

RLST 231.3 Confucianism Continuity and Change
RLST 235.3 Japanese Religions
RLST 330.3 Daoism

Religion and Culture

Choose 3 credit units from the following:

RLST 210.3 Religion and Ecology
RLST 216.3 Religion and Politics on Film
RLST 219.3 Bible and Western Culture
RLST 226.3 Religion Globalization
and Social Justice
RLST 229.3 Religion and Sport
RLST 237.3 Life After Death in World Religions
RLST 255.3 Doukhobor Culture in Canada
RLST 258.3 Religion and Culture
in Bollywood Film
RLST 280.3 Methodologies and Approaches
to Study of Religions
RLST 282.3 Religious Perspectives
on Death and Dying
RLST 283.3 Comparative Mysticism
RLST 284.3 Religions and Non Violence
RLST 362.3 Monsters and Mischief Makers
RLST 375.3 Religion and Science
RLST 382.3 Sex, God and Rock n' Roll
Re-Vamping the Sacred



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The *Certificate in Religious Literacy* equips students pursuing degrees in Law, Business, Healthcare, Social Services, Education, and Public Policy with a working knowledge of the beliefs and practices within a variety of religious traditions. Core competencies will include a clear understanding of and appreciation for each religion's internal diversity — intramural distinctions that arise due to intersectional forces shaping believers' interpretation of their faith and its institutions; e.g., forces of gender, race and class, colonial histories, and neocolonial/global economies.

Current research in civic education and public life indicates that religiously literate professionals play crucial roles in fostering faith-friendly workplaces and social organisations. The Certificate in Religious Literacy offers vital credentials for creating 'global' cultures of inclusivity that sustain robust democracies and peaceful coexistence in our globalised context.

Major Average

The major average in the Certificate in Religious Literacy includes the grades earned in:
All courses eligible to be used in the program.

Residency Requirements in the Major

To receive a Certificate in Religious Literacy, students must complete at least two-thirds of the following coursework (to the nearest highest multiple of 3 credit units) from USask.

The certificate may be completed in conjunction with any degree in another subject area in the College of Arts and Science.

Requirements (21 credit units)

Required:

RLST 200.3 Religions in Canada
RLST 285.3 Religions and Ethnicity

Judaism and Christianity

Choose 3 credit units from the following:

RLST 112.3 Western Religions in Society and Culture
RLST 227.3 Introduction to Judaism
RLST 228.3 Judaism Justice and Prophecy
RLST 328.3 Jewish Christian Relations in Historical Perspective
RLST 361.3 Rabbinic Literature
RLST 225.3 Perspectives on Jesus
RLST 253.3 Introduction to Old Testament
RLST 254.3 Introduction to New Testament
RLST 314.3 Issues in Contemporary Catholicism
RLST 321.3 Gender and God Talk

Islam

Choose 3 credit units from the following:

RLST 113.3 Islamic Civilization and Culture
RLST 240.3 Introduction to Islam
RLST 241.3 Islam in the Modern World
RLST 243.3 Islam in Hollywood

Asian Religions

Choose 6 credit units from the following:

RLST 111.3 Asian Religions
RLST 211.3 Introduction to Hinduism
RLST 214.3 Introduction to Philosophies of India
RLST 215.3 Indian Yoga Heritage
RLST 329.3 Studies in Bhagavad Gita
RLST 217.3 Buddhist Religious Tradition
RLST 218.3 Developments in Buddhist Thought
RLST 234.3 Chinese Religions