



2009/2010 Program Planner: CERTIFICATE IN GERMAN STUDIES

Name: _____ Student Number: _____

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Prospective students must apply to Simon Fraser University for admission and meet the normal admission requirements prior to undertaking this Certificate.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

The German Language Certificate consists of a minimum of 21 credits.

GERMAN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

Students must complete four language courses including all of:

- GERM 102-3 Introductory German I
- GERM 103-3 Introductory German II
- GERM 201-3 Intermediate German I

Plus one of:

- GERM 104-3 German for Reading Knowledge I
- GERM 202-3 Intermediate German II
- GERM 300-3 Advanced German: Composition and Conversation

ADDITIONAL COURSES

- A minimum of 3 courses (9 credits) dealing with the cultural heritage of German-speaking countries such as German literature, linguistics, civilization, history, philosophy, politics and selected from the following list:

- ENGL 392-4 Studies in World Literatures in English*
- FPA 137-3 The history and Aesthetics of Cinema II*
- FPA 337-3 Intermediate Selected Topics in Film and Video Studies*
- HIST 224-3 Europe from the French Revolution to the First World War
- HIST 225-3 20th Century Europe
- HIST 332-4 Politics and Culture in Modern Germany
- HIST 337-4 The Balance of Power in Europe
- HIST 338-4 World War II
- HIST 401-4 Problems in Modern German History
- HIST 412-4 Marxism and the Writing of History
- HIST 414-4 The Impact of the Great War
- HUM 240-3 Studies in Modern European Culture*
- HUM 307-4 Carolingian Civilization
- HUM 340-4 Great Cities in Their Time*
- HUM 350-4 Great Figures in Humanistic Tradition*
- PHIL 151-3 History of Philosophy II
- PHIL 280-3 Introduction to Existentialism
- PHIL 451-4 Kant
- POL 348-4 Theories of War, Peace and Conflict Resolution*
- POL 444-4 Politics and Foreign Policy of the European Union

* providing that content of the course covers primarily Germany and its people (e.g., literature, film and/or video, great figures). These asterisked courses require approval by the Language Training Institute.

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NOTES:

- Some of the courses have specific pre-requisites. It is the student's responsibility to ensure that all pre-requisites are met for upper division courses listed in this program.

Transfer Credits

A maximum of 6 transfer credits of 100-level German language courses (only GERM 102-3 and GERM 103-3) may be counted towards this Certificate.

Course Challenge Credits

A maximum of 6 credits of 100-level language courses (only GERM 102-3 and GERM 103-3) may be challenged for credit within the Certificate.

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