

# Stern College for Women

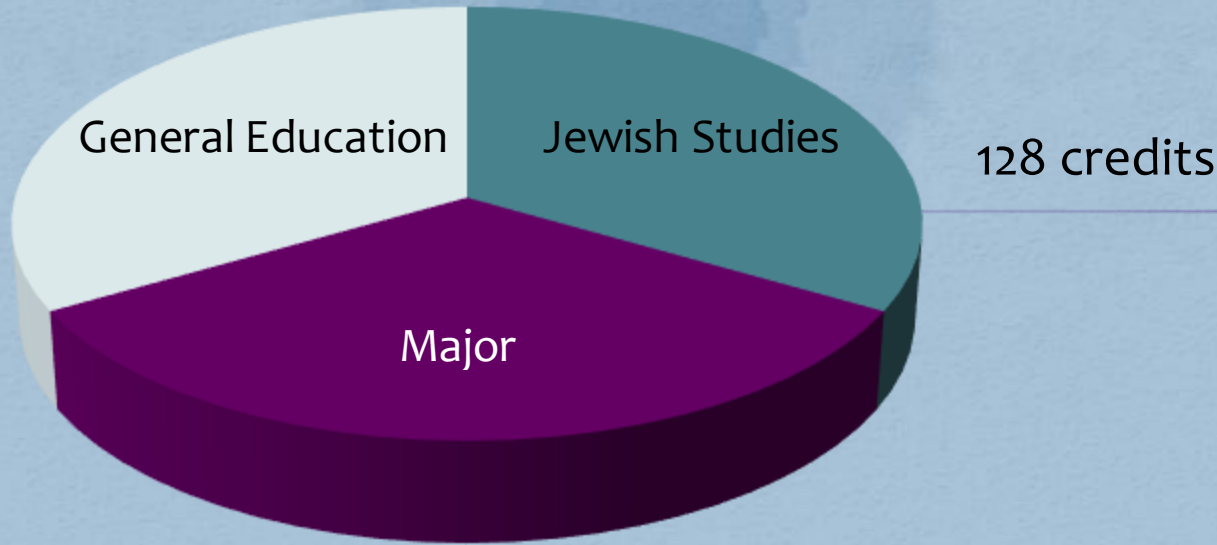
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# Overview of BA Requirements



# Degree Requirements

There are 3 required components of your education:

## General Education

1. Modes of Expression
2. Foundations and Contemporary Perspectives of History, Philosophy & Social Science
3. Interpreting Literature and the Arts
4. Science and Technology
5. Quantitative Skills
6. Electives

## Jewish Studies

- 22 courses
- Chosen from:  
Bible  
Judaic Studies  
Jewish Philosophy  
Jewish History  
Hebrew Language

## Major

- Generally between 30-45 credits
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# 1. Modes of Expression

6 Credits



English Composition (ENGL 1100)  
or  
Freshman Honors Seminar (ENGL 1200H)



Speech Communication (SPEE 1010)

## 2. Foundations and Contemporary Perspectives of History, Philosophy & Social Science

**12 credits**

4 courses (from 4 different areas)



**Economics**

**History**

**Philosophy**

**Political Science**

**Psychology**

**Sociology**

# 3. Interpreting Literature and the Arts

**9 credits**

3 courses (from at least 2 different areas)



