

German - B.S.

College of
Arts and Sciences

The primary aims of the Division of German Studies are to help students develop their German language skills and gain an understanding of the literature and culture of the German-speaking countries. Students majoring in German earn the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree.

120 hours (minimum)

Any student earning a Bachelor of Science (BS) degree must complete a minimum of 60 hours in natural, physical, mathematical, and computer science. Please note: courses with a GER prefix are generally not accepted towards fulfilling this 60-hour requirement. Therefore, be sure to keep this requirement in mind as you choose your course work for the requirements in the major. A complete description of College requirements for a Bachelor of Science degree, including a specific listing of courses applicable to the 60-hour requirement, can be found on pages 113-114 of the *Arts and Sciences* section of the 2011-2012 *Undergraduate Bulletin* at: www.uky.edu/Registrar/bulletinCurrent/a_s.pdf.

UK Core Requirements

See the *UK Core* section of the 2011-2012 *Undergraduate Bulletin* at: www.uky.edu/Registrar/bulletinCurrent/ukc.pdf for the complete UK Core requirements. The courses listed below are (a) recommended by the college, or (b) required courses that also fulfill UK Core areas. Students should work closely with their advisor to complete the UK Core requirements.

I. Intellectual Inquiry in Arts and Creativity	
Choose one course from approved list	3
II. Intellectual Inquiry in the Humanities	
Choose one course from approved list	3
III. Intellectual Inquiry in the Social Sciences	
Choose one course from approved list	3
IV. Intellectual Inquiry in the Natural, Physical, and Mathematical Sciences	
Choose one course from approved list	3
V. Composition and Communication I	
CIS/WRD 110 Composition and Communication I	3
VI. Composition and Communication II	
CIS/WRD 111 Composition and Communication II	3
VII. Quantitative Foundations	
Choose one course from approved list	3
VIII. Statistical Inferential Reasoning	
Choose one course from approved list	3
IX. Community, Culture and Citizenship in the USA	
Choose one course from approved list	3
X. Global Dynamics	
Choose one course from approved list	3
UK Core Hours	30

Graduation Writing Requirement

After attaining sophomore status, students must complete a Graduation Writing Requirement course. Please see your academic advisor for courses that meet this requirement.

Graduation Writing Requirement Hours: 3

College Requirements

I. Foreign Language (<i>completed by Premajor Requirement</i>)	
II. Disciplinary Requirements	
a. Natural Science	3
b. Social Science	3
c. Humanities (<i>completed by Major Requirements</i>)	
III. Laboratory or Field Work	1
IV. Electives	6

College Requirement hours: 13

Premajor Requirements

GER 202 Intermediate German	3
GER 206 Spoken Communication	3

Premajor hours: 6

Major Requirements

Major Core Requirements

GER 307 Intermediate German Composition and Conversation I	3
GER 308 Intermediate German Composition and Conversation II	3
GER 311 Introduction to German	
Literature: Themes (Subtitle required)	3
GER 312 Introduction to German Literature: Popular Forms	3
GER 495 German Studies Capstone	1

Major Core hours: 13

Other Course Work Required for the Major

From the Major Department: 12-15
Choose 12-15 hours of German courses to be selected from GER 310, 315, 317, 319, 352, 361, 415G, 416G, 420G and 507; upon consultation with the advisor, certain 500-level courses may be substituted for two of these; GER 415G, 416G and 420G may be repeated once.

From Outside the Major Department

Choose 15-18 hours outside German at the 200+ level from the following areas: anthropology, art history, comparative literature, economics, English, French, Greek, geography, history, Italian, Japanese, Latin, linguistics, music, philosophy, political science, religious studies, Russian, sociology, Spanish, theatre, and women's studies. 200+ level courses used to satisfy College requirements can also be counted here 15-18

Other Major hours: 30

Electives

Choose electives to lead to the minimum total of 120 hours required for graduation 22

Total Minimum Hours

Required for Degree 120

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