credits) chosen in conference with advisor. No more than four courses from any one department may be used to fulfill minor requirements, and at least two courses must be taken above the 300 level. At least 15 credits in the minor, including Catholic Studies 103, must be completed at Dominican; students may petition the director of Catholic Studies to waive the foundation course if they can demonstrate satisfactory completion of substantively equivalent college-level material. Requirements include:

- One foundation course: Catholic Studies 103
- One course from each of the following three areas
  Cultural Expressions: These courses study the relationship between historical or modern Catholic cultures and their artistic and literary productions.
  Historical Contexts: These courses provide historical perspectives on Catholic institutions and societies, as well as Catholic encounters with other societies and systems of belief
  Intellectual Traditions: These courses examine the theological and philosophical foundations of Catholicism.
- Three elective courses chosen from the list of approved elective courses or from designated areas
- Capstone or Intensification Project. Minors must either:
  • intensify an approved course and complete an intensification following program guidelines, or
  • complete a capstone project in Catholic Studies 395, 410, or 495. The capstone project credit or intensification credit will count toward the elective credits.

Area Courses

Cultural Expressions:

- Art History 293: Medieval Art
- Art History 323: Renaissance Art in Southern Europe
- Art History 325: Renaissance Art in Northern Europe
- English 254: Bible, Mythology, and Literature
- English 248: Modern Irish Literature
- English 306: Medieval Literature
- English 421: Piers Plowman
- Italian 275: Dante’s Inferno
- Italian 365: Literature of the Italian Middle Ages
Italian 366: Literature of the Italian Renaissance
Spanish 320: Introduction to Hispanic Literature
Spanish 380: Peninsular Literature

**Historical Contexts:**
- History 267: Crusade and Jihad
- History 275: Medieval Europe
- History 276: Fall of Rome
- History 291: Dynastic States 1520-1688 (Reformation)
- History 301: Jerusalem from Antiquity to Present
- History 308: Catholic Church in Middle Ages
- History 350: Medieval Women and Gender
- History 388: European Thought and Art, 1500 to Present
- Theology 250: History of Christianity I
- Theology 251: History of Christianity II

**Intellectual Traditions:**
- Theology 383: Book of Revelation
- Theology 240: The Church: Perspectives and Challenges
- Theology 252: Sacraments in the Catholic Traditio
- Theology 264: The Ways of War and Peace in Christianity and Islam
- Theology 281: Dominican Saints and Mystics
- Theology 310: Jesus the Christ
- Theology 320: Theological Ethics
- Theology 330: The Mystery of God
- Theology 354: Great Christian Thinkers
- Theology 373: Christian Spirituality

**Electives:**
- Business Administration 335: Business Ethics
- Catholic Studies 395/495: Independent Research or Creative Investigation
- Catholic Studies 410: McGreal Center Research Practicum
- French 261: French Culture and Civilization I
- Liberal Arts and Sciences 456: So Proudly Dominican
- History 241: Colonial Latin America
- History 242: Modern Latin America
- Italian 255: Italian Culture and Civilization I
- Italian 256: Italian Culture and Civilization II
- Italian 260: Italian-American Culture
- Italian 295: Italian Cinema
- Philosophy 245: Introduction to the Philosophy of Religion
- Pastoral Ministry 254: Introduction to Ritual and Symbol
- Pastoral Ministry 363: Ethics for Ministry
- Pastoral Ministry 380: Evangelization
- Spanish 245: Introduction to Spain
- Spanish 246: Introduction to Spanish America
- Study Abroad 250: Rome: The Art of Renaissance and Baroque Rome
- Study Abroad 300: Summer in Florence *
- Study Abroad 370: Study in Blackfriars Oxford *
- Theology 239: Latino/a American Religious Experience and Theology
- Theology 256: Marriage and Family Life
- Theology 261: Catholic Social Teaching and Movements
- Theology 273: Great Women Mystics
- Theology 309: Celtic Spirituality

* Depending on which options students select, these Study Abroad courses may be used as elective credit in the minor. Students should consult with the study abroad director and director of Catholic Studies.

Adding a Catholic Studies-related service-learning component (299) to any course may make the course eligible for use as an elective course in the minor. The option to add service learning is at the course instructor’s discretion, and elective credit for the minor is approved at the discretion of the director of Catholic Studies.

### New Courses

**CATHOLIC STUDIES COURSES (CATH)**

#### 203 INTRODUCTION TO ROMAN CATHOLICISM (3)
In this course, students will study the central beliefs and practices of Roman Catholicism using the sources and methods of theology. Students will also consider how other disciplines (e.g., the arts, the social sciences) illuminate dimensions of this multifaceted tradition. This course stands alone as a survey course of Roman Catholicism and as a foundation for further exploration through the Catholic Studies Program. Also listed as Theology 103.

This course will satisfy the Theology core area requirement.