- Art History



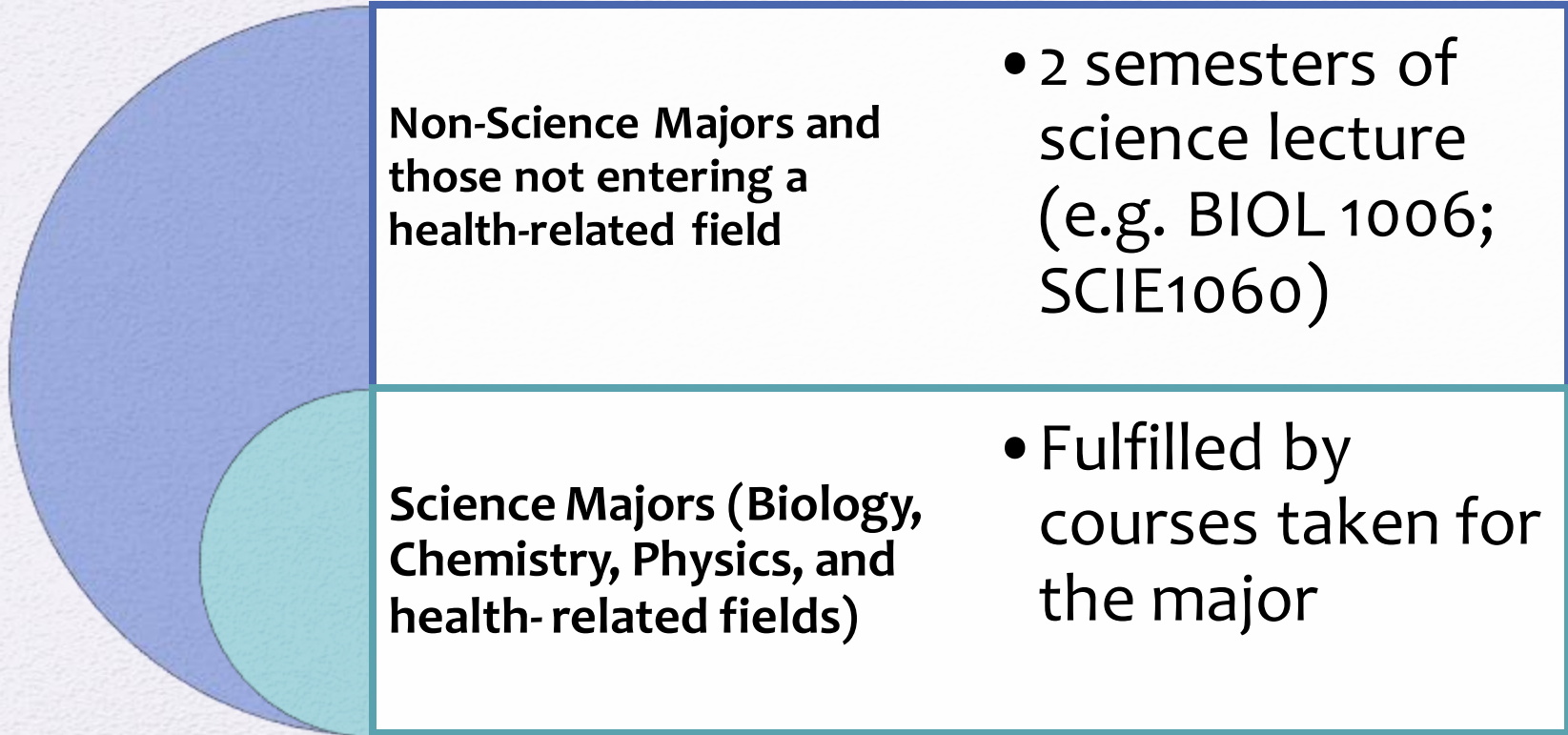
- English Literature



- Music 1111 and all Music History courses

# 4. Science and Technology

**6 Credits**



# 5. Quantitative Skills

**3 Credits**

Choose 1 course from:

**Computer Science** (major or non-major courses)

**Mathematics** (major or non-major courses)

**Statistics**

**Math for Business (IDS 1020)**



# 6. Electives

12 Credits

Four courses

All courses  
apply except  
Physical  
Education and  
Jewish Studies

A maximum of  
two Sy Syms  
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# Jewish Studies Requirements

Bible, Judaic Studies, Jewish History, Jewish Philosophy, Hebrew Language

Students are required to complete 22 courses of Jewish Studies\*, with a minimum of 2 courses taken each semester

\*Exceptions may apply for students pursuing certain joint programs, and those transferring in from Katz or another university

A student who has completed one year of study in Israel **may** receive credit for up to 10 courses; to complete the remaining 12 courses, she will take 2 courses during each of her semesters on campus

# Jewish Studies Requirements

Distribution of Requirements – must be completed on campus at SCW

Bible – 2 course minimum

Judaic Studies – 2 course minimum

Jewish History – 1 course minimum

Jewish Philosophy – 1 course minimum

Hebrew Language - dependent on placement:

Hebrew Level 1 HEBR 1010 (3 courses)

Hebrew Level 2 HEBR 1020 (2 courses)

Hebrew Level 3 HEBR 1030 (1 course)

Hebrew Level 4 HEBR 1211 (1 course)

Hebrew Level 5 HEBR 1221 (1 course)

Identify which Jewish Studies courses fulfill the distribution requirements by the note “Fundamentals” in the course attributes listed in Banner.

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# Workload

Workload is 6-7 courses a semester (21 credits max.)

We recommend 6 courses in a student's first semester

Minimum of 12 credits for full time status

- This will affect your financial aid, housing, etc.
- Consult with the Office of Student Finance before dropping a course that will take you below 12 credits

# Sample Schedule

Term: Fall 2023			Stern Full Term					
CRN	SUBJ	NO.	COURSE TITLE	SEC	CR.	MEETING TIMES	INSTRUCTOR(S)	COURSE TEXT
<b>Psychology (UW)</b>								
30762	PSYC	2140	Learning	E	3	M W	03:10PM-04:25PM 03:35PM-04:50PM	STAFF Pre-req: PSYC 2100C. May count toward Group II
30534	PSYC	2150	Cognitive Psychology	A	3	MW	09:00AM-10:15AM	Bacon, Joshua Pre-req: PSYC 2100C
30688	PSYC	2414	Abnormal Psychology	C	3	MW	11:55AM-01:10PM	DiLorenzo, Terry Pre-req: PSYC 1010
30631	PSYC	2430	Intro to Clinical Psychology	J	3	TR	09:00AM-10:15AM	Kolidas, Evelyn Pre-req: PSYC 2100C & 2414
30543	PSYC	3105	Social Psychology	D1	3	MW	01:25PM-02:40PM	Hauser, Orlee Pre-req: PSYC 2100C; Same as SOCI 2701.
30756	PSYC	3214H	Research Seminar I	B	3	MW	10:25AM-11:40AM	DiLorenzo, Terry Pre-req: PSYC 2100C & 2414; Permission of instructor, HONORS
31470	PSYC	3411	Forensic Psychology	M	3	TR	01:35PM-02:50PM	Valshtein, Timothy Pre-req: PSYC: 2100C
30608	PSYC	3610	Public Health	D1	3	MW	01:25PM-02:40PM	DiLorenzo, Terry Pre-req: PSYC 1010 and a lab course; Junior Status; May count toward Women's Studies minor.
30664	PSYC	3800	Personality	K	3	TR	10:25AM-11:40AM	Valshtein, Timothy Pre-req: PSYC 1010
30581	PSYC	3804	Psychobiology	B	3	MW	10:25AM-11:40AM	Bacon, Joshua Pre-req: PSYC 2100C; May count towards BIOL major but not minor. May count toward Group II.
31472	PSYC	4930	Tpc:Psyc&Treat-Special Needs	B	3	MW	10:25AM-11:40AM	Ahmady, Mariam Pre-req: PSYC: 1107 and 2100C. May count toward Group II
31517	PSYC	4931	Topics: Political Psychology	K	3	TR	10:25AM-11:40AM	Luders, Joseph Same as POLI 2121
<b>Public Health</b>								
31295	PUB	1060	Biology and Public Health	L	3	TR	11:50AM-01:05PM	Katz, Amanda
31296	PUB	1236	Epidemiology	L	3	TR	11:50AM-01:05PM	Leventer, Herb
30630	PUB	3221	Nutrition	EFM	3	M	03:30PM-06:00PM	Weinreb, Raizy Does not count toward the Biology major/minor. No pre-reqs.
30629	PUB	3610	Public Health	D1	3	MW	01:25PM-02:40PM	DiLorenzo, Terry Pre-req: PSYC 1010 and a lab course; Junior Status; May count toward Women's Studies minor.
30819	PUB	4932	Topics: Biology of Cancer	K	3	TR	10:25AM-11:40AM	Katz, Amanda Same as BIOL 3780. May count toward Public Health Minor.
<b>Science</b>								
31395	SCE	1060	Biology and Public Health	L	3	TR	11:50AM-01:05PM	Katz, Amanda "Science & Technology" for non-science majors. Not for Bio major/minor. Non-Science majors should also see BIOL 1006 and CHEM 1010C
<b>Sociology (UW)</b>								
30532	SOCI	1001	Introduction to Sociology	C	3	MW	11:55AM-01:10PM	Hauser, Orlee
30882	SOCI	1001	Introduction to Sociology	D1	3	MW	01:25PM-02:40PM	Deutsch, Nicole
30533	SOCI	1001	Introduction to Sociology	N	3	TR	03:00PM-04:15PM	Antonacci Shvetsov, Dina
31069	SOCI	1215	Sociology of Religion	F	3	M W	04:40PM-05:45PM 05:00PM-06:15PM	Hauser, Orlee
31068	SOCI	1757	Race, Class and Gender	E	3	M	03:10PM-04:25PM	Hauser, Orlee May count toward Women's Studies minor.

# Sample Schedule (Jewish Studies)

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CRN	SUBJ	NO.	COURSE TITLE	SEC	CR.	MEETING TIMES	INSTRUCTOR(S)	COURSE TEXT
<b>Jewish Philosophy (UW)</b>								
31462	JPHI	1825	Chasidut	N	2	TR	03:00PM-04:15PM	Reichman, Zev By assignment only.
31463	JPHI	1845	Philo. of Rav Soloveitchik	F	3	M	04:40PM-05:55PM 05:00PM-06:15PM	Schimmel, Ilan
31465	JPHI	4930H	Tps.S. R. Hirsch's 19th Letter	D2	3	M	01:40PM-02:55PM 01:25PM-02:40PM	Soloveichik, Meir
30713	JPHI	4934H	Tps: Philosophy of Rabbi Sacks	L	3	TR	11:50AM-01:05PM	Lerner, Dov HONORS
<b>Judaic Studies (UW)</b>								
30549	JUDS	1001	Intro to Judaism	L	2	TR	11:50AM-01:05PM	Hajjoff, Lawrence By assignment only
31469	JUDS	1210	Liturgy	D2	2	M	01:40PM-02:55PM 01:25PM-02:40PM	Berman, Saul Weekday Services
31474	JUDS	1403	Basic Jewish Concepts	D1	2	MW	01:25PM-02:40PM	Goldberg, Zev By assignment only
30641	JUDS	1407	Basic Jewish Concepts: Prayer	K	2	TR	10:25AM-11:40AM	Hajjoff, Lawrence By assignment only
31475	JUDS	1431	Shabbat/kashrut	J	2	TR	09:00AM-10:15AM	STAFF By assignment only.
31477	JUDS	1433	Kashrut	A	2	MW	09:00AM-10:15AM	STAFF
31478	JUDS	1436	Kashrut	L	2	TR	11:50AM-01:05PM	Cohen, Aaron Hafrashat challah, Tevilat Keilim, hechsher Keilim, Bishul Akum, insect infestation
30553	JUDS	1443	Jewish Law & Cust:Family Law I	K	2	TR	10:25AM-11:40AM	Price, Nechama How to Become a Niddah, How to become Tehorah. May count toward Women's Studies minor.
30568	JUDS	1450	Marriage in Halakhah I	M	2	TR	01:35PM-02:50PM	Price, Nechama Pru Urvu, Mitzvah of Onah, Birth Control. May count toward Women's Studies minor.
30793	JUDS	1453	Shabbos	N	2	TR	03:00PM-04:15PM	Schachter, Aharon
30795	JUDS	1457	Shabbos	M	2	TR	01:35PM-02:50PM	Wolff, Daniel Melachot of Shabbos
30571	JUDS	1465	The Festivals I: Survey	B	2	MW	10:25AM-11:40AM	Willig, Mordechai
30806	JUDS	1474S	Sephardic Festivals	F	2	M	04:40PM-05:55PM 05:00PM-06:15PM	Tessone, Moshe Festivals I and Shabbat
31480	JUDS	1490	Interpersonal Relationships	N	2	TR	03:00PM-04:15PM	Wolff, Daniel Kibud av v'e'm
30796	JUDS	1491	Interpersonal Relationships	K	2	TR	10:25AM-11:40AM	Cohen, Aaron Halachah in the workplace. May count toward Syms' for Jewish Business Ethics.
31481	JUDS	1501	Topics: Jewish Business Ethics	P	2	TR	04:30PM-05:45PM	Reichman, Zev May count toward Syms' for Jewish Business Ethics.
30651	JUDS	1502	Jewish Business Ethics	B	2	MW	10:25AM-11:40AM	Berman, Saul Income Inequality, Deception, Confidentiality, Disclosure, Competition, Corporate Responsibility; May count toward Syms' for Jewish Business Ethics
31482	JUDS	1510H	Development of Jewish Law	K	2	TR	10:25AM-11:40AM	Auman, Kenneth
31483	JUDS	1579	Modern Jewish Problems	L	2	TR	11:50AM-01:05PM	Auman, Kenneth
30573	JUDS	1582	Jewish Medical Ethics	A	2	MW	09:00AM-10:15AM	Berman, Saul Abortion, Contraception, Fertility Issues
31484	JUDS	1603	Modern Jewish Problems	EFW	2	W	03:45PM-05:45PM	Schachter, Jacob Changing Role of Women in Jewish Ritual and Synagogue?



