

Religious Studies Course List, 2019-2020

Last Updated: 6/13/19 (List will be updated to reflect schedule changes)

FALL		WINTER		SPRING	
HEB 1: Elementary Hebrew I	O. Amihay	HEB 2: Elementary Hebrew II	O. Amihay	HEB 3: Elementary Hebrew III	O. Amihay
HEB 4: Intermediate Modern Hebrew IV	O. Amihay	HEB 5: Intermediate Modern Hebrew V	O. Amihay	HEB 6: Intermediate Modern Hebrew VI	O. Amihay
HEB 114A: Readings in Modern Hebrew Prose and Poetry	A. Amihay	HEB 114B: Readings in Modern Hebrew Prose and Poetry	A. Amihay	HEB 114C: Readings in Modern Hebrew Prose and Poetry	A. Amihay
MES 45: Intro to Middle East Studies	Massie	RGST 1: Introduction to the Study of Religion	Hillis	RGST 10C: Elementary Arabic III	M. Campo
RGST 10A: Elementary Arabic I	M. Campo	RGST 4/EACS 5: Intro to Buddhism	Hillis	RGST 10F: Intermediate Arabic VI	el Omari
RGST 10D: Intermediate Arabic IV	M. Campo	RGST 7: Intro to American Religions	Walker	RGST 11C: Elementary Hindi III	Bothra
RGST 11A: Elementary Hindi I	Bothra	RGST 10B: Elementary Arabic II	M. Campo	RGST 13: Religion and Popular Culture	Blankholm/ Walker
RGST 14: Intro to Native American Religious Studies	Talamantez	RGST 10E: Intermediate Arabic V	M. Campo	RGST 17C: Introduction to Biblical Hebrew III	Garr
RGST 17A: Introduction to Biblical Hebrew I	Garr	RGST 11B: Elementary Hindi II	Bothra	RGST 18: Comparing Religions	Taves
RGST/EACS 21: Zen Buddhism	Hillis	RGST 12: Religious Approaches to Death	White	RGST 19: The Gods and Goddesses of India	Holdrege
RGST 26: Introduction to Jewish Mysticism	Wolfson	RGST 17B: Introduction to Biblical Hebrew II	Garr	RGST 20: Indic Civilization	Bothra
RGST 28: Gandhi & Resistance	Elison	RGST 24: Teachings of Jesus in Comparative Perspective	Thomas	RGST 31: Religions of Tibet	Lindsay
RGST 57A: Elementary Persian I	STAFF	RGST 57B: Elementary Persian II	STAFF	RGST 57C: Elementary Persian III	STAFF
RGST 57D: Intermediate Persian IV	STAFF	RGST 58B: Intensive Persian II	Feiz	RGST 58C: Intensive Persian III	Feiz

RGST 58A: Intensive Persian I	Feiz	RGST 65B: Intro to Turkish II	FLTA	RGST 65C: Intro to Turkish Language III	FLTA
RGST 58D: Intensive Persian IV	STAFF	RGST 65E: Intermediate Turkish V	FLTA	RGST 65F: Intermediate Turkish VI	FLTA
RGST 61: African Religions of the Americas	Perez	RGST 70B: Intro to Kazakh Language II	FLTA	RGST 70C: Intro to Kazakh Language III	FLTA
RGST 65A: Intro to Turkish I	FLTA	RGST 70E: Intermediate Kazakh Language V	FLTA	RGST 70F: Intermediate Kazakh Language VI	FLTA
RGST 70A: Intro to Kazakh Language I	FLTA	RGST 80B: Religion/Western Civ II: Medieval	STAFF	RGST/ASAM 71: Intro to Asian American Religion	Busto
RGST 70D: Intermediate Kazakh Language IV	FLTA	RGST 98: Internship	Afary	RGST 80C: Religion/Western Civ III: Modern	Carlson
RGST/JAPAN 73: Intro to Japanese Religions	Porath	RGST 104: Problems in the Study of Religion	Walker	RGST 98: Internship	Afary
RGST 84: Introduction to Islamic Civilization	el Omari	RGST 115G: The Dead Sea Scrolls and Their Community	Garr	RGST 104: Problems in the Study of Religion	Hillis
RGST 98: Internship	Afary	RGST 119A: Introduction to Islamic Law	Ahmad	RGST 106: Modernity and the Process of Secularization	STAFF
RGST 101B: Religious Experience	Taves	RGST 119F: History of Islamic Theology	el Omari	RGST 116C: Archeology and the Study of Religion	Thomas
RGST 102A: Muslim Diasporas and the Law	Moore	RGST 131F: History of Anti-Semitism	Hecht	RGST 124G: The Virgin of Guadalupe: From Tilma to Tattoo	Perez
RGST 104: Problems in the Study of Religion	A. Amihay	RGST 131H: Politics & Religion in Jerusalem	Hecht	RGST 131D: Judaism in Modern Times	Hecht
RGST/EACS 109B: Christianity, Judaism, and Islam in China	Steavu	RGST 132A: Song of Songs	Wolfson	RGST 133B/C LIT 184A: The Jewish Graphic Novel	O. Amihay
RGST 110M: Religion and Music in Cuba	Perez	RGST 133D: Gender in Judaism	A. Amihay	RGST 135: Readings in Tibetan Buddhist Texts	Cabazon
RGST 113: Religion and Film	Hecht	RGST 137: Gnosticism and Manichaeism	Thomas	RGST 138D: Catholicism and U.S. History	Assoc.
RGST 115A: Hebrew Bible/Old Testament	Garr	RGST 148B: Advanced Arabic II	Reynolds	RGST 140D: Islam in South Asia	Campo

