

# INTEGRATED STUDIES, MASTER OF ARTS

Minimum Total Hours (Thesis): 33  
Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis): 33

Program Code: M575

## Thesis Option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
LSTD 5003	Introduction to Graduate Interdisciplinary Studies	3
LSTD 5013	Interdisciplinary Foundations	3
LSTD 5043	Research Methods in Interdisciplinary Studies	3
<i>Independent Study</i>		
Choose nine hours in any combination from the following:		9
LSTD 5213	Interdisciplinary Study in the Humanities	
LSTD 5313	Interdisciplinary Study in the Social Sciences	
LSTD 5413	Interdisciplinary Study in Natural Sciences	
<b>Core Courses</b>		
<i>Thesis</i>		
LSTD 5980	Research for Master's Thesis	6
<b>Electives</b>		
All students must complete nine hours from the following courses or other courses as approved by program advisor and Graduate Liaison:		9
LSTD 5700	Advanced Topics in Interdisciplinary Studies	
LSTD 5960	Directed Readings in Interdisciplinary Studies	
Total Credit Hours		33

## Non-Thesis Option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
LSTD 5003	Introduction to Graduate Interdisciplinary Studies	3
LSTD 5013	Interdisciplinary Foundations	3
LSTD 5043	Research Methods in Interdisciplinary Studies	3
<i>Independent Study</i>		
Choose nine hours in any combination from the following:		9
LSTD 5213	Interdisciplinary Study in the Humanities	
LSTD 5313	Interdisciplinary Study in the Social Sciences	
LSTD 5413	Interdisciplinary Study in Natural Sciences	
<b>Core Courses</b>		
<i>Completion (Non-Thesis)</i>		

Choose six hours in one of the following:		6
LSTD 5940	Research Project in Liberal Studies	
LSTD 5920	Internship in Liberal Studies	
Advanced coursework as approved by advisor and Graduate Liaison		

<b>Electives</b>		
All students must complete nine hours from the following courses or other courses as approved by program advisor and Graduate Liaison:		9
LSTD 5700	Advanced Topics in Interdisciplinary Studies	
LSTD 5960	Directed Readings in Interdisciplinary Studies	

Total Credit Hours 33

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The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 32 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.