



College of Letters and Sciences

● Certificate in Arabic Language and Culture

(670-588)

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To receive the Certificate in Arabic Language and Culture, students must complete at least 18 quarter units as listed below:

Certificate Requirements

(6 courses; 18 quarter units)

- ARB 100 Beginning Arabic I
(Co-requisite: ARB 100A)
- ARB 100A Beginning Arabic I Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Co-requisite: ARB 100)
- ARB 101 Beginning Arabic II
(Prerequisites: ARB 100/100A)
(Co-requisite: ARB 101A)
- ARB 101A Beginning Arabic II Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Prerequisites: ARB 100/100A)
(Co-requisite: ARB 101)
- ARB 200 Intermediate Arabic I
(Prerequisites: ARB 101/101A)
(Co-requisite: ARB 200A)
- ARB 200A Intermediate Arabic I Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Prerequisites: ARB 101/101A)
(Co-requisite: ARB 200)

● Certificate in Chinese Language and Culture

(670-502)

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Certificate Requirements

(6 courses; 18 quarter units)

To receive the Certificate in Chinese Language and Culture, students must complete at least 18 quarter units as listed below:

- CHN 100 Beginning Chinese I
(Co-requisite: CHN 100A)
- CHN 100A Beginning Chinese I Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Co-requisite: CHN 100)
- CHN 101 Beginning Chinese II
(Prerequisite: CHN 100/100A)
(Co-requisite: CHN 101A)
- CHN 101A Beginning Chinese II Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Prerequisite: CHN 100/100A)
(Co-requisite: CHN 101)
- CHN 200 Intermediate Chinese I
(Prerequisite: CHN 101/101A)
(Co-requisite: CHN 200A)
- CHN 200A Intermediate Chinese I Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Prerequisites: CHN 101/101A)
(Co-requisite: CHN 200)

● Certificate in Persian Language and Culture

(670-589)

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To receive the Certificate in Persian Language and Culture, students must complete at least 18 quarter units as listed below:

Certificate Requirements

(6 courses, 18.0 quarter units)

- PRS 100 Beginning Persian I

- (Co-requisite: PRS 100A)
- PRS 100A Beginning Persian I Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Co-requisite: PRS 100)
- PRS 101 Beginning Persian II
(Prerequisites: PRS 100/100A)
(Co-requisite: PRS 101A)
- PRS 101A Beginning Persian II Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Prerequisites: PRS 100/100A)
(Co-requisite: PRS 101)
- PRS 200 Intermediate Persian I
(Prerequisites: PRS 101/101A)
(Co-requisite: PRS 200A)
- PRS 200A Intermediate Persian I Lab (1.5 quarter units)
(Prerequisites: PRS 101/101A)
(Co-requisite: PRS 200)

Domestic Security Management Course Descriptions

DSM 401: Domestic Security Management

A survey course reviewing the history, current practices, and trends in the management of domestic disaster operations. The course discusses the responsibilities different levels of government (federal, state, and local) and agencies have with respect to domestic disasters and their relationships with the private sector.

DSM 420: Information Security

A survey of one of the fastest growing international crime problems. Cyber-terrorism has been quick to emerge as an enormous threat to national security and economy. This course exposes the students to the domestic, local, national and international effects of cyber-terrorism. It provides information on the categorizations of computer criminals based on the purposes and spheres of their activities.

DSM 430: Border-Transportation Security

A study of the substantial vulnerability of the nation's land borders, ports, inland waterways, and airports to underwater and aviation related attack. This course educates students regarding operations underwater and at airports and enhances the knowledge necessary to identify, prevent, respond to, and recover from major catastrophes at our nation's borders and ports.

DSM 440: Crisis Management

A study of incident assessment and methods that determine to what degree a crisis is unfolding and then develop a strategy to manage the consequences of the crisis. This course provides students with the knowledge of how local, state, and federal agencies come together and interact in different crisis scenarios.

DSM 444: Disaster Management

This course discusses the management areas of policy, planning, coordination, response, response management, and recovery during emergencies and/or disasters; focusing on defining and analyzing the role of managers in critical situations of an unusual or severe nature resulting in injury, loss of life and/or severe property damage.

DSM 470: Legal Issues of Security

A study of criminal and civil liability issues concerning government and private entities while preventing acts of terrorism, or during the recovery process after a critical incident. Exposes students to new congressional laws, as they become effective, that apply specifically to homeland and domestic security.

DSM 475: Interviewing and Interrogation

Provides students with proven techniques which apply to both accusatory and non-accusatory interviews. Students develop skills in preparing for the interview and interrogation with emphasis on planning and strategies.

Provides the basic format and fundamentals of specialized interviewing and interrogation methods for those who have little or no experience.

DSM 490: Supervised Senior Project

(Prerequisite: Students must have fulfilled all General Education, Core Courses, and Elective Courses requirements prior to beginning this course.)

For the supervised senior project, a two month course is undertaken by students upon completion of all core courses in the program. Students select a committee and a viable topic related to domestic security to research, and present the completed project to the committee, other faculty, and peers in an open forum. Grading is by H, S, or U only. Course is eligible for an In Progress (IP) grade.

Financial Aid Program Corrections 2008-2009

SUBSIDIZED FEDERAL STAFFORD STUDENT LOAN is a loan program to assist students with educational expenses. **The 2008-2009 Interest Rate is capped at 8.25%. The following are the rates for 2008/2009: Undergraduate: 6.0%; Graduate: 6.8%.**

UNSUBSIDIZED FEDERAL STAFFORD LOAN

- up to **\$9,500** as a first year undergraduate
(at least **\$6,000** of this amount must be in unsubsidized Stafford)
- up to **\$10,500** as a second year undergraduate
(at least **\$6,000** of this amount must be in unsubsidized Stafford)
- up to **\$12,500** as a third, fourth, or fifth year undergraduate
(at least **\$7,000** of this amount must be in unsubsidized Stafford)
- up to **\$12,500** for a credential
(at least **\$7,000** of this amount must be in unsubsidized Stafford)
- up to **\$20,500** as a graduate
(at least **\$12,000** of this amount must be in unsubsidized Stafford)

Note: Students enrolled in an academic year requiring less than 36 units will be subject to a pro-rated loan.

Aggregate Stafford Loan Limits

Dependent Undergraduate: **\$31,000**
Independent Undergraduate: **\$57,000**
Graduate: **\$138,500**

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