RGST 123/ASAM 161: Asian American Religions	Busto	RGST 149D: History of Islamic Philosophy	el Omari	RGST 144A: Atheism	Blankholm
RGST 127A: Christian Thought and Cultures of the Ancient World	Mazza	RGST/INT 156BE: Biomedical Ethics	Jarrett	RGST 148C: Advanced Arabic III	Reynolds
RGST 130: Judaism	Hecht	RGST 157: Religion, Law & Society	A. Amihay	RGST 154: Ethics in Leadership	Harris
RGST 133E/C LIT 184C: Hebrew Literature	O. Amihay	RGST 157CP: Contemporary Persian Literature	Feiz	RGST 156CE: College and Ethics	Jarrett
RGST 135: Readings in Tibetan Buddhist Texts	Cabazon	RGST 157E: Intensive Persian V	Feiz	RGST 156CI: Social Ethics Research	Hamilton
RGST 148A: Advanced Arabic I	Reynolds	RGST 157I: Persian Media	Feiz	RGST 157F: Intensive Persian VI	Feiz
RGST 149D: Islamic Philosophy	El Omari	RGST 159E: Intermediate Sanskrit	Hillis	RGST 157PP: Classic Persian Literature	Feiz
RGST 156CC: Seminar in Social Ethics	Hamilton	RGST 159H: Vedic Literature in Sanskrit	Holdrege	RGST 159F: Intermediate Sanskrit	Hillis
RGST/INT 156EE: Environmental Ethics	Jarrett	RGST 162D: Intro to Jainism	Bothra	RGST 159L: Reading Sanskrit Philosophical Literature	Wallace
RGST 157G: Persian Cinema	Feiz	RGST 165: Vedic Traditions of India	Holdrege	RGST 162G: Caste in Indian Society	Elison
RGST 159D: Intermediate Sanskrit	Hillis	RGST/JAPAN 167A: Religion in Japanese Culture	Porath	RGST/CHIN 183B: Religious Practice and the State in China	Yang
RGST 177: Religion & Law	A. Amihay	RGST 185: Food, Religion, & Culture in the Middle East	J. Campo	RGST 190: Special Topics	Fluhman
RGST 181F/RGST 292SR/HIST 201ME : Shi'ism Before and After the Iranian Revolution	Afary	RGST 190: Special Topics	Fluhman	RGST 190: Studies in Non-Violence	Bothra
RGST 190EI: Ethical Investing	Kauffman	RGST 190: Special Topics	Ujeed	RGST 190BL: Biblical Law	A. Amihay

RGST/ENVS 190TN: Toxic Native America	Talamantez	RGST 190: Religious Traditions of South Asia	Bothra	RGST 190WE: Wall Street Ethics	Kauffman
RGST 195:* Senior Honors Research	Any	RGST 190FS: The Fatigue of the Sharia	Ahmad	RGST 195:* Senior Honors Research	Any
RGST 198: Internship	Afary	RGST 191A: Latino Religious Thought	Busto	RGST 198: Internship	STAFF
RGST 199:* Independent Studies	Any	RGST 193/ENV S 189: Religion and Ecology in America	Talamantez	RGST 199:* Independent Studies	Any
RGST 199RA:* Research Assistant	Any	RGST 193B: Religion and Healing in Global Perspective	Wallace	RGST 199RA:* Research Assistant	Any
<p><i>* If interested in RGST 195, 199, or 199RA, please contact the RGST Undergraduate advisor at corzechowski@hfa.ucsb.edu .</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">GRADUATE COURSES</p>		RGST 195:* Senior Honors Research	Any	<p><i>* If interested in RGST 195, 199, or 199RA, please contact the Undergraduate advisor at corzechowski@hfa.ucsb.edu .</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">GRADUATE COURSES</p>	
		RGST 198: Internship	Afary		
		RGST 199:* Independent Studies	Any		
		RGST 199RA:* Research Assistant	Any		
RGST 200A: Proseminar in History and Theory of Religion	Blankholm	<p><i>* If interested in RGST 195, 199, or 199RA, please contact the RGST Undergraduate advisor at corzechowski@hfa.ucsb.edu .</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">GRADUATE COURSES</p>		RGST 2XX: Carnival & the Carnavalesque	Elison
RGST 200D: Proseminar in History and Theory of Religion	Walker			RGST 200C: Proseminar in History and Theory of Religion	Holdrege
RGST 210M: Religion and Music in Cuba	Perez			RGST 209A: Seminar on South Asian Islamic Traditions	Campo
RGST 239: Secularism	Blankholm	RGST 200B: Proseminar in History and Theory of Religion	Wolfson	RGST 216C: Archeology and the Study of Religion	Thomas

RGST 247: Seminar in Native American Religious Traditions	Talamantez	RGST 206B: Seminar on Vedic Traditions	Holdrege	RGST 253: Ancient Mediterranean Studies Core Seminar	Thomas
RGST 253/HIST 200WD: Ancient Mediterranean Studies Core Seminar	Thomas/Mazza	RGST 223: Religion and the Question of Subjectivity in Contemporary European Thought	Carlson	RGST 257: Seminar in Buddhist Studies	Wallace
RGST 254A: Seminar in Tibetan Buddhist Traditions	Cabazon	RGST 253: Ancient Mediterranean Studies Core Seminar	Thomas	RGST 258: Seminar in Religion in America	Perez
RGST 288: Classical Arabic Theological Texts	el Omari	RGST 266R: Seminar Race and Religion	Busto	RGST/CHIN 266F: Readings in Chinese Buddhism	Steavu
RGST 289C: Guided Readings in Modern Arabic Literature	Reynolds			RGST 289A: History of Arabic Literature	Reynolds
RGST 292HG: Heidegger and Kabbalah	Wolfson			RGST 292: Special Topics: Sharia and Nations	Ahmad