### BA / BS Degree Requirements

**COLLEGE of LETTERS & SCIENCE**

*Effective for students matriculating to any postsecondary institution as of May 21, 2007, and later or who opted into the 2007 degree requirements*

#### TOOLS for Learning and Communication

**University General Education Requirements**

- One Quantitative Reasoning A course (q)
- One Quantitative Reasoning B course (r)
- One 3+ credit Ethnic Studies course (e)

**Mathematics**

**Bachelor of Arts**
- Met with GER Quantitative A & B (above)

**Bachelor of Science**
- Two 3+ credit courses at I/A level (MATH, COMP SCI, STAT) (Limit one each: COMP SCI, STAT)

**Foreign Language**

**Bachelor of Arts**
- Fourth level of a language, or
- Third level of a language and
- Second level of another language

**Bachelor of Science**
- Third level of a language

#### BREADTH of Exploration in the Liberal Arts & Sciences

**Humanities:**
- 12 credits (L,H,X,Z)
  - Must include 6 credits Literature (L)

**Social Science:**
- 12 credits (S,W,Y,Z)

**Natural Science:**
- 12 credits (B,P,N,W,X,Y)

**Bachelor of Arts**
- One 3+ credit Biological Science course (B)
- One 3+ credit Physical Science course (P)

**Bachelor of Science**
- 6 credits Physical Science (P)
- 6 credits Biological Science (B)

**108 Liberal Arts & Sciences credits (C)**

#### DEPTH of Inquiry in the Liberal Arts & Sciences

**Mastery of Intermediate/Advanced Work:** 60 credits (I,A,D)

**Major:** Declare at least one major (and complete all declared majors)

#### QUANTITY & QUALITY of Work

**120 Total Credits**

**UW–Madison Experience**
- 30 credits *in residence* overall
- 30 credits *in residence* after the 90th credit

**Minimum GPAs**
- 2.0 in all courses at UW–Madison
- 2.0 in I/A/D-level work at UW–Madison

**15 upper-level credits *in residence* in each major**

**15 credits *on campus* in each major/department**

2.0 in all major & major department courses

2.0 in upper-level major & major courses

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*This is not a degree audit. For accurate degree progress information, consult DARS. Students are encouraged to exceed minimum requirements. There are limits on certain kinds of credits — consult DARS for more information.*