

Al Quds Bard College for Arts and Sciences – Literature and Society Program

Al-Quds University
Literature and Society program

Section One: Four Year Study Plan

First Year					
Courses				CRN	Hours
Language & Thinking				9100100	03
Fall			Spring		
Courses	CRN	Hours/	Courses	CRN/T ype	Hours
FYSEM I	9100101	03 CR	FYSEM II	9100102	03 CR
English Composition I	9100105	03 CR	English Composition II	9100106	03 CR
Arabic Composition I	9100109	03 CR	Arabic Composition II	9100110	03 CR
Intro Literary Analysis	9108101	03 CR	Literature & Society I	9108102	03 CR
			Intro to Literary Theory	9108204	03 CR
		Total: 12			Total:15

Second Year					
Fall			Spring		
Courses	CRN	Hours	Courses	CRN/T	Hours
SYSEM I	9100201	03 CR	SYSEM II	9100202	03 CR
Comparative Literature	9108113	03 PR	Literature & Society II	9108202	03 PR
Principles of Life	9101101	04 PR	Intro Human Rights	9105101	03 SS
Intro to Urban Studies	9108235	03 SS	Intro to Environmental	9103101	03 NS
Creative Writing	9108235	03 PA	Studies		
Workshop			History of Film 1	9114102	03 PA
Shakespeare	9108208	03 PR	Calculus	9102141	03 SS
		Total:19			Total:18

Third Year					
Fall			Spring		
Courses	CRN/T	Hours	Courses	CRN/T	Hours
Modernism/Postmodernism	9108230	03 PR	Literature & Society III	9108203	03 PR
Modernist short Prose	9108205	03 PR	Colonial/Post-Colonial Lit	9108214	03 PR
Literature Exile &	9108212	03 PR	US Literature II:	9108226	03 PE
Migration			Arabic Literature II: from	9108224	03 PE
Palestinian Literature	9108222	03 PE	1750		
Literature & Landscape	9108216	03 PR	Narrative & National	9108215	03 PR
		Total: 15	Identity		Total:15

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Senior Year					
Fall			Spring		
Courses	CRN/T	Hours	Courses	CRN/T	Hours
Senior Seminar I	9108401	04 CR	Senior Seminar II	9108402	04 CR
Literature and Religion	9108213	03 PE	Modernist Short Prose	9108210	03 PR
Literary Theory	9108204	03 PR	Arab-American Literature	9108224	03 PE
Literature and Politics of Gender	9108219	03 PR	Romanticism	9108229	03 PE
Modern Arabic Literature in translation	9108223	03 PE	Literature & Film	9108211	03 PE
		Total:16			Total:16

PROGRAM TOTAL CREDITS				129/129
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Section Two: Four Year Study Plan Requirements

College Requirements (CR):

a. Obligatory Courses 27 credits.

Students MUST take 27 credits: 9 courses (Language & Thinking, FYSEM I & FYSEM II, English Composition I & English Composition II, Arabic Composition I & Arabic Composition II, SYSEM I & SYSEM II).

#	Course name	Course #	Total	Prerequisite
1	Language and Thinking	9100100	3	-
2	First Year Seminar (FYSEM) I	9100101	3	-
3	First Year Seminar (FYSEM) II	9100102	3	9100101 preferred, not required
4	Arabic Composition I	9100109	3	-
5	Arabic Composition II	9100110	3	9100109 preferred, not required
6	English Composition I	9100105	3	-
7	English Composition II	9100106	3	9100105 preferred, not required
8	Second Year Seminar (SYSEM) I	9100201	3	-
9	Second Year Seminar (SYSEM) II	9100202	3	9100201 preferred, not required

TOTAL CREDITS			27 Credits (9 Courses)
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For Arabic Composition, students **MUST** select 6 credits (two courses) from the courses listed in the table below:

#	Arabic Composition Courses	Course #	Total	Prerequisite
1	Beginning Arabic 1	9100107	3	-
2	Beginning Arabic 2	9100108	3	9100107 preferred, not required
3	Arabic Composition I	9100109	3	-
4	Arabic Composition II	9100110	3	9100109 preferred, not required

TOTAL CREDITS			6 Credits (2 Courses)
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For English Composition, students **MUST** select 6 credits (two courses) from the courses listed in the table below:

#	Course name	Course #	Total	Prerequisite
1	English Composition I	9100105	3	-
2	English Composition II	9100106	3	9100105 preferred, not required
3	English through the Liberal Arts	9100111	3	-
4	Advanced Composition	9100112	3	-
5	Junior Writing	9100301	4	-
6	Media Theory	9106121	3	-
7	Introduction to the Study of History	9107101	3	-
8	Introduction to Creative Writing	9108115	3	-

TOTAL CREDITS			6 Credits (2 Courses)
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Program Requirements (PR) 56 credits:

a. Obligatory Courses: 38 credits.

