ADVISING GUIDE TO SPECIFIC MAJORS IN CAS

Art History: Cultural Foundations I & II count as one elective toward the major, though not applicable towards the minor. Note students that receive a 5 on the AP Art History exam are exempt from survey courses (History of Western Art I and II), and should therefore begin with an advanced course.

Economics: Students majoring in Economics can take Microeconomics and Macroeconomics in LS; though students are encouraged to take one of these introductory courses in CAS. In addition, students need to meet the prerequisites for Mathematics for Economics I in the freshmen year, and should begin the math sequence for the major no later than sophomore year. Note AP credit in Microeconomics and/or Macroeconomics (awarded with a score of 4 or 5) is acceptable toward the major, and reduces the total number of courses required. AP credit in Statistics, however, does not count toward the major, and must taken at NYU.

English: Liberal Studies students will receive credit for two requirements toward the CAS English major, providing a C or higher was earned in each of Cultural Foundations I, II, and III. The specific requirements satisfied are (a) the pre-1800 requirement and (b) one major elective. This reduces the total number of classes for the major. Students interested in registering for the introductory course in the major, Literary Interpretations, should contact the department for assistance, either Professor Jini Watson (jkw1@nyu.edu) or Prof. Nicholas Boggs (nicholas.boggs@nyu.edu).

Environmental Studies: AP Environmental Science does not exempt students from any requirements in this major. As a special exception, the Liberal Studies Environmental Studies course (ENSTU-UF 101), if taught by Professor Nagle only, is equivalent to ENVST-UA 101 Environment and Society (one of the three Core courses for the Environmental Studies program) and can be used toward the major or minor in Environmental Studies..

History: Toward the major in History, Social Foundations I fulfills the Pre-1800 requirement and Social Foundations II fulfills an introductory requirement in European History. This reduces the total number of courses required.

International Relations (Honors Major): Students should have completed both (a) POL-UA 700 International Politics, and (b) either ECON-UA 1 Introduction to Macroeconomics or ECON-UA 2 Introduction to Microeconomics prior to submitting the application for this honors major. Students who completed their first year away (FYA program) should consult their advisor for more information.

Journalism: Journalism is offered as a mandatory double major (or co-major). Students should make sure to register in JOUR-UA 501 Investigating Journalism no later than their fourth semester in the Liberal Studies Core Program to complete the major sequence on time.

Politics: Social Foundations I & II will count towards one general elective for both the major and the minor in Politics. Note students still need to complete two core classes for the major (chosen from the four introductory core options).