# RELIGIOUS STUDIES COURSES BY TRACK
## Spring 2024

## TRACK 1: Comparative Religious Studies
### Religions of Asia, Euro, Middle East, or Mediterranean World

### Lower Division
- **RS 312C**  Intro to Buddhism
- **RS 312E**  Yoga Past and Present
- **RS 313N**  Jewish Civilization: 1492 to the Present
- **RS 315C**  The Bible and its Interpreters
- **RS 315N**  Intro to the New Testament
- **RS 318**  The Rise of Christianity

### Upper Division
- **RS 335C**  Political Ideologies and Manifestos
- **RS 341U**  Devotional Literature of India
- **RS 342C**  Major Islamic Texts
- **RS 353E**  Beyond the New Testament
- **RS 353F**  Interpretation of Jesus’ Death and Resurrection
- **RS 353P**  Paul and His Social World
- **RS 356P**  People Midnight Sun Sami Culture and Civilization
- **RS 357C**  Machiavelli: Politics and Culture *(LAH students only)*
- **RS 357E**  Jews of Eastern Europe
- **RS 357G**  Geography of Religion in Eastern Europe and Russia
- **RS 361**  Religion and Astrology in Ancient Mediterranean

### Religions of Africa, Africa Diaspora, or the Americas

### Lower Division
- **RS 316C**  History of Religion in the United States

### Upper Division
- **RS 345**  Islamic Spain and North Africa to 1492
- **RS 346I**  Unbelief in America
- **RS 360C**  African Religious Culture and Creativity
- **RS 368C**  When Christ Was King

### Comparative Themes

### Lower Division
- **RS 305**  Intro to the Philosophy of Religion
- **RS 306C**  Comparative Religious Ethics
- **RS 306E**  Ethics of Space Exploration
- **RS 307**  Intro to Interreligious Dynamics

### Upper Division
- **RS 335C**  Political Ideologies and Manifestos
- **RS 352S**  Japanese Concepts of Body and Self

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**Notes:**
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Track II: Global Interreligious Dynamics

Contemporary Interreligious Dynamics
Lower Division
- R S 313N  Jewish Civilization: 1492 to the Present
- R S 316C  History of Religion in the United States

Upper Division
- R S 345  Islamic Spain and North Africa to 1492
- R S 356P  People Midnight Sun Sami Culture and Civilization
- R S 360  African Religious Culture and Creativity
- R S 368C  When Christ Was King
- R S 361  Multiculturalism in Jordan* maymester course

Historical Interreligious Dynamics
Lower Division
- R S 312C  Intro to Buddhism
- R S 318  The Rise of Christianity

Upper Division
- R S 357E  Jews of Eastern Europe
- R S 361  Religion and Astrology in Ancient Mediterranean

Track III: Religion, Ethics, and Social Justice

Religious Ethics and Moral Traditions
Lower Division
- R S 305  Intro to the Philosophy of Religion
- R S 306C  Comparative Religious Ethics
- R S 306E  Ethics of Space Exploration
- R S 307  Intro to Interreligious Dynamics
- R S 312E  Yoga Past and Present

Upper Division
- R S 342C  Major Islamic Texts
- R S 358R  Islamic Ethics
- R S 373L  Science, Magic, and Religion

Human Rights and Social Justice
Lower Division
- NONE

Upper Division

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