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# ROADMAP TO GERMAN STUDIES

Meet with the faculty advisor for majors & minors, Dr. Ari Linden, to learn more!  
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## FRESHMAN YEAR

No previous German experience? Start by taking GERM 104.

Have some previous German experience? Take a placement test!

Consider taking a First Year Seminar in German Studies.

Join the German Club for film nights, activities, + the weekly language table!

Junior year is a good time to study abroad for a semester or a year. Meet with study abroad advisor, Dr. Meyertholen.  
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Students in professional schools can major or minor in German Studies.

Explore a second major! Many students major in German Studies and another area.

We have summer language institutes in Eutin and Holzkirchen, Germany. Scholarships available!  
[studyabroad.ku.edu](http://studyabroad.ku.edu)

## SOPHOMORE YEAR

## JUNIOR YEAR

Continue meeting with your advisor every semester.

Earn departmental honors by writing an honors thesis your senior year.

Make an appointment with the Career Center.

Acquire transferable research skills in your upper division German courses.

Consider applying for a Fulbright or DAAD scholarship to study in Europe after graduation. Plan ahead if you are interested!

3.3 GPA German Studies/2.7 overall = nomination to Delta Phi Alpha National German Honor Society.

Take the Goethe B2 or C1 exam to earn an internationally recognized certificate.

Join us for our annual Recognition Ceremony & Reception in May.

## SENIOR YEAR

## WHAT OUR ALUMNI ARE DOING...

Diplomat • Foreign Service Officer • International Correspondent • International Relations Specialist • Language Instructor  
Lawyer • Linguist • Policy Analyst • Software Analyst • Study Abroad Coordinator • Translator/Interpreter • Veterinarian