A student who elects comparative literature as a major must complete 48 hours, including at least 12 hours in courses numbered 300 or above. The major comprises two areas, Comparative Literature (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/academic-units/comp-world-lit/comparative-literature-concentration) and World Literature (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/academic-units/comp-world-lit/world-literature-concentration) (foreign literatures in translation). Besides knowing English, the student who chooses Comparative Literature must have sufficient linguistic skill in at least one foreign language to participate in 200- to 400-level literature courses offered by the various foreign language and literature departments.

As soon as a student contemplates choosing comparative and world literature as a major, the faculty adviser should be consulted. The adviser will assist the student in selecting appropriate courses that will be especially helpful as preparation for the advanced comparative literature training beginning with the junior year. Courses in classical civilization and in literature (particularly courses dealing with works from several countries) are especially recommended at relatively early stages of study. An ample selection of such courses at the 100- and 200-levels exists in the various literature departments.

The distribution of course work allows for considerable flexibility. The major is administered by the Program in Comparative and World Literature.

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Students must select one of the following in consultation with an advisor.

- Major in Comparative Literature (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/academic-units/comp-world-lit/comparative-literature-concentration)
- Major in Comparative Literature, World Literature Concentration (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/las/academic-units/comp-world-lit/world-literature-concentration)

### Minor in World Literature
This minor is sponsored by the Program in Comparative and World Literature. Students must choose from either the Europe and the Americas Track or the Asia and Africa Track.

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CWL 117  Russ & E Euro Science Fiction  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/117](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/117))
Same as SLAV 117. See SLAV 117.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 119  Literature of Fantasy  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/119](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/119))
Same as ENGL 119. See ENGL 119.

CWL 151  Cross-Cultural Thematics  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/151](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/151))
Explores a combination of western and non-western literature through the focus on a shared theme, exploring differences in treatment both within and among different cultures. Two such thematic focuses are offered in rotation; one on concepts of love and one on ways of writing about death. Both themes introduce students to a wide array of famous texts from different cultures and also offer some varied perspectives for their own inevitable thoughts on these major topics. May be repeated to a maximum of 6 hours if topics vary. Students may register in more than one section per term.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 189  Lit of Asia & Africa I  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/189](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/189))
Comparative study of major works from Africa, the Middle East, South and East Asia, from ancient times through the medieval period, emphasizing literary, cultural, philosophical, and religious traditions, and cross-cultural contact. Topics studied may include Egyptian and Mesopotamian mythology, Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Daoism, and the Abrahamic tradition. All readings in English.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 190  Lit of Asia & Africa II  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/190](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/190))
Comparative study of major works from Africa, the Middle East, South and East Asia, from the early modern to the contemporary period, emphasizing literary, cultural, philosophical, and religious traditions and cross-cultural contact. Topics studied may include Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Daoism, Islam, colonialism and globalization. All readings in English.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 191  Freshman Honors Tutorial  credit: 1 to 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/191](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/191))
Study of selected topics on an individually arranged basis. Open only to honors students or to Cohn Scholars and Associates. May be repeated one time. Prerequisite: Consent of departmental honors advisor.

CWL 199  Undergraduate Open Seminar  credit: 1 to 5 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/199](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/199))
Credit: 1 to 5 hours. Approved for both letter and S/U grading. May be repeated.

CWL 201  Comparative Lit Studies  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/201](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/201))
Introduction to various methods in comparative literary study, including genres, themes, literary relations, literary movements, and interdisciplinary approaches. Prerequisite: One semester of college literature or consent of instructor.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 202  Literature and Ideas  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/202](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/202))
Analysis of several important world-views in Western civilization (such as classical, Romantic, modern, and so forth), studied comparatively and in relation to selected figures in Western literature. Prerequisite: CWL 241 and CWL 242; or one year of college literature; or consent of instructor.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 205  Islam & West Through Lit  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/205](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/205))
Organized around major cultural/historical/religious topics presented in literature through Western and Islamic eyes, beginning with the Crusades and proceeding into the present. This course will examine stereotypes, fantasies, identifications and political opportunism promoted by the encounter between the West and the Islamic World. Prerequisite: CWL 241 and CWL 242 or one year of college literature.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 206  Classical Allusions in Cinema  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/206](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/206))
Same as CLCV 206. See CLCV 206.

