Korean Studies, Minor

The undergraduate minor in Korean studies requires a minimum of 15 s.h., with a minimum of 9 s.h. completed at the University of Iowa. Students must maintain a g.p.a. of at least 2.00 in all courses for the minor and in all UI courses for the minor. Course work in the minor may not be taken pass/nonpass.

A maximum of 6 s.h. in transfer course work may be selected from Ewha Womans University, the University of Seoul, Kyung Hee University, or other universities in South Korea. Prior approval of transfer course work by the Korean program coordinator is required.

Required Courses

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Electives

Students proficient through upper-level Korean language courses (more advanced than third-year Korean or with a Test of Proficiency in Korean [TOPIK] level of 3 or higher) and who have an approved waiver from the Korean program coordinator may substitute 6 s.h. of other course work from the list below instead of completing the Korean language requirement.

Students who do not have a waiver must complete a minimum of 3 s.h. in a related area elective. They can select a course from the list below or consult with the Korean program coordinator for approval to take a different elective course.

Students select 6 s.h. from the following (consult Korean program coordinator for options involving study abroad or waivers).

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<td>KORE:3070</td>
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Study Abroad

Students may select a maximum of 6 s.h. (one or two courses per year) from courses offered by Ewha Womans University, the University of Seoul, Kyung Hee University, or other universities in South Korea eligible for credit transfer. Consult the Korean program coordinator before undertaking study abroad work.