Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies

Curriculum
The Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies (MAIS) degree is a flexible graduate program that allows you to design academic study around topics of interest to suit your career goals.

The degree is limited only by your intellectual interests. Through this program, you can combine courses from UT Dallas’ eight schools or delve into an area of interest.

Program Description
A full-time student can complete the MAIS degree in one year. Part-time students should allow two years to complete this program. Internships are an encouraged part of the MAIS degree plan and may be completed for academic credit.

At the conclusion of your studies, you will work with an adviser to design a capstone seminar and project. The seminar includes readings in, and discussion of, interdisciplinary theory and preparation for the research project. Your research project will lend itself to an interdisciplinary approach. To complete the project, you will synthesize information from various sources, utilizing different methodologies, and draw conclusions which present a new perspective on the topic as a result of this interdisciplinary approach.

Degree Program
The MA in Interdisciplinary Studies requires the completion of a minimum of 36 semester credit hours.

For complete admission and degree requirements, view the Graduate Catalog at catalog.utdallas.edu.

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