CWL 207  Indian Cinema in Context  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/207](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/207))
Introduction to Indian mainstream (mainly Bollywood) cinema and its evolution through the last seven decades. Topics to be explored include, but not limited to, the relation between Indian society/culture and its cinematic representations, cinema's resistance to dominant nationalist and patriarchal ideologies, its interactions with the postcolonial nation-state of India, how globalization has changed the industry. All films will be screened with subtitles. No knowledge of Hindi or any other Indian language is required. Same as MACS 207.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 208  Cultures & Literatures of South Asia  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/208](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/208))
Same as ASST 208, REL 208 and SAME 208. See REL 208.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 209  Jewish American and US Minority Literatures in Dialogue  credit: 3 Hours. ([courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/209](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/209))
Same as JS 209 and ENGL 222. See JS 209.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - US Minority
CWL 210 Intro to Mod African Lit  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/210)
Same as AFST 210 and ENGL 211. See AFST 210.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 211 War & Peace in Israeli Lit  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/211)
War has been a constant shadow over the lives of Israelis. We will examine the history of attitudes to war and peace in Israel as presented through poetry, film and short stories, and explores the plurality of voices and experiences in Israel. Same as JS 211 and SAME 211.

CWL 215 Madness, Myth, and Murder  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/215)
Same as SCAN 215. See SCAN 215.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 216 Legends of King Arthur  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/216)
Same as ENGL 216 and MDVL 216. See ENGL 216.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 218 Survey of Ukrainian Literature  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/218)
Same as UKR 218. See UKR 218.

CWL 220 Origins of Western Literature  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/220)
Same as CLCV 220. See CLCV 220.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 221 Jewish Storytelling  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/221)
Same as ENGL 223, JS 220, REL 220, and YDHS 220. See YDHS 220.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 223 The Qur'an (Koran)  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/223)
Same as REL 223, SAME 223. See REL 223.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 224 German Literature in Trans  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/224)
Same as GER 200. See GER 200.

CWL 225 Constr Afr and Carib Identity  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/225)
Same as AFST 209, FR 240, and LAST 240. See FR 240.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 226 Humanist Persp of Afro-Am Exp  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/226)
Same as AFRO 224. See AFRO 224.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - US Minority

CWL 227 Golden Age of Russian Lit  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/227)
Same as RUSS 220. See RUSS 220.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 240 Italy Middle Ages & Renaiss  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/240)
Same as ITAL 240 and MDVL 240. See ITAL 240.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 241 Early Masterpieces of Western Culture  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/241)
Comparative study of major works of literature, philosophy and culture in the Western tradition from the ancient world to the Renaissance, from Homer and the Bible to Shakespeare and Cervantes. Emphasis on the works as representative of their historical and cultural period, as well as how these works create the cultural world we live in today. Prerequisite: Completion of campus Composition I general education requirement. This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Advanced Composition
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 242 Modern Masterpieces of Western Culture  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/242)
Comparative study of major works of literature, philosophy and culture in the Western tradition from the Enlightenment to today, from Descartes and Voltaire to Dickinson and Calvino. Emphasis on the works as representative of their historical and cultural period, as well as how these works create the cultural world we live in today.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 245 Survey of Polish Literature  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/245)
Same as POL 245. See POL 245.

CWL 249 Russian Lit and Revolution  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/249)
Same as RUSS 225. See RUSS 225.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 250 Grimms' Fairy Tales - ACP  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/250)
Same as ENGL 267 and GER 250. See GER 250.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Advanced Composition
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 251 Viking Mythology  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/251)
Comparative study of major works of literature, philosophy and culture in the Western tradition from the ancient world to the Renaissance, from Homer and the Bible to Shakespeare and Cervantes. Emphasis on the works as representative of their historical and cultural period, as well as how these works create the cultural world we live in today.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

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CWL 252 Viking Sagas in Translation  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/252)
Same as MDVL 252 and SCAN 252. See SCAN 252.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 253 Medieval Lit and Culture  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/253)
Same as ENGL 202 and MDVL 201. See ENGL 202.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 254 Grimm's Fairy Tales in Context  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/254)
Same as ENGL 266 and GER 251. See GER 251.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 255 Renaissance Lit and Culture  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/255)
Same as ENGL 204. See ENGL 204.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 257 Enlightenment Lit and Culture  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/257)
Same as ENGL 206. See ENGL 206.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 259 Early African American Literature and Culture  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/259)
Same as AFRO 259 and ENGL 259. See ENGL 259.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Cultural Studies - US Minority

CWL 260 Later African American Literature and Culture  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/260)
Same as AFRO 260 and ENGL 260. See ENGL 260.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Cultural Studies - US Minority

CWL 262 Sex & Gender in Antiquity  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/262)
Same as CLCV 240 and GWS 240. See CLCV 240.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 263 The Heroic Tradition  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/263)
Same as CLCV 221. See CLCV 221.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 264 The Tragic Spirit  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/264)
Same as CLCV 222 and THEA 210. See CLCV 222.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 265 Modern Drama I  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/265)
Same as ENGL 243. See ENGL 243.

CWL 266 Modern Drama II  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/266)
Same as ENGL 244. See ENGL 244.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 267 The Short Story  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/267)
Same as ENGL 245. See ENGL 245.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 269 Brit, Amer & Contin Fiction  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/269)
Same as ENGL 248. See ENGL 248.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 270 The Holocaust in Context - ACP  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/270)
Same as ENGL 268 and GER 260. See GER 260.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Advanced Composition
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 271 Sexuality and Literature  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/271)
Same as GER 270 and GWS 270. See GER 270.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 272 Masterpieces of East Asian Lit  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/272)
Same as EALC 275. See EALC 275.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 273 The Holocaust in Context  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/273)
Same as ENGL 269, GER 261, and JS 261. See GER 261.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 275 Slavic Literature Survey  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/275)
Same as SLAV 275. See SLAV 275.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 276 Asian Film Genres  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/276)
Same as EALC 276 and ENGL 276. See ENGL 276.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 277 Arctic Narratives  credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/277)
Same as SLAV 277. See SLAV 277.
This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for: Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western
CWL 283 Jewish Sacred Literature credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/283)
Same as ENGL 283 and REL 283. See REL 283. This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 284 Modern Jewish Literature credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/284)
Same as ENGL 284 and REL 284. See ENGL 284. This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts

CWL 307 Classical Chinese Lit credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/307)
Same as EALC 307. See EALC 307. This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Non-West

CWL 320 Russian Writers credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/320)
Same as RUSS 320. See RUSS 320. This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Humanities - Lit Arts
Cultural Studies - Western

CWL 324 Dostoevsky credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/324)
Same as ENGL 322 and RUSS 322. See RUSS 322.

CWL 325 Chekhov credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/325)
Same as RUSS 325 and THEA 362. See RUSS 325.

CWL 328 Special Topics German Studies credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/328)
Same as GER 396. See GER 396.

CWL 335 Nabokov credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/335)
Same as RUSS 335. See RUSS 335.

CWL 341 Love & Sex in Hebrew Lit credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/341)
Love and Sex have been literary themes from the bible, through the modern ages and into the present day in Hebrew Literature. This course will examine the treatments of these themes in different historical periods, paying attention to external influences and literary forms such as poems, stories, films and novels. This course will consider treatments of the erotic, devotional, affectionate, romantic and sexual, including heterosexual and homosexual representations, as well as love of God and Israel. Same as JS 341, REL 340 and SAME 341. Prerequisite: Completion of Advanced Composition requirement or a prior college-level literature course is recommended.

CWL 350 South Asian Goddesses credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/350)
Same as REL 350 and SAME 350. See REL 350.

CWL 376 Children and Youth Literature credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/376)
Same as EURO 376, GWS 376, and SCAN 376. See SCAN 376.

CWL 387 French & Comparative Cinema I credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/387)
Same as FR 387, HUM 387, and MACS 382. See FR 387.

CWL 389 French & Comparative Cinema II credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/389)
Same as FR 389, HUM 389, and MACS 383. See FR 389.

CWL 395 Special Topics Comp Lit I credit: 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/395)
Presentation and discussion of subjects relating literature to other disciplines; topic varies. May be repeated to a maximum of 6 hours.

CWL 400 African Diasporic Lit Americas credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/400)
Same as AFRO 400. See AFRO 400. This course satisfies the General Education Criteria for:
Cultural Studies - US Minority

CWL 410 Modern African Fiction credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/410)
Same as AFST 410, ENGL 470, and FR 410. See AFST 410.

CWL 411 The Chinese Novel credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/411)
Same as EALC 411. See EALC 411.

CWL 412 Modern Chinese Lit in Translation credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/412)
Same as EALC 412. See EALC 412.
CWL 413  Dante  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/413](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/413))
Same as ITAL 413 and MDVL 413. See ITAL 413.

CWL 414  Petrarch & Boccaccio  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/414](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/414))
Same as ITAL 414 and MDVL 414. See ITAL 414.

CWL 415  Mod Japan Lit in Translation  credit: 2 to 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/415](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/415))
Same as EALC 415. See EALC 415.

CWL 416  Premod Chinese Drama  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/416](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/416))
Same as EALC 413 and THEA 488. See EALC 413.

CWL 417  Topics in Medieval Brit Lit  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/417](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/417))
Same as ENGL 412 and MDVL 410. See ENGL 412.

