

Summer Classes 2010

Union College

Office of the Registrar

Silliman Hall – (518) 388-6109

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. – 8:30 am – 4:30 pm through June 11th
8:00 am – 4:00 p.m. starting June 14th

Registration: May 11-June 14, 2010

Calendar: Classes start Monday, June 21

Classes end Monday, August 2nd

College closed July 5th

Cost per course: \$3075

Late Registration \$50 (after June 14th)

Summer Registration:

Visiting and new students who enroll in summer courses are designated as non-degree students. Visiting students from other colleges and universities should obtain permission from an appropriate official at their school if they wish to transfer credit from Union College. A copy of your college transcript is required.

Qualified high school students may enroll in any of the 100 level undergraduate courses. A high school recommendation and transcript are required.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: All students attending New York State colleges and universities, whose birth date is on or after January 1, 1957, are required to show proof of immunity against measles, mumps, and rubella.

If you are registering for more than one course and are not currently a matriculated Union student, proof of immunization must be submitted to the Health Services Office in Silliman Hall **prior to registration**. A form is available for this purpose. Students may also provide a physician's written statement as proof of immunization, but such documentation must provide all required information and be attached to our form. Health Services Office will provide the student with a "Health Clearance" form indicating compliance with the law. This form **must** be presented in order to register.

Student's whose religious beliefs prohibit immunization, or for whom these immunizations would be detrimental to their health, will be required to submit documentation in support of their request for waiver. Questions concerning immunization requirements should be directed to the Health Services Office at (518) 388-6120.

GENERAL INFORMATION

CREDIT SYSTEM

Union College is on a trimester system; course units rather than hours are applied. Unless otherwise noted, each course is equivalent to 3 1/3 semester hours or five-quarter hours.

TUITION AND FEES

All non-Union registrations must be accompanied with a check in the full amount. Matriculated Union students will be billed after the summer term starts. **Late Registration fee of \$50** will be charged after the last day of registration, Monday, June 14th.

GRADING

Grades are awarded according to the following system:

A 4.0	B+ 3.3	C+ 2.3	D 1.0
A- 3.7	B 3.0	C 2.0	F 0.0
	B- 2.7	C- 1.7	

DINING

Cafeteria service will be available at the Reamer Campus Center during the summer.

HOUSING

Union undergraduate students have limited housing available on campus. All inquiries should be directed to the Director of Residence Life, Reamer Center, Schenectady, New York 12308, (518) 388-6117.

INDEPENDENT STUDIES

Matriculated Union College students who intend to register for an independent study during the summer must submit their proposal to the faculty member who will supervise the student's study. Approval forms are available at The Office of the Registrar.

PARKING

Temporary parking decals are issued during the summer. Students **must** register their cars with the Office of Campus Safety at the Inn at College Park and should obtain a list of Parking Regulations. There is no fee during the summer.

STUDENT ID CARD

A summer ID card permitting use of campus facilities and services may be obtained from the Campus Safety Office between the hours of 8am- 4pm, Monday thru Friday.

TRANSCRIPTS

Official transcripts from Union College must be requested in writing along with applicable payment. Payment for transcript - \$3.00 for each official, \$2.00 for each unofficial - check or money order made payable to Union College. Sorry, we cannot accept credit cards. Transcripts **will not be released** if there are any outstanding holds on your account, financial or otherwise, including non-payment of any previous transcript requests.

PASS/FAIL

To declare a course Pass/Fail a student must complete the appropriate form provided by the Registrar after the third class. Forms will not be accepted once the fourth class begins.

WITHDRAWALS

To **withdraw** from a course, a student must complete and submit the [Request to Withdraw Form](#) to the Registrar. Students who withdraw prior to the first class meeting **or** within seven calendar days of the first class meeting will receive tuition refund if they have paid in full. Students who withdraw between the second and the end of the fourth week of classes will be charged **full tuition** and the withdrawal will be recorded on the transcript as a "W". Withdrawal after the fourth week of class will be recorded as an "F" on the transcript. Any student who stops attending a course without submitting the Withdrawal Form will also receive an "F." (Forms can be found at the Registrar's Office.)

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

Veterans who are eligible to receive educational benefits under the various chapters administered by the V.A. may obtain more information by contacting the Registrar's Office. Entitlement will vary depending on the program. Veterans pay tuition and fees upon registering and subsequently receive benefit checks from the V.A. on a timely basis.

BUILDING CODE KEY

BAIL Bailey Hall
HUMN Humanities Bldg

OLIN F.W. Olin Center
SSCI Social Science Bldg

The information in this brochure was prepared in spring 2010. Provisions of this publication are not to be regarded as an irrevocable contract between the student and Union College. The College reserves the right to make changes in its course offerings, degree requirements, regulations and procedures, and fees and expenses, as educational and financial considerations require.

