James Madison College provides a liberal education in public affairs for undergraduates. This means, among other things, that the primary activity as a faculty and staff is undergraduate teaching. The college is dedicated to the highest standards of excellence, both for the students and the faculty and staff. The curriculum and individual courses are multi-disciplinary, cultivating in the students skills of rigorous thought, lucid prose writing, and articulate speech. The residential environment nurtures a collegium of scholars among students, faculty, and staff. The excellent resources of the wider university enrich the program as a whole. James Madison College established itself in 1967. Since then with an enrollment of approximately 1200 students, the College has graduated numerous Rhodes Scholars, Truman Scholars, Marshall Scholars, Fulbright Scholars, National Science Foundation Fellows, MSU’s first Mitchell Scholar, and regularly represents a high percentage of Michigan State University’s Phi Beta Kappa class.

Its undergraduate program leads to a Bachelor of Arts degree in one of four majors: Comparative Cultures and Politics, International Relations, Political Theory and Constitutional Democracy, and Social Relations and Policy. It offers a rigorous program with distinctive attention to written work, analytical writing, critical thinking, give-and-take class discussion and collaborative work. Students have an opportunity to study how public issues develop and how the varied public and private institutions of society function, in the United States and globally.

The faculty of James Madison College have been recruited from a number of inter-related fields: American studies, economics, history, sociology, political science and political theory. The college emphasizes teaching excellence, individualized attention to students and scholarly research in public affairs. Its courses are conducted as either lecture-discussion or collaborative classes in which student participation is encouraged and often expected. A typical class focuses on such issues as how globalization affects civil society, or how theories of justice evolve into systems of laws, or how a society’s cultural and social values influence its economic development. In short, the emphasis throughout the program is on the dynamics of public affairs and public decision making.

Competency in writing is strongly emphasized for all students in James Madison College. In addition to a required two semester First-year Writing Program, research papers and other writing assignments have been incorporated into the requirements for each of the fields of concentration and all James Madison College courses.

The college is an excellent choice for any students aiming at careers in government, politics, administration, business, foreign service, or considering post-Baccalaureate studies: pre-law students, students planning to pursue graduate study in one of the social science fields, business and public administration. Included in the James Madison College program is a concentrated junior or senior year Field Experience in which students work for an agency of government, a private organization, non-profit organization, journalism or a corporation. The full-time internship is intended to provide students with the opportunity to connect their education to the realm of practice. Placements are available throughout the United States and internationally.

The total enrollment in James Madison College is over 1200 students, so that the college is able to provide a small college environment on the Michigan State University campus. Faculty members devote a substantial amount of time to individual student advisement; as a result, programs of study are designed to satisfy the academic needs, intellectual curiosity, and career goals of each student.

In addition, the home of the college is Case Residence Hall, which includes not only the residence hall rooms of its on-campus students, but also faculty offices, classrooms, dining facilities, a college library, seminar rooms, and a computer laboratory. In the evenings, cultural programs, speakers, presentations and other extracurricular events are regularly scheduled. At the same time, the college’s students are full members of the Michigan State University student body. They take approximately half their courses in other units of the university and enjoy all benefits of living on a large, bountiful campus.
Students admitted to Michigan State University are also admissible to James Madison College. Enrollments in the college are, however, limited. Prospective first year and transfer students should notify the Michigan State University Office of Admissions as early as possible of their desire to enroll in the college. Limited numbers of currently enrolled Michigan State University students may also be eligible to transfer into the college; such students are encouraged to contact the Director of Admissions in the college early in the fall semester. Subject to space availability, students may transfer into the college or from the college to other programs until their junior year without delaying completion of their degrees.

**ADDITIONAL MAJORS.** Students who elect to pursue additional majors should notify the James Madison College Director of Academic Affairs or their advisor as early as possible in order to plan their academic program. For additional information, see the Additional Major entry in the Undergraduate Education section of this catalog.

### Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degree in James Madison College

1. The University requirements for bachelor’s degrees as described in the Undergraduate Education section of this catalog; 120 credits, including general elective credits, are required for the Bachelor of Arts degree in James Madison College.

2. The completion of the Freshman Writing Program (James Madison College 111 and 112) referenced in requirement 2. a. below satisfies the University's Tier I writing requirement.

   The University's Tier II writing requirements for the James Madison College majors are met by completing courses as specified below:

   **Comparative Cultures and Politics:** James Madison College 493 and any two of the following courses: James Madison College 320, 325, 361, 366, 372, 377, 385, 386, 387, 390, or 395. Those courses are referenced in item 1. in the statement on Comparative Cultures and Politics below.

   International Relations: James Madison College 492 and any of the two elective courses required in International Relations. Those courses are referenced in items 1.a. and 1. c. in the statement on International Relations below.

   Social Relations and Policy: James Madison College 380 and 498 and any two of the following courses: James Madison College 347, 375, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 390. Those courses are referenced in items 1.a. and 1.b. in the statement on Social Relations and Policy below.

3. The completion of the introductory public affairs course sequence (James Madison College 201 and 202) referenced in requirement 2. a. below satisfies the University's Integrative Studies requirement in the Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences. The completion of James Madison College 201 and 202 also satisfies the requirements specified in item 2. under the heading Integrative Studies in the Undergraduate Education section of the catalog. James Madison College 201 emphasizes both national diversity and international and multicultural diversity, and James Madison College 202 emphasizes international and multicultural diversity.

