Elon Core Curriculum (56-60 sh)

FIRST-YEAR FOUNDATIONS:

COR 110 – Global Experience (4 s.h.)
ENG 110 – Writing: Argument & Inquiry (4 s.h.)
MTH 110 or 151 or 220 (4 s.h.)

Experiential Learning Requirement (ELR – 2 units required):

Included in experiential learning are study abroad, research, service-learning, leadership, internships, (including co-ops, teaching, and practicum), or other courses or experiences with ELR designation

World Language Requirement:

Students must meet one of the following: (a) complete a language course numbered 122 or higher at Elon, or receive transfer or study abroad credit for the same; (b) place into a language course numbered 200 or above upon arriving at Elon, using a department of world languages approved placement instrument; (c) score a 4 or 5 on an AP language exam or similar exam. Each student must take the language placement test by October 1 of his or her first full year at Elon. Students are allowed two tries; the higher score is counted. That score stands and may not be repeated by later testing. Consideration for Phi Beta Kappa membership requires completion of one intermediate world language course, placement beyond that level or equivalent proficiency.

STUDIES IN THE ARTS AND SCIENCES:

[Transfer students with at least 18 s.h. of transfer credit must complete 32 hours total in Studies in the Arts & Sciences, but may have as few as 7 hours in one or more of the four Studies in the Arts & Sciences areas.]

Expression ________________________________ (8 s.h.)

[Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: literature (in English or world languages), philosophy, & fine arts (art, dance, fine arts, music, music theatre, & theatre). At least one course must be literature.]

Civilization ________________________________ (8 s.h.)

[Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: history, world languages, art history and religious studies.]

Society *HSS 111 ________________________________ (8 s.h.)

[Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: economics, geography, human service studies, political science, psychology, & sociology/anthropology, and public health studies 201 or 202.]

Science/Analysis ________(Lab: ___) ________ (8 s.h.)

[Eight hours chosen from one or more of the following: mathematics/statistics, science, computer science and information science. At least one course must be a physical or biological laboratory science.]

ADVANCED STUDIES (Must be outside major.)

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[Eight hours of 300-400 level coursework outside the major field and chosen from areas under Studies in the Arts and Sciences.]

COR Interdisciplinary Capstone Seminar ________ (4 s.h.)

[300-400 level COR course; requires junior/senior status.]

__Major Total (s.h.)

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Major Requirements

A minimum of 52 s.h. in the following courses is required.

____ *HSS 111 (4) – Human Service Studies / ELR
____ HSS 212 (4) - Counseling Individuals and Families
____ HSS 213 (4) – Working with Groups and Communities
____ HSS 285 (4) - Research Methods in Human Services Studies
____ HSS 311 (4) – Social Policy and Inequality
____ HSS 381 (4) – Practicum: Theory & Practice in Human Service Studies (Winter or Summer term) (Dept. approval and a minimum grade point average of 2.1 are required.)
____ HSS 411 (4) – Designing and Assessing Human Service Programs (Block Course)
____ HSS 412 (4) – Advanced Theory and Interventions (Block Course)
____ HSS 461 (4) - Senior Seminar
____ HSS 481 (4) – Internship in Human Service Studies (Student must be accepted into HSS 481 by the Human Service Studies Dept. prior to taking the course.)
____ HSS 482 (4) – Capstone Academic Field Seminar

Select 8 s.h. from four-hour HSS courses:

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Note: Most of the other major requirements must be completed prior to taking HSS 481. Students who enroll in HSS 481 may not take any courses other than the prescribed block courses. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.2 is required to be eligible for internship. Applications for both practicum and internship must be completed by the spring semester prior to registration in order to enroll in these courses the following year. Applications are available online on the Human Service Studies website.

*Required in major; may count in Elon Core Curriculum