



Human Rights Program Sample Course Mapping

The following 3-year and 4-year Human Rights (HR) and minor in Human Rights program pathways are adapted from the University of Winnipeg's [Undergraduate Academic Calendar](#). The following is a recommended order of courses for students who have declared a major in Human Rights at the University of Winnipeg.

Note: Please refer to the Academic Calendar for specific course descriptions. We recommend consulting an academic advisor for information on general BA degree requirements.

Course difficulties—expectations in terms of reading materials and assignments—increase as numbered course levels increase.

SAMPLE COURSE SCHEDULE FOR A 3-YEAR BA WITH A MAJOR IN HUMAN RIGHTS:

First Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR/IDS-1200 (3) Introduction to Global Citizenship	HR Area Course (3)*
WGS-1232 (6) Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies	
RHET-1102 (3) Academic Writing	

Second Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR-2100 (3) Concepts & Conventions in Human Rights	HR-2200 (3) History of Human Rights in Canada
HR Elective 2000-level course (3)*	UIC/POL/IS (3) Colonization and Indigenous Peoples
HR Area Course (3)*	HR Elective 2000-level Course (3)*

The selection of first-year and second-year studies can be combined (i.e., students can take first-year 1000-level courses in the second year of their studies).

Third Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR/CRS-3410 (3) Models of Transitional Justice	HR-3210 (3) Human Rights Institutions
HR Area Course (3)*	HR Elective 3000-level Course (3)*
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*Refer to the [Human Rights Academic Calendar for Human Rights-specific courses](#)



**SAMPLE COURSE SCHEDULE FOR A 4-YEAR BA
WITH A MAJOR IN HUMAN RIGHTS:**

First Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR/IDS-1200 (3) Introduction to Global Citizenship	HR Area Course (3)*
WGS-1232 (6) Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies	
RHET-1102 (3) Academic Writing	

Second Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR-2100 (3) Concepts & Conventions in Human Rights	HR-2200 (3) History of Human Rights in Canada
HR Area Course (3)*	UIC/POL/IS (3) Colonization and Indigenous Peoples
HR Cognate: Research Methods & Skills Course (3)*	HR Cognate: Organizational & Applied Skills Course (3)*
	HR Elective Course (3)*

The selection of first-year and second-year studies can be combined (i.e., students can take first-year 1000-level courses in the second year of their studies).

Third-year and fourth-year level courses (3000 and 4000 level) are recommended to be taken in the order outlined below.

Third Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR/CRS-3410 (3) Models of Transitional Justice	HR-3210 (3) Human Rights Institutions
HR Area Course (3)*	HR Elective 3000-level Course (3)*
HR-3510 Practicum in Human Rights (3 or 6)	
HR Elective 3000-level Course (3)*	HR Area Course (3)*
Language Requirement (3)*	Language Requirement (3)*

Fourth Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR Area Course (3)*	Indigenous Course Requirement (3)**
HR Cognate: Ethics Course (3)*	HR-4001 (3) Capstone in Human Rights
HR Area Course (3)*	

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SAMPLE COURSE SCHEDULE FOR A MINOR IN HUMAN RIGHTS:

First Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR/IDS-1200 (3) Introduction to Global Citizenship	HR Area Course (3)*

Second Year:

Fall Term	Winter Term
HR-2100 (3) Concepts & Conventions in Human Rights	HR-2200 (3) History of Human Rights in Canada
HR Core course (3)*	HR Elective course (3)*

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