CWL 420  Masterpieces Renaiss Lit  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/420](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/420))
Same as ITAL 420 and MDVL 420. See ITAL 420.

CWL 421  Jewish Life-Writing  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/421](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/421))
Same as HIST 436, REL 420, SLAV 420, and YDSH 420. See YDSH 420.

CWL 428  Japan at War and Peace  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/428](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/428))
Same as EALC 428. See EALC 428.

CWL 430  History of Translation  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/430](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/430))
Same as CLCV 430, ENGL 486, GER 405, SLAV 430, SPAN 436, and TRST 431. See SLAV 430.

CWL 434  Studies in Francophonie  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/434](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/434))
Same as FR 479. See FR 479.

CWL 436  Problems of Polish Literature  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/436](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/436))
Same as POL 446. See POL 446.

CWL 440  Russian Culture Studies  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/440](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/440))
Same as RUSS 460. See RUSS 460.

CWL 441  Themes in Narrative  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/441](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/441))
Analysis of literary themes and types in narratives of Western and non-Western literature (e.g., the hero, east and west, dream visions), emphasizing comparative perspectives. 3 undergraduate hours. 3 or 4 graduate hours. May be repeated to a maximum of 9 undergraduate hours or 12 graduate hours. Prerequisite: One year of college literature or consent of instructor.

CWL 444  Problems in Romanticism  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/444](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/444))
Same as RUSS 444. See RUSS 444.

CWL 445  Problems in Realism  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/445](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/445))
Same as RUSS 445. See RUSS 445.

CWL 465  Topics in Drama  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/465](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/465))
Same as ENGL 465. See ENGL 465.

CWL 466  Russia and the Other  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/466](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/466))
Same as RUSS 461. See RUSS 461.

CWL 467  Japanese Cinema  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/467](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/467))
Same as EALC 466 and MACS 466. See MACS 466.

CWL 484  Advanced Seminar in Art Criticism  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/484](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/484))
Topics and regions vary by semester and instructor. All readings in English. Same as GWS 485. 3 undergraduate hours. 3 graduate hours. May be repeated up to 6 hours maximum. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor.

CWL 497  Seminar in Modern Art Criticism  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. ([https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/497](https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/497))
Structure and development of literary genres and forms in historical perspective (for instance, drama, parody and the grotesque, poetry, fables and fabulists, and modern fiction); essential international components and significant national variations of such genres and forms. Emphasis changes from term to term. 3 undergraduate hours. 3 or 4 graduate hours. May be repeated up to 6 hours maximum. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor.

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CWL 470  Imagining the Welfare State  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/470)
Same as EURO 470 and SCAN 470. See SCAN 470.

CWL 471  International Lit Relations  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/471)
Study of specific relations between authors of different countries; influences of certain works, concepts, or tastes on another work, author, or country; and literary interaction between Eastern and Western cultures. Emphasis changes from term to term. 3 or 4 graduate hours. May be repeated to a maximum of 9 undergraduate hours or 12 graduate hours. Prerequisite: One year of college literature or consent of instructor.

CWL 472  Kierkegaard and the Self  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/472)
Same as PHIL 472, REL 472, and SCAN 472. See SCAN 472.

CWL 477  Post-Communist Fiction  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/477)
Same as SLAV 477 and REES 477. See SLAV 477.

CWL 478  Classical Chinese Thought  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/478)
Same as EALC 476 and HIST 425. See EALC 476.

CWL 481  Topics in Arabic Literature & Culture  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/481)
Studies in Arabic literature and culture of various genres, periods, and regions. Graduate students are encouraged to read the texts in the original language. 3 undergraduate hours. 4 graduate hours. May be repeated in the same semester to a maximum of 6 undergraduate hours or 8 graduate hours if topics vary; May be repeated in separate semesters to a maximum of 12 undergraduate hours or 16 graduate hours if topics vary. Prerequisite: One year of college literature or consent of instructor.

CWL 490  Topics in Classical Literature  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/490)
Same as CLCV 490. See CLCV 490.

CWL 493  Senior Thesis and Honors  credit: 3 to 6 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/493)
Independent research guided by tutor(s), leading to the writing of a comparative thesis. Intended primarily for candidates for honors in comparative literature, but open to other seniors. 3 to 6 undergraduate hours. No graduate credit. May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

CWL 496  Special Topics in Comp Lit II  credit: 3 to 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/CWL/496)
Selected literary topics of international significance in relation to other cultural expressions. 3 undergraduate hours. 3 or 4 graduate hours. May be repeated to a maximum of 9 undergraduate or 12 graduate hours. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor.