

**CREECA Undergraduate Course List**  
**Russian, East European, and Central Asian Studies**  
**Spring 2019 (Term 1194)**  
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This list is provisional, and there may be changes in the timetable by the beginning of term. Please consult the course guide (<https://registrar.wisc.edu/course-guide/>) to see the full roster of courses.

Courses marked with † denote an honors course. Courses marked with \* must contain 25% or more content area in REECAS to count towards the certificate; please check with the professor to verify REECAS content of the course for the spring 2019 semester *before* enrolling and then get final approval from CREECA Assistant Director Kelly Iacobazzi. Please report any omissions or corrections to Kelly Iacobazzi (iacobazzi@wisc.edu).

## **AREA STUDIES COURSES**

### **GROUP I: INTERDISCIPLINARY SURVEY**

253 Russia: An Interdisciplinary Survey (Van De Water, LEC TR 1:00-2:15 and DISC W) (x-list Slavic 253, Geography 253, History 253, Political Science 253)

### **GROUP II: HISTORY AND THE SOCIAL SCIENCES**

#### **Geography**

318\* Introduction to Geopolitics (Kaiser, TR 2:30-3:45)  
340\* World Regions in a Global Context (Olds, online course)  
518\* Power, Place and Identity (Kaiser, M 3:30-6:00)

#### **History**

201 The Historian's Craft: Civilians and War on WWII's Eastern Front (LEC001: Ciancia, LEC TR 11:00-12:15, + Discussion)  
201 Russia Engages America, America Engages Russia (LEC002: Hirsch, LEC MWF 8:50-9:40 + Discussion)  
220 Introduction to Modern Jewish History (Bitzan, TR 1:00-2:15, x-list with Jewish Studies 220)  
350 The First World War and the Shaping of Twentieth-Century Europe (Ussishkin, *online with discussion*)  
515\* Holocaust: History, Memory and Education (Schweber, M 4:00-6:30, x-listed with Curric 515, Jewish 515)\*  
518\* Anti-Semitism in European Culture (Bitzan, TR 9:30-10:45, x-list with Jewish Studies 518)

#### **Jewish Studies**

220 Introduction to Modern Jewish History (Bitzan, TR 1:00-2:15, x-list with History 220)  
518\* Anti-Semitism in European Culture (Bitzan, TR 9:30-10:45, x-list with History 518)

#### **Political Science**

120\* Politics Around the World (Ringe, TR 9:30-10:45)  
340 European Union: Politics and Political Economy (Ringe, TR 4:00-5:15)  
377\* Nuclear Weapons and World Politics (Kydd, MW 9:55-10:45)  
401\* Topics in Political Science: Global Access to Justice (Hendley, TR 8:00-9:15)  
659 Politics and Society: Contemporary Eastern Europe (Nikolova, TR 9:30-10:45)

### **GROUP III: LITERATURE AND THE ARTS**

#### **Art History**

305 History of Islamic Art and Architecture (Pruitt, MW 2:30-3:45)

#### **Folklore**

444 Slavic and East European Folklore (Longinovic, TR 11:00-12:15, x-list with Slavic 444)

#### **Jewish Studies**

230 Topics in Jewish Literature: Russia & the Jews: World of Revolution (Zilbergerts, TR 11:00-12:15)  
[Meets with Littrans 247, Slavic 245]

318 Modern Jewish Literature (Hollander, TR 2:30-3:45 + Discussion, x-list with Littrans 318)

432\* Intermediate Topics in Jewish Philosophy and Arts: Problem of Evil in Jewish & Christian Literature  
(Zilbergerts, TR 9:30-10:45)

#### **Literature in Translation**

202 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature II (Reynolds, MWF 9:55-10:45)

204 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature II (Reynolds, MWF 9:55-10:45 + Discussion)

207† Slavic Science Fiction through Literature and Film (Danaher, TR 2:30-3:45)

218 Polish Literature in Translation: Late 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries (TBD, MW 4:00-5:15)

221 Gogol in Translation (Reynolds, MWF 12:05-12:55) *meets with SL 421's lecture*

224 Tolstoy in Translation (Ospovat, MWF 11:00 – 11:50) *meets with SL 424's lecture*

234 Soviet Life and Culture through Literature and Art from 1917 (Tishler, MWF 2:25-3:15)

241 Literature and Culture of Eastern Europe (Mitrovic, TR 2:30-3:45 *meets with Slavic 242*)

247 Topics in Slavic Literatures: Russia and the Jews: The World of Revolution (Zilbergerts, TR 11:00-12:15) [Meets with Slavic 245 and Jewish Studies 230]

279 Yiddish Literature and Culture in America (Hollander, TR 1:00-2:15)

318 Modern Jewish Literature (Hollander, TR 2:30-3:45 + Discussion, x-list with Jewish Studies 318)

#### **Slavic Literature**

242 Literature and Culture of Eastern Europe (Mitrovic, MW 2:30-3:45 *meets with Littrans 241*)

245 Topics in Slavic Literatures: Russia and the Jews: The World of Revolution (Zilbergerts, TR 11:00-12:15) [Meets with Littrans 247 and Jewish Studies 230]

285† Slavic Culture in Context: Language and World View: Language, Culture, Mind (Danaher, MWF 1:20-2:10)

342 *Uvod u srpsku i hrvtsku lit* (Mitrovic, MWF 12:05-12:55 *readings in Serbo-Croatian*)

421 Gogol (Andrew, MWF 12:05-12:55 LEC + T 12:05-12:55 DISC)

424 Tolstoy (Ospovat, MWF 11:00-11:50 LEC + T 11:00-11:50 DISC)

434 Contemporary Russian Culture (Karpukhin, MWF 12:05-12:55 *taught in Russian*)

444 Slavic & East European Folklore (Longinovic, TR 11:00-12:15 x-list with Folklore 444)

472 *Historia Literatury Polskiej Po Roku 1863* (TBD, MW 4:00-5:15 *readings in Polish*)