

# Humanities Major Advising Worksheet

**CORE:** take all of the following core courses (15 units)

Course	Instructor	Semester/year
HUM 300 Junior Seminar: GVAR		
HUM 301 Form and Culture		
HUM 303 History and Culture		
HUM 425 Thought and Image or HUM 510 Comparative Culture		
HUM 690 Senior Seminar		

**ELECTIVES:** Choose 2 courses from each category, plus 1 more course not otherwise being counted, for a total of 9 courses (27 units). You may repeat HUM 375: Biography of a City for different cities as many times as you want.

## 1. Cross-Cultural

HUM 130: Major Works or 220: Values and Culture (NOTE: only 3 units lower division accepted in major)  
 HUM 317: Critical Animal Studies  
 HUM 320: Music, Ideas, Culture  
 HUM 325: Comics and Culture  
 HUM 345: Humanism and Mysticism  
 HUM 360: Styles of African Cultural Expression  
 HUM 380: Nature and Human Values  
 HUM 390: Images of Eroticism  
 HUM 415: Contemporary Culture  
 HUM 424: Multicultural Middle Ages  
 HUM 501: Judaism, Christianity and Islam  
 HUM 510: Comparative Culture (unless counted as core above)  
 HUM 540: Topics in Comics (for certain topics on advisement)

## 2. European Culture Studies

HUM 315: History of Science  
 HUM 317: Critical Animal Studies  
 HUM 375: Bio of a City (European Cities; can repeat with different cities)  
 HUM 378: Athens  
 HUM 401: Ancient Greek Literature  
 HUM 402: Ancient Roman Literature  
 HUM 403: Early Middle Ages  
 HUM 404: High Middle Ages  
 HUM 405: Art, Literature and Power in the Renaissance  
 HUM 407: Romanticism and Impressionism  
 HUM 410: The Modern Revolution  
 HUM 423: Going Medieval: Medieval Literature and Contemporary Adaptations  
 HUM 432: Nietzsche and Postmodernism  
 HUM 434: Arendt and Heidegger  
 HUM 438: The Reading Experiment: the Power of the Book  
 HUM 550: Art of Autobiography

### 3. American Culture Studies

HUM 225: American Values (NOTE: only 3 units lower division accepted in major)  
HUM 340: Bay Area Culture  
HUM 375: Bio of a City (U.S. and S. Amer. cities; can repeat with different cities)  
HUM 376: San Francisco  
HUM 441: American Jews and Popular Culture  
HUM 450: California Culture  
HUM 455: Humanities of the Americas  
HUM 470: American Autobiography  
HUM 480, 481: Thought and Culture in America (to 1880, and 1880 to Present)  
HUM 485: Arts and American Culture  
HUM 490: American Images  
HUM 540: Topics in Comics (for certain topics on advisement)

### 4. Asian and Middle Eastern Culture Studies

HUM 361: Cultural Expression in Islam  
HUM 366: India's Gandhi  
HUM 368: The Art(s) of Ritual: A Cross-Cultural Approach  
HUM 375: Bio of a City (Beijing, Cairo, Cape Town, Delhi, Istanbul, Tokyo, Shanghai)  
HUM 377: Jerusalem  
HUM 496: Islam and the Poetics of Space  
HUM 507: Art of China  
HUM 526: Culture of Japan before 1850  
HUM 527: Japan and Modernity  
HUM 530: Chinese Civilization  
HUM 531: Images of Modern China  
HUM 532: From Ghost Stories to Short Stories: Japanese Fiction in Contemp Contexts  
HUM 536: Modern South Asian Cultural Forms  
HUM 540: Topics in Comics (for certain topics on advisement)  
HUM 582: Tales from Ancient India: Hinduism and Buddhism

NOTE: up to 9 units of electives may be substituted from a related program with advisor approval; only 3 units of electives may be lower division, which means any class under 300-level.

### **TOTAL UNITS FOR MAJOR: 42**

#### **Complementary Studies (12 additional units of related, non-HUM prefix courses)**

Humanities majors must choose one of the following options for completing the complementary studies requirement (circle one and list courses below):

- A) 12 units in a single foreign language of their choosing
- B) 12 units taken in an approved study abroad program (e.g., CSU Study Abroad);
- C) 12 units taken as partial completion of a second major, a minor or a certificate;
- D) 12 units taken in a related discipline or field of study

NOTE: Up to 9 units of Complementary Studies can be double counted with the major.

Course number/title	Used in major? y/n	Semester/year	Advisor initials
1.			
2.			

3.			
4.			

**This worksheet is designed to help you plan your major, but it is not a substitute for advising.** Please consult a faculty advisor as soon as you decide to major in Humanities, and again in the semester before you expect to graduate. We encourage you to meet with your advisor whenever you need academic advice.