**CHECKLIST FOR GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES - BACHELOR OF ARTS**

Minimum of 132 s.h. required for graduation (36 s.h. must be 300/400-level courses)

(Additional hours to total 132 s.h. -- includes second major, minor, and elective hours.)

Name________________________________________ I.D. # __________________________________________

### General Studies Requirements (56-60 sh)

**FIRST-YEAR CORE:**
- GST 110 - Global Experience (4 s.h.)
- ENG 110 - Writing: Argument & Inquiry (4 s.h.) (C- or better required for graduation)
- MTH 110 or 151 or 220 (4 s.h.)

**Experiential Learning Requirement (ELR – 2 units required):**
Included in experiential learning are study abroad, research, service-learning, leadership, internships, (including co-ops, teaching, and practicum), or other courses or experiences with ELR designation

**Foreign Language Requirement:**
Students must meet one of the following: (a) complete a language course numbered 122 or higher at Elon, or receive transfer or study abroad credit for the same; (b) place into a language course numbered 200 or above upon arriving at Elon, using a department of foreign languages approved placement instrument; (c) score a 4 or 5 on an AP language exam or similar exam. Each student must take the language placement test by October 1 of his or her first full year at Elon. Students are allowed two tries; the higher score is counted. That score stands and may not be repeated by later testing.

**STUDIES IN THE ARTS AND SCIENCES:**
[Transfer students with at least 18 s.h. of transfer credit must complete 32 hours total in Studies in the Arts & Sciences, but may have as few as 7 hours in one or more of the four Studies in the Arts & Sciences areas.]

- **Expression** (8 s.h.)
  - Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: literature (in English or foreign languages), philosophy, & fine arts (art, art history, dance, fine arts, music, music theatre, & theatre).
  - At least one course must be literature.

- **Civilization** *(REL 110)* (8 s.h.)
  - Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: history, foreign languages, and religious studies.

- **Society** (8 s.h.)
  - Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: economics, geography, human service studies, political science, psychology, & sociology/anthropology.

- **Science/Analysis** *(Lab:___)* (8 s.h.)
  - Eight hours chosen from one or more of the following: mathematics/statistics, science, computer science and information science. One course must be a physical or biological laboratory science.

**ADVANCED STUDIES** (Must be outside major.)

- (8 s.h.)
  - Eight hours of 300-400 level coursework outside the major field and chosen from areas under Studies in the Arts and Sciences.

GST Interdisciplinary Capstone Seminar (4 s.h.)
[300-400 level GST course; requires junior/senior status.]

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### Major Requirements

A minimum of 40 s.h. in the following courses is required.

- REL 110 (4) – Religion in a Global Context

Choose one course from the following:

- REL 201 (4) – Buddhist Traditions
- REL 202 (4) – Hindu Traditions
- REL 203 (4) – Islamic Traditions

Choose one course from the following:

- REL 204 (4) – Christian Traditions
- REL 205 (4) – Jewish Traditions
- REL 211 (4) – The Hebrew Bible (Old Testament)
- REL 212 (4) – New Testament and Early Christian Literature

- REL 292 (4) – Approaches to the Study of Religion
- REL 492 (4) – Senior Seminar

An additional 5 courses, at least one 400-level topic seminar and not more than one additional 200-level course. (20 sh)

Major Total (s.h.)

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*Required in major; may count in General Studies.*