



OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF _____ TO BE SELECTED _____

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS MATRICULATING IN ACADEMIC YEAR: 2007-08

BACHELOR OF UNIVERSITY STUDIES

MAJOR UNIVERSITY STUDIES OPTION: (MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDIES)

MINIMUM OVERALL GRADE-POINT AVERAGE: 2.00 TOTAL HOURS: 120*

OTHER GPA REQUIREMENTS, SEE BELOW.

PURPOSE

The bachelor's degree in multidisciplinary studies is a four-year degree plan for students who find that current University degree programs will not allow them to meet their educational objectives and who wish to tailor course choices to meet individual goals. The program allows students to prepare for professional careers that require extensive knowledge in a broad array of subjects. The multidisciplinary program allows students to focus on two or three areas of study that are selected by the student.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

1. The student must complete 120 semester hours of which at least 45 hours must be upper division*. At least 27 hours in the areas of concentration must be upper division.
2. The program requires two or three areas of concentration. If the student selects two areas of concentration, each area will include at least 27 hours of course work from the requirements for a minor or certificate. For three areas of concentration, each area will include at least 18 hours of course work from the requirements for a minor or certificate. If a minor or certificate is not available in the area of concentration, the student's course work must receive approval from a faculty member in the area. A course may not be used to fulfill the requirements of more than one area of concentration. The remaining course work, to total 120 hours, may be selected from different disciplines.
3. A study may use 18 hours of "major" courses from an AA or AS degree to fulfill one of three areas of concentration. The other two areas of concentration will include at least 27 hours of upper-division course work.
4. All students who intend to present a program for multidisciplinary studies must enroll in one of the colleges of the University (select one of the colleges responsible for an area of concentration).
5. The study plan must meet all General Education requirements of the University and the college of enrollment.
6. A multidisciplinary studies faculty advisory committee will oversee program quality and conduct an annual curriculum review.

AREAS OF CONCENTRATION

Concentration 1	27 hours
Concentration 2	27 hours

OR

Concentration 1	18 hours
Concentration 2	18 hours
Concentration 3	18 hours

PROCEDURE

Students who believe their educational objectives can best be fulfilled through a multidisciplinary studies program will be responsible for complying with the following procedures:

1. Obtain the multidisciplinary studies form from the director of student academic services in the college of enrollment. The form will list the General Education requirements for the college.
2. Meet with an adviser to determine the student's educational objectives and the two or three areas of concentration.
3. Obtain approval from a faculty member in an area of concentration if the department does not have a minor or certificate.
4. Submit the completed form to the office of the dean in the college of enrollment for approval. The form will be forwarded to the Office of the Provost.
5. Fulfill the approved graduation requirement for the degree and apply for graduation before the final semester of course work.

*60 hours must be completed at a four-year institution.

Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation (date at first enrollment) & any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation.