

ITALIAN STUDIES MAJOR, B.A. – 2025-2026

PREPARATION FOR THE MAJOR

UNITS TO COMPLETE

Italian 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 or equivalent0-30 _____

Italian 20X or equivalent (subject to approval by Program Director).....0-4 _____

UPPER-DIVISION MAJOR

40 UD Italian units are required, distributed as follows:

(Note that a single course can only apply towards one area requirement, including EAP courses)

A. Italian 101 or 102 or 103 or 104 (required before taking other UD courses in Italian)* 4 _____

B. Italian 119A or 119B 4 _____

C. Three UD courses taught in Italian** 12 _____

D. Three UD Italian courses, taught in Italian or English..... 12 _____

E. Two UD electives from the following or course approved by petition*** 8 _____

Art History 105O, 107C, 113A-B-F, 115D-E, 119E, 132A, 141D, 142A-B-C

Film and Media Studies 122IT

History 104G, 114A-B-C, 115, 115A-B, 116, 118A, 121A-B-E-Q-R,

123A-B-C, 124A-B, 138X, 164IA-IB-IR, 193F

Music 113A-B

Elective courses taken: _____

Notes:

* Exceptionally well-prepared students may enroll concurrently in 101, 102, 103, or 104 and another UD course taught in Italian, subject to Program Director's approval.

** Courses taught in Italian do NOT include an "X" in the course number (X stands for taught in English).

Students who complete 4 units of ITAL 191I (a 1-2 unit enhancement section that can be taken concurrently with ITAL courses taught in English) may apply that credit in place of 1 course towards Area C (up to 2 total courses towards Area C can be satisfied by 8 total units in ITAL 191I).

*** By petition, up to two electives may be from the Italian Program or from the Comparative Literature Program (provided courses are taught by faculty from the French and Italian Department).

We encourage all majors to take advantage of Education Abroad Programs in Italy.

MAJOR REGULATIONS

PREREQUISITES.....Check the *General Catalog* for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

P/NP GRADING OPTION.....Not allowed for any major course (Prep or UD major), including courses applied to the major from other departments.

SUBSTITUTIONS.....In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

G.P.A. REQUIREMENTS.....At least 2.0 overall UC average in **all** upper-division major courses and **all** courses (Prep and UD) for the major.

DOUBLE MAJORS.....With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.