4. The following requirements of James Madison College for the Bachelor of Arts degree.

   All of the courses that are used to satisfy University and College requirements must be graded on the numerical or Pass–No Grade system with the following exception: first-year courses in Russian, Japanese, or Chinese or in an African language may be graded on the Credit-No Credit system.

   a. Required Courses:

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<td>Identity and Community: An Introduction</td>
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<td>MC 112</td>
<td>Identity and Community: An Approach to Writing II</td>
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<td>MC 201</td>
<td>International to the Study of Public Affairs I (D)</td>
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<td>Introduction to Microeconomics</td>
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<td>EC 202</td>
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   The James Madison College courses listed above serve as a foundation for the College’s curriculum. Students should complete these courses during the first year of study.

   Economics 201 and 202 provide a foundation for study in the major. Students should complete these courses during the first two years of study. Students who are admitted to James Madison College with fewer than 4 credits that count toward the University's Integrative Studies requirement in the Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences must complete James Madison College 201 and 202. Students who are admitted to James Madison College with at least 4, but fewer than 8, credits that count toward the University's Integrative Studies requirement in the Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences must complete either James Madison College 201 or 202.

   b. Language Requirement. Second year competency in a foreign language. This requirement may be satisfied by placing into a 300-level foreign language course based on a MSU placement test. Students are encouraged to complete a third year of study in the same language that is used to satisfy this requirement.

### Comparative Cultures and Politics

1. The student must complete:

   a. All of the following courses (13 credits):

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<td>Cultures and Society in Comparative Perspective</td>
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<td>Politics and Culture in Comparative Perspective</td>
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<td>MC 493</td>
<td>Senior Seminar in Comparative Politics</td>
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   b. Four courses with at least one from each group (16 credits):

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<td>Politics, Society and Economy in the Third World</td>
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<td>State and Society in Comparative Perspective</td>
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<td>MC 331</td>
<td>Encounters with Post-Communism</td>
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<td>MC 361</td>
<td>Political Economy and Comparative Public Policing</td>
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<td>Film, History and Nation</td>
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<td>Comparative Black Political Thought</td>
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<td>MC 390</td>
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<td>Cultural Dimensions of Public Affairs</td>
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<td>MC 390</td>
<td>James Madison College 390 and 395 can be used in fulfillment of the requirement when the topic is relevant to comparative studies in cultures and politics.</td>
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   c. One of the following courses (3 or 4 credits):

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<td>COM 200</td>
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<td>MC 295</td>
<td>Research Design and Quantitative Analysis in Public Policy</td>
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<td>Policy Evaluation</td>
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<td>PBS 201</td>
<td>Introduction to Methods of Political Analysis</td>
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<td>SOC 281</td>
<td>Methods of Social Research I</td>
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<td>WRA 360</td>
<td>Visual Rhetoric</td>
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   d. Complete at least 9 credits from three courses at the 300-level or above, selected in consultation with an academic advisor. All the credits must focus on a particular region, ethnic or racial group from outside the United States.

### International Relations

1. The student must complete:

   a. All of the following courses (13 credits):

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<td>International Relations I: World Politics and International Security</td>
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<td>International Relations II: The Politics and International Economic Relations</td>
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<td>MC 492</td>
<td>Senior Seminar in International Relations (W)</td>
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   b. One of the following courses (3 credits): | Course Code | Course Title                           | Credits |
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<td>EC 340</td>
<td>Survey of International Economics</td>
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<td>EC 440</td>
<td>International Trade</td>
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<td>EC 441</td>
<td>International Finance</td>
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c. Four courses with at least one from each group (16 credits):
SECURITY STUDIES AND FOREIGN POLICY ANALYSIS
MC 321 The Cold War: Culture, Politics and Foreign Policy .......................... 4
MC 323 Japanese Foreign Policy ........................................ 4
MC 326 U.S. Foreign Policy ........................................ 4
MC 327 The Comparative Analysis of Foreign Policy .................................... 4
MC 328 Russian Foreign Policy .......................................... 4
MC 329 European Security Challenges and Strategies ................................. 4
MC 390 Advanced Topics in Public Affairs .............................................. 4
MC 391 Selected Topics in Public Affairs ............................................... 3 or 4
MC 441 Islam and World Politics ......................................................... 4
MC 482 Gender and Violent Conflict ..................................................... 4

INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY AND GLOBAL GOVERNANCE
FW 481 Global Issues in Fisheries and Wildlife ........................................... 3
MC 320 Politics, Society and Economy in the Third World .......................... 4
MC 324E Regional Politics, Cooperation and Conflict in Europe .................... 4
MC 361 Political, Economy and Comparative Public Affairs ....................... 4
MC 362 Public International Law ......................................................... 4
MC 363 Global Governance .............................................................. 4
MC 365 Islam and Development in Southeast Asia ...................................... 4
MC 390 Advanced Topics in Public Affairs ............................................... 4
MC 391 Selected Topics in Public Affairs ............................................... 3 or 4
MC 421 Advanced International Political Economy ..................................... 4
MC 445 Socio-economics and Policy of Conservation Biology ....................... 4
MC 450 International Environmental Law and Policy ................................... 3
COMPARATIVE, REGIONAL AND CULTURAL STUDIES
MC 320 Politics, Society and Economy in the Third World .......................... 4
MC 321 The Cold War: Culture, Politics and Foreign Policy ....................... 4
MC 324A Regional Politics, Cooperation and Conflict in the Middle East ........ 4
MC 324B Regional Politics, Cooperation and Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa .... 4
MC 324C Regional Politics, Cooperation and Conflict in Latin America and the Caribbean in Asia ..................................................... 4
MC 324D Regional Politics, Cooperation and Conflict in Latin America and the Caribbean in Asia ..................................................... 4
MC 325 State and Society in Comparative Perspective ................................ 4
MC 331 Encounters with Post-Communism .............................................. 4
MC 365 Islam and Development in Southeast Asia ...................................... 4
MC 366 Film, History and Nation ........................................................... 4
MC 377 Culture, Politics and Post-Colonialism ........................................ 4
MC 385 Comparative Race and Ethnic Relations ....................................... 4
MC 388 Women and Power in Comparative Perspective .............................. 4
MC 387 Jews and Anti-Semitism ............................................................ 4
MC 390 Advanced Topics in Public Affairs ............................................... 4
MC 395 Cultural Dimensions of Public Affairs .......................................... 4
MC 441 Islam and World Politics .......................................................... 4
MC 482 Gender and Violent Conflict ..................................................... 4

James Madison College 300, 391, and 395 may be counted toward requirement 1.c. only when the topic deals with international relations.

d. Complete two courses from one of the following ten groups of courses. Students must complete one course from Course A, which should be completed prior to the junior year, and one course from Course B, which should be completed prior to taking James Madison College 492. (8 to 6 credits)

(1) COURSE A
MC 295 Research Design and Quantitative Analysis in Public Policy .............. 4
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4
STT 441 Probability and Statistics I: Probability ..................................... 3

(2) COURSE A
SOC 281 Methods of Social Research I .............................................. 4
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4
SOC 282 Methods of Social Research II .............................................. 4
STT 441 Probability and Statistics I: Probability ..................................... 3

(3) COURSE A
STT 421 Statistics I ........................................................................ 3
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4
STT 422 Statistics II ........................................................................ 3

(4) COURSE A
EC 420 Introduction to Econometric Methods .......................................... 3
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4

(5) COURSE A
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4
STT 441 Probability and Statistics I: Probability ..................................... 3

Course A
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4

(6) COURSE A
STT 422 Statistics II ........................................................................ 3

Course B
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4

(7) COURSE A
STT 441 Probability and Statistics I: Probability ..................................... 3

Course B
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4

(8) COURSE A
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4

Course A
EC 420 Introduction to Econometric Methods .......................................... 3
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4

(9) COURSE A
STT 315 Introduction to Probability and Statistics for Business .................. 3

Course B
EC 240 Introduction to Econometric Methods .......................................... 3
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4
MC 364 Policy Evaluation .............................................................. 4
PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ............................................................. 4

(10) COURSE A
MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Affairs ........................... 4

Course B
EC 240 Introduction to Econometric Methods .......................................... 3

(1) HISTORY
HST 205A The Ancient Mediterranean from 3000 BCE to 400 CE .......... 4
HST 205B Europe in the Middle Ages from 1500 to 1000 CE ..................... 4
HST 206 European History since 1500 ................................................... 4
HST 325 United States Foreign Relations to 1914 .................................... 3
HST 326 United States Foreign Relations since 1914 ................................ 3
HST 337 European Intellectual History: Natural Philosophy through Romanism ..................................................... 4
HST 338 European Intellectual History: Modernism and Post–Modernism .... 4
HST 390 History of International Relations ............................................ 3

(2) ECONOMICS
EC 302 Intermediate Macroeconomics ................................................... 3
EC 306 Comparative Economic Systems .............................................. 3
EC 406 Economic Analysis of Russia and the Commonwealth of Independent States ..................................................... 3
EC 410 Issues in the Economics of Developing Countries ....................... 3
EC 412 Economic Analysis of Latin America ........................................ 3
EC 413 Economic Analysis of Asia ..................................................... 3
EC 414 Economic Analysis of Sub-Saharan Africa ................................ 3
MC 241 Politics and Markets .............................................................. 4

(3) POLITICAL THEORY
MC 270 Classical Republicanism .......................................................... 4
MC 271 Constitutionalism and Democracy .............................................. 4
MC 370 Radical Challenges to Liberal Democracy .................................... 4

(4) An area and related courses approved by the student’s academic advisor. In order to fulfill this requirement, a student must complete 300–400 level courses in a foreign language. Courses at the 100–200 level in a foreign language may not be used to fulfill this requirement.
Political Theory and Constitutional Democracy

