# **CLASSICS**

This major gives students an understanding of cultures, languages, and literatures of ancient Greece, Rome, and the Mediterranean world. It is a broadly interdisciplinary field focused mainly on ancient Greece and Rome, but students also study the impact of classical cultures on later societies and the interactions among various cultures.

## **BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA) GENERAL OVERVIEW**

## Track I: Classical Languages and Literatures

- Recommended preparation course such as The Legacy of Rome
- Language Requirement: Level III of either Greek or Latin; level II of the other language
- Four upper-division Greek or Latin language courses
- Two additional upper-division courses in Greek, Latin, or Classics
- Research in Classical Studies

#### Track II: Classical Humanities

- Language Requirement: Level III of Greek or Latin
- One Breadth Requirement: The Greeks and their Legacies, The Legacy of Rome, etc.
- Four courses in Greek, Latin, or Classics
- Two additional courses in Greek, Latin, or Classics, or approved outside electives
- **Research in Classical Studies**

### **ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES**

**Senior Classical League:** Members attend socials that help students and faculty get a chance to develop relationships, attend informational meetings on independent research opportunities, participate in excavations and study abroad, and receive information about graduate school.

**Douglas Nelson Awards:** One or more prizes are awarded to a Classics major for participating in a spring literary contest.

**Study Abroad:** Don't just learn about Greek and Roman culture in the classroom - immerse yourself in historical studies and contemporary experiences related to your major in Athens and Rome.

#### Track III: Ancient Civilizations

- The Ancient World
  - or The Greeks and their Legacies and The Legacy of Rome
- Five courses in Greek, Latin, or Classics
- Three additional courses in Classics, or approved outside electives
- **Research in Classical Studies**
- One additional course in a non-Greek and non-Roman classical civilization

