

CENTRAL AND EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES - CERTIFICATE

Students who seek in-depth, interdisciplinary knowledge of the region are encouraged to pursue the certificate in Central and East European studies (CEES). The certificate program offers students the opportunity to explore the cultures, history and politics of the nations of Central and Eastern Europe from a variety of disciplinary perspectives.

The purpose of the certificate program is to enhance, rather than to replace, the department major. Students work with CEES faculty advisors to plan an appropriate certificate program. The certificate is awarded in addition to a bachelor's degree in another field.

Requirements

Completion of the certificate requires the completion of 18 credits (9 upper-division) of approved courses with grades of C- or higher. No more than 9 credits in courses with the same course prefix can be used to fulfill CEES certificate requirements, and only 6 semester credit hours transferred from other institutions can be used to fulfill certificate requirements.¹

Students pursuing the CEES certificate are strongly encouraged to take advantage of a recognized study abroad program in eastern Europe affiliated with CU Boulder. Courses taken on such a program, as approved by the certificate director, count toward the certificate in CEES even though it is not possible to list them below.

Required Courses and Credits

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Course		
CEES 1623	Introduction to Central and East European History since 1770	3
Electives		
15 additional credit hours of approved CEES coursework from the list below. At least 9 credits need to be upper-division. ²		15
Total Credit Hours		18

¹ International Affairs majors must complete 9 credits that do not count towards major.

² Two German and/or Russian language courses beyond the third semester can also count as CEES Electives.

Electives

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Art History		
ARTH 4929	Special Topics in Art History ¹	1-3
German Culture (Taught in English)		
GRMN 1601	Germany Today	3
GRMN 1602	Metropolis and Modernity	3
GRMN 1701	Nature and Environment in German Literature and Thought	3

GRMN 2141	Topics in Modern German Culture and Society	
GRMN 2301	Inside Nazi Germany: Politics, Culture, and Everyday Life in the Third Reich	3
GRMN 2402	Sports and Athleticism in German and Global Culture	
GRMN 2501	Miniatures of Modern Life: From Berlin to Vienna and Beyond	3
GRMN 2504	Gothic, Horror, and Fantasy	
GRMN 2502	Representing the Holocaust	3
GRMN 2503	Fairy Tales of Germany	3
GRMN 2601	Kafka and the Kafkaesque	3
GRMN 2603	Moral Dilemmas in Philosophy and Literature	3
GRMN 3141	Topics in Modern German Culture and Society	3
GRMN 3301	Modern Art and Design at the Bauhaus	
GRMN 3501	The German-Jewish Experience: From the Enlightenment to the Present	3
GRMN 3502	Literature in the Age of Goethe	3
GRMN 3503	German Film Through World War II	3
GRMN 3504	Topics in German Film	3
GRMN 3505	The Enlightenment: Tolerance and Emancipation	3
GRMN 3506	Tracing the Criminal: Crime in 19th C Society and Culture	3
GRMN 3507	Engineering and the Practice of Literature	3
GRMN 3508	Masters of Suspicion: Marx, Nietzsche, Freud	3
GRMN 3513	German Film and Society 1945-1989	3
GRMN 3514	German Film & Society After 1989	3
GRMN 3601	German Women Writers	3
GRMN 3681	Refugees in German Culture	3
GRMN 3702	Dada and Surrealist Literature	3
GRMN 3802	Politics and Culture in Berlin 1900-1939	3
GRMN 4051	Critical Theory of the Frankfurt School	3
GRMN 4231	The Invention of Sexuality	3
GRMN 4251	Marxism	3
GRMN 4301	Gender, Race and Immigration in Germany and Europe	3
GRMN 4501	Seminar: Literature in Cultural Context	3
GRMN 4502	Nietzsche: Literature and Values	3
GRMN 4503	Issues in German Thought	3
GRMN 4504	Goethe's Faust	3
German Culture (Taught in German)		
GRMN 3050	German for Science and Engineering	
GRMN 3110	German Literature from the Avant-garde to the Postmodern	3
GRMN 3120	German Literature from the Enlightenment to Expressionism	3
GRMN 3130	Issues in German Philosophy and Literature	3
GRMN 3140	Current Issues in German Literature	3