1. The student must complete: 
   a. All of the following courses (21 credits):
      MC 270 Classical Republicanism ........................................ 4
      MC 271 Constitutionalism and Democracy ............................. 4
      MC 370 Radical Challenges to Liberal Democracy ..................... 4
      MC 371 Beyond Liberal Democracy? New Directions in Political Theory ....... 4
      MC 497 Senior Seminar in Political Theory and Constitutional Democracy (W) ........ 5
   b. One of the following courses (4 credits):
      MC 373A Constitutionalism: The Supreme Court ......................... 4
      MC 373B Constitutionalism: The Presidency ................................ 4
      MC 373C Constitutionalism: Congress ..................................... 4
      MC 375 Contemporary Developments in American Politics ............. 4
      MC 378 Law and Social Groups ............................................. 4
      James Madison College 378 may not be used to fulfill both requirement b. and c.
   c. One of the following courses (4 credits):
      MC 241 Politics and Society ................................................ 4
      MC 272 Social Movements .................................................... 4
      MC 325 State and Society in Comparative Perspective ................. 4
      MC 326 U.S. Foreign Policy .................................................. 4
      MC 349 Economics of Legal Relationships in Business .................... 4
      MC 350 Evolution and Society .............................................. 4
      MC 351 Science and Social Policy ......................................... 4
      MC 372 African American Political Thought .............................. 4
      MC 377 Culture, Politics and Post-Colonialism (I) ....................... 4
      MC 378 Law and Social Groups ............................................. 4
      MC 381 African Politics and Equality ..................................... 4
      MC 383 African American Politics ......................................... 4
      MC 386 Women and Power in Comparative Perspective ................... 4
      MC 387 Jews and Anti-Semitism .......................................... 4
      MC 390 Advanced Topics in Public Affairs .............................. 4
      MC 391 Selected Topics in Public Affairs ................................. 4
      MC 395 Cultural Dimensions of Public Affairs ........................... 4
      MC 399 Gender and Violent Conflict ..................................... 4
      MC 482 Gender and Violent Conflict ..................................... 4
      James Madison College 390, 391 and 395 may be counted toward requirement 1. b. when the topic deals with Social Relations and Policy.
   d. One of the following courses (3 or 4 credits):
      MC 293 Methods for Strategic Analysis in Public Policy .......... 4
      MC 295 Research Design and Quantitative Analysis in Public Policy ........ 4
      PHL 330 Formal Reasoning ................................................. 4
      PHL 480 Philosophy of Science ............................................ 4
      PLS 201 Introduction to Methods of Political Analysis ............... 4
      STT 421 Statistics I .......................................................... 3
   e. One of the following two options (12 to 16 credits). Both the option and the related courses must be approved by the student's academic advisor.
      (1) Four courses from one of the following disciplines or fields: anthropology, economics, English, history, international relations, philosophy, political economy, political science, social relations, sociology, or a foreign language. With the approval of the student's academic advisor, another discipline or field may be substituted. At least two of the four courses must be at the 300–level or above with the following exception: all of the courses in a foreign language must be at the 300–level or above.
      (2) Four courses in a historically significant polity in another time and place. One course must be in History; the other three courses may involve other aspects of life in the polity. Two of the three courses may be in the language of the polity. Courses at the 300–400 level in the same language that was used to satisfy the College's foreign language requirement, or courses at the 100–200 level in another foreign language, may be counted toward this requirement.

Social Relations and Policy

1. The student must complete: 
   a. All of the following courses (21 credits):
      MC 280 Social Theory and Social Relations .................................. 4
      MC 281 Immigrants, Minorities, and American Pluralism ................. 4
      MC 380 Social Policy .......................................................... 4
      MC 498 Senior Seminar in Social Relations (W) .......................... 5
      SOC 281 Methods of Social Research I .................................... 4
      or MC 295 Research Design and Quantitative Analysis in Public Policy ........ 4
      Sociology 281 should be completed during the sophomore year.
   b. Three courses selected from the following in consultation with an academic advisor (12 credits):
      MC 320 Politics, Society and Economy in the Third World .................. 4
      MC 325 State and Society in Comparative Perspective ...................... 4
      MC 340 Economic Growth .................................................... 4
      MC 342 Social Economics of the Workplace: Class, Race, and Gender .......... 4
      MC 347 Urban and Regional Development .................................. 4
      MC 348 Educational Policy ................................................... 4
      MC 350 Evolution and Society .............................................. 4
      MC 351 Science and Social Policy ......................................... 4
      MC 364 Policy Evaluation ................................................... 4
      MC 368 Black Nationalism ................................................... 4
      MC 372 Comparative Black Political Thought .............................. 4
      MC 375 Contemporary Developments in American Politics .......... 4
      in Political Theory, Culture, Economics, and Post-Colonialism.
      MC 378 Law and Social Groups ............................................. 4
      MC 381 American Politics and Equality ................................... 4
      MC 382 Social Movements .................................................... 4
      MC 383 African American Politics ......................................... 4
      MC 384 Metropolitan Society .............................................. 4
      MC 385 Comparative Race and Ethnic Relations ......................... 4
      MC 386 Women and Power in Comparative Perspective ................... 4
      MC 387 Jews and Anti-Semitism .......................................... 4
      MC 388 Social Science: Historical Perspectives ........................... 4
      MC 389 Religious Politics in U.S. Society: Left, Right, and Other ........... 4
      MC 390 Advanced Topics in Public Affairs .............................. 4
      MC 391 Selected Topics in Public Affairs .................................. 4
      MC 395 Cultural Dimensions of Public Affairs ........................... 4
      MC 445 Socio-economics and Policy of Conservation Biology .............. 3
      MC 482 Gender and Violent Conflict ..................................... 4
      James Madison College 390, 391 and 395 may be counted toward requirement 1. b. when the topic deals with Social Relations and Policy.

