

DANCE STUDIES



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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

A. REQUIREMENTS:

- Six units in dance studies (history, theory, and critical and cultural studies) including Dance 201 and a 300-level junior seminar course before senior year. With departmental permission, one unit of this requirement can be fulfilled by a history, theory, or critical or cultural studies course in music, literature, or art.

Dance 201 Junior Seminar _____ _____ _____ _____

- Five units in dance studio (technique, improvisation, choreography, and performance), including Dance 211 or 311 and one unit of choreography or improvisation.

Dance 211 _____ _____ _____ _____

- Must achieve 300-level technical proficiency in one dance form and 200-level technical proficiency in a second dance form). _____

- Production requirement (25 hours, arranged in consultation with the department, or completion of Theatre 100 or 201, or a course in stagecraft or production). _____

At least one unit of the above requirements must be met through a course or courses focusing outside the Euro-American dance tradition.

B. JUNIOR QUALIFYING EXAM

C. THESIS 470 (DANCE)

DIVISIONAL REQUIREMENTS

EACH MAJOR IS EXPECTED TO COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

Two units of a second-year college foreign language course _____ _____

Approval of all independent study (481) courses by the division

CREDIT AND DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS

Humanities: HUM 110 or equivalent (3 units) _____

Distribution requirements must be fulfilled with 3 units in each of the following groups. 2 Units must come from the same subject and the third unit must come from a different subject.

Group 1 Art, ANME (language and literature), Comparative Literature, CRES, Creative Writing, Dance, Languages, Literature, Music, Philosophy, Theatre _____ _____ _____

Group 2 Anthropology, ANME (archaeology and history), CRES, Economics, ICPS, History, Linguistics, Political Science, Religion, Sociology _____ _____ _____

Group 3 Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, Physics, Psychology. *A substantial portion of at least one unit must be devoted to primary data collection and analysis.* _____ _____ _____

Notes: No course can count towards more than one group. 200-level Humanities courses not used for the Humanities requirement can apply to either Group 1 or Group 2, but not both. A maximum of 2 units can come from language courses. If 2 units are being taken in language courses, the 2 units must be in the same language.

30 units of coursework, 15 of which must be taken at Reed _____/30

6 quarters of Physical Education, 2 of which may come from Community Engagement programs _____/6

6 units completed during senior year _____/6