GRMN 3150	Issues in German Politics and Literature	3	JWST 1828	Jewish History Since 1492	3
GRMN 3520	Open Topics in the Cultural Context	3	JWST 1830	Global History of Holocaust and Genocide	3
GRMN 3900	Independent Study	1-6	JWST 2350	Introduction to Jewish Culture	3
GRMN 3930	Internship	1-6	JWST 2502	Representing the Holocaust	3
GRMN 4330	The Age of Goethe	3	JWST 2551	Modern Jewish Literature	3
GRMN 4340	Seminar in German Literature	3	JWST 3100	Judaism	3
GRMN 4450	Methods of Teaching German	3	JWST 3110	Of Jewish Legends, Folktales and the Supernatural	3
GRMN 4460	High School German Teaching	6	JWST 3401	The Heart of Europe: Filmmakers and Writers in 20th Century Central Europe	3
GRMN 4550	Senior Seminar in German Studies	3	JWST 3501	The German-Jewish Experience: From the Enlightenment to the Present	3
GRMN 4900	Independent Study	1-6	JWST 3600	Contemporary Jewish Societies	3
History			JWST 3681	Refugees in German Culture	3
HIST 1012	Empire, Revolution and Global War: European History Since 1600	3	JWST 4122	Music in Jewish Culture	3
HIST 1830	Global History of Holocaust and Genocide	3	JWST 4180	Is God Dead?	3
HIST 2100	Revolution in History ¹	3	JWST 4534	Modern European Jewish History	3
HIST 2110	History of Early Modern Societies ¹	3	JWST 4544	History of Yiddish Culture	3
HIST 2220	History of War and Society ¹	3	JWST 4580	The Holocaust: An Anthropological Perspective	3
HIST 3012	Seminar in Modern European History ¹	3	JWST 4800	Ethics, Medicine and the Holocaust: Legacies in Health and Society	3
HIST 3212	Seminar in Early Modern Europe ¹	3	Russian Culture (Taught in English)		
HIST 3414	Seminar in Modern European Thought and Culture ¹	3	RUSS 1112	Astronauts and Astropolitics: Space Exploration from the Cold War to the Future of Innovation	3
HIST 3713	Seminar in Russian History	3	RUSS 2121	Topics in Russian, East European and Eurasian Culture	
HIST 4040	The History of Space Exploration and Defense	3	RUSS 2211	Russian Culture and Art Under Tsars Great and Terrible	3
HIST 4050	A Global History of World War II	3	RUSS 2221	Introduction to Modern Russian and Soviet Culture	3
HIST 4122	Europe During the Renaissance	3	RUSS 2222	Sports and the Cold War	3
HIST 4212	The Age of Religious Wars: Reformation Europe, 1500-1648	3	RUSS 2231	Fairy Tales of Russia	3
HIST 4222	War and the European State, 1618-1793	3	RUSS 2241	Death and the Undead in Slavic and Nordic Cultures	3
HIST 4232	From Revolt to Revolution: Europe in an Age of Global Enlightenment, 1648-1789	3	RUSS 2261	Madness and Gambling: Russian Short Stories of Life on the Edge	3
HIST 4312	19th Century Europe	3	RUSS 2271	Space, Invention, and Wonder in Fairy Tales, Literature and Film	3
HIST 4412	Europe, 1890-1945	3	RUSS 2311	Energy Cultures: Oil, Coal, and Atoms in Modern Literature and Film	3
HIST 4414	European Thought and Culture, 1750-1870	3	RUSS 2471	Women in Russian Culture: From Folklore to the Nineteenth Century	3
HIST 4422	World War I in Europe	3	RUSS 2501	Russia Beyond the Headlines: Media, Politics, Culture, and Environment	3
HIST 4423	German History 1848-1989: Weimar Republic, Nazism, State Socialism	3	RUSS 3121		
HIST 4424	Modern European Thought and Culture, 1870-Present	3	RUSS 3221	Space Race in Russian and American Culture	3
HIST 4442	Europe since 1945	3	RUSS 3231	Laughter in Slavic Cultures	3
HIST 4433	Nazi Germany and the Holocaust	3	RUSS 3241	Red Star Trek: Russian Science Fiction Between Utopia and Dystopia	3
HIST 4444	Topics in Modern European Thought ¹	3	RUSS 3301	Russia, Eastern Europe and Eurasia Today through Film and TV	3
HIST 4623	History of Eastern Europe Since 1914	3			
HIST 4643	Poland since the 16th Century: Democracy and Nation	3			
HIST 4713	History of Russia through the 17th Century	3			
HIST 4723	Imperial Russia	3			
HIST 4803	Special Topics in European History ¹	3			
HIST 4733	The Russian Revolution and the Soviet Regime	3			
Jewish Studies					

