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COLLEGE/SCHOOL/SECTION: University College

**Course:** Add:  Delete:   
(check all that apply) Change: Number  Title  SCH  Description  Prerequisite

**Response Required:** New course will be part of major  minor  as a required   
or elective  course

**Response Required:** New course will introduce , reinforce , or apply  concepts

If new, provide Course Prefix, Number, Title, **Measurable** Student Learning Outcomes, SCH Value, Description, prerequisite, and lecture/lab hours if applicable. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red and provide a brief justification.

**Program:** Delete:  Add:  Change:  Attach new/changed Program of Study description and 4-year plan. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.

**Program Learning Outcomes:** Add:  Change:  Attach listing of program learning outcomes.

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**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDIES**  
**Pre-Law Option**

Following is the pre-law option four-year degree plan. Two of the three concentration areas are Philosophy and English. Student may choose one of the options listed for concentration area III (see note 3 below). Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment; responsible for reviewing the **Program of Study Requirements**; and must meet **foreign language** and **writing intensive course** requirements for graduation. Six writing intensive courses are required for this particular degree. See Academic Regulations-Undergraduate online.

\*See *Appendix A Core Curriculum and Optional Course Information*.

FALL	HOURS	SPRING	HOURS
<b>FRESHMAN YEAR</b>		<b>FRESHMAN YEAR</b>	
ENGL 1301 English Composition I	3	ENGL 1302 English Composition II	3
MATH 1314 College Algebra	3	HIST 1302 The U.S. Since 1877	3
HIST 1301 The U.S. to 1877	3	MATH Math Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
UNIV 1101 Learning in a Global Context I	1	COMM 1315 Public Speaking	3
		PSCI 2305 American National Govt	3
		UNIV 1102 Learning in a Global Context II	<u>1</u>
			<b>16</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>		
<b>SOPHOMORE YEAR</b>		<b>SOPHOMORE YEAR</b>	
PHIL 1301 Introduction to Logic	3	PSCI 2306 American State Govt	3
ENGL Literature Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	Life&Physical Science*	3
		Life&Physical Science Lab*	1
CAO Life&Physical Science Lab*	1	PHIL 2306 Introduction to Ethics	3
General Elective	3	ENGL 3300 Advanced Composition	<u>3</u>
Concentration III <sup>3</sup>	<u>3</u>		
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>13</b>
<b>JUNIOR YEAR</b>		<b>JUNIOR YEAR</b>	
		PSCI 3314 Modern Political Philosophy	3
PHIL 3302 Philosophy of Law	3	ENGL Adv Literature	3
ENGL Adv Literature	3	Adv Concentration III <sup>3</sup>	3
		For Lang/Study Abroad <sup>4</sup>	3
		Adv General Elective	<u>3</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>SENIOR YEAR</b>		<b>SENIOR YEAR</b>	
PHIL Adv PHIL Elective	3	COMM 4350 Capstone Internship	3
ENGL Adv Literature	3	ENGL Adv Literature	3
Adv Concentration III <sup>3</sup>	3	Adv Concentration III <sup>3</sup>	3
Adv General Elective	3	Adv General Elective	3
Adv General Elective	<u>3</u>	Adv General Elective	<u>3</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>

**TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 120**

<sup>1</sup> Math elective, select 3 SCH from any math course above the level of College Algebra.

<sup>2</sup> Literature elective, select 3 SCH from ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, 2333 or 2365.

<sup>3</sup> Concentration III, 15 SCH selected from one of the following disciplines: Political Science - PSCI 4311, 4312, 4313, 3326, and 3 SCH from 3000-4000 level PSCI; History - 15 SCH, with at least 12 SCH at the 3000-4000 level; Criminal Justice - CRIJ 4311, 4312, and 3 SCH selected from 3302, 3306, 3308, 3310, 3330, 4320, 4333, 4334; Business – BA 3310, FIN 3310, MGT 3301 and MKT 3310 and 3 SCH business elective.

<sup>4</sup> Foreign Language/Study Abroad, select 6 SCH in course work (not credit by exam) above the university's foreign language admission requirement. Thus students who meet the university's foreign language admission requirement by earning 6 hours of credit by exam, may take 6 SCH in the same language but at the intermediate level or above, or they may take 6 SCH of another foreign language at the introductory level. This requirement may also be met by earning 6 SCH in any subject while participating in a TAMU-approved Study Abroad program while living for at least 5 weeks in a non-English speaking country.

*Actual degree plans may vary depending on availability of courses in a given semester.*

*Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.*



## Degree Requirements for the BA in Multidisciplinary Studies – Pre- Law Option

1. **Hours Required:** A minimum of **120** semester credit hours (SCH): 45 hours must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation" section of this catalog.
2. **University Core Curriculum:** **42** SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation".
3. **Required Electives:** **4** SCH including 3 SCH from any math course above the level of College Algebra **and 1 SCH Life&Physical Science Lab**
4. **Foreign Language/Study Abroad:** **6** SCH in course work (not credit by exam) above the university's foreign language admission requirement. Thus, students who meet the university's foreign language admission requirement by earning 6 hours of credit by exam, may take 6 SCH in the same language but at the intermediate level or above, or they may take 6 SCH of another foreign language at the introductory level. This requirement may also be met by earning 6 SCH in any subject while participating in a TAMIU-approved Study Abroad program while living for at least 5 weeks in a non-English speaking country.
5. **Major:** **48** SCH including COMM **4350** and 15 SCH each in three concentration with at least 9 SCH at the 3000-4000 level. The concentration areas may be chosen with Advisor's consent. Students choosing the Pre-Law option will use concentrations in Philosophy and English with the third concentration selected from: **Political Science - PSCI 4311, 4312, 4313, 4326, and 3 SCH from 3000-4000 level PSCI; History - 15 SCH, with at least 12 SCH at the 3000-4000 level; Criminal Justice - CRIJ 4311,4312, and 9 SCH selected from 3302, 3306, 3308, 3310, 3330, 4320, 4333, 4334; Business – BA 3310, FIN 3310, MGT 3301 and MKT 3310 and 3 SCH business elective.**
6. **General Electives:** **17** SCH, at least fifteen of which must be at the 3000-4000 level.
7. **Writing Intensive Requirement:** **6** WIN courses, **5** at the advanced level.