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BACHELOR of ARTS in GERMAN (#683)
2nd Major or Minor Required
Department of Modern Languages
Potter College of Arts and Letters
Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.
Placement: You should begin the curriculum at the right level based on your previous knowledge. If you begin in 101, you should take bi-term classes when available. If you begin higher than 101, you may make use of the verified credit policy to get credit for what you know and accrue hours towards the total of 120 needed for graduation. Read about placement and verified credit at: www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement.
Study Abroad: A full semester abroad - or at a minimum 1-2 shorter term study abroad experiences - are strongly recommended. Consult with your advisor and plan ahead.

Success Markers

SAMPLE - 4 year plan

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Visit The Learning Center for free tutoring	GERM 101 – German I: Fundamental Communication	3	GERM 102 – German II: Social Communication	3
	Colonnade I. Foundations, (1) College Composition, ENG 100	3	Colonnade I. Foundations, (6) Western Civ, HIST 101 or 102	3
Join a Language Club	Colonnade I. Foundations, (3) Human Communication, COMM 145 or COMM 161	3	Colonnade II. Explorations, (2) Social and Behavioral – choose one from menu	3
Go to the International Film Series	Colonnade I. Foundations, (4) Quantitative Reasoning, MATH 109*	3	Colonnade II. Explorations, (3) Natural and Physical Sciences – choose one from menu	3
	Colonnade II. Explorations, (1) Arts and Humanities – choose one from menu	3	General Elective - explore options for a minor or second major	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Attend the Study Abroad Fair	GERM 201 – German III: Cultural Communication	3	GERM 202 – The German Speaking Lands	3
Visit Career Services and the Office of Scholar Development	Colonnade II. Explorations, (3) Natural and Physical Sciences with Lab – choose one	3 or 4	Colonnade I. Foundations, (5) Introduction to Literature, ENG 200	3
	General Elective - explore options for a minor or second major	3	General Elective - explore options for a minor or second major	3
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	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15 or 16**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

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THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Visit Career Services	GERM 330 – German Composition and Conversation	3	GERM Elective (300/400)	3
Apply for Departmental Study Abroad Scholarships	GERM Elective (300/400)	3	GERM Elective (300/400)	3
	Colonnade I. Foundations, (2) Writing in the Disciplines – COMM 200 or ENG 300	3	Colonnade III. Connections, (1) Social and Cultural - choose one from menu	3
Plan for an internship experience / get a summer job using your major skills	Course in Minor or 2nd Major	3	Course in Minor or 2nd Major	3
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	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Apply for Graduation	GERM 335 – Contemporary Culture and Civilization	3	GERM Elective (300/400)	3
Conduct your job search or apply to graduate programs	GERM Elective (300/400)	3	GERM Elective (300/400)	3
	GERM Elective (300/400)	3	Colonnade III. Connections, (3) Systems - choose one from menu	3
	Colonnade III. Connections, (2) Local to Global - choose one from menu	3	Course in Minor or 2nd Major	3
	Course in Minor or 2nd Major	3	Course in Minor or 2nd Major	3
Celebrate!	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**
			Total Credit Hours:120	

*PLEASE NOTE: Prerequisites, Course Numbers, and Course Titles are subject to change. Consult your advisor each semester. *Students who have a math deficiency need to address that in the first year. Students who want to fulfill the Quantitative Reasoning Requirement by taking Symbolic Logic instead of math should wait until their sophomore year to do so.*

For more Information:
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Course Descriptions: http://www.wku.edu/undergraduatecatalog/

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