#### 410 MCGREAL CENTER RESEARCH PRACTICUM (3)
Students will develop and execute a semester-long research project making use of the McGreal Center archives on Dominican History in the U.S under the direction of the center’s director. This course will satisfy the Catholic Studies Minor capstone requirement.

**Prerequisite:** Consent of instructor

#### 395/495 INDEPENDENT RESEARCH OR CREATIVE INVESTIGATION (3)
Independent Research or Creative Investigation is a course in which students collaborate with faculty mentors on an ongoing faculty research project or conduct an independent project under the guidance of a faculty member. This directed undergraduate research or creative investigation culminates in a capstone essay or other creative/scholarly project that will satisfy the Catholic Studies Minor capstone requirement.

**Prerequisite:** Consent of instructor

### Updated Program Requirements

The following revised program requirements will apply to new undergraduate students entering Dominican University in the Fall 2011 or later.

### Minor Programs

**FRENCH**
Eighteen semester hours beyond French 111. A minimum of one-half the courses in the minor field must be completed at Dominican.

**ITALIAN**
Eighteen semester hours beyond Italian 111. A minimum of one-half the courses in the minor field must be completed at Dominican.

**SPANISH**
Eighteen semester hours beyond Spanish 111. A minimum of one-half the courses in the minor field must be completed at Dominican.

### Corrected Program Requirement

The following program requirements reflect corrections to the material that appeared in the 2010-2012 Undergraduate Bulletin.

### Major Programs

**AMERICAN STUDIES**

**Major Requirements (Thirteen courses)**
- American Studies 200, 411;
- Sociology 110;
- History 143 or 144;
- One 200-level English elective;
- One 300-level English elective taken after American Studies 200 and with the consent of the English department;
- Two courses chosen from Sociology, Geography, or Political Science electives;
- Two courses chosen from Art History, Philosophy, Theology, and Communication Arts and Sciences electives;
- One 200-level History elective;
- One 300-level History elective;
- One course chosen from all electives

A minimum of twenty hours in the major field must be completed at Dominican. Students seeking elementary education certification must choose three courses from either U.S. history or English electives and should take Political Science 170 as one of their electives.
**HISTORY**

**Major Requirements for Secondary and Middle School Teachers**
Thirty-one semester hours in history, including History 111 and either History 112 or 152; History 300; at least nine semester hours in United States history, including one course dealing with a period before 1877; one course chosen in European history before 1789; one course in modern European history; one course in Latin American, African, or Global history; at least one intensified course taken after History 300.

Additional requirements: Economics 191, Political Science 170, Sociology 110, and either Geography 250 or 320.

**DISCONTINUED PROGRAMS**
The following programs are discontinued effective Fall 2011; new undergraduate students entering Dominican University in the Fall 2011 or later may not complete these in fulfillment of degree or certificate requirements.

**Discontinued Majors**
- INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS

**Discontinued Minor**
- COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS

**Discontinued Certificate**
- POST-BACCALAUREATE
  - PRE-MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Dominican University will continue to admit students to the post-baccalaureate pre-medical program and offer the necessary courses and advising to prepare students for further study in the medical sciences. However, Dominican will no longer award a Post-Baccalaureate Pre-Medical Certificate upon completion of recommended coursework.

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**REVISED COURSES**
The following course revisions are effective for the 2011-2012 Academic Year.

**CHEMISTRY COURSES (CHEM)**

**101 INTRODUCTORY GENERAL CHEMISTRY (3,1)**
Introductory chemistry course intended primarily for nutrition sciences majors, pre-nursing students, and non-science majors. This course is particularly suited for those who wish to fulfill the general liberal arts requirement in science by increasing their interest in and concern for the relationship of chemistry to life and society. Includes lecture (3 hours) and laboratory (1 hours). Students in degree programs who have not already completed the laboratory must take the lecture and laboratory concurrently; laboratory requires concurrent enrollment in the lecture.

This course will satisfy the natural sciences core area requirement.

Prerequisite: one year of high school chemistry or Chemistry 101 with a minimum grade of C.

**104 INTRODUCTORY ORGANIC CHEMISTRY (3,1)**
An elementary course which focuses on the role of structure in chemical identity, the reactivity of organic compounds, and the application of reactivity and structure to the understanding of living systems and natural phenomena. Recommended for nutrition sciences and nursing majors. Includes lecture (3 hours) and laboratory (1 hours). Students in degree programs who have not already completed the laboratory must take the lecture and laboratory concurrently; laboratory requires concurrent enrollment in the lecture.

Prerequisite: one year HS Algebra.

**121 GENERAL CHEMISTRY II (3,1)**
A continuation of Chemistry 120 including aqueous solution equilibria, kinetics, thermodynamics, and nuclear chemistry. Lecture (3 hours) and laboratory (1 hours) must be completed concurrently.

Prerequisite: Chemistry 120 with a minimum grade of C.

