**University Curriculum Committee Minutes Effective Spring 2014**

**College of Liberal Arts Department of Languages, Literatures & Cultures**

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| **Russian Studies Interdisciplinary Minor – (IRSQ)** |

**The Russian Studies Interdisciplinary Minor is designed to give students a comprehensive knowledge of different aspects of Russian language, culture, history and artistic expressions, according to the students’ interests.**

* **A minimum of 21 credits is required for the program; at least 15 credits must be upper division level.**
* **These courses are taught in Russian or English.**
* **Students must take courses in at least three different disciplines (subject codes).**
* **A minimum grade of C is required for each course counted towards the interdisciplinary minor.**
* **Upon graduation, the Russian Studies Interdisciplinary Minor will be recorded on the student’s academic record.**

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| **CORE LANGUAGE COURSES** | | | |
| *Select a minimum of 12 credits from the following courses. A minimum of 6 credits must be at the upper*  *division (300-400-level).* | | | |
| LRUS 100 | First-Year Russian I | | 5 |
| LRUS 101P | First-Year Russian II | | 5 |
| LRUS 200P | Second-Year Russian I | | 4 |
| LRUS 201P | Second-Year Russian II | | 4 |
| LRUS 250 | Russian Literature, Culture in Translation | | 3 |
| LRUS 296P | Group Study—Russian1 | | 1-3 |
| LRUS 304P | Third-Year Russian I | | 3 |
| LRUS 305P | Third-Year Russian II | | 3 |
| LRUS 350P | Russian Culture | | 3 |
| LRUS 365P | Introduction to Russian Cinema Studies | | 3 |
| LRUS 495P | Independent Study—Russian | | 3 |
| LRUS 496P | Group Study—Russian | | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | | **12** | |
| **UPPER DIVISION SELECTED COURSES** | | | |
| *Select a minimum of 9 credits from the following\*:* | | | |
| E 452P | Masterpieces of European Literature\* | | 3 |
| E 455P | European Literature after 1900\* | | 3 |
| ECON 376P | Marxist Economic Thought\* | | 3 |
| HIST 324P | Imperial Russia\* | | 3 |
| HIST 329P | Europe in Crisis, 1914-1941\* | | 3 |
| LGEN 465C | Studies in Foreign Film—Europe | | 3 |
| POLS 345P | Russian, Central, and East European Politics\* | | 3 |
| POLS 371 | U.S. Space Policy | | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | | **9** | |
| **PROGRAM TOTAL = 21 credits\*2, 3** | | | |

P This course has at least one prerequisite. Check the Courses of Instruction of the catalog at *http://catalog.colostate.edu* to see the course prerequisites.

\* Additional coursework may be required due to prerequisites.

1 Course may count toward the interdisciplinary minor with approval of minor advisor.

2 Of the 21 minimum credits required for the interdisciplinary minor, at least 15 must be upper division (300- to 400-level). At least 12 credits must be from the subject code LRUS.

3 Students may petition to include up to 12 credits from outside the courses listed here. Courses must be from at least three different subject codes. To count toward the interdisciplinary minor, 30 percent or more of the course content should focus on Russia. Students must submit a syllabus for each course being petitioned to the Department of Languages, Literatures & Cultures and a brief description of individual work completed by the student for each proposed course. A minimum grade of C applies to courses being petitioned. Courses from study abroad programs will be evaluated as part of the overall program.

\*Ask about HIST323, 330, 331, 339; POLS332, 380A3, 435, 436, 437; ECON332, 370, 372 also.

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