Requirements for the Specialization in Muslim Studies

Students must complete the requirements specified below (16 to 32 credits):

1. Completion of second-year college-level competency in Arabic or an
   other language appropriate for Muslim Studies such as Persian, Turkish, Urdu, Bahasa Indonesia, Malay, or Swahili.

   Students may petition the Muslim Studies Specialization coordinator for approval of an additional foreign language when it relates to a student's program of study. Students may also petition for substitution for part or all of the language requirement, replacing the language credits with non-language courses from the course list below. An exception to the language requirement may be granted to students completing a relevant study abroad experience from an approved list of programs available from the Muslim Studies Specialization coordinator.

   Students with majors in the College of Social Science should consult with their academic advisor to discuss alternatives to fulfillment of the language requirement in this specialization.

2. Five courses with Muslim studies or Islamic content selected from the two categories, with at least one from each category. Not more than one
   IAH or ISS course may count toward the five required courses. Students must contact the Muslim Studies Specialization coordinator for an updated list of approved courses prior to enrollment.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Integrative Studies in Arts and Humanities

IAH 211B Area Studies and Multicultural Civilizations: Asia (I) .................. 4
IAH 211D Area Studies and Multicultural Civilizations: The Middle East (I) .... 4
French
FRN 415 Introduction to French Studies I: Metropolitan France .............. 3
FRN 416 Introduction to French Studies II: Francophone Cultures ............. 3
FRN 447 Genre-Based Seminar ................................................... 3
History
HST 201 Historical Methods and Skills ......................................... 3
enrolled in bachelor's degree programs at Michigan State University. The Specialization in Political Economy, administered by James Madison College, offers an opportunity to develop a deeper understanding of political economy and to allow students a choice of specialization and request certification for the specialization. If, in the semester in which a student wishes to enroll, the course counts toward the specialization, Anthropology 422, 429, and 491; French 415, 416, and 447; History 201, 450, and 451; Integrative Studies in Arts and Humanities 211B; Integrative Studies in Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences 315 and 330B; James Madison College 320, 324D, 325, 390, 391, 492, and 497; Political Science 344, 351, 358, and 460.

Upon completion of the requirements of the Specialization in Muslim Studies, the student should contact the coordinator for the specialization and request certification for the specialization. After the certification is approved by the Dean of the College, the Office of the Registrar will enter on the student's academic record the name of the specialization and the date that it was completed. This certification will appear on the student's transcript.

SPECIALIZATION IN POLITICAL ECONOMY

The Specialization in Political Economy, administered by James Madison College, is available as an elective to students who are enrolled in bachelor's degree programs at Michigan State University. The specialization is intended to instill a fundamental understanding of political economy and to allow students a choice of policy areas for focused study.

To achieve this breadth and depth of knowledge in political economy, students must complete at least 22 credits. Students in anthropology, economics, international relations, or public resource management will find this specialization especially appealing as preparation for graduate study or public-policy positions.

Requirements for the Specialization in Political Economy

The student must complete: .......................................................... 22-27

1. Core Courses. One course selected from each of the following areas. (10 or 11 credits)

   Intermediate Economics
   EC 301 Intermediate Microeconomics .................. 3
   EC 302 Intermediate Macroeconomics .................. 3

   Foundations of Political Economy
   MC 241 Politics and Markets .................................. 4

   Supplemental Political Economy Courses
   ANP 424 Culture and Economic Behavior .................. 3
   MC 221 International Relations I: The Politics of International Economic Relations .................. 4
   MC 340 Economic Growth .................................. 4
   MC 342 Social Economics of the Workplace: Class, Race, and Gender .................................. 4
   MC 347 Urban and Regional Development .................. 4

   A student may not count any of the supplemental courses twice in the specialization.

2. Economic Analysis Methodology. One of the following courses (3 or 4 credits):
   EC 320 Analysis of Economic Data .................. 3
   EC 420 Introduction to Econometric Methods .................. 3
   MC 295 Research Design and Quantitative Analysis in Public Policy .................. 4
   MC 364 Policy Evaluation .................................. 4
   STT 315 Introduction to Probability and Statistics for Business .................. 3

3. Policy Areas. Two courses must be completed in one of the following areas, and one additional course completed in a separate area (9 to 12 credits):
   Law and Political Economy in Policymaking
   EC 335 Taxes, Government Spending and Public Policy .................. 3
   EC 360 Private Enterprise and Public Policy .................. 3
   EC 405 The Development of the American Economy .................. 3
   EC 425 Law and Economics .................................. 3
   EC 435 Public Expenditures .................................. 3
   GBL 323 Introduction to Business Law .................. 3
   MC 351 Educational Policy .................................. 4
   MC 349 Economics of Legal Relationships in Comparative Perspective .................. 4
   PLS 381 Collective Decision Making in Politics .................. 3
   RD 433 Law and Social Change .................................. 3