Union College does not discriminate on the basis of age, sex, race, color, religious belief, disability, sexual orientation, or national origin. The College's policy of nondiscrimination extends to all areas of college operations, including, but not limited to, admissions, student aid, athletics, employment, and educational programs.

The College retains the right to cancel a course if the enrollment is insufficient. You will be notified by phone or email if a course is cancelled; therefore, it is imperative that your **personal information is up-to-date**.

Union College Undergraduate Course Offerings SUMMER 2010

Brief course descriptions may be found on the following pages of this document

American Studies

PSC-284-01	Political Sociology	BAIL 207+	TTH	09:00AM 12:00PM	Hill-Butler, D.
SOC-240-01	Political Sociology	BAIL 207+	TTH	09:00AM 12:00PM	Hill-Butler, D.

Biology

(For Union LIM Students only- no lab. Classes will begin Tuesday 6/16 and end Tuesday 7/21)

BIO-210-01	Cognitive Neuroscienc	BAIL 201+	TWTH	09:00AM 12:00PM	Chabris, C.	WAC
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Classics

CLS-163-01	Greek & Roman Comedy & Romance	HUMN 112+	TTH	06:00PM 09:00PM	Sargent, J.	HUL/LCC
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Environmental Science & Policy

PSC-284-01	Political Sociology	BAIL 207+	TTH	09:00AM 12:00PM	Hill-Butler, D.
SOC-240-01	Political Sociology	BAIL 207+	TTH	09:00AM 12:00PM	Hill-Butler, D.

History

HST-138-01	Big History	SSCI 014+	MW	09:00AM 12:00PM	Walker, M.	WAC
HST-245-01	Occult Sciences & Societies	HUMN 116	MW	06:00PM 09:00PM	Sargent, S.	

Interdepartmental

IDM-123-01	Ethics, Technology & Society	HUMN 117+	MW	01:00PM 04:00PM	Ghaly, A.	SET
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Political Science

PSC-284-01	Political Sociology	BAIL 207+	TTH	09:00AM 12:00PM	Hill-Butler, D.
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Psychology

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*PSY-210-01	Cognitive Neuroscienc	BAIL 201+	TWTH	09:00AM 12:00PM	Chabris, C.	WAC
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Religious Studies

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Science, Med & Tech in Culture

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Sociology

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Union College Undergraduate Course Descriptions

BIO 210/PSY 210 Introduction to Cognitive Neuroscience. C. Chabris. Basic concepts of brain functioning as they relate to psychological phenomena. Neuroanatomy, neurotransmission, and brain sites important in the mediation of movement, sensation, consummatory behavior, emotions, pleasure, sleep, and memory. Prerequisite: Only open to students in the Leadership in Medicine Program. WAC

CLS 163 Greek & Roman Comedy & Romance. J. Sargent. Readings from the Greek comedies of Aristophanes and Menander, the Roman comedies of Plautus and Terence. LCC

HST 138 Big History. M. Walker. An exploration of the past from the big bang to the present, dividing the history of the universe, earth, life, and humanity into periods using very large scales of time. WAC

HST 245 Occult Sciences and Secret Societies. S. Sargent. Surveys the rise of occult sciences, such as ritual magic, astrology, and alchemy, in Europe and the influence of real and imagined secret societies dedicated to the preservation and transmission of such esoteric knowledge. Examines the legends associated with the suppression of the Templars in fourteenth-century France, the revival of Platonism, Jewish Kabbalah, the pseudo-Egyptian Hermeticism in Renaissance Italy, the dissemination of such ideas throughout early-modern Europe, the alchemical theories of Paracelsus and Isaac Newton, the imagined societies of esoteric utopias, and the rise of Rosicrucianism, Freemasonry, and the Bavarian Illuminati and their possible influence on the French Revolution.

IDM 123 Ethics, Technology & Society. A. Ghaly. In today's technologically advanced society, professionals are faced with situations that require more than technical knowledge, common sense, and good judgment. Many of the issues borne by the complexity of modern day life are not only interwoven but are also multidimensional. One of these dimensions is ethics. To illustrate how ethics, technology, and society intersect students will learn from well-documented cases how to engage ethics principles in the decision making process, and how to put into practice the experience gained in the classroom from discussing various scenarios and from making one's own arguments. SET

PSY 210/BIO 210 Introduction to Cognitive Neuroscience. See BIO-210 above. WAC

SOC 240 Political Sociology. D. Hill-Butler. Political Sociology explores issues of political power, domination, and legitimacy from sociological perspectives. Topics include the creation and maintenance of political power and the impact of political socialization.