# West Chester University B. A. in Philosophy – Religious Studies through the Honors College Advisement Sheet

Effective for students entering Spring '26 and later.

***Indicate all the courses you have taken at WCU or transferred for credit. For completed courses, also list the grades. Mark an asterisk (*) beside courses you are currently taking.***

**I. PHILOSOPHY – RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

**A. Required Courses (15 credits)**

PHI 101____ (Introduction to Philosophy)
PHI 102 ____ (Introduction to Religious Studies)
PHI 206 ___ (Judaism, Christianity, and Islam)
PHI 414 ___ (Philosophy of Religion)
PHI 204 ___ (Philosophies and Religions of India)
OR
PHI 205 ___ (Yin-Yang, Dao, and Zen)

**B. Elective Courses (15 credits)**

Select five electives (at least three must be at or above the 300 level) from the following, under advisement:

ANT 344 ___ (Magic, Religion, & Witchcraft)
PHI 125 ___ (Theology & Science: Enemies or Partners?)
PHI 130 ___ (Religion in the United States)
PHI 204 ___ (Philosophies and Religions of India)
PHI 205 ___ (Yin-Yang, Dao, and Zen)
PHI 207 ___ (Philosophies of Non-violence)
PHI 220 ___ (Introduction to Islam)
PHI 270 ___ (History of Ancient Philosophy)
PHI 271 ___ (History of Medieval Philosophy)
PHI 272 ___ (History of Modern Philosophy)
PHI 310 ___ (New Religious Movements)
PHI 349 ___ (Ideas of the Bible)
PHI 390 ___ (Women and Religion)
SOC 344 ___ (Sociology of Religion)

**C. Language/Culture Requirements (0-15 credits)**

Demonstrating language proficiency through the intermediate level (202) or demonstrating language proficiency through the elementary II (102) level of a language and further acquiring a cultural foundation.

**II. HONORS COLLEGE CORE SEQUENCE for GEN ED (27 credits)**

HON 100 _____ (Self Awareness)
HON 211 _____ (Public Discourse)
HON 212 _____ (Ethics & Technology)
HON 310 _____ (Community Change)
HON 311 _____ (Stewardship/Civic Responsibility)
HON 312 _____ (Educational Systems)
**or**
HON 322 _____ (Leader. With ELLs)
HON 313 _____ (Public Opinion)
HON 314 _____ (Environ. Systems)
HON 315 _____ (Community & PHIs)
SCIENCE ____ __x___
MAT ___ __x___

**III. ADDITIONAL HONORS COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS (9 credits)**

A) Two HON seminars at the 320 level or above (except 322)

HON _____ _____
HON _____ _____

B) Capstone Project^

HON 490 _____

^NOTE: ***Enrollment upon core completion***: ideally 6th or 7th semester.

**IV. DIRECTED ELECTIVES**

Take enough directed electives to complete 120 credits. The actual number of electives required will vary depending upon (among other things) the option to complete a minor(s) and the number of courses the student must take to complete the foreign language requirement.

***Bring this sheet with you whenever you meet with your advisor about scheduling or course planning!***

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