   Society and Political Economy in Policymaking
   ANP 424 Culture and Economic Behavior .................. 3
   EC 380 Labor Relations and Labor Market Policy .................. 3
   EC 495 Economics of Poverty and Income Distribution .................. 3
   EC 498 Economics of Health Care .................. 3
   EEP 201 Community Economics .................................. 3
   EEP 255 Ecological Economics .................................. 3
   EEP 404 Public Sector Budgeting and Program Evaluation (W) .................. 3
   EEP 453 Women and Work: Issues and Policy Analysis .................. 3
   EEP 470 Theory and Practice in Community and Economic Development .................. 3
   GEO 415 Location Theory and Land Use Analysis .................. 3
   LBS 334 Science, Technology and Public Policy .................. 4
   MC 347 Urban and Regional Development .................. 4
   MC 348 Educational Policy .................................. 4
   RD 460 Natural Resource Economics .................. 3
   SOC 331 Political Sociology .................................. 3
   UP 353 Land Use Planning .................................. 4

   Political Economy in International Relations
   ABM 400 Public Policy Issues in the Agri-Food System .................. 3
   ANP 428 Environments of International Enterprise .................. 3
   ANP 470 Food, Hunger and Society .................. 3
   MC 221 International Relations II: The Politics of International Economic Relations .................. 4
   MC 320 Politics, Society and Economy in the Third World .................. 4
   MC 324A Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in the Middle East .................. 4
   MC 324B Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa .................. 4
   MC 324C Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in Latin America and the Caribbean .................. 4
   MC 324D Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in Asia .................. 4
   MC 324E Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in Europe .................. 4
   MC 324F Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in North America .................. 4
   MC 361 Political Economy and Comparative Public Policymaking .................. 4
   MC 421 Advanced International Political Economy .................. 4
   MC 442 U.S. Industry and the World Economy .................. 4
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**SPECIALIZATION IN SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC POLICY**

The Specialization in Science, Technology, Environment and Public Policy (STEPSS) is available as an elective to students who are enrolled in bachelor's degree programs at Michigan State University. The specialization will expose students to policy-making processes at the local, state, national and international levels; examine historical trends and analyze social relationships; build a strong understanding of scientific principles used to formulate sound policy initiatives; and facilitate a linkage between policy-making and science, technology and the environment.

Students who are interested in this specialization must contact the coordinator for the Specialization in Science, Technology, Environment and Public Policy in James Madison College. The student's program of study must be approved by the STEPPS coordinator prior to enrollment in any courses counted toward the specialization. Study abroad programs or internships require prior approval of the coordinator to ensure their relevance to STEPPS' curricular goals.

With the approval of the department and college that administer the student's degree program, courses that are used to satisfy the requirements for the specialization may also be used to satisfy the requirements for a bachelor's degree.

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The following course:

**Science, Technology, Environment and Public Policy (3 credits)**

1. The following course:
   - FW 181 Introduction to Science, Technology, the Environment and Public Policy (3 credits)

**History, Philosophy, and Sociology of Science** (6 to 8 credits)

1. Two of the following courses:
   - ENG 483 Literature and Medicine (3 credits)
   - EPI 390 Disease in Society: Introduction to Epidemiology and Public Health (3 credits)
   - FW 438 Philosophy of Ecology (W) (3 credits)
   - HST 425 American and European Health Care Since 1800 (3 credits)
   - HST 483 Seminar in Modern European History (W) (3 credits)
   - JRN 412 Environmental Reporting (3 credits)
   - LB 330 Topics in History, Philosophy, and Sociology of Science (W) (3 credits)
   - LB 332 Technology and Culture (3 credits)
   - LB 333 Topics in History of Science (4 credits)
   - LB 336 Gender, Science, Technology (W) (4 credits)

**Science Applications** (6 to 8 credits)

Complete two courses at the 200-level or above which consists primarily of natural science. Integrative Studies courses cannot fulfill this requirement. Students should check with the STEPPS Coordinator to ensure that the particular course chosen will fulfill this requirement.

**Public Policy** (6 to 8 credits)

1. Two of the following courses:
   - ABM 400 Public Policy Issues in the Agri-Food System (3 credits)
   - ABM 427 Global Agri-Food Industries and Markets (3 credits)
   - ANR 250 Global Issues in Agriculture and Natural Resources (3 credits)
   - EC 310 Economics of Developing Countries (3 credits)
   - EEP 320 Environmental Economics (3 credits)
   - ESA 430 Law and Resources (3 credits)
   - ESA 433 Law and Social Change (3 credits)
   - ESA 440 Environmental Policy Making in Michigan State University (3 credits)
   - ESA 460 Natural Resource Economics (3 credits)
   - FOR 464 Forest Resource Economics (W) (3 credits)
   - FOR 466 Natural Resource Policy (3 credits)
   - FSC 421 Food Laws and Regulation (3 credits)
   - FW 439 Conservation Ethics (3 credits)
   - FW 445 Socio-Economics of Conservation Biology (3 credits)
   - FW 481 Global Issues in Fisheries and Wildlife (3 credits)
   - FW 491 Special Topics in Fisheries and Wildlife (1 to 5 credits)
   - LB 334 Science, Technology and Public Policy (W) (4 credits)
   - LB 335 The Natural Environment: Perceptions and Priorities (4 credits)
   - LB 355 Philosophy of Technology (W) (4 credits)
   - MC 348 Education Policy (4 credits)
   - MC 361 Political Economy and Comparative Public Policy (4 credits)
   - MC 363 Global Governance (4 credits)
   - MC 364 Policy Evaluation (4 credits)
   - MC 380 Social Policy (4 credits)
   - MC 450 International Environmental Policy (3 credits)
   - MC 469 Applied Public Policy Research Seminar (1 to 5 credits)
   - NUR 401 Aging and Health in the United States (3 credits)
   - PRR 371 Management of Park and Recreation Agencies and Organizations (3 credits)
   - PRR 388 Physical Resource Management in Parks, Recreation and Tourism (3 credits)

**Capstone Course** (3 credits)

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The following course:

- MC 459 Science, Technology, Environment and Public Policy Capstone (N) (3 credits)

Upon completion of the requirements for the Specialization in Science, Technology, Environment and Public Policy, the student should contact the Dean of James Madison College and request certification for the completion of the specialization. After certification is approved by the Dean of James Madison College, the Office of the Registrar will enter on the student's academic record the name of the specialization and the date that it was completed. This certification will appear on the student's transcript.

**SPECIALIZATION IN WESTERN EUROPEAN STUDIES**

The Specialization in Western European Studies, which is administered by James Madison College, is available as an elective to students who are enrolled in bachelor's degree programs at Michigan State University. With the approval of the department and college that administer the student's degree program, courses that are used to satisfy the requirements for the specialization may also be used to satisfy the requirements for a bachelor's degree.

The Specialization in Western European Studies provides an opportunity for students to pursue a significant and coherent body of course work in the culture, history, politics, economics, and geography of Western Europe. Some of the courses in the specialization focus on individual countries, while other courses are comparative and cross-national.

A Steering Committee, composed of faculty from the colleges whose courses are included in the Specialization in Western Eu-
foreign language proficiency, oversees the specialization. The student's program of study for the specialization must be approved in advance and in writing by the chairperson of the Steering Committee.

Students who elect the Specialization in Western European Studies are encouraged to complete courses that are related to Western Europe in partial fulfillment of the University Integrative Studies requirement.

### Requirements for the Specialization in Western European Studies

The student must meet the requirements specified below:

#### 1. Foreign Language Proficiency

The student must demonstrate proficiency in a Western European language at a level equivalent to the completion of the fifth semester of language study. The fifth semester course must be a course in which the language is used to study the history, literature, politics, or culture of the related country, rather than a course that involves only grammar or composition. The results of the MSU foreign language placement test will be considered in determining whether or not the student has fulfilled this requirement.

#### 2. Social Science

Students who elect the Specialization in Western European Studies must complete a minimum of three courses totaling at least 9 credits selected from at least two of the following groups of courses:

- **Economics**
  - EC 306 Comparative Economic Systems
  - EC 340 Survey of International Economics

- **Political Theory**
  - MC 270 Classical Republicanism
  - MC 271 Constitutionalism and Democracy

- **Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in Europe**
  - MC 324E Regional Politics, Cooperation, and Conflict in Europe

- **Radical Challenges to Liberal Democracy**
  - MC 370 Radical Challenges to Liberal Democracy

- **Liberal Democracy? New Directions in Political Theory**
  - MC 371 Beyond Liberal Democracy? New Directions in Political Theory

- **Advanced Topics in Public Affairs**
  - MC 386 Women and Power in Comparative Perspective

- **Comparative Analysis of Foreign Policy**
  - MC 387 Jews and Anti-Semitism

- **International Relations**
  - MC 390 Advanced Topics in Public Affairs

- **Senior Seminar in International Relations**
  - MC 492 Senior Seminar in International Relations

#### 3. Humanities

The student must complete a minimum of three courses totaling at least 7 credits selected from at least two of the following groups of courses:

- **History of Art**
  - HA 201 Ancient and Medieval Art
  - HA 202 Renaissance through Modern Art
  - HA 203 Modern Art

- **Greek Art and Archaeology**
  - HA 401 Greek Art and Archaeology
  - HA 402 Roman Art and Archaeology

- **Ancient Greek and Roman Painting**
  - HA 406 Ancient Greek and Roman Painting

- **Greek and Roman Architecture and Sculpture**
  - HA 407 Greek and Roman Architecture and Sculpture

- **Early Medieval Art**
  - HA 410 Early Medieval Art

- **Late Medieval Art**
  - HA 416 Late Medieval Art

- **Renaissance Architecture and Sculpture**
  - HA 420 Renaissance Architecture and Sculpture

- **The Age of Michelangelo**
  - HA 422 Italian Renaissance Painting

- **The Age of Michelangelo**
  - HA 424 The Age of Michelangelo

- **Baroque Art in Italy and Spain**
  - HA 430 Baroque Art in Italy and Spain

- **20th Century Western Art and Ideas**
  - HA 450 Twentieth Century Western Art and Ideas

