

**DEPARTMENT OF RELIGION  
MODIFIED MAJOR WORKSHEET  
For Class Years 2020 and Later**

The modified major consists of TWELVE courses of which seven or more shall be in the Religion Department.

<u><b>Distribution:</b></u>	<u><b>COURSES SELECTED:</b></u>	<u><b>TERM:</b></u>
TWO from INTRODUCTORY (REL 1-19*).	1) _____	_____
*Excluding First-Year Seminar (REL 7)	2) _____	_____
ONE from the Theories series (REL 20.01-20.05).	3) _____	_____
ONE from INTERMEDIATE (REL 21-79).	4) _____	_____
ONE on-campus Religion SEMINAR (REL 80 OR 81)	5) _____	_____
ONE Culminating Experience Senior Colloquium. (REL 85.01 or REL 85.02; See also REL 84). Consult the Chair for more information.	6) _____	_____
At least ONE Religion ELECTIVE.	7) _____	_____
ONE of the above must be NON-WESTERN.	NW) _____	_____
Remaining Courses (REL or Modifying Department):	8) _____	_____
	9) _____	_____
	10) _____	_____
	11) _____	_____
	12) _____	_____

However, no more than two iterations of REL 1.xx may be counted to satisfy the major. The remainder may be courses in other departments provided that such courses constitute a coherent program of study in Religion. Approval of the modified major must be obtained from the Chair.

## **Transfer Credits**

No more than three transfer courses, which may include Religion 70 and 71 (on D.F.S.P.), will be accepted for major credit. All transfer courses must be approved in advance by the Department Chair.

## **NON-RECORDING OPTION**

No course with a grade of NR resulting from use of the Non-Recording Option may be counted for the Religion major, modified major, or minor.

## **How to Declare your Religion Modified Major:**

1. Request a meeting with a prospective major advisor (see Religion faculty webpage). Be prepared to discuss your academic interests, specific courses that you would like to take, and any questions you may have regarding the major. (Note: Exemptions, special permissions, and proposals need to be addressed by the Department Chair)
2. Review the requirements of the modified major, fill in your worksheet with your proposed course of study, and submit the worksheet to the Religion department office. The registrar's office relies on our department office to confirm you've satisfied all the modified major requirements.
3. Enter your proposed course of study into your Degreeworks planner.
4. Request a meeting with the Department Chair, [Professor Randall Balmer](#), to review and approve your DegreeWorks Planner.

Watch for occasional email announcements (events of interest, Major degree requirements, Commencement, etc) from the Religion Department.