

# JEWISH STUDIES MINOR

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## Jewish Studies Program (JWST)

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<http://jewishstudies.umd.edu/academic-programs/undergraduate/js-minor/>

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The Minor in Jewish Studies offers a broad overview of the principal aspects of Jewish Studies as a field. Students are encouraged to take courses in a variety of areas through a combination of required fields and general electives.

To make an appointment to explore or declare a minor, go to <http://arhu.umd.edu/academics/undergraduate-studies/minors/>.

## REQUIREMENTS

15 credits are to be distributed as follows:

| Course                        | Title | Credits   |
|-------------------------------|-------|-----------|
| History                       |       | 3         |
| Literature                    |       | 3         |
| Thought, Religion, or Culture |       | 3         |
| Electives                     |       | 6         |
| <b>Total Credits</b>          |       | <b>15</b> |

- A minimum of 9 credits must be at the 3xx or 4xx-level.
- All credits must be earned with a grade of "C-" or above.
- An overall GPA of 2.0 in the minor is required for graduation.
- A list of qualifying courses in each category is available from the Director of the Jewish Studies program.
- Up to 3 credits of 1xx or 2xx-level Hebrew or Yiddish language study may be credited toward the minor. In exceptional cases, students may petition to have other languages included.

## Restrictions

- Students enrolled in the Jewish Studies Major are not eligible to enroll in the minor.
- At least 6 credits of 3xx or 4xx-level credit must be taken at the University of Maryland.
- No more than 6 credits may be taken at an institution other than Maryland.
- In keeping with University policy, no more than 6 credits may also be applied to a major.