Monday		Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>A</b> 9:00-10:15 <b>ENGL 1100</b>	<b>J</b> 9:00-10:15	<b>A</b> 9:00-10:15 <b>ENGL 1100</b>	<b>J</b> 9:00-10:15	9:00	<b>BIOL 1011Y</b> <b>(lab)</b>
<b>B</b> 10:25-11:40	<b>K</b> 10:25-11:40 <b>BIBL 1165</b>	<b>B</b> 10:25-11:40	<b>K</b> 10:25-11:40 <b>BIBL 1165</b>		
<b>C</b> 11:55-1:10	<b>L</b> 11:50-1:05	<b>C</b> 11:55-1:10	<b>L</b> 11:50-1:05		
<b>D<sub>1</sub></b> 1:25-2:40 <b>BIOL 1011C</b> <b>(lecture)</b>	<b>1:05-1:45</b>	<b>1:10-1:30</b>	<b>D</b> 1:25-2:40 <b>BIOL 1011C</b> <b>(lecture)</b>	<b>1:10-1:30</b>	
	<b>D<sub>2</sub></b> 1:40-2:55	<b>M</b> 1:35-2:50 <b>JUDS 1450</b>		<b>M</b> 1:35-2:50 <b>JUDS 1450</b>	
<b>2:40-3:10</b>			<b>Club Hour</b> <b>2:40-3:35</b>		
<b>E</b> 3:10-4:25 <b>PSYC 1010</b>	<b>N</b> 3:00-4:15			<b>N</b> 3:00-4:15	
			<b>E</b> 3:35-4:50 <b>PSYC 1010</b>		
<b>F</b> 4:40-5:55	<b>P</b> 4:30-5:45			<b>P</b> 4:30-5:45	
			<b>F</b> 5:00-6:15		
<b>G</b> 6:05-7:20	<b>Q</b> 5:55-7:10			<b>Q</b> 5:55-7:10	

# Important Dates

## Important dates for the Fall 2023 Semester

August 28	Monday	First day of classes
September 4	Monday	Labor Day - No classes
September 6	Wednesday	Follows <b>Monday</b> schedule
September 8	Friday	Last day to submit incomplete work from Spring/Summer 2023
September 13	Wednesday	Last day to add a course
September 15-18	Fri-Mon	Rosh Hashanah, Fast of Gedaliah – No classes
September 19-21	Tues-Thurs	Remote Instruction – Classes meet
September 24-25	Sun-Mon	Erev Yom Kippur → Yom Kippur - No classes
September 26-28	Tues-Thurs	Remote Instruction – Classes meet
September 26	Tuesday	Follows a <b>Friday</b> Schedule
September 27	Wednesday	Follows a <b>Monday</b> Schedule
Sept 29-October 8	Fri-Sun	Sukkot - No classes
October 9	Monday	Travel Day - No classes
October 23	Tuesday	Last day to drop a course without permission and without a “W”
Oct 26-Nov 8	Thurs-Wed	Midterm Exams
November 1	Wednesday	Last day to apply for a January 2024 degree
November 20	Monday	Last day to drop a course with permission and with a “W”
November 20-22	Mon-Wed	Period to file for P/N grade <sup>1</sup>
November 21	Tuesday	Follows a <b>Friday</b> Schedule
November 23-24	Thu-Fri	Thanksgiving - No classes
December 8-15	Fri-Fri	Chanukah - Classes meet
December 21-25	Thurs-Mon	Study Days - No classes
December 22	Friday	Fast of Tevet - Study Day - No classes or exams
December 26-29	Tues-Fri	Final Exams
January 1	Monday	New Year’s Day - No exams
January 2-4	Tues-Thurs	Final Exams
January 5-17	Fri-Wed	Intersession
January 18	Thursday	First day of classes, Spring 2024

# Final Exam Schedule

## Final Exam Schedule – Fall 2023

Tuesday, December 26 – Friday, December 29, 2023 and  
Tuesday, January 2 – Thursday, January 4, 2024

Below are tentative dates for fall 2023 final exams organized by section. Precise times for each exam will be posted at [yu.edu/stern/finals](http://yu.edu/stern/finals).

**Do not make any personal or travel plans  
which conflict with final exam week.**

Please note that there are no formal final exams in the following courses:

- **English Composition**
- **Laboratory Sections**
- **Physical Education**
- **Seminars**
- **Speech Communication**
- **Studio Art**

### FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE – Fall 2023

Date	9:00 AM	1:00 PM
Tuesday, December 26	no exam	L
Wednesday, December 27	B	E
Thursday, December 28	J/PQ	N
Friday, December 29	C	no exam
Tuesday, January 2	HEBR	M
Wednesday, January 3	A/GH	D
Thursday, January 4	K	F

# Making the Most of your Appointment

- Come to appointments prepared
- Bring your transcript
- Have questions written down
- Come to us early in the semester to discuss academic issues
- Make sure to have a junior and senior check



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