SYMBOLIC SYSTEMS

Courses offered by the Symbolic Systems Program are listed under the subject code SYMSYS on the Stanford Bulletin’s ExploreCourses web site.

The observation that both human beings and computers can manipulate symbols lies at the heart of Symbolic Systems, an interdisciplinary program focusing on the relationship between natural and artificial systems that represent, process, and act on information. Computer programs, natural languages, the human mind, and the Internet embody concepts whose study forms the core of the Symbolic Systems curriculum, such as computation, representation, communication, and intelligence. A body of knowledge and theory has developed around these notions, from disciplines such as philosophy, computer science, linguistics, psychology, statistics, neurobiology, and communication. Since the invention of computers, researchers have been working across these disciplines to study questions such as: in what ways are computers and computer languages like human beings and their languages; how can the interaction between people and computers be made easier and more beneficial?

The core requirements of the Symbolic Systems Program (SSP) include courses in symbolic logic, the philosophy of mind, formal linguistics, cognitive psychology, programming, the mathematics of computation, statistical theory, artificial intelligence, and interdisciplinary approaches to cognitive science. These courses prepare students with the vocabulary, theoretical background, and technical skills needed for study and research at the advanced undergraduate and graduate levels. Most of the courses in SSP are drawn from affiliated departments. Courses designed specifically for the program are aimed at integrating and supplementing topics covered by the department-based offerings. The curriculum includes humanistic approaches to questions about language and intelligence, as well as training in science and engineering.

SSP offers B.S. and M.S. degree programs. Both programs require students to master a common core of required courses and to choose an area of specialization.

Mission of the Undergraduate Program in Symbolic Systems

The undergraduate program in Symbolic Systems is an interdisciplinary program focusing on the relationships between natural and artificial systems that use symbols to communicate and to represent information. The mission of the program is to prepare majors with the vocabulary, theoretical background, and technical skills necessary to research questions about language, information, and intelligence, both human and machine. The curriculum offers a combination of traditional humanistic approaches to these questions as well as a training and familiarity with contemporary developments in the science and technology of computation. Students in the major take courses in cognitive science, computer programming, logic and computational theory, probability, cognitive psychology, philosophy of mind, linguistics, and artificial intelligence. The program prepares students for a variety of careers in the private and public sectors, especially those involving the human-facing sides of information systems/technology, as well as for further study and research in the cognitive and/or information sciences.

Learning Outcomes (Undergraduate)

The program expects its undergraduate majors to be able to demonstrate the following learning outcomes. These learning outcomes are used in evaluating students and the Symbolic Systems Program. Students are expected to demonstrate:

1. ability to apply formal, philosophical, and/or computational analysis to experimental designs and data and vice versa.
2. ability to understand multiple formal, philosophical, and/or computational frameworks and how they are related to each other.
3. ability to map real world problems or observed phenomena onto formal, philosophical and/or computational frameworks and vice versa.

Learning Outcomes (Graduate)

The purpose of the master’s program is to further develop knowledge and skills in Symbolic Systems and to prepare students for a professional career or doctoral studies. This is achieved through completion of courses representing each of the core disciplines of Symbolic Systems as well as an individualized course program in support of the completion of a Master’s thesis.

Bachelor of Science in Symbolic Systems

The program leading to a B.S. in Symbolic Systems provides students with a core of concepts and techniques, drawing on faculty and courses from various departments. The curriculum prepares students for advanced training in the interdisciplinary study of language and information, or for postgraduate study in any of the main contributing disciplines. It is also excellent preparation for employment immediately after graduation.

Symbolic Systems majors must complete a core of required courses plus a field of study consisting of five additional courses. All major courses are to be taken for letter grades unless an approved course is offered satisfactory/no credit only. All core courses must be passed with a grade of "C-" or better. Students who receive a grade lower than this in a core course must alert the program of this fact so that a decision can be made about whether the student should continue in the major.

Core Requirements

In order to graduate with a B.S. in Symbolic Systems, a student must complete the following requirements. Some of these courses have other courses as prerequisites; students are responsible for completing each course's prerequisites before they take it. With the exception of the advanced small seminar requirement, courses cannot be used towards more than one area of the core requirements. For additional information, see the Symbolic Systems web site (http://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduate_programs). Note: Students matriculating in the Class of 2018 or later must take SYMSYS 1 Minds and Machines (formerly SYMSYS 100) before their declaration of the Symbolic Systems undergraduate major can be approved.

1. Introductory Core Course

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2. Continuous Fundamentals Level 1 – Single Variable Calculus

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Equivalent preparation in Single Variable Calculus, as judged by student

3. Continuous Fundamentals Level 2—Multivariable Calculus

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¹ The following are optional but recommended and may be required for some higher level courses:

- Additional courses in the Math 50 series
  - MATH 52 Integral Calculus of Several Variables
  - MATH 53 Ordinary Differential Equations with Linear Algebra
- Or additional courses in the CME 100 series
  - CME 102 Ordinary Differential Equations for Engineers (same as ENGR 155A)
  - CME 104 Linear Algebra and Partial Differential Equations for Engineers (same as ENGR 155B)
- Or additional courses in the Math 60 CM series
  - MATH 62CM Modern Mathematics: Continuous Methods
  - MATH 63CM Modern Mathematics: Continuous Methods

4. Continuous Fundamentals Level 3—Probability and Statistics

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5. Discrete Fundamentals

a. Computing Level 1

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b. Computing Level 2

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6. Technical Depth

Two courses chosen from the list below (from either the same or different areas), appropriate to a student’s concentration. Students concentrating in HCI, AI, or Computer Music must take CS 107 or CS 107E. Other concentrations may also restrict the particular courses that can be taken to fulfill this requirement.

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7. Philosophical Foundations Level 1

Introductory Philosophy

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<td>Introduction to social and political philosophy</td>
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PHIL 75C (last offered 2018-19)
PHIL 82T Philosophy of Cognitive Science 4
PHIL 102 Modern Philosophy, Descartes to Kant 4
PHIL 135 Existentialism 4
THINK 24 Evil 4
THINK 56 Health Care, Ethics, and Justice 4

All 3 of the following (must complete entire sequence):
SLE 91 Structured Liberal Education
& SLE 92 and Structured Liberal Education
& SLE 93 and Structured Liberal Education

Other introductory courses taught in the Philosophy Department, if approved by the Program Director or Associate Director

9. Philosophical Foundations Level 3

Select one of the following advanced undergraduate course in metaphysics/epistemology (post-PHIL 80):
PHIL 106A (last offered Spring 2017) 4
PHIL 107B Plato's Later Metaphysics and Epistemology 4
PHIL 167D Philosophy of Neuroscience 4
PHIL 173B Metaethics 4
PHIL 175 Philosophy of Law 4
PHIL 180 Metaphysics 4
PHIL 180A Realism, Anti-Realism, Irrealism, Quasi-Realism 4
PHIL 181 Philosophy of Language 4
PHIL 182 Advanced Philosophy of Language 4
PHIL 182A Naturalizing Representation 4
PHIL 184 Epistemology 4
PHIL 186 Philosophy of Mind 4
PHIL 187 Philosophy of Action 4
PHIL 189G Fine-Tuning Arguments for God's Existence 4

Note: Symbolic Systems majors must take PHIL 182 for 3 or more units.

10. Cognition and Neuroscience

Introductory Cognition and Neuroscience

Select one of the following:
PSYCH 30 Introduction to Perception 4
PSYCH 45 Introduction to Learning and Memory 3
PSYCH 50 Introduction to Cognitive Neuroscience 4
PSYCH 141 Cognitive Development 3

An additional undergraduate course in cognition and/or neurosciences

Select one of the following:
BIO 150 Human Behavioral Biology 5
HUMBIO 3B Environmental and Health Policy Analysis 5
PSYCH 30 Introduction to Perception 4
PSYCH 45 Introduction to Learning and Memory 3
PSYCH 50 Introduction to Cognitive Neuroscience 4
PSYCH 60 Introduction to Developmental Psychology 3
PSYCH 60B (last offered Autumn 2015) 4
PSYCH 70 Self and Society: Introduction to Social Psychology 4

PSYCH 80 Introduction to Personality and Affective Science 3
PSYCH 120 Cellular Neuroscience: Cell Signaling and Behavior 4
PