College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences
Department of Modern & Classical Languages and Literatures
GERMAN MINOR
For students graduating in calendar year 2022 and for student
date of entry under UG Catalog 2020-2021.

Name __________________________ Last 4 of ID # __________ E-mail ______________

German Minor Requirements

18 hours of coursework at the 2000-level – 2015 and 2016 OR 2114, as necessary – and above, including
the following:

Required courses:
____ GER 3105 Grammar, Composition and Conversation (3 cr.; prerequisite: 2106 or 2114)
____ GER 3106 Grammar, Composition and Conversation (3 cr., prerequisite: 3104 or 3105)

Two of the following courses:
____ GER 3204 Culture of German-Speaking Countries (3 cr., prerequisite: 3104 or 3105 or 3106)
____ GER 3305 Survey of German Literature (3 cr.; prerequisites: two of the following: 3105, 3106, 3204)
____ GER 3306 Survey of German Literature (3 cr.; prerequisites: two of the following: 3105, 3106, 3204)
____ GER elective approved by a German advisor* (3 cr.)

Electives:
____ GER _____________ ( cr.)
____ GER _____________ ( cr.)

Total __________ cr.

*Minor credit for the following advanced-level courses taught in English may be awarded with the approval of the
instructor and the German advisor: GER 3414, 3474, 4334. A maximum of one such course may be counted for
minor credit.

- A minimum grade of “C” must be earned in each course completed for the German minor and an average GPA
  of 2.0 in all courses taken for the German Minor is required for completion.
- Courses used to fulfill major, minor, or Pathways General Education requirements may not be taken Pass/Fail.
- German courses may also be used to meet Pathways Concepts 2 and Pathways Concepts 6 requirements. See
  the current Pathways Course Catalog.
- AP placement exam credit or IB diploma credit may be used to satisfy certain requirements for the minor.
  Students should consult their assigned minor advisor.
- Students may transfer all German credit earned abroad, but at least 25% of the German minor (a minimum of
  2 courses) must be taken at Virginia Tech.
- When choosing among 3204, 3305, 3306, students must take two courses with different course numbers.

Courses that do not count toward the minor:
GER 2724 (HUM 2724): Introduction to German Culture & Civilization
GER 2964: Field Study
GER 3195: German for Reading Knowledge
GER 3196: German for Reading Knowledge
GER 4964: Field Study