RELIGION, B.A. DOUBLE HONOURS

Degree Requirements

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
6 credit hours in Religion courses		6
6 credit hours in second Honours field as described in that unit's section of the calendar		6
6 credit hours in ancillary options [1]		6
12 credit hours in free options [2]		12
	Hours	**30**
Years 1-4		
Within the Religion courses required in this program, students must complete courses from at least three religious traditions: Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Judaism. Refer to the lists below for courses that satisfy each of the religious tradition categories.		
	Hours	**0**
Year 2		
12 credit hours in Religion courses numbered at the 2000 level		12
12 credit hours in second Honours Field as described in that unit's section of the calendar		12
6 credit hours in free options [2]		6
	Hours	**30**
Years 3-4		
9 credit hours in Religion courses numbered at or above the 3000 level		9
9 credit hours in Religion courses numbered at the 4000 level		9
RLGN 4310	Method and Theory: History of the Study of Religion	3
RLGN 4320	Theoretical Approaches to the Study of Religion	3
24 credit hours in second Honours field as described in that unit's section of the calendar.		24
12 credit hours in free options [2]		12
Refer to the information directly below this list for other important degree requirements that B.A. Honours students must satisfy for graduation.		
	Hours	**60**
	Total Hours	**120**

[1] Ancillary options are to be chosen from courses that are acceptable for credit in the Faculty of Arts (excluding Religion and second Honours field courses).

[2] Free options are to be chosen from courses that are acceptable for credit in the Faculty of Arts (including Religion courses).

Notes:

- Honours courses: all 4000 level courses
- If the second Honours field chosen is either Economics or Sociology, students need to be aware that these two departments require an additional 3 credit hours of required course work in their Double Honours programs.

Religious Traditions

Within the Religion courses required above, students must complete courses from at least three religious tradition categories: Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Judaism

Religious Traditions are categorized as follows:

Buddhism

Course	Title	Hours
RLGN 2020	Introduction to Buddhism	3
RLGN 3150	Buddhism in East Asia	3
RLGN 3152	Buddhism in the West	3
RLGN 3162	Buddhist Philosophy	3
RLGN 3260	Indian Buddhism	3
RLGN 3266	Readings in Buddhist Texts	3
RLGN 4010	Advanced Topics in Buddhism	3

Christianity

Course	Title	Hours
RLGN 1350	The History of Eastern Christianity	6
RLGN 2036	Introduction to Christianity	3
RLGN 2040	Early Modern Christianity in a Global Context	3
RLGN 2052	Conservative Christianity in the United States	3
RLGN 2114	Monks, Mystics and Manuscripts in Medieval Christianity	3
RLGN 2170	Introduction to the New Testament	3
RLGN 2520	Eastern Christianity in North America	3
RLGN 2530	Eastern Christianity in the Contemporary World	3
RLGN 2840	The Second Vatican Council	3
RLGN 2850	Contemporary Issues in Roman Catholicism	3
RLGN 3230	Gender, the Body, and Sexuality in Early Christianity	3
RLGN 3870	The Thought of Bernard Lonergan	3
RLGN 4050	Advanced Topics in Early Christianity	3
RLGN 4282	Advanced Studies in Medieval Christianity	3

Hinduism

Course	Title	Hours
RLGN 2010	Introduction to Hinduism	3
RLGN 3210	Indian Philosophy	3
RLGN 4030	Advanced Topics in Hinduism	3
RLGN 4060	The Yoga Tradition	3

Islam

Course	Title	Hours
RLGN 2100	Approaches to the Qur'an	3
RLGN 2778	Introduction to Islam	3
RLGN 2790	Contemporary Islam	3
RLGN 3190	Images of the Prophet Muhammad: Classical and Contemporary Perspectives	3
RLGN 3194	Islamic Philosophy	3
RLGN 4020	Advanced Topics in Islam	3

Judaism

Course	Title	Hours
RLGN 1120	Biblical Hebrew	6
RLGN 1390	Readings in Biblical Hebrew 1	3
RLGN 1400	Readings in Biblical Hebrew 2	3
RLGN 2140	Introduction to Judaism	3
RLGN 2160	Hebrew Bible (Tanakh/"Old Testament")	3
RLGN 2162	Great Jewish Books	3
RLGN 2770	Contemporary Judaism	3
RLGN 3280	Hasidism	3
RLGN 3810	The Talmud: Judaism's challenging, controversial book of arguments	3
RLGN 3824	Kabbalah: Magic, Mythology, Mysticism	3
RLGN 4300	Advanced Topics in Judaism	3

While completing the courses listed above, students in the B.A. Honours Degree must satisfy the University's Written English (W) and Mathematics (M) requirements, plus the following Faculty requirements in order to graduate:

Four Faculty Requirements for Graduating with a B.A. Honours Degree

It should be noted that not every department has an Honours Degree program. For specific information on available Honours programs, please consult the specific listing (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#programstext) for the relevant department.

Note: Students in an Honours Degree program who satisfy the requirements for a Minor (in accordance with the Minor (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#Arts-Honours-Minor) requirements listed under the B.A. General Degree, may request to have the Minor recorded on their transcript. These students must come to the Faculty of Arts General Office to formally declare their intention to have their Minor recorded on their transcript.

1. The minimum number of credit hours which a student must successfully complete in order to receive an Honours Degree is 120. Information on the specific course requirements are found under each department. (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#programstext)
2. In order to graduate, a student in the B.A. Honours Degree program must satisfy the University of Manitoba residency requirements (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#Residency-Requirement) and attain a minimum degree grade point average of 3.0.
3. Included among the courses presented for graduation there must be at least three credit hours completed in each of five different Faculty of Arts (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#Five-subject-field) subject fields.
4. Among the courses presented for graduation there must be at least six credit hours from subject fields designated Humanities, at least six credit hours from subject fields designated Social Science (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#Arts-Social-Sciences), at least six credit hours from the list of courses that satisfy the Bachelor of Arts Science (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#Arts-Science) requirement, and at least three credit hours from the list of courses that satisfy the Indigenous Content (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#Indigenous-Content) requirement.