- **History of Prints**
  - HA 484 History of Prints

- **19th Century European–American Music**
  - MUS 420 Music of the 18th Century

- **19th Century European–American Music Literature**
  - MUS 421 19th Century European–American Music Literature

- **Music of the 18th Century**
  - MUS 420 Music of the 18th Century

- **History of Oratorio**
  - MUS 412 History of Oratorio

- **History of Opera**
  - MUS 423 History of Opera

- **European Intellectual History I**
  - HST 332 Europe in the Middle Ages 900–1300

- **Europe since 1500–1900**
  - HST 333 Europe 1300–1500

- **Europe since 1870**
  - HST 334 Europe 1870–1900

#### 4. Supervised Research Paper

The student must complete one of the following four options:

- **Independent Study**
  - A research paper on a topic related to Western Europe that is completed while enrolled in a capstone course of at least 3 credits.

- **Overseas Study**
  - A research paper completed while enrolled in a MSU overseas study program in Western Europe totaling at least 3 credits.

- **Internship**
  - A research paper on a topic related to Western Europe that is completed while enrolled in a capstone course of at least 3 credits.

- **Capstone Course**
  - A research paper on a topic related to Western Europe that is completed while enrolled in a capstone course of at least 3 credits.

Upon completion of the requirements for the Specialization in Western European Studies as specified by the chairperson of the Steering Committee, the student should contact the Dean of James Madison College and request certification for the completion of the specialization. After the certification is approved by the Dean of James Madison College, the Office of the Registrar will enter on the student's academic record the name of the specialization and the date that it was completed. This certification will appear on the student's transcript.

### TEACHER CERTIFICATION OPTIONS

The following disciplinary majors leading to the Bachelor of Arts degree in James Madison College are available for teacher certification: comparative cultures and politics, international relations, political theory and constitutional democracy, and social relations. Students who complete the requirements for one of these disciplinary majors and the requirements for teacher certification are recommended for a teaching certificate in social studies. Persons with teacher certification in social studies are qualified to teach history, political science, geography, and economics.

Students with an **Comparative Cultures and Politics** disciplinary major must complete the following additional disciplinary courses:

#### 1. Geography

- Elementary: Geography 330 and 333.
- Secondary: Geography 204 and 330.

#### 2. History

- Elementary: History 140, 150, 202, 203, and 320.
- Secondary: History 140, 150, 202, and 203.
Students with an International Relations disciplinary major must complete the following additional disciplinary courses: one of the History courses referenced in item 1. g. (1) under the heading International Relations above and Geography 151. These courses may be used to satisfy the degree requirement referenced in item 1. g. above, as well as the requirements for teacher certification.

Students with a Political Theory and Constitutional Democracy disciplinary major must complete the following additional disciplinary courses: two Geography courses approved by the student's academic advisor. These courses may be used to satisfy the degree requirement referenced in item 1. d. under the heading Political Theory and Constitutional Democracy above, as well as the requirements for teacher certification.

Students with a Social Relations and Policy disciplinary major must complete additional disciplinary courses as specified below:

1. Geography: One of the following two options:
   a. Two Geography courses approved by the student's academic advisor.
   b. James Madison College 384 and one Geography course approved by the student's academic advisor.

2. History: One of the following two options:
   a. James Madison College 382 or 384 or 387.
   b. One History course approved by the student's academic advisor.

   These courses may be used to satisfy the degree requirements referenced in items 1. b. and 1. c. under the heading Social Relations and Policy above, as well as the requirements for teacher certification.

   James Madison College 281, which is required for the Social Relations disciplinary major, also partially satisfies the history requirement for teacher certification.

   Students who elect one of the disciplinary majors referenced above must contact the James Madison College Director of Academic and Student Affairs.

   For additional information, refer to the statements on the disciplinary majors referenced above and to the statement on TEACHER CERTIFICATION in the Department of Teacher Education section of this catalog.

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JAMES MADISON COLLEGE 3 + 3 OPTION

James Madison College, in collaboration with Michigan State University/College of Law, offers an opportunity for selected JMC students to earn a baccalaureate degree after satisfactory completion of a minimum of 91 credits at Michigan State University and a minimum of 29 credits through subsequent enrollment at Michigan State University/College of Law. Only students who matriculate as first-year students at James Madison College may pursue this option. Students interested in this option should consult with their academic advisors during the first year in the college.

Admission to the Michigan State University/College of Law component of this program is limited to a small number of students who complete the specified university and college requirements and who earn a GPA and LSAT score that is acceptable for admission to Michigan State University/College of Law.

All students in this program will complete a minimum of 91 credits at Michigan State University, at least 47 of which (not to include James Madison College 400 and 401) shall be James Madison College credits. The requirements for the program are as follows:

1. Completion of the all university-level graduation requirements, including integrative studies, mathematics, and writing.
2. Completion of the all-college required courses, including James Madison College 111, 112, 201, 202; Economics 201 and 202; and second-year competency in a foreign language.
3. Completion of the requirements for one of the Madison fields of concentration.
4. Completion of a minimum of 29 credits at Michigan State University/College of Law.

Upon satisfactory completion of the specified Michigan State University/College of Law credits, students in this program will be awarded the Bachelor of Arts degree.