The Italian Studies minor offers students the opportunity to attain an advanced level of proficiency in Italian language while taking a number of discipline-based courses that concentrate on Italian themes. The minor complements liberal arts degrees in many aspects of Eastern or European studies, including art history, history, philosophy, political science, and religious studies.

Requirements for the minor consist of 24 units, distributed as follows:

1. Twelve (12) units of ITAL 101A, ITAL 101B, and ITAL 101C

2. Eight (8) units of upper division courses in Italian literature, film and/or culture offered by the Department of Comparative Literature and Foreign Languages.

3. Four (4) units of upper division courses in Italian art history, history, film, theatre, or another related discipline offered by other departments and approved by the student’s advisor.