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The minor in medieval studies is an interdisciplinary course of study that covers the period from 476 to 1517. Students will be encouraged to take courses from a wide range of disciplines, which makes this minor well-suited to many majors. They will come to understand that "the Middle Ages" in fact includes a wide variety of cultures, artistic trends, literatures, languages, philosophies, and religious practices. In developing a deeper appreciation for the past, students will come to a better understanding of the foundation of our fast-paced, ever- changing present-day world.

Course Requirements

The minor in medieval studies consists of 18 semester hours, including Hst 309 or Eng 316 or MIII 375. Students must complete 15 hours at the 300 level or above from the approved list of courses below. The 18 semester hours must be taken in at least three different areas (e.g., English, Spanish, German), with 15 hours in an area different from the student's major. The same course may not satisfy requirements for both the major and the minor.

Medieval Studies Course Work

AH 330 Medieval Art

AH 332 Early Christian, Byzantine & Islamic Art

AH 334 Early Medieval Art and Archaeology

AH 336 Viking Art and Archaeology

AH 338 Romanesque and Gothic Art

AH 530 Topics in Medieval Art

Eng 317 Chaucer

Eng 318 Medieval Romance

Eng 319 Medieval Drama

Eng 320 The Heroic Age

Eng 321 Literature of Medieval Europe

Eng 322 Studies in Medieval Literature

Eng 417 Early Middle English

Eng 418 Advanced Studies in Chaucer

Eng 419 14th Century English Literature

Eng 420 Anglo-Saxon and Celtic Literature

Eng 421 Literature of Medieval Europe

Eng 422 Literature of Medieval Piety

Eng 423 Special Topics in Medieval Literature

Eng 424 Medieval Forms and Genres

Eng 506 Old English I

Eng 507 Old English II

Eng 508 History of the English Language II

Fr 574 History of French Language

Fr 577 Survey of French Literature I

Fr 582 Medieval and Renaissance French Lit

Germ 574 History of the German Language

Germ 577 Survey of German Lit. & Culture I

Hst 307 History of Ancient Christianity

Hst 309 The Middle Ages

Hst 310 History of Medieval Christianity

Hst 311 Medieval Church and Empire

Hst 317 Late Middle Ages and Renaissance

Ital 331 Intro to Italian Lit & Literary Analysis

Lat 329 Medieval Latin

Mus 501 Music of the Medieval/Renaissance Period

Phil 301 History of Philosophy I

Phil 307 Medieval Philosophy



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Rel 323 Islam
Rel 326 Saints and Sexuality
Rel 372 Rise of Christianity
Rel 385 Western Mysticism
Span 574 History of Spanish Language
Span 577 Survey of Spanish Literature I