Visual, Literary, and Performing Arts (VLPA)
Selected Courses Winter 2011

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The courses on this list consist primarily of 100- and 200-level introductory courses and represent only a small portion of the courses available to satisfy the Areas of Knowledge requirement. Other courses that qualify are listed in the General Catalog and the quarterly time schedule.

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5-CREDIT COURSES

COURSE		TITLE	REMARKS	SIZE
AAS	402	Contemporary Asian-American Literature		50
AES	212	Comparative American Ethnic Literature	VLPA or I&S; AES majors only until 11/29	150
AIS	253	Wood Design		15
AIS	350	Two-Dimensional Art of the Northwest Coast Indians		20
AIS	378	Contemporary American Indian Literature: A Northwest Focus	Offered jointly with Engl 457	25
AIS	379	Powwow: Traditional and Innovation	VLPA or I&S	45
ART	166	Design Foundations	freshmen/sophomores only until 11/29; $15 additional course fee	120
ART	190	Intro to Drawing	freshmen only until 11/29; $15 additional course fee	100
ART H	202	Survey of Western Art-Medieval and Renaissance	optional writing link available: ENGL 297; $30 additional course fee	420
CLAS	210	Greek & Roman Classics in English		95
COM	220	Introduction to Public Speaking	VLPA or I&S	140
COM	270	Interpersonal Communication	VLPA or I&S	24
C LIT	251	Introduction to Comparative Literature: Themes		100
C LIT	271	Perspectives on Film: Great Directors	$15 additional course fee	200
C LIT	315	National Cinemas: Indian Film		30
C LIT	396	Special Studies in Comparative Literature: German-Jewish, South-Asian	Offered jointly with GERMAN 295 A or ASIAN 206 A	40
DRAMA	101	Introduction to the Theatre	no drama majors	144
DRAMA	201	Plays and Styles		56
ENGL	200	Reading Literature	W course	200

ENGL	207	Introduction to Culture Study		80
ENGL	212	Literature, 1700-1900		40
ENGL	213	Modern and Postmodern Literature		80
ENGL	225	Shakespeare	W course	40
ENGL	242	Reading Prose Fiction	W Course	120
ENGL	243	Reading Poetry	W Course	40
ENGL	250	Introduction to American Literature		80
ENGL	258	African American Literature: 1745 to Present	Offered jointly with AFRAM 214A	20
ENGL	285	Writers on Writing		120
HSTAM	370	The Vikings	VLPA or I&S; Offered jointly with SCAND 370 A	50
LING	100	Fundamentals of Grammar		200
LING	200	Introduction to Linguistic Thought	VLPA or I&S; QSR	245
MUSIC	120	Survey of Music	optional writing link available: ENGL 197A	200
MUSIC	160	Anglo-American Folk Music		200
MUSIC	162	American Popular Song		200
MUSIC	317	Music Cultures of the World: Africa	VLPA or I&S	75
MUSIC	331	History of Jazz	Optional writing link: ENGL 197N	220

PHIL	102	Comtemporary Moral Problems	VLPA or I&S	30
PHIL	241	Topics in Ethics: Intersection between Aesthetics & Ethics	VLPA or I&S	30
PHIL	242	Medical Ethics	VLPA or I&S; Optional W credit	200
SISA	209	Asian Civilizations: Traditions	VLPA or I&S; some sections restricted	40
SISJE	295	Jews & German Culture: German Jewish Writers-Enlightenment to Auschwitz	VLPA or I&S; Offered jointly with C LIT 396A	100
SCAND	150	Norwegian Literary & Cultural History		60
SCAND	232	Andersen Fairy Tale		150
SCAND	335	Scandanavian Children's Literature		50
SCAND	345	Baltic Cultures	VLPA or I&S; Offered jointly with EURO 345A	15
SCAND	360	Scandanavian Cinema		30
SCAND	370	The Vikings	VLPA or I&S	100

SELECTED 4-CREDIT VLPA COURSES

ART H	317	Chado-Japanese Esthetics	class meets off campus; $10 additional course fee	24
DRAMA	212	Theatre Technical Practice – Stage Lighting	$10 additional course fee	32
M E	123	Visualization and Computer Aided-Design	VLPA or NW; No Seniors until 11/29	140

SELECTED 3-CREDIT VLPA COURSES

ARCH	151	Appreciation of Architecture II	for non-majors	340
CLAS	205	Bioscientific Vocabulary Building		28
L ARCH	353	History of Modern Landscape Architecture	VLPA or I&S; $50 additional course fee; no freshmen	100
SPHSC	100	Voice and Articulation Improvement	$10 additional course fee; for native speakers of English	32

SELECTED 2-CREDIT VLPA COURSES

CLAS	101	Latin and Greek in Current Use	some sections restricted	28
DANCE	231	Folk-Social Dance Forms: Mexican Folk-Son Jarocho	$28 additional course fee	30
MUSIC	116	Elementary Music Theory		220
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MUSIC	185	The Concert Season	concert attendance required	400

SELECTED 1-CREDIT COURSES

MUSEN	100	University Singers	CR/NC only; no audition; Gospel Choir, Women's Chorus, and Men's Chorus sections available	60-200

NOTE: All MUSAP and MUSEN courses, ranging from 1 to 3 credits, count for VLPA. All of them except MUSEN 100 and 302U require an audition or permission from the instructor.