

IRAN & PERSIAN STUDIES, MINOR

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Of MSA 181A and/or MSA 182A

College of Letters & Science

The Iran & Persian Studies Minor is an interdisciplinary minor that allows students to learn about the pre-modern and modern history, cultures, societies, and diasporas of the peoples of Iran, Afghanistan, and Tajikistan as well as other users of Persian in West Asia, Central Asia, and South Asia. The Iran & Persian Studies Minor is open to undergraduates in all four colleges.

Minor Advisor

Middle East/South Asia Studies Advising Office (<https://mesa.ucdavis.edu/advising-office/>)

Code	Title	Units
<i>Middle East/South Asia Studies</i>		
MSA 100	Middle East & South Asia: Comparative Perspectives	4
MSA 180	Topics in Middle East & South Asian Studies	4
MSA 181A or MSA 182A	Topics in Regional ME/SA Studies Undergraduate Seminar in Iranian & Persianate Studies	4
<i>History</i>		
HIS 190D or HIS 193D	Middle Eastern History IV: Safavids Iran, 1300-1720 History of Modern Iran, From 1850 to Present	4
<i>Core Course List</i>		
Choose additional electives from Core Course list:		4-8
COM 155	Classical Literatures of the Islamic World 600-1900	
HIS 190D	Middle Eastern History IV: Safavids Iran, 1300-1720	
HIS 193D	History of Modern Iran, From 1850 to Present	
MSA 131A/ CTS 146A or CTS 146A/ MSA 131A	Modern Iranian Cinema Modern Iranian Cinema	
MSA 151A	Iranian Society & Culture	
MSA 181A	Topics in Regional ME/SA Studies	
MSA 182A	Undergraduate Seminar in Iranian & Persianate Studies	
With prior consultation with an advisor, students can petition in advance the Program Committee to accept:		
Other elective courses toward the minor program if the content is 50% or more on the Iranian and Persian World. Under no circumstances may more than one lower division course be offered in satisfaction of requirements for the minor.		
More than 4 units ¹ towards the minor program.		
Total Units		20-24