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Bachelor of Arts, Philosophy

Four-Year Academic Plan (Catalog Year 2021-2022)

Freshmen Fall Semester	Completed	Freshmen Spring Semester	Completed	Sophomore Fall Semester	Completed	Sophomore Spring Semester	Completed
WRI 010: College Reading and Composition		PHIL 004* or PHIL 005**		Choose one: PHIL 001*, PHIL 002*, PHIL 003* or PHIL 009*		Upper Division PHIL History	
Choose one: PHIL 001*, PHIL 002*, PHIL 003* or PHIL 009*		Language GE		Upper Division PHIL History		Upper Division PHIL Core Area	
SPRK 001: Spark Seminar		Engineering Science GE		Natural or Engineering Science GE		Lower or Upper Division Elective	
Lower or Upper Division Elective		Lower or Upper Division Elective		Lower or Upper Division Elective		Lower or Upper Division Elective	

Junior Fall Semester	Completed	Junior Spring Semester	Completed	Senior Fall Semester	Completed	Senior Spring Semester	Completed
Upper Division PHIL Applications ⁺		Upper Division PHIL Applications [^]		Upper Division PHIL Elective		PHIL 191 (1 unit)	
Upper Division PHIL Core Area#		Upper Division PHIL Elective [®]		Upper Division Elective		Culminating Experience	
Lower or Upper Division Elective		Upper Division Elective		Upper Division Elective		Upper Division Elective	
Lower or Upper Division Elective		Upper Division Elective				Upper Division Elective (3 units)	

Notes:

A list of courses that meet GE can be found at: https://catalog.ucmerced.edu/content.php?catoid=20&navoid=1856

*: Arts & Humanities GE

**: Quantitative GE

+: Science GE

^: Social Science GE

#: Crossroads Course

@: Writing in the Discipline

Key				
Upper Division Elective Course (100-199)	A course in any discipline numbered 100-199 that you meet the prerequisite for.			
Elective Course (001-199)	A course in any discipline numbered from 001-199 that you meet the prerequisite for			

The four-year plans presented in this sample plan demonstrate the recommended sequencing and timing of the required and elective components within each major. In many cases, a student's academic background will require variations in the timing of the coursework listed in the plan. All students are expected to work with their academic advisor to find their best pathway through the degree requirements of their chosen program.

Additionally, this academic plan is an unofficial document intended to be used for advising / course planning only. This academic plan does not take into account any coursework completed outside of UC Merced by way of transferred credits from other institutions or credit awarded through test scores. This document cannot be used to supersede or waive requirements listed in the UC Merced catalog unless approved by your advisor or the faculty, and course availability is not guaranteed.

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