

Comparative Literature BA

FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

12 Required Core Credits

18 Flexible Core Credits

12 College Option Credits

36 Major Credits

42 Elective Credits

120 Total

This 4-year academic plan is designed to help freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2017 plan their academic career and ensure that they complete all requirements for graduation in a timely fashion. All other students should consult their academic and department advisors to chart their own 4-year academic plans. Students should note that course prerequisite/s and corequisite/s are strictly enforced, and they should regularly meet with their department advisors to identify their specific major/minor requirements and entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for successful completion of their degree.

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Freshman

FALL

English Composition I (EC1) 3 credits
 Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR) 3 credits
 World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI) 3 credits
 Choose from CMLIT 206, 208,* 210,
 225,* 229W,* 230,* 231,* 242*

Second major, minor, or general electives** 3 credits

Fall total credits 15 credits

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English Composition II (EC2) 3 credit
 CMLIT 100* suggested
 Life & Physical Science (LPS) 4 credit
 Creative Expression (CE) 3 credit
 Choose CMLIT 205 or 215W*

Individual and Society (IS) 3 credit
 Second major, minor, or general electives 3 credit

Spring total credits 16 credits

Sophomore

FALL

Scientific World (SW) 3 credits
 College Option Literature (LIT) (W) 3 credits
 Choose CMLIT 101W,* 101H*
 College Option Language (LANG)* 4 credits
 Second major, minor, or general electives 6 credits

Fall total credits 16 credits

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An Additional Flexible Core 3 credits
 College Option Science (SCI) 3 credits
 An Additional College Core 3 credits
 Choose CMLIT 206, 208,* 210,
 225,* 229W, 230,* 231,* 242,*
 205,* 215W*

Second major, minor, or general electives 6 credits

Spring total credits 15 credits

*counts toward CMLIT major

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

If a Literature course is taken with a W, it will count towards Literature and one Writing Intensive Unit.

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Junior

FALL

1 required course for the major from another literature department (English, CMAL, ELL, HLL, may overlap Flexible Core & College Option)	3 credits*
1 required courses for the major from another literature department (English, CMAL, ELL, HLL, may overlap Flexible Core & College Option)	3 credits*
1 Elective that counts for the CMLIT major	3 credits*
Second major, minor, or general electives	6 credits

Fall total credits 15 credits

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1 required CMLIT courses in student's area of concentration, from among offerings on the list (includes courses in History, Philosophy, Poli Sci, Urban Studies but has no overlap with Gen Ed)	3 credits*
1 required CMLIT courses in student's area of concentration, from among offerings on the list	3 credits*
1 Elective that counts for the CMLIT major (CMLIT 201: Literature and Human Rights suggested)	3 credits*
Second major, minor, or general electives	6 credits

Spring total credits 15 credits

Senior

FALL

1 required CMLIT course in student's area of concentration, from among offerings on the list (CMLIT 371: Capstone Seminar in Human Rights suggested)	3 credits*
1 required CMLIT course in student's area of concentration, from among offerings on the list	3 credits*
CMLIT 390.3: Internship (suggested if feasible)	3 credits*
1 Elective that counts for the CMLIT major	3 credits*
Second major, minor, or general electives	3 credits

Fall total credits 15 credits

SPRING

CMLIT 381W-383W (W) The Advanced Seminar	3 credits*
Second major, minor, or general electives	12 credits

Spring 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, prerequisites for graduate or professional school, or complete an 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.