

2024 Summer Session Course Guidelines

General Guidelines

All General Studies students planning to take Summer Session courses should consult the GS Bulletin: http://gs.columbia.edu/summer-courses.

- There is a 15-point limit for the entire Summer Session, with no more than 9 points in any Summer Session period or in overlapping periods.
- Not all courses offered in the Summer Session are accepted by the CC-GS Committee on Instruction for credit towards the undergraduate degree program. The following courses are **not approved** for GS students:

Business (BUSI)

PS4850	Oral Communications for Business
PS4998	Math Methods for Business
PS5001	Introduction to Finance
PS5003	Corporate Finance
PS5009	Financial Accounting

PS5010 Managing Human Behavior in the Organization

PS5015 Leading Alignment and Agility PS5020 Introduction to Marketing

PS5025 Marketing Strategy

PS5030 Developing and Implementing Ideas: Entrepreneurship

PS5040 Security Analysis

PS5301 Managing Information and Knowledge

PS7001 Special Topics: Business Edge

Film Studies (FILM)

S3210 / S4034 Comedy Writing across Media

Prelaw (LAW)

S3150 Comparative Jurisprudence

S3200 Constitutional Crises on Campus: Constitutional Law through the Lens of Higher Education

Bioethics Any Course

Fundraising Management Any Course

Information & Knowledge Strategy Any Course

Landscape Design Any Course

Narrative Medicine Any Course

Negotiation & Conflict Resolution Any Course

Sports Management Any Course

Strategic Communications Any Course

Sustainability Management Any Course



Postbac Premed Students and GS undergraduate students fulfilling premedical requirements may take the following six-week (offered in either session A or B) science courses to fulfill the physics, general chemistry, and organic chemistry requirements of their programs. However, students must consult with their adviser before registering for these courses.

Chemistry (CHEM)

S1403(A) General Chemistry I S1404(B) General Chemistry II

Organic Chemistry (CHEM)

S2443(A) Organic Chemistry I S2444(B) Organic Chemistry II

Physics (PHYS)

S1201(A) General Physics I S1202(B) General Physics II

Global Core Requirement

For detailed information on fulfilling the Global Core requirement, students should refer to the GS Bulletin: http://bulletin.columbia.edu/general-studies/the-core/global-core/.

The following courses are approved as courses that may be used in partial fulfillment of the Global Core requirement:

Art History- Asian Humanities (AHUM)

S2901 Masterpieces of Indian Art and Architecture

Anthropology (ANTH)

UN3495 Women, Gender, Politics- Muslim World

Classics (CLCV)

UN3058 Worlds of Alexander the Great

Film (FILM)

S4215 Contemporary Global Documentary

GU4330 Cinema of the Arab World

(This course will be offered at Reid Hall, Paris).

French (MENA)

OC4100 Migration, Displacement, and Diaspora in the

French and North African Context (This course will be offered at Reid Hall, Paris).

History (HIST)

UN3136 France and the African Diaspora

(This course will be offered at Reid Hall, Paris).

S3596 History of Latinos/as in the U.S.

UN3779 Africa and France

Middle Eastern, South Asian, and African Studies-Asian Humanities (MDES, AHUM)

UN1001 Critical Theory: A Global Perspective

UN1399 Colloquium on Major Texts



Music (AHMM)

UN3320 Music in East Asia

S3321 Introduction to the Musics of India and West Asia

Religion (RELI)

S2305 Islam

Slavic Languages (CLSL)

GU4013 Jewish Worlds in Eastern Europe: A Journey

Science Requirement

For detailed information on fulfilling the Science requirement, students should refer to the GS Bulletin: http://bulletin.columbia.edu/general-studies/the-core/science/.