**253 ORGANIC CHEMISTRY I (4,1)**
An introduction to the study of carbon compounds. Topics include synthesis, structure, stereo-chemistry, reaction mechanisms, and the use of spectroscopy in the study of carbon compounds. Includes lecture (3 hours) and laboratory (1 hours). Students in degree programs who have not already completed the laboratory must take the lecture and laboratory concurrently; laboratory requires concurrent enrollment in the lecture.

Prerequisite: Chemistry 121 with a minimum grade of C.

**254 ORGANIC CHEMISTRY II (4,1)**
A continuation of Chemistry 253 with further studies on synthesis, structure, and reaction of carbon compounds.

Includes lecture (3 hours) and laboratory (1 hours). Students in degree programs who have not already completed the laboratory must take the lecture and laboratory concurrently; laboratory requires concurrent enrollment in the lecture.

Prerequisite: Chemistry 253 with a minimum grade of C.
**COSTS—2011-2012 ACADEMIC YEAR**

Tuition covers only a portion of the total cost of study at Dominican University. The donations of alumnae/i, foundations, corporations and other friends of the university help to limit the expenses charged to students while maintaining a high-quality educational program.

Each application should include the $25 non-refundable application fee. Students who are accepted and plan to attend must make a $100 tuition deposit, which can be refunded up until May 1 for the fall semester and until November 1 for the spring semester.

**CHARGES**

**Tuition (12-18 semester hours)**

- Annual 2011-2012: $26,460.00  
- Semester 2011-2012: $13,230.00

**Room and full board**

- Double: $8,270  
- Single: $8,930

**Part-time students**

Tuition per semester hour (1-11 credit)

- Credit: $882.00  
- Non-credit (audit): $441.00

**High school students taking a college course**

Tuition per semester hour: $441

**Degree completion students**

ACE (Academic Course Equivalency): $441

**Other fees**

**NEW STUDENT FEE:**

- Full-time students: $150.00  
- Part-time students: $25.00

**Student fees**

Full-time students per semester: $75.00  
Part-time students per course: $15.00

- Annual Resident Student Association fee: $30.00  
- Graduation fee: $50.00  
- NSF check fee: $30.00  
- Late payment: 1% of open balance  
- Late registration: $25.00  
- Payment plan charge (per semester): $25.00  
- Deferment fee (per semester): $90.00  
- Transcript of credits: $5.00  
- Processing for International Dominican Affiliate program: $250.00  
- Parking fee, per sticker, per academic year: $50.00-100.00

**Course Fees**

Some art courses have lab fees applied, ranging from $35.00 to $75.00.  
Music lessons have a lab fee applied of $150.00 per credit hour.

eBills for tuition and other fees are available on-line prior to the beginning of classes for each semester. Payment is due by the first day of class for students who register in advance:

- Students who register after the first day of class must pay their tuition or make financial arrangements at the time of registration.

**FALL SEMESTER 2011**

- August 29: First day of classes  
- September 5: Labor day—No classes  
- September 6: Last day to drop/add for Fall Semester  
- September 13: Last day to declare satisfactory/fail grade option

**SPRING SEMESTER 2012**

- January 11: First day of classes (follow class schedule for Monday)  
- January 16: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—No classes  
- January 19: Last day to drop/add for Fall Semester  
- January 26: Last day to declare satisfactory/fail grade option  
- February 9: Last day to declare course intensification option

**FALL SEMESTER 2011 (cont.)**

- September 27: Last day to declare course intensification option  
- September 27: Caritas & Veritas Day (class schedule suspended)  
- October 21-23: Long Weekend (no classes)  
- November 9: Last day to withdraw from Fall semester courses  
- November 23-27: Thanksgiving Vacation  
- December 10: Last day of classes  
- December 12-17: Final Examination Week  
- January 14, 2012: Commencement

**SPRING SEMESTER 2012 (cont.)**

- March 5-11: Mid Semester Vacation  
- March 22: Last day to withdraw from Spring Semester courses  
- March 26: Advanced Registration begins for 2012-2013  
- April 5-8: Easter Vacation  
- April 27: Last day of classes  
- April 28: Saturday and Schedule Conflict Final Examinations  
- April 30-May 3: Final Examination Week  
- May 5, 2012: Commencement
SUMMER SEMESTER 2012

May 7
Begin graduation audits for students graduating in August 2012, January 2013, and May 2013

May 14-June 25
SUMMER SESSION I

May 21
Last day to drop/add courses

May 21
Last day to declare satisfactory/fail grade option

May 28
Memorial Day – No classes

June 15
Last day to withdraw from Summer Session I

July 2-August 13
SUMMER SESSION II

July 4
Holiday – No Classes

July 10
Last day to drop/add courses for Summer Session II

July 10
Last day to declare satisfactory/fail grade option

August 3
Last day to withdraw from Summer Session II courses