

Cultural Studies, M.A.

The Master of Cultural Studies requires a minimum of 24 semester hours in coursework and 6 semester hours of thesis, for a minimum total of 30 semester hours. All students will follow the Thesis Option or the Course-Only Option below.

Thesis Option

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
Core Requirements		
CULS 5300	Cultural Stds & Text Analysis	3
CULS 5301	Methods Cultural Stds Theory	3
Thesis Requirement		
CULS 5306	Thesis Research	3
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Approved Electives *		
ENGL, SPAN, or CULS Elective		3
ENGL, SPAN, or CULS Elective		3
ENGL, SPAN, or CULS Elective		3
ENGL, SPAN, or CULS Elective		3
ENGL, SPAN, or CULS Elective		3
ENGL, SPAN, or CULS Elective		3
Total Semester Credit Hours		30

* Students wishing to graduate with an English concentration must take 18 graduate-level credit hours of ENGL courses. Students wishing to graduate with a Spanish concentration must take 18 hours of graduate-level SPAN courses.

Course Only Option

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
Core Requirements		
CULS 5300	Cultural Stds & Text Analysis	3
CULS 5301	Methods Cultural Stds Theory	3
Approved Electives		
ENGL, SPAN, or CULS Elective ¹		3
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Elective ²		3
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Total Semester Credit Hours		33

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² Students can take up to two free elective graduate-level courses from other programs with the approval of the graduate coordinator.