

# COMPARATIVE LITERARY STUDIES BA/MA

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## Degree Requirements

The following requirements are in addition to, or further elaborate upon, those requirements outlined in The Graduate School Policy Guide (<https://catalogs.northwestern.edu/tgs/academic-policies-procedures/>).

### BA/MA

#### Total Units Required for the Master's Degree: 9

- Nine quality letter-graded courses (ABC, not P/NP or S/U) authorized for graduate credit.
  - Courses may be taken in Comp Lit, student's first and/or second literature, and/or another discipline (such as Film Studies) according to the student's interests and in consultation with the Director of Undergraduate Studies and Director of Graduate Studies.
  - One of the nine courses must be COMP\_LIT 410-0 Theories of Literature (typically offered in Fall quarter).
  - Students can take one unit of COMP\_LIT 499-0 Independent Study with the permission of the Director of Graduate Studies.

#### Other MA Degree Requirements

- Master's Thesis