

MINOR IN JUDAIC STUDIES

Jewish history stretches back over three-thousand years and spans the globe. Students who minor in Jewish studies will explore Jewish societies and cultures in their profound variety. Not only will students learn the fundamentals of the Jewish religion and Jewish thought, but they will also use these to reflect upon the broader world in which Jews have lived. The study of Jewish experience through history can be a key to deeper insights into world history. Our program offers a focus on the history and meaning of the Holocaust, the study of which helps students to think critically about the modern world and their responsibilities to it. The Center for Judaic and Holocaust Studies organizes a robust selection of extra-curricular activities, often in partnership with the student-led Club for Jewish Culture. These supplement classroom instruction and offer opportunities for active participation and student leadership. Study Abroad trips to various locations around the world may be taken for credit, based upon availability. Hebrew language may also be taken for minor credit.

For more information, visit the Center for Judaic and Holocaust Studies at Youngstown State University (<https://jewishstudies.yosu.edu/>).

| COURSE | TITLE | S.H. |
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| HIST 1512 | World Civilization from 1500 | 3 |
| REL 2601 | Introduction to World Religions | 3 |
| HIST 3789 | Jewish History | 3 |
| JUDC 3751 | Lessons of the Holocaust and the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum | 3 |
| Select two of the following: | | 6 |
| HIST 3798 | Middle East 2: The Modern Period | |
| HIST 3788 | The Holocaust | |
| REL 3731 | Hebrew Scriptures | |
| HBRW 2605 | Advanced Intermediate Hebrew | |
| Total Semester Hours | | 18 |