100 Level Courses

**PROV 110: Special Topics.** 1-3 credits.
Exploration of leadership in a specific career field(s); changing nature of that industry; understanding of organizational structures in the field(s); and introduction to career and internship opportunities for students who aspire to a career in that field. Offered by Provost's Office. May be repeated within the term.

**Registration Restrictions:**
Enrollment is limited to Non-Degree or Undergraduate level students.

**Schedule Type:** Lecture

**Grading:**
This course is graded on the Undergraduate Special scale.

**Additional Course Details:** Title varies by section and/or semester

**PROV 150: Study Abroad: Global Understanding.** 0 credits.
This course is designed for students studying abroad for a full semester (e.g. 12-15 credits and not a three week course) to fulfill their Mason Core Global Understanding requirement. Offered by Provost's Office. May not be repeated for credit.

**Mason Core:** Global Understanding

**Schedule Type:** Independent Study

**Grading:**
This course is graded on the Satisfactory/No Credit scale.

300 Level Courses

**PROV 301: Great Ideas in Science.** 3 credits.
Nontechnical introduction to ideas that have shaped the growth of science, from the building of Stonehenge to modern theories of the Big Bang. The idea behind each major advance is treated in its historical context, with special attention to its importance in mankind’s understanding of the nature of the universe. Intended for non-science majors; uses little mathematics. Offered by Provost's Office. May not be repeated for credit.

**Mason Core:** Natural Science Overview

**Schedule Type:** Lecture

**Grading:**
This course is graded on the Undergraduate Regular scale.

600 Level Courses

**PROV 342: The George Mason Debates in Current Affairs.** 3 credits.
In-depth investigation of one or more contemporary public policy issues. Examines the selected topics as discussed by scholars, public interest groups and think tanks, government officials, and the news media. Texts and guest lecturers presenting a wide range of perspectives are an important feature. Offered by Provost's Office. May be repeated within the degree for a maximum 6 credits.

**Mason Core:** Synthesis

**Recommended Prerequisite:** Completion or concurrent enrollment in all other required general education courses.

**Schedule Type:** Lecture

**Grading:**
This course is graded on the Undergraduate Regular scale.

700 Level Courses

**PROV 701: Preparing for Academic Careers.** 1 credit.
This seminar will be devoted to helping doctoral students explore and prepare for future academic careers and to strengthening their instructional effectiveness. The seminar will provide a clearer understanding of the roles and responsibilities of being a faculty member. Participants will learn how to construct a meaningful statement of teaching philosophy and plan for a course through syllabus design. Notes: This course does not apply to required credits for doctoral degrees. Offered by Provost's Office. May not be repeated for credit.

**Registration Restrictions:**
Enrollment limited to Graduate or Non-Degree level students.

**Schedule Type:** Seminar

**Grading:**
This course is graded on the Satisfactory/No Credit scale.
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