

Religious Studies BA/Minor*
2019-2020 Student Learning Outcomes

Outcome		Assessment Methods
1	<i>Students recognize and explain the major theoretical perspectives and key issues of debate in the academic study of religion.</i>	<i>Essays evaluated with rubric</i>
2	<i>Students will demonstrate effective writing skills with the ability to craft a persuasive argument in defense of a coherent thesis statement using and analyzing supporting evidence from primary and secondary sources.</i>	<i>Essays evaluated with rubric</i>
3	<i>Students will gain experience through opportunities for high impact learning experiences (HILE) such as internships, field work, site visits and study abroad opportunities.</i>	<i>Number of high impact learning experiences (HILE)</i> <i>HILE participant interviews</i>

*Preliminary Outcomes