

# MASTER COURSE LIST FOR GENERAL EDUCATION PROGRAM AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

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Students must complete both the General Education Program and the Graduation Requirements. **NOTE:** *A student can use a course to satisfy ONLY one general education requirement, except that designated courses may also satisfy an experiential learning requirement.*

## General Education Program (39-47 credits)

The General Education Curriculum provides the foundation for liberal learning and the basis for advanced work in a major. It offers humanistic, societal, and scientific frames of reference as it introduces modes of inquiry and methods of interpretation. Students are required to reflect on artistic, philosophical, and theological questions. Primary attention is given to understanding various ways of knowing and an appreciation of culture and diverse perspectives.

### **Writing and Communication (6 cr; or 3 cr if placed into EN221; test is used to determine writing placement)**

EN111	Academic Writing and Research I (note: minimum grade to meet requirement is C)
EN112	Academic Writing and Research II (note: minimum grade to meet requirement is C)
EN221	Argument: Craft and Style (note: minimum grade to meet requirement is C)

### **History (3 cr)\***

HI131	Survey of United States History I
HI132	Survey of United States History II
HI151	World History I
HI152	World History II

\*Western Civilization I or II will satisfy this requirement for transfer students who enter GCU prior to fall 2012 with transfer credit for Western Civilization I or II

### **Literature (3 cr)**

EN113	American Literature I
EN114	American Literature II
EN175	British Literature I
EN176	British Literature II

### **Mathematics or Statistics (3-4 cr)**

MA103	Making Sense of Data: Statistical Thinking
MA105	Modern Math Concepts I
MA106	Modern Math Concepts II

The following courses substitute for the General Education Program Mathematics or Statistics requirement for a student 1) who is placed into the course based on the results of a placement test or other demonstration of competency, and/or 2) whose academic program recommends/requires completion of this course (e.g., students whose major or minor is accounting, allied health technologies, biochemistry, biology, business administration, chemistry, clinical laboratory sciences, mathematics, natural sciences, or physics):

MA107	Quantitative Methods
MA109	College Algebra
MA110	Precalculus
MA115	Calculus I
MA116	Calculus II

### **Natural Science with Laboratory (3-4 cr)**

BI111	Life: Human Biology
BI112	Life: Evolution, Organisms, Ecology
CH111	The World of Chemistry
CH112	Chemistry in Your Life
PH111	How Things Work: Physics in Everyday Life I
PH112	How Things Work: Physics in Everyday Life II
PH/SC334	Astronomy: Stars, Planets, Galaxies and the Universe
SC111	Integrated Science I
SC112	Integrated Science II

The following courses will substitute for the General Education Program Natural Science with Laboratory requirement for a student 1) who is placed into the course based on the results of a placement test or other demonstration of competency, and/or 2) whose academic program requires completion of this course (e.g., students whose major or minor is allied health technologies, biochemistry, biology, chemistry, clinical laboratory sciences, health information management, natural sciences, nursing or physics):

BI115	Principles of Cell and Molecular Biology
BI116	Principles of Genetics
BI213	Human Anatomy and Physiology I
BI214	Human Anatomy and Physiology II
CH113	General Chemistry I
CH114	General Chemistry II
PH121	General Physics I
PH122	General Physics II

**Philosophy (3 cr)**

PL245	Philosophical Inquiry
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**Visual and Performing Arts (3 cr)**

AR115	Art History I
AR116	Art History II
DA201	History of Dance
MU109	Survey of Music History
MU214	Music in the United States

**World Language (3 cr intermediate level or 6 cr elementary level in one language)<sup>1</sup>**

CL101	Elementary Latin I
CL102	Elementary Latin II
FR101	Elementary French I
FR102	Elementary French II
FR201	Intermediate French I
FR211	Writing and Speaking French I
ITA101	Elementary Italian I
ITA102	Elementary Italian II
SP101	Elementary Spanish I
SP102	Elementary Spanish II
SP105	Beginning Everyday Spanish I
SP106	Beginning Everyday Spanish II
SP205	Intermediate Everyday Spanish I

<sup>1</sup>For a student who is able to demonstrate proficiency at a higher level than the first intermediate course in a particular language, the higher level course will substitute for the World Language requirement.

Nonnative English speakers may satisfy the World Language requirement by completion of any one of the following (3 cr):

ESL201	Intermediate English for International Students I
ESL202	Intermediate English for International Students II
ESL205	Writing English as a Second Language I
ESL206	Writing English as a Second Language II

**Philosophical Ethics or Theological Ethics (3 cr)**

PL300	Philosophical Ethics
RS334	Theological Ethics

**Religious Studies (3 cr)**

RS208	Discovering the Bible
RS220	Christian Tradition

**Shaping Lives: Women and Gender (3 cr)**

WS311	Shaping Lives: Women and Gender
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**Social Science (3 cr)**

AN111	Physical Anthropology and Archaeology
AN112	Cultural Anthropology
EC180	Contemporary Economics
EC181	Principles of Macroeconomics
EC182	Principles of Microeconomics
GO281	Introduction to Geography
GO285	Human Geography
PO111	Principles of Political Science
PS111	Introduction to Psychology
SO101	Principles of Sociology

**World Perspectives (3 cr)**

AN112	Cultural Anthropology
AR/WS222	Women in Film
CN111	Chinese Culture II
EC180	Contemporary Economics
EC181	Principles of Macroeconomics
EN190	Global Literature
HI375	Gandhi & King: Global Nonviolent Social Movements
MU215	Music of Other Cultures
PS300	Multicultural Psychology
RS/WS201	Women and Religion
RS240	Survey of Eastern Religious Thought
SO/AN304	Globalization and Sustainability

**Graduation Requirements (2-4 cr)****Physical Education (1 cr)**

PE Any course listed with PE number, or any DA techniques course

**Transitioning to Georgian Court University (1 or 3 cr)^**

FY101 First Year Seminar (3 cr) (Required of First-Time Full-Time and Part-Time Students)^

FY201 Transfer Seminar (1 cr) (Required of Transfer Students prior to the completion of the first 15

Georgian Court University credits; students who do not complete the course within the first 15 GCU credits are not exempt from completing the course)^

*^waived as a requirement for students enrolled in Georgian Court University prior to Summer 2007*

**Experiential Learning**

Two experiences must be successfully completed: one must be a designated course that has a service learning component [other than the First Year Seminar]; the second must be an internship/practicum/field placement, a designated study abroad (for credit) or travel abroad (not for credit) experience, or another course with a service learning component. Sections of courses offering a service learning option will be identified on each semester's course schedule and/or on the Office of the Registrar's Web page. Students completing a non-credit internship or AN471, AR425, AR426, BI401, BI402, BI404, BI405, BU451, CH345, CJ333, CM370, CM405, DA471, ED4213, ED4301, EN405, ES390, ES391, ES392, GP490, GP491, HI471, HI472, HI473, NU496, PH448, PO471, PO472, PO473, PS450, PS451, PS453, PS454, SO475, SW390, SW496, or SW497 will have satisfied one of the two experiential learning requirements (the internship/field placement/practicum type of option). Students completing AR437, RS403, SP215 (if done outside the U.S.) and follow-up paperwork in the Associate Provost for Academic Program Development's Office will have satisfied one of the two experiential learning requirements (the study abroad/travel abroad option). Students who need more information about other approved study abroad or travel abroad experiences may contact Dr. Michael Gross.

Any student may take a maximum of four credits of physical education applicable to the baccalaureate degree. Each repeat of a physical education course (up to this maximum number of credits) with a grade of "P" earns credit applicable to the baccalaureate degree.