MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

The Middle East studies program is an intercampus, interdisciplinary major that is designed to provide a broad background in the language, literature, history, religion, anthropology, politics, economics, and art of the Middle East and North Africa (defined to include all the countries of the Arabic-speaking world plus Israel, Turkey, and Iran) from ancient times to the present. Through exposure to several disciplines, this University-wide liberal arts curriculum both provides a rich background for work in business, diplomacy, government, philanthropy, and education and prepares students for advanced work in one of the disciplines.

For more information

Visit the Middle East Studies program web page.

Contribution to the Core

Middle East studies offers Arabic courses, which, when taken in sequence through to the exit level (ARAB 2001 Arabic Language and Literature), will fulfill the foreign language core requirement. The descriptions for all Arabic language courses can be located in the Languages and Cultures section of this bulletin. In addition, the program offers courses that will fulfill the Global Studies core requirement.

Programs

- Middle East Studies Major
- Middle East Studies Minor