Students **MUST** complete all courses listed in the table below (38 credits) for majoring in Literature and Society Program.

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#	Course name	Course #	Theory	Total	Prerequisite
1	Introduction to Literary Analysis (100 level)	9108101		3	
2	Literature and Society I (200 level)	9108201		3	
3	Literature and Society II	9108202		3	
4	Literature and Society III	9108203		3	
5	Introduction to Literary Theory	9108204		3	
6	Senior Project I	9108401		4	
7	Senior Project II	9108402		4	9108401

Genre Core (2 Required) 6 credits

#	Course name	Course #	Theory	Total	Prerequisite
1	Modernist Short Prose	9108205		3	
2	Autobiography, Biography, Memoir	9108206		3	
3	The Novel in English	9108207		3	
4	Shakespeare	9108208		3	
5	Poetry and Poetics	9108209		3	
6	The Politics of Dramatic Form	9108210		3	
7	Literature and Film	9108211		3	

Thematic Core (3 Required) 9 credit hours

#	Course name	Course #	Theory	Total	Prerequisite
1	Literature of Exile and Migration	9108212		3	
2	Literature and Religion	9103213		3	
3	Colonial/Postcolonial Literature	9108214		3	
4	Narrative and National Identity	9108215		3	

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5	Literature and Landscape	9108216		3	
6	From Cosmopolitanism to Globalization	9108217		3	
7	The City in Literature	9108218		3	
8	Literature and the Politics of Gender	9108219		3	
9	Literature and Human Rights	9108220		3	
10	Ideology and Politics in Modern Literature	9108221		3	
11	Comparative Literature	9108113		3	

TOTAL CREDITS			38 Credits
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b. Elective Courses (PE): 18 credits.

Students can choose to take electives in the Literature and Society Program or minor in another field.

#	Course name	Course #	Theory	Total	Prerequisite
1	Palestinian Literature	9108222		3	
2	Modern Arabic Literature in Translation	9108223		3	
3	Arab-American Literature	9108224		3	
4	US Literature I	9108225		3	
5	US Literature II	9108226		3	
6	British Literature I	9108227		3	
7	British Literature II	9108228		3	
8	Romanticism	9108229		3	
9	Modernism/Postmodernism	9108230		3	

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10	Creative Writing Workshop	9108235		3	
11	Special Topics in Literature*	9108240		3	*can be taken more than once for credit
300 Level					
1	Advanced Topics in Literature and Literary Theory	9108301		3	
2	Single Author Seminar	9108302		3	
3	Translation Workshop	9108304		3	

TOTAL CREDITS			18 Credits
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c. Minor Courses: 26 credits.

Minor is not required, but if desired, is 27 credits, either in another program, or in the major; a student who does not have a minor must take 27 credits of general electives (any courses in the college).

d. Free Courses (PE): 18 credits.

Students MUST choose two courses from other divisions in the college and the divisions are Practicing and fine Arts division (Media studies and Literature and society) and Natural Sciences (Biology, Chemistry, and Computer Science), also students MUST choose one course in Social Sciences (Economics and finance, Human rights and international law, and Political Science).

Students to complete their free courses can choose zero to five additional free courses in any field in the college.

NOTE: Students can choose one course + Lab from natural science course.

Section Three: Four Year Study Plan Summary

The student has to pass at least (128) credit hours to get B.SC Degree in Literature and Society Program.

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College Requirements (CR):

- a. Obligatory Courses: 27 credits.

Program Requirements (PR):

- a. Obligatory Courses: 35 credits.
- b. Elective Courses (PE): 21 credits.
- c. Minor Courses: 27 credits.
- d. Free Courses (PE): 18 credits.

Total Credits required: 128 credits are required to fulfill the B.A. degree. Some courses could fulfill both the minor and distribution requirements.