# Courses

ITAL 202 - Composition and Conversation (4)

Writing skills in Italian are developed through grammatical exercises, controlled composition, and original themes. Class discussion in Italian of the written materials provides oral practice.

Prerequisite: ITAL 114 or equivalent or consent of department chair.

Offered: Spring.

ITAL 321 - Italian Literature and Civilization through Renaissance (4)

Major Italian authors and works of literature from the thirteenth century through the Renaissance are examined in their historical and cultural context.

Prerequisite: ITAL 202 or consent of department chair.

Offered: Alternate years.

ITAL 322 - Italian Literature and Civilization Post-Renaissance (4)

Major Italian authors and works of literature from the post-Renaissance to the twenty-first century are examined in their historical and cultural context.

Prerequisite: ITAL 202 or consent of department chair.

Offered: Alternate years.

ITAL 330 - Modern Italy (4)

Political, social, and economic changes in Italy from unification to the present are examined. Topics include regional conflicts, immigration issues, European identity, and changing family life.

Prerequisite: ITAL 202 or consent of department chair.

Offered: Annually.

ITAL 403 - Studies in Italian Theatre (3)

Italian theatre from the fifteenth century to the present is studied. Topics include Renaissance satirical comedies, commedia dell'arte, Goldoni's theatrical reforms, and the works of Alfieri, D'Annunzio, Pirandello, and Dario Fo.

Prerequisite: ITAL 202, and ITAL 321 or ITAL 322, or consent of department chair.

Offered: As needed.

ITAL 404 - Studies in Italian Cinema (3)

Major directors, movements, and themes of Italian cinema, from early cinema to the present, are studied. Attention is given to cultural and other aspects of film analysis.

Prerequisite: ITAL 202, and ITAL 321 or ITAL 322 or ITAL 330, or consent of department chair.

Offered: As needed.

## JPAN - Japanese

JPAN 101 - Elementary Japanese I (4)

Students learn to understand, speak, read, and write in Japanese and gain an understanding of Japanese life and character. Online work is required.

Offered: Fall.

JPAN 102 - Elementary Japanese II (4)

Four skills in elementary Japanese (listening, speaking, reading, and writing) are developed within the context of Japanese culture. Online work is required.

General Education Category: Satisfies Gen. Ed. language requirement with a grade of C.

Prerequisite: JPAN 101 or consent of department chair.

Offered: Spring.

## JSTD - Justice Studies

JSTD 466 - Seminar in Justice Studies (4)

Students integrate their understanding of theory, research and policy relating to crime and justice. Two extensive writing assignments will consist of a grant proposal, research/program design, or law review.

Prerequisite: Senior standing, POL 332, SOC 302, SOC 309, 12 additional credit hours of justice studies courses and a minimum 2.0 G.P.A., or consent of department chair.

Offered: Fall, Spring.

JSTD 491 - Independent Study I (3)

Students select a topic and undertake concentrated research or creative activity under the mentorship of a faculty member.

Prerequisite: Admission to the justice studies honors program and consent of instructor, program director and dean.

Offered: As needed.

JSTD 492 - Independent Study II (3)

This course continues the development of research or creative activity begun in JSTD 491. For departmental honors, the project requires final assessment by the department.

Prerequisite: JSTD 491 and consent of instructor, program director and dean.

Offered: As needed.

## LBRS - Labor Studies

LBRS 201 - U.S. Labor History (3)

Workers and working conditions from colonial times to the present are studied. Topics include the origins of the American working class, the formation of trade unions and of the A.F. of L., industrial conflicts, and the immigrant experience.

Offered: As needed.

LBRS 202 - Labor Law (3)

Public policy, the arena in which labor relations are conducted, is presented. Focus is on labor law and the interpretation of legislative issues. Topics include the National Labor Relations Act, collective bargaining, and internal union affairs.

Offered: As needed.

LBRS 203 - Structure and Function of Unions (3)

Unions' internal mechanisms, including responses to external pressures, are studied. Topics include geography, product markets, local unions, multiunion organization, union administration and finance, and political action.

Offered: As needed.