

**CREECA Undergraduate Course List**  
**Russian, East European, and Central Asian Studies**  
**Fall 2021 (term 1222), Updated July 1, 2021**

This list is provisional, and there may be changes in the timetable by the beginning of term. Please consult the Undergraduate Guide (<http://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/>) for more information.

Courses marked with \* must contain 25% or more content area in REECAS to count towards the undergraduate certificate in REECAS or the FLAS fellowship; please check with the professor to verify REECAS content of the course for the fall semester *before* enrolling and then get final approval from the REECAS advisor. Please report any omissions or corrections to CREECA Assistant Director Sarah Linkert (sarah.linkert@wisc.edu).

**AREA STUDIES COURSES**

**GROUP I: INTERDISCIPLINARY**

(Group I courses will be offered again in spring 2022)

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

**Geography**

- 318\* Introduction to Geopolitics (Kaiser, TR 1:00 – 2:15pm, 444 Science Hall)
- 340\* World Regions in Global Context (Olds; online course)

**History**

- 223 Explorations in European History- The Holocaust (Bitzan, MWF 11:00 – 11:50 am; Discussion 301 R 8:50 – 9:40 am; 302 R 9:55 - 10:45 am; 303 R 12:05 – 12:55 pm; 304 R 1:20 – 2:10 pm)
- 357 The Second World War (Roberts, TR 11:00 – 12:15 pm; Discussion 301 W 8:50 – 9:40 am; 302 W 9:55 - 10:45 am; 303 W 1:20 – 2:10 pm; 304 2:25 – 3:15 pm)
- 418 History of Russia (McDonald, MW 2:30-3:45)

**Jewish Studies**

- 230 Russia & Jews: Tradition (Zilbergerts, TR 2:30 -3:45 pm)
- 231 The Holocaust (Bitzan, MWF 11:00 – 11:50 am; Discussion 301 R 8:50 – 9:40 am; 302 R 9:55 - 10:45 am; 303 R 12:05 – 12:55 pm; 304 R 1:20 – 2:10 pm)

**Political Science**

- 120\* Intro to Comparative Politics (Ringe, TR 11:00-12:15 + Disc)
- 201 Law & Disorder in Russia (Hendley, 8:00 – 9:15). *FIG seminar. Open only to students in the First-Year Interest Group*

**GROUP III: LITERATURE AND THE ARTS**

**English**

- 223 Vladimir Nabokov: Russian and American Writings (Karpukhin, MWF 11:00-11:50, x-list LitTrans 223)

**Jewish Studies**

- 230 Elementary Topics in Jewish Literature - Russia & Jews: Tradition (Zilbergerts, TR 2:30 -3:45 pm)
- 231 Elementary Topics in Jewish History - The Holocaust (Bitzan, MWF 11:00 – 11:50 am; Discussion 301 R 8:50 – 9:40 am; 302 R 9:55 - 10:45 am; 303 R 12:05 – 12:55 pm; 304 R 1:20 – 2:10 pm)

### Literature in Translation

- 201 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature I (Ospovat, MWF 11:00 – 11:50, 3 cr)
- 203 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Russian Literature I (Ospovat, MWF 11:00 – 11:50, Lec + disc, 4 cr)
- 205 Women in Russian Literature (Evans-Romaine, MWF 11:00-11:50, x-list GEN&WS 205)
- 215 Polish Literature in Translation: 14<sup>th</sup> to the mid-19<sup>th</sup> Century (Wodzynski, TR 1:00 – 2:15 pm)
- 220 Chekhov in Translation (Hanukai, TR 11:00 – 12:15 pm)
- 222 Dostoevsky in Translation (Reynolds, MWF 12:05-12:55)
- 223 Vladimir Nabokov: Russian and American Writings (Karpukhin, MWF 11:00-11:50, x-list Eng 223)
- 233 Russian Life and Culture through Literature and Art to 1917 (Tishler, MWF 2:25-3:15 Lec only for 3 credits or with Disc T 2:25-3:15 for 4 credits)
- 247 Topics in Slavic Literatures in Translation – Russia & Jews: Traditions (Zilbergerts, TR 2:30 – 3:45pm); Reading Putin's Russia (Ospovat, MWF 1:20 – 2:10 pm); Adventure in Literature & Film (Wodzynski, TR 2:30 – 3:45 pm)
- 471 Polish Literature in Translation: Middle Ages to 1863 (Wodzynski, TR 1:00 – 2:15 pm)

### Slavic Literature

- 245 Adventure in Literature & Film (Wodzynski, TR 2:30 – 3:45 pm), Reading Putin's Russia (Ospovat, MWF 1:20 – 2:10 pm), Russia & Jews: Traditions (Zilbergerts, TR 2:30 – 3:45pm)
- 433 History of Russian Culture (entirely in Russian) (Karpukhin, MWF 12:05-12:55)
- 470 *Historia literatury polskiej do roku 1863* (readings in Polish) (Wodzynski, TR 1:00 – 2:15 pm)
- 560 Capstone Seminar in Russian Literature and Culture (Tumarkin, TR 1:00 – 2:15 pm)