

**MIDDLE EASTERN & SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES
DECLARATION OF MAJOR
ADVISING FORM**

Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____

Expected Graduation Sem/Yr: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Permanent Address: _____ **Local Address:** _____

Previous major(s): _____ **Cell:** _____

Area of Concentration (circle one): **Middle East** **South Asia**

Name of Advisor: _____

Prerequisite Courses (may be completed while taking required courses):

Satisfactory completion (grade of C or better) of a 2020- (or 2060-) level class in Arabic, Hebrew or Persian (ME concentration) or in Hindi, Urdu or Persian (SA concentration), or approved equivalent: _____

Required Courses (at least 30 credit hours):

1) Language study at or beyond 3000-level (2 courses): _____

2) Major Seminar: MEST 4991 or SAST 4991: _____

3) Seven regionally appropriate content courses that meet the following criteria:

- History: 1 **HIME** or **HISA** course (according to regional concentration)
- Literature: 1 regional literature course (may be lit-in-translation)
- Distribution: 1 course from at least **3 different departments**
- Concentration: At least **3 courses** must come from **the same department**

<u>Sub. Area + No.</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Sem/Yr taken</u>
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Distinguished Major? **Yes** _____ **No** _____