

COURSE PLANNING FOR THE
LONDON INTERNATIONAL SEMESTER
AT RICHMOND UNIVERSITY

Fall 2021

A SUPPLEMENT TO THE PERUNA PASSPORT FOR LIS STUDENTS



REQUIRED COURSES | COMMON CURRICULUM | ADDITIONAL RICHMOND COURSES





LONDON INTERNATIONAL SEMESTER COURSE PLANNING

Congratulations on your admission to the London International Semester (LIS) at Richmond University. All LIS students are required to enroll as full-time students (minimum of 12 hours). In order to be on track to graduate in four years, you should plan to take five courses at Richmond (15 hours). If, during the semester, you consider dropping a class, it is very important to contact Ms. Kate Bell-Miller (kebell@smu.edu) in SMU's University Advising Center **BEFORE** you make this change. Richmond requires **GEP 3180: Research & Writing I**. That leaves four additional courses to be chosen.

FALL LIS COURSE SCHEDULE PLANNING

Required by Richmond:

1. GEP 3180 – Research & Writing I
2. Exam for Math Placement

Courses Recommended by Richmond:

1. HST 3706 – London: A History
2. Based on the results of your Math Placement exam, SMU and Richmond recommend registering for the appropriate math course indicated for your major.

In addition to the requirements discussed above, you will select 2 – 3 courses for a total of 5 courses. The remaining courses you choose will transfer to SMU as either requirements for your major, requirements for the Common Curriculum, or as elective hours toward the 120 credit hours you need to graduate with a SMU degree. **In general, courses listed with equivalent SMU Course numbers ending in double letters (such as ARH 275 = SMU ARHS 20XX) transfer to SMU.** Consult the SMU website (smu.edu) and course catalog (catalog.smu.edu) for a description of all majors offered at SMU.

IMPORTANT: KEEP DIGITAL COPIES OF SYLLABI AND ALL WORK AT RICHMOND UNIVERSITY



WHAT OTHER COURSES MAY I TAKE AT RICHMOND?

The courses in the following table, offered this fall, have been evaluated for transfer from Richmond to SMU. The courses in this table may fulfill requirements for the major, and/or the CC, or may transfer as electives for graduation. For those courses that fulfill CC requirements, the specific requirement has been identified in the table. **This is not a comprehensive list of all courses offered at Richmond University.** College-level courses not on this list are accepted in transfer as elective credit and in some cases can be petitioned for CC credit.

| RU Course | Richmond Course Name | SMU Course | CC Credit |
|-----------|--|------------|-----------|
| AVC 4200 | Introduction to Art Across Cultures | ARHS 20XX | CA, HD |
| AVC 4205 | Introduction to Visual Culture | ARHS 20YY | CA, CIE |
| AVC 4210 | History of Photography | ARHS 20XX | |
| COM 3100 | Foundations in Mass Media and Comms | COMM 10XX | |
| COM 3200 | Foundations in Advertising, PR and Media | MSA 10XX | |
| COM 4115 | Digital Society | MSA 20XX | |
| DEV 4100 | Rich World / Poor World | FETC 10XX | |
| DGT 4100 | Coding Content and Context I | ASIM 20XX | |
| ECN 3200 | Foundations of Economic Ideas | ECO 10XX | |
| ECN 4105 | Introduction to Microeconomics | ECO 1311 | QA |
| ECN 4110 | Introduction to Macroeconomics | ECO 1312 | |
| ENV 3125 | Foundations in Environmental Studies | GEOL 1315 | ES |
| FLM 4200 | Introduction to Film Studies | FILM 20XX | CA, HD |
| GEP 3120* | Quantitative Reasoning* | MATH 1307* | QR |
| GEP 3150 | Visual Thinking | ARHS 10XX | CA |
| GEP 3170 | Narratives of Change | ENGL 10XX | LAI, GPS |
| GEP 3180 | Research and Writing I | WRTR 10XX | |
| HST 3200 | World Cultural History | HIST 30XX | HC |
| HST 3706 | London: A History | HIST 10XX | HC |
| INR 4100 | Introduction to International Relations | PLSC 20XX | SBS, GPS |
| MTH 3120 | Functions with Applications | MATH 1309 | QR |
| MTH 4110 | Calculus with Applications | MATH 1337 | QR |
| MTH 4120 | Probability & Statistics I | STAT 2331 | QR |
| PSY 3100 | Foundations in Psychology | PSYC 1300 | SBS |

*Business, Economics, Engineering and Science majors should not enroll in GEP 3120.

KEY:

CC Breadth:

CA – Creativity and Aesthetics
 HC – Historical Contexts
 SBS – Social and Behavioral Science
 LAI – Literary Analysis and Interpretation
 PRIE – Philosophical, Religious Ethics and Inquiry
 ES – Exploring Science
 TM – Technological Advances and Society

CC Proficiencies and Experiences:

CIE – Civics and Individual Ethics
 CE – Community Engagement
 GPS – Global Perspectives
 HD – Human Diversity
 OC – Oral Communication
 QA – Quantitative Applications
 W – Writing
 WIM – Writing in the Major



DECLARING A MAJOR AT SMU

In order to declare a major at SMU you must:

- Complete at least 24 credit hours
- Have a SMU cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Complete any additional major admission requirements set by academic departments. [See below for a partial list of special admission requirements.](#)

Cox School of Business

All BBA Majors

SMU students who are not BBA Scholars or Business Direct students may apply for admission to the Cox School at the conclusion of their first year.

- This process is competitive and limited by space availability. Applications will be reviewed by a faculty committee, and decisions will be made after spring term grades are posted.
- A minimum 3.500 all-college cumulative GPA and completion of a minimum of 12 SMU credits are required to apply.

Preference will be given to students who have completed ECO 1311, ECO 1312, and MATH 1309/1337.

Dedman College

Economics

- A minimum GPA of 2.700 in the Economics subset:
 - WRTR 1312
 - MATH 1309 or 1337
 - ECO 1311
 - ECO 1312
 - STAT 2331 or STAT 4340
- For declaration purposes, the subset GPA is recorded at the end of the term the student completes the Economics subset AND has at least 30 cumulative credit hours.
- Students must earn a C- or better in all subset courses prior to declaring an Economics major.
- Minimum all-college cumulative GPA of 2.700

Health and Society

- Applications reviewed every September 15 and February 15:
 - Application packet
 - Essay addressing a specific prompt
 - Complete the lab science requirement with a minimum grade of C-

Psychology

- Completion of the three-course subset with C- or better in each class:
 - PSYC 1300
 - STAT 2331
 - PSYC 3301
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Meadows School of the Arts

Advertising

- The application for admission to the B.A. in Advertising is offered once each academic year during the SPRING term only. For students wishing to pursue a B.A. in Advertising at SMU, admission into the Temerlin Advertising Institute is a two-step process:
 - **Step 1:** Completion of the two prerequisite courses with passing grades. (*Preference will be given to students with a combined average of 3.00 or better in all ADV coursework.*)
 - ADV 1300 (all students) **and one of the following:**
 - ADV 1321 (those applying to the Creative Specialization)
 - ADV 1331 (those applying to the Digital Media Strategy Specialization)
 - ADV 1341 (those applying to the Strategic Brand Management Specialization)
 - **Step 2:** Advertising major candidates that have fulfilled or are fulfilling STEP 1 also must complete the admission application during the spring term only.

Corporate Communication and Public Affairs (CCPA)

- Completion of the three-course subset with a 3.00 or higher GPA in the subset:
 - STAT 2301 or STAT 2331 or ITOM 2305
 - CCPA 2310
 - CCPA 2327

Film

- Completion of two Film courses with a 2.700 or higher GPA in the two courses:
 - FILM 1301
 - FILM 1302

Journalism & Fashion Media

- Students must complete 24 credit hours and achieve a minimum combined GPA of 2.500 across the following courses, with no grade lower than a C+ in any one of them:
 - WRTR 1312
 - MSA 2305
 - JOUR 2103
 - JOUR 2302 (Journalism major) or JOUR 2310 (Fashion Media major)

Public Relations and Strategic Communication

- Completion of the three-course subset with a 3.00 or higher GPA in the subset:
 - STAT 2301 or STAT 2331 or ITOM 2305
 - CCPA 2327
 - CCPA 3300

Annette Caldwell Simmons School of Education and Human Development

Applied Physiology and Sport Management (APSM)

- Must complete two APSM courses with a C- or higher
 - Sport Management (SM): APSM 2310 + one from the following: APSM 3322, APSM 3332, or APSM 3340
 - Sport Performance Leadership (SPL): APSM 2340 + one from the following: APSM 3300, APSM 3315, APSM 3322, APSM 3332, or APSM 3351
 - Applied Physiology Health Management (APHM): APSM 2441 + one from the following: APSM 2442, APSM 3332, APSM 3340, APSM 3343, or APSM 3351
- Must attend a required orientation meeting for prospective majors.
- Must complete an application and submit to the APSM offices along with current Degree Progress Report (DPR) and DPR Summary by specified date. Application will include an essay on a specific topic along with why you want to be an APSM major within the specific concentration you are applying for (APHM, SM or SPL).
- Must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours during the term of application.



Sample Schedules

Fall 2020 at Richmond

Transfers to SMU for

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| BUSINESS | | |
| GEP 3180* | 3 hours | WRTR 10XX |
| ECN 4105 | 3 hours | ECO 1311 |
| HST 3706 | 3 hours | CC |
| MTH 3111 | 3 hours | MATH 1309 (CC & Major) |
| Course of Interest | 3 hours | Elective hours or CC |
| Total hours | 15 hours | |
| ECONOMICS | | |
| GEP 3180* | 3 hours | WRTR 10XX |
| ECN 4105 | 3 hours | ECO 1311 |
| HST 3706 | 3 hours | CC |
| Course of Interest | 3 hours | Elective hours or CC |
| MTH 3111 | 3 hours | MATH 1309 (CC & Major) |
| Total hours | 15 hours | |
| FILM & Media Arts | | |
| GEP 3180* | 3 hours | WRTR 10XX |
| Course of Interest | 3 hours | Elective hours or CC |
| HST 3706 | 3 hours | CC |
| MTH 4120 | 3 hours | STAT 2331 (CC) |
| FLM 4200 | 3 hours | FILM 20XX |
| Total hours | 15 hours | |
| INTERNATIONAL STUDIES | | |
| GEP 3180* | 3 hours | WRTR 10XX |
| Course of Interest | 3 hours | Elective hours |
| HST 3706 | 3 hours | CC |
| MTH 4120 | 3 hours | CC |
| ECN 4105/4110 | 3 hours | ECO 1311/1312 (Major) |
| Total hours | 15 hours | |
| POLITICAL SCIENCE | | |
| GEP 3180* | 3 hours | WRTR 10XX |
| Course of Interest | 3 hours | Elective hours |
| HSG 3706 | 3 hours | CC |
| PLT 3100/4100 | 3 hours | PLSC 10XX/PLSC 20XX |
| MTH 4120 | 3 hours | STAT 2331 (CC) |
| Total hours | 15 hours | |
| PSYCHOLOGY | | |
| GEP 3180* | 3 hours | WRTR 10XX |
| Course of Interest | 3 hours | Elective hours |
| HST 3706 | 3 hours | CC |
| MAT 4120 | 3 hours | STAT 2331 (CC & Major) |
| PSY 3100 | 3 hours | PSYC 1300 (CC & Major) |
| Total hours | 15 hours | |

***Required by Richmond, unless credit awarded through other means (See top of page 3).**



REMINDERS FOR A SMOOTH TRANSITION:

- All courses must be completed with grades of C- or better to be accepted in transfer. Please note: grades below C- will be included in your SMU all-college grade point average, even if the course is not accepted in transfer, and will impact your ability to enroll in subsequent courses at SMU.
 - Bring your notes, papers and syllabi from your Richmond classes to SMU in January. This information is important for deciding how courses will count towards your SMU degree.
 - **Check your SMU email often!!!!** Residence Life and Student Housing, the University Advising Center, and other SMU offices communicate with you through your SMU email account. You are responsible for knowing information sent to your SMU email.
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Important SMU Resources

SMU SIS Coordinators

Office of Undergraduate Admission
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SMU Transfer Student Services

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