



University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
College of Arts & Sciences Program Sheet 2010-2011
Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Interdisciplinary Studies
Admissions: Selective Process: Application
Min. Total Credits: 124 (82 in core & major + 42 in electives)

UHM General Education Core Requirements
Foundations
<input type="checkbox"/> FW
<input type="checkbox"/> FS
<input type="checkbox"/> FG (A / B / C)
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Diversification
<input type="checkbox"/> DA / DH / DL
<input type="checkbox"/> DA / DH / DL
<input type="checkbox"/> DB
<input type="checkbox"/> DP
<input type="checkbox"/> DY
<input type="checkbox"/> DS
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<i>* See degree, college and major requirements for courses that can also fulfill these.</i>
UHM Graduation Requirements
Focus
<input type="checkbox"/> H
<input type="checkbox"/> E (300+)
<input type="checkbox"/> O (300+)
<input type="checkbox"/> W
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Hawaiian / Second Language
<input type="checkbox"/> 101
<input type="checkbox"/> 102
<input type="checkbox"/> 201
<input type="checkbox"/> 202
Credit Minimums
• 124 total applicable
• 30 in residence at UHM
Grade Point Average
• 2.0 cumulative or higher
• Good academic standing

Degree Requirements
Can also fulfill FS
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 100, 100A, 112, 140, 203, 215, 241, 251A; PHIL 110, 110A, 111; BUS 250; ICS 141; or NREM 203
College Requirements
Credit Minimums (see IS dept. for more info.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Default option
• 104 from A & S disciplines - see list
• 60 non-introductory
<input type="checkbox"/> Campus-wide option
• Courses from no less than 3 college or schools in the major equivalent. (A & S counts as only one college)
• 70 from A & S disciplines
• 60 non-introductory
Credit Maximums
• 8 KRS activity
• 9 Directed Reading / Research
• 12 Practicum / Internship

A & S Major Requirements

See back for major requirements. Meet regularly with your major advisor.

Major Requirements for BA in Interdisciplinary Studies

Admission: Students must submit an appropriately formatted proposal. See IS department for more info.

Application: Final proposal must be accepted before the final 21 credits of major course work are undertaken.

Min. major credits: 36

Min. exit GPA: 2.5 in the major equivalent

Min. C grade (not C-) in courses

Requirements

Interdisciplinary Studies Application Procedure

1. Attend an IS orientation. Orientations may be scheduled by calling the IS program office.
2. Upon accumulation of 55 credits, attend a JUMP (Junior Matriculation Planning Session) with the College of Arts and Sciences.
3. Meet with an Interdisciplinary Studies advisor to begin work on a proposal.
4. Locate a faculty advisor in area of specialization to work together on an appropriate curriculum. Deadline for a complete, signed proposal: All acceptable, signed proposals must be submitted no later than 21 credits before planned graduation date.
5. Proposal reviewed by Interdisciplinary Studies staff member.
6. Internal review by Interdisciplinary Studies staff.
7. Accept with revision or Accept without revisions or Reject.
8. Final review by the Dean of Arts and Sciences, Academic Affairs.

Interdisciplinary Studies Name of Major

Interdisciplinary Studies Courses (min. 36 upper-division credits)

300+

300+

300+

300+

300+

300+

300+

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300+

No more than 3 credits of directed reading / research are permitted in the major.

No more than 3 credits of practicum / internship are permitted in the major.

Interdisciplinary Studies Related Requirements

Notes

College of Arts & Sciences, Student Academic Services: QLCSS 113; (808) 956-8755

Interdisciplinary Studies (IS) Program: Krauss 116; (808) 956-7297; www.hawaii.edu/is

IS Undergraduate Advisor: Emanuel Drechsel, PhD; Krauss 116; (808) 956-3294; drechsel@hawaii.edu