The following courses are approved for partial fulfillment of the Science requirement:

Courses Designed for Non-Science Majors

Astronomy (ASTR)

S1403 Earth, Moon, and Planets (Lecture)

Earth and Environmental Sciences (EESC)

S1004 Dinosaurs and the History of Life

Ecology, Evolution, and Environmental Biology (EEEB)

S1001 Biodiversity
S1115 The Life Aquatic

S3015 Animal Behavior Through Fieldwork

GU4340 Human Adaptation

Mathematics (MATH, PHIL)

UN1003 College Algebra and Analytic Geometry

S3411 Introduction to Symbolic Logic

Psychology (PSYC)

S1001 The Science of Psychology

Statistics (STAT)

UN1001 Introduction to Statistical Reasoning

Additional Courses (Prerequisites May Apply)

Biology (BIOL)

S2501 Contemporary Biology Lab

Chemistry (CHEM)

S1403 General Chemistry I S1404 General Chemistry II

S1500 General Chemistry Laboratory

Computer Science (COMS) (ENGI)

W1004 Introduction to Computer Programming Java*



(*Note: Columbia students may receive credit for only one of the following two courses: COMS W1004 or W1005.)

W3134 Data Structures in Java
W3157 Advanced Programming
W3203 Discrete Mathematics

W3251 Comparative Linear Algebra

W4701 Artificial Intelligence

W4705 Natural Language Processing

W4771 Machine Learning

W4995 Topics in Computer Science ENGI E1006 Intro to Comp for Eng/App. Sci.

Ecology, Evolution, and Environmental Biology (EEEB)

S3015 Animal Behavior Through Fieldwork

GU4340 Human Adaptation

Mathematics (MATH)

S1101 Calculus, I
S1102 Calculus, II
S1201 Calculus, III
S1202 Calculus, IV
S2010 Linear Algebra

UN2015 Linear Algebra and Probability
UN2030 Ordinary Differential Equations
S2500 Analysis and Optimization
S4061 Intro to Modern Analysis I

Physics (PHYS)

S1201 General Physics I S1202 General Physics II

Psychology (PSYC)

S2210 Cognition: Basic Processes*

(* Prerequisite: PSYC S/UN1001 or equivalent)

S2450 Behavioral Neuroscience*

(* Prerequisite: PSYC S/UN1001 or equivalent)

S2490 Evolutionary Psychology*

(* Prerequisite: PSYC S/UN1001 or equivalent)

UN3471 Psychedelic Medicine**

(**Students must have instructor permission)

UN3494 Gene-Environment Interaction**

(**Students must have instructor permission)

GU4237 Machine Intelligence**

(**Students must have instructor permission)

GU4289 The Games People Play: Psychology of Strategic Decisions**

(**Students must have instructor permission.)

Statistics (STAT)

S1101 Introduction to Statistics

S1201 Introduction to Statistics (with Calculus) S4001 Introduction to Probability and Inference



S4203 Probability Theory S4204 Statistical Inference

S4206 Statistical Comp. and Intro. to Data Science

S4221 Time Series Analysis

S4241 Statistical Machine Learning

New Courses Approved for Summer 2024

The following is a list of new courses recently approved for Summer 2024. Course descriptions may be found on the Columbia Summer website: http://sps.columbia.edu/summer/courses.

Art History (AHIS)

S3427 Making Medieval New York

OC4032 Visual Storytelling in Renaissance Venice

Biology (BIOL)

S1201 Engineered Mouse Models and

Identifying Phenotypes in Vivo

English and Comparative Literature (ENGL)

UN3399 Home to Harlem:

Literature and Culture of the Harlem Renaissance

UN3395 The Athlete in American Imagination

Film (FILM)

S4040 History of American Independent Film

S4042 Tech Arts:

Post Production with Resolve

S4043 Tech Arts I:

Post Production with Avid Music Composer

History (HIST)

France and the African Diaspora

(This course will be offered in Reid Hall, Paris).

UN3994 The Olympics and Politics of International Sport

Human Rights (HRTS)

GU4010 Indigenous Rights and Settler Colonialism

In North America

GU4015 The UN Human Rights System in the Making

Mathematics (MATH)

GU4041 Introduction to Modern Algebra I

Political Science (POLS)

UN3116 Borders and Immigration

UN3210 Judicial Politics

UN3919 Seminar in Political Theory:

Environmental Justic and Climate



Psychology (PSYC)

S3471 Psychedelic Medicine

S3343 Summer Practicum in Neuroscience:

Next Generation Scholars of Consciousness

Visual Arts (VIAR)

UN1702 Introduction to Digital Photography