

# LANGUAGES AND CULTURAL STUDIES



The Department of Languages and Cultural Studies fosters research and teaching in modern and classical languages, literatures, and cultures at the undergraduate and graduate levels, in native languages and in translation. The Department prepares students for professional training, graduate study, and for a global market in which knowledge of other languages and cultures is increasingly essential.

## Languages

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- French
- German
- Greek
- Italian
- Latin
- Russian
- Arabic

## Skills you'll acquire

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- Critical and analytical thinking skills
- Conversational and writing skills
- Cultural awareness
- Intercultural competence
- Presentation and didactic skills
- Interpretive, linguistic, and rhetorical skills







**Claire Garfield '20**, Biology major and French minor, was awarded the Barry Goldwater Fellowship; the DAAD-Rise Fellowship; and, most recently, the prestigious and highly competitive Marshall Scholarship.

## A sampling of our courses

- Contemporary Italy
- Crime and Punishment in World Literature
- French Cinema
- Latin & Greek Origins of Medicine

## Careers to explore

You'll gain the knowledge and skills to work in many different professions, including:

- Advocacy
- Business
- Foreign Language Education
- Government Services
- International Relations

## We host the following programs:

- French Language, Literature & Culture
- Italian Language, Literature & Culture
- Italian-American Studies (minor)
- Russian Language, Literature & Culture (minor)
- Latin/Classics (minor)
- Greek/Classics (minor)
- German Language & Culture
- Arabic Language & Culture
- World Language Teacher Preparation (French, Italian, Spanish, Chinese, Japanese & Korean)



### **Caroline Studer '21, French Language and Literature**

"My favorite class was HUF 211: French cinema - I loved getting exposure to French movies not only from France but also Canada, Belgium, and several countries in Africa. It was beneficial to hear the many different French accents."



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