Cleveland Humanities Collaborative

Case Western Reserve University
Bachelor of Arts
GERMAN*

* Students interested in the German major must take GER 1010 and GER 1020 at Tri-C prior to transfer to CWRU. GER 2010 and GER 2020 are also strongly recommended.

The German major requires 30-32 hours of course work, including:

GRMN 201 Intermediate German I 4 credit hours
GRMN 202 Intermediate German II 4 credit hours

Eight courses at the 300-level taught in German, or six 300-level courses plus two related courses^ 22-24 credit hours

Students who enter at the 300-level of German language should complete ten courses at the 300-level taught in German, or eight 300-level courses plus two related courses. ^

^ Related courses are those outside the department which are closely related to German culture, as well as those departmental courses cross-listed with World Literature.

Students who take both FRCH 311 and 312 may count the second course toward the major only as a related course. At least two of the 300-level courses should be numbered above 320 and taught in French.

The departmental honors program is for especially dedicated majors. Requirements for honors in modern languages and literatures are: 1) a GPA of at least 3.5 in the major, and 2) an honors thesis (FRCH, GRMN, JAPN, or SPAN 397 and 398, beyond the 30-32 hours required for the major) devoted to the investigation of a literary, linguistic, or cultural topic. The thesis is written in the target language, except in the case of Japanese Studies, which may permit papers in English. It must be read and approved by two readers and will be accepted for honors only if it achieves a grade of B or better. Students who qualify receive their degree “with Honors in Modern Languages and Literatures.” A registration form for students electing honors is available in the departmental office.

The German minor requires 19 hours of course work, including:

GRMN 101 Elementary German I 4 credit hours
GRMN 102 Elementary German II 4 credit hours
GRMN 201 Intermediate German I 4 credit hours
GRMN 202 Intermediate German II 4 credit hours
One 300-level course 3-4 credit hours

Students who enter the minor at the 200-level of German language or higher must complete five courses at the 200 and 300 levels.

Check the with the Tri-C Transfer Connection Center (216.987.3841) to confirm which courses at Tri-C will transfer to CWRU toward a German major or minor. Courses listed in bold above have transferable equivalents at Tri-C!

*CHC Scholars must complete at least half the credit hours for their major at CWRU.*

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