RUSS 3251	Arctic Thrillers: Environment, Landscape and Literature of the Far North	3	PSCI 4002	Western European Politics	3
RUSS 3333	Spies Like Us: Espionage in the Culture of the Cold War and Beyond	3	PSCI 4062	East European Politics	3
RUSS 3601	Russian Culture Past and Present	3	PSCI 4213	Europe and the International System	3
RUSS 3701	Slavic Folk Culture: Ideals and Values in the Contemporary World	3	GRMN 3681	Refugees in German Culture	3
RUSS 3705	Crimes of Passion: Gender and Sexual Politics in Tolstoy's Russia	3	¹ Only when topic is related to Central or Eastern Europe.		
RUSS 4120	Russia after Communism: Post-Soviet Politics and Culture	3			
RUSS 4210	Topics in Russian, East European and Eurasian Culture	3			
RUSS 4211	History of Russian and Soviet Cinema	3			
RUSS 4221	Stalinism: Culture and Society	3			
RUSS 4251	Russian and Soviet Queer Culture	3			
RUSS 4301	American-Russian Cultural Relations	3			
RUSS 4321	Mythological Russia and Ukraine	3			
RUSS 4431	Dostoevsky	3			
RUSS 4441	Tolstoy	3			
RUSS 4451	Chekhov	3			
RUSS 4471	Women in 20th-21st Century Russian, East European and Eurasian Cultures	3			
RUSS 4481	Rogues to Revolutionaries: Russian Rebels, Past and Present	3			
RUSS 4811	Seeds of Revolt: 19th-Century Russian Literature	3			
RUSS 4821	20th-Century Russian Literature and Art	3			
RUSS 4831	Contemporary Russian Literature	3			
RUSS 4851	Critical Thinking: Russian Film and Society	3			
RUSS 4861	Absurd and Supernatural in Russian Literature	3			
RUSS 4871					
Russian Culture (Taught in Russian)					
RUSS 3900	Independent Study	1-6			
RUSS 3930	Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies Internship	1-6			
RUSS 4050	Professional Russian	4			
RUSS 4220	Topics in Russian, East European and Eurasian Culture (in Russian)	3			
RUSS 4230	Russian Cultural Idioms	3			
RUSS 4850	Russian Film and Society	4			
RUSS 4900	Independent Study	1-6			
Social Science					
ANTH 4580	The Holocaust: An Anthropological Perspective	3			
ECON 4514	Economic History of Europe	3			
GEOG 3842	Human Geography of Czechia: Political, Economic and Social Transitions	3			
GEOG 3882	Geography of the Former Soviet Union	3			
LIBB 2100	Russian Revolutions: Social and Artistic	3			
PSCI 3022	Russian Politics	3			
PSCI 3062	Revolution and Political Violence ¹	3			