

Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (MALS)**Program Path:****IDS Type:** Unrestricted IDS**Program Type:** Foundational IDS Program

Description: Albertus Magnus College is pleased to introduce the Accelerated Master of Arts Degree in Liberal Studies for adult students who wish to complete their Master's Degree at a fast pace. Since we recognize that most adult students must juggle family, career, and other responsibilities, we offer classes in the evening at a flexible schedule. However, what makes our program unique is that our classes are shortened to eight-week modules (instead of the traditional sixteen-week semesters.) Therefore, our students are able to complete twice as many courses in the same timeframe as those students who attend traditional colleges. The Liberal Studies Program offers the adult learner the opportunity to explore the social, humanistic, and scientific dimensions of our world through graduate-level study. Unlike more narrowly focused graduate programs, the Master of Arts in Liberal Studies broadens the mind through many different disciplines. Students will develop their critical thinking, communication, and research skills through a lively engagement with important ideas and informed class discussions. (From website.)

Program Structure:

Admission Requirements: Bachelor's Degree, Application, Official Undergraduate Transcripts, Statement of Purpose, Writing Sample, (3) Letters of Recommendation, Interview (may be required)

Credit Hours: 33 credits**Required Coursework:** 3 credits, Liberal Studies seminar**Individually Selected Coursework:** 27 credits, Electives**Exit Courses & Work:** 3 credits, Capstone Thesis Project**Established Department(s) of Focus:** Open**Program Statistics:****Faculty:** No IDS specific faculty information available**Students:** Resident students only. Evening classes and flexible schedule offered. Accelerated program (eight week modules)**Program History:** No information available**Contact Information:**

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