

Department of German and Scandinavian Requirements for the
MAJOR IN GERMAN
Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science

A. Students intending to major with a focus in German language, literature, and culture must first acquire proficiency in the German language, typically demonstrated by satisfactory completion of the third term of Second-Year German (GER 203) or a placement exam. Thereafter, students may begin to take upper-division courses taught in German. The department does not accept a grade of C- or lower in any course used to fulfill requirements for a major in German.

B. Forty-eight upper-division level credits (numbered between 300 and 499) as listed below:

- Four upper-division German language courses (16 credits)
- Eight upper-division German literature and culture courses (32 credits)

Of the requirements listed above, the following rules apply:

- Six courses must be taken in the UO Department of German and Scandinavian
- At least two courses must be 400-level courses with the GER subject code, and must be taken at the University of Oregon; one of two must be in literature, culture, or theory
- One course may be taken pass/no pass
- Up to two courses taught in English may count toward the major

C. The following courses **may not be used** to satisfy major requirements:

- GER 199 Special Studies
- GER 405 Reading and Conference
- GER 406 Special Problems
- GER 408 Workshop
- GER 409 Practicum*
- GER 470 German for Reading Knowledge I
- GER 471 German for Reading Knowledge II

* GER 409: Practicum Teaching Internship (4 credits) will satisfy a requirement for the major or minor.

D. Since all courses are not offered every year, plans should be made well in advance so that students can take prerequisites for 400-level courses. Specific questions should be addressed to departmental undergraduate German advisors.

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