RUSSIAN STUDIES - MINOR

The Russian minor introduces students to the basics of Russian Studies. Students fulfilling requirements for Russian minor have to take two years of Russian language and a number of survey courses in culture and literature.

Requirements

Declaration of a minor in Russian studies is open to any student enrolled at CU Boulder, regardless of college or school.

A minor in Russian requires the completion of 20 credit hours, 9 of which must be upper-division credit hours. All courses used to fulfill requirements for the minor must receive a grade of C- or better. The GPA for all coursework taken in the minor department must be equal to 2.00 (C) or higher. No courses applied to the minor may be taken pass/fail. Students may not apply more than 9 hours of transfer credit (including 6 upper-division credit hours) toward the minor. Transfer courses must be approved by the department.

Required Courses and Credit Hours

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¹ or RUSS 3211 History of Russian Cinema
or RUSS 3221 Space Race in Russian and American Culture
or RUSS 3231 Laughter in Slavic Cultures
or RUSS 3241 Red Star Trek: Russian Science Fiction Between Utopia and Dystopia
or RUSS 3301 Contemporary Issues in Russian Film
or RUSS 3333 Spies Like Us: Espionage in the Culture of the Cold War and Beyond
or RUSS 3601 Russian Culture Past and Present
or RUSS 3701 Slavic Folk Culture: Ideals and Values in the Contemporary World
or RUSS 3705 Crimes of Passion: Gender and Sexual Politics in Tolstoy's Russia
or RUSS 4120 Russia after Communism: Post-Soviet Politics and Culture
or RUSS 4210 Topics in Russian Culture
or RUSS 4220 Open Topics: Russian Culture in Russian
or RUSS 4221 Stalinism: Culture and Society
or RUSS 4230 Russian Cultural Idioms
or RUSS 4301 American-Russian Cultural Relations
or RUSS 4401 The Russian Jewish Experience
or RUSS 4431 Dostoevsky
or RUSS 4441 Tolstoy
or RUSS 4451 Chekhov
or RUSS 4471 Women in 20th-21st Century Russian Culture
or RUSS 4481 Rogues to Revolutionaries: Russian Rebels, Past and Present
or RUSS 4811 19th Century Russian Literature
or RUSS 4821 20th Century Russian Literature and Art

or RUSS 4831 Contemporary Russian Literature
or RUSS 4841 History of Modern Russian Drama
or RUSS 4850 Russian Film and Society (taught in Russian)
or RUSS 4851 Critical Thinking: Russian Film and Society (taught in English)
or RUSS 4861 Absurd and Supernatural in Russian Literature

Select one of the following culture courses: ²

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Select one of the following literature courses: ²

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One additional 2000-4000 level RUSS course

Total Credit Hours: 20-21

¹ Heritage speakers should take RUSS 3060 and RUSS 4060 as well as any other 4000-level Russian language course in lieu of RUSS 2010 and RUSS 2020. In this case, 18 credit hours will be sufficient for the minor if other requirements are fulfilled.

² Courses cannot fulfill more than one requirement.