

INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BS) - CONCENTRATION IN LEADERSHIP STUDIES

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Curriculum Guide

GPA Requirement

Major GPA: 2.0 or higher
Overall GPA: 2.0 or higher

Summary*

Code	Title	Hours
Rock Studies 2 Requirements		42
Other Basic Requirements		0-3
Major/Concentration Requirements		42
Electives		36

* All undergraduate degree programs require a minimum of 120 credits. Some courses meet multiple requirements, but are only counted once toward the 120 credit total required to graduate.

Rock Studies 2 Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
The Rock		
SUBJ 139	Foundations of Academic Discovery ¹	3
ENGL 102	Critical Writing	3
ENGL 104	Critical Reading	3
MATH 117	Quantitative Reasoning	3
Select one of the following:		3
COMM 200	Civil Discourse: Theory & Practice	
PHIL 110	Ethics and Civil Discourse	
POLS 235	Civil Discourse and Democracy	
Subtotal		15

Integrated Inquiry

<i>Creative and Aesthetic Inquiry</i>		
Select 3 Credits (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
<i>Humanities Inquiry</i>		
Select 3 Credits (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
<i>Social Science Inquiry</i>		

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<i>Natural Science Inquiry</i>		
SCI 101	Science of Life	3
<i>Physical Science Inquiry</i>		
SCI 102	Understanding the Physical World	3
Subtotal		15
Thematic Thread		
Select 12 Credits (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/) ²		12
Subtotal		12
Total Hours		42

- ¹ Course offered in multiple subjects; cannot take course in first major subject.
² One course from each category; six credits must be 300-level or above; no more than 4 credits from one subject area; specific courses required in first major, regardless of prefix of course, cannot be used to satisfy thread requirements; any course with same prefix as first major cannot be used to satisfy thread requirements, even if it is not a course in the first major.

Basic Math Requirement

Check with your adviser or a current degree audit report to see if you have been exempted from this course. The credit earned in this course will not be counted toward the 120 credit hour minimum needed to earn a degree.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete one of the following:		
Meet required minimum SAT or ACT math score OR		
ESAP 110	Beginning Algebra	0-3
Total Hours		0-3

DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION REQUIREMENT

Students must take and pass a course with the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) designation prior to graduation. Students can meet this requirement by taking any DEI - designated course in any program at any time during their undergraduate career.

Major Requirements

- 21 major credits must be taken at SRU or PASSHE
- 21 major credits must be taken at the 300 level or above (Adviser approved courses)
- Courses used in this major may not be used to satisfy ROCK Studies 2, a minor, or another major's requirements.
- AP, Credit by Exam, CLEP, and institutional credit by exam may count towards the degree to a maximum of 45 credits. Pass/Fail and non-credit courses will not be counted in the major.

Code	Title	Hours
Core Courses		
<i>Oral and Written Communication</i>		
Select two of the following:		
LEAD 251	Leadership Theory ¹	6
LEAD 354	Strategic Planning and Decision Making for Leaders	
MS 102	Principles of Leadership	

MS 301	Fundamentals of Tactical Operations	
<i>Interpersonal Skills and Civic Responsibility</i>		
Select two of the following:		6
LEAD 350	Multicultural Leadership	
LEAD 352	Self Leadership	
LEAD 353	Teambuilding for Leaders	
<i>Analytical, Quantitative & Critical Thinking Skills</i>		
Select two of the following:		6
LEAD 351	Leadership Practicum ¹	
INDP 317	Statistics for the Social Sciences	
INDP 318	Research Methods in Interdisciplinary Studies	
Subtotal		18

Emphasis Area

Select at least one course in each of the following areas for a total of 24 credits: 24

Area A - Self Leadership

COMM 314	Interpersonal Communication
CSS 354	Risk Assessment and Fraud Prevention
NLPA 305	Financial Best Practices for Decision Makers
LEAD 215	Introduction to Consciousness
INDP 326	Society, Culture and Self
LEAD 352	Self Leadership
PHIL 123	Ethics
MS 201	Basic Military Skills
MS 202	Intermediate Military Skills

Area B - Group Leadership

COMM 215	Small Group Communication
INDP 310	Cultural Area Studies
INDP 321	Minority Groups
INDP 339	Gender Roles and Society
LEAD 344	Left and Right Brain: From Neuron to Culture
LEAD 350	Multicultural Leadership
LEAD 353	Teambuilding for Leaders
MGMT 351	Organizational Behavior
MS 301	Fundamentals of Tactical Operations
MS 302	Advanced Military Skills
PCRM 342	Group Facilitation and Leadership

Area C - Organizational Leadership

COMM 217	Intercultural Communication
COMM 315	Organizational Communication
CSS 352	Law & Ethics in the Workplace
NLPA 120	Civic Engagement and Community Decision-Making
INDP 348	Sociology of Organizations
LEAD 144	Introduction to Cognitive Studies
LEAD 354	Strategic Planning and Decision Making for Leaders
MGMT 341	Organizational Leadership
MS 401	Leadership Dimensions and Concepts
MS 402	Officership and the Profession of Arms

Area D - Leadership Experience

LEAD 351	Leadership Practicum	
LEAD 355	Leadership Development Course	
LEAD 450	Internship	
MS 250	ROTC Basic Leadership Practicum	
MS 350	ROTC Advanced Leadership Practicum	
Subtotal		24

Experiential Learning Activities

Students must complete 40 hours of experiential learning activities which are fulfilled by section D above or an approved substitution by the Academic Adviser. Please consult with your Adviser for details of the options available.

Total Hours**42**

¹ Course counts for 50% of Major requirements and Major GPA.

* Some courses may require pre-requisites. Please see course descriptions to determine if there are any pre-requisites for that specific course.

Co-curricular and Experiential Learning

Students are encouraged to explore additional curricular and co-curricular opportunities. There is a strong correlation between long-term student success and participation in the following types of programs and activities:

1. International study programs (short-term, semester)
2. High-Impact Practice (HIP) designated classes
3. Student-faculty creative projects
4. Internships
5. Experiential Learning (Practice experience outside the classroom)

Important Curriculum Guide Notes

This Curriculum Guide is provided to help SRU students and prospective students better understand their intended major curriculum. Enrolled SRU students should note that the My Rock Audit may place already-earned and/or in progress courses in different, yet valid, curriculum categories. Enrolled SRU students should use the My Rock Audit Report and materials and information provided by their faculty advisers to ensure accurate progress towards degree completion. *The information on this guide is current as of the date listed. Students are responsible for curriculum requirements at the time of enrollment at the University.*

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INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS - BS (5198)

Concentration in Leadership Studies (LDRS)

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