OUEENS COLLEGE

Middle Eastern Studies BA

FOUR YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

Required Core Credits
Flexible Core Credits
College Option Credits
Major Credits
Elective Credits

This 4-year academic plan is for freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2021. Our 4-year academic plans are illustrative examples of integrated degree requirements and course sequencing for each of the College's programs of study which are designed to ensure degree completion in a timely manner. Students are advised to meet with professional and faculty advisors to tailor their degree maps to their individual interests (academic and career goals), as well as other considerations including course offerings and the incorporation of winter and summer sessions. Course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced, as are entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for the successful completion of the degree.



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Freshman

FALL SPRING

English Composition I (ECI) 3 credit English Composition II (EC2) 3 credit I Arabic course (LANG) 3/4 credit I Arabic course (LANG) 3/4 credit Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR) 3 credit 3 credit US Experience in Its Diversity (USED) Creative Expression (CE) Life & Physical Science (LPS) 4 credit 3 credit 3 credit World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI) 3 credit Individual and Society (IS)

Fall total credits 16 credits Spring total credits 15 credits

Sophomore

FALL SPRING

I Hebrew course 3/4 credit I Hebrew course 3/4 credit MES 160 (LIT) 3 credit MES 255W (W) 3 credit Classical Islamic Literature & Civilization Modern Arabic Literature in Translation Scientific World (SW) 3 credit 3 credit College Option Science (SCI) An Additional Flexible Core 3 credit Second major, minor, or general electives 6 credit Second major, minor, or general electives* 3 credit

Spring total credits 15 credits
Fall total credits 15 credits

General Education requirements may be taken in any order if the pre-requisite requirement(s) is/are satisfied.



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Junior

FALL SPRING

MES 155 3 credit MES 240 3 credit Sephardic Literature in Translation Images of the Middle East **MES 250** 3 credit MES 260 3 credit Literature from the Islamic World Revival & Reform Movements in Islam One Writing Intensive Unit (W) 3 credit Second major, minor, or general electives 9 credit Second major, minor, or general electives 6 credit 15 credits Spring total credits

Fall total credits 15 credits

Senior

FALL SPRING

ANTH 204 or 212 3 credit Hebrew 150 (LIT) 3 credit Anthropology of Islam/People of the Modern Hebrew Literature in Translation Middle East **MES 300** 3 credit CMLIT 208 or 245 3 credit Topics in Islamic Studies Prison Experiences in Modern Literature/ Second major, minor, or general electives 8 credit Cinema of North Africa & the Middle East Second major, minor, or general electives 9 credit **Spring total credits** 14 credits

Fall total credits 15 credits

*General Electives: Students may complete general electives by taking courses in (most) department/s or programs they choose; however, depending on the course/program, students may need department permission and/or prerequisite course/s. Electives may be used to supplement the chosen major (an English major may want to take a course in French or Italian literature) or to fulfill interest in a different area (a Music major may be interested in the physics of sound). Students are encouraged to use available electives to complete a dual major, minor, pre-requisites for graduate or professional school, or complete and internship, experiential learning and/or study abroad. Students are encouraged to use their available general electives wisely and focus on coursework that will assist them personally, academically and professionally.

