

## Bachelor of Arts in Arabic and Middle East Studies (BIC)

*A Suggested Sequence of Required Courses (2014-2015 Catalog)*

### F r e s h m a n Y e a r

Fall	Spring
_____ 0 Chapel (CHA 1088)	_____ 0 Chapel (CHA 1088)
_____ 2 BIC 1212 Examined Life I	_____ 3 Elective *(Variable depending on hours)
_____ 3 BIC 1314 World Cultures I	_____ 3 BIC 1324 World Cultures II
_____ 4 BIC 1413 Rhetoric I	_____ 3 BIC 1323 Rhetoric II
_____ 3 Math (see reverse)	_____ 4 Lab Science
_____ 4 <b>ARB 1401</b>	_____ 3-4 <b>ARB 1402</b>
Total: 16	Total: 16-17

### S o p h o m o r e Y e a r

Fall	Spring
_____ 3 BIC 2330 Social World I	_____ 3 BIC 2340 Social World II
_____ 3 BIC 2334 World Cultures III	_____ 3 BIC 2344 World Cultures IV
_____ 4 BIC 2437 Natural World I	_____ 4 BIC 2447 Natural World II
_____ 3 <b>ARB 2310</b>	_____ 3 <b>ARB 2320</b>
_____ 3 Elective (Variable depending on hours)	_____ 3 <b>MES 2301 Intro to Middle East Studies</b>
Total: 16	Total: 16

### J u n i o r Y e a r

Fall	Spring
_____ 3 Elective	_____ 3 BIC 3358 Biblical Heritage/Ethics
_____ 3 <b>HIS 3311 or HIS 4312</b>	_____ 3 <b>ARB (3000-4000 level)</b>
_____ 3 <b>ARB 3000-4000 level</b>	_____ 3 <b>PSC 4334 or REL 4343</b>
_____ 1 Lifetime Fitness	_____ 1 Lifetime Fitness
_____ 3 Elective (Variable depending on hours)	_____ 3 Elective
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Total: 16	Total: 16

### S e n i o r Y e a r

Fall	Spring
_____ 3 BIC 4374 World Cultures V	_____ 3 BIC 4389 Capstone
_____ 3 Elective (Variable depending on hours)	_____ 3 <b>3 hrs (see below)</b>
_____ 3 <b>ARB (3000-4000 level)</b>	_____ 3 Advanced Elective
_____ 3 Elective (Variable depending on hours)	_____ 3 Advanced Elective
_____ 3 Advanced Elective	_____ 3 Elective
Total: 15	Total: 15

*All students must graduate with a minimum of 124 hours,  
36 of which must be at the 3000/4000 level.*

#### Notes about major requirements:

- Arabic/Middle East Studies majors are encouraged to complete their foreign language requirements as soon as possible
- 3 Semester hours selected from the following: HIS 3311 (if not used above); HIS 4312 (is not used above); MES 4378, MES 4V01, PSC 4379, REL 4343 (if not used above); ARB courses at the 3000 or 4000 level.
- Verify prerequisites on all of the courses you intend to take.
- Check your degree audit often through Bearweb to ensure that you are making timely progress toward your degree.
- For more information, see the undergraduate catalog.

\*Because of the number of electives, there is enough room for a minor with this major.

**Please see reverse side for important information on general requirements.**

## Bachelor of Arts

### Notes about General Requirements:

- Course selection is subject to availability within each semester.
- Please keep in mind that this is only a suggested sequence. Actual sequence will vary according to possible second major, minor, other program of study (including pre-health), and individual circumstances (ex., transfer credit, dual credit, and credit by exam).
- In order to complete your degree, you must fulfill all requirements in your major and general requirements for the Bachelor of Arts.
- To complete a double major, you may not count any courses toward both majors.
- For more specific information on general requirements, see the undergraduate catalog.
- Check your degree audit often through Bearweb to ensure that you are making timely progress toward your degree.

### Foreign Language:

- **Option A:** One modern language through 2320 level:  
Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, and Swahili
- **Option B:** One classical language through 2320 level or two classical through 1302 level:  
Latin, Greek, Hebrew (If available, Akkadian, Aramaic, Syriac, and/or Ugaritic may be used)

### Math:

- MTH 1301 (Ideas in Math) or MTH 1320\* (Pre-cal) or MTH 1321 (Calculus) or STA 1380. \*Math 1320 is intended only for students who intend to take 1321.

### Lab Science (4 hours in addition to Natural World I and II) Choose one science/lab course from below

\*Credit allowed for only one of these courses.

Area 1	Area 2	Area 3
BIO 1305/1105 Modern Concepts of Bio	*CHE 1300/1100 Intro to Chemistry	ANT 1404
BIO 1306/1106 Modern Concepts of Bio II	*CHE 1301/1101 Basic Prin of Mod Chem I	ENV 1301/1101 Exploring Env Issues
BIO 1401 General Biology	CHE 1302/1102/Basic Prin of Mod Chem II	ENV 1303/1103 Wildlife Ecology
BIO 1403 Exploring the Living World	*CHE 1405 Chemistry in Society	Or any other lab science including:
*GEO 1401 Earthquakes & Other Disasters	CHE 1341/1146 Intro to Organic Biochemistry	BIO, CHE, GEO, PHY, and FAS 1407
GEO 1402 World Oceans		
*GEO 1403 Environmental Geology	PHY 1404 Light, Vision, and Optics	
*GEO 1405 The Dynamic Earth	PHY 1405 General Physics for BA Students	
GEO 1406 Earth Through Time	PHY 1407 Sound and Acoustics	
GEO 1408 Earth Science	PHY 1408 Gen Physics-Natural & Behav Sci	
	PHY 1420 General Physics I	
NSC 1306/1106 Intro to Neuroscience	PHY 1455 Descriptive Astronomy	

### Biology/Chemistry Prerequisite Policies

Biology- In order to register for BIO 1305 and 1306, students must have either a satisfactory math score on the ACT or SAT OR have completed MTH 1320 (Pre-Calculus) with a grade of B or better.

Chemistry- In order to register for CHE 1301, students must have either a satisfactory math score on the ACT or SAT or have a minimum grade of B in CHE 1300 AND a minimum grade of B in either MTH 1320 (Pre-Calculus) or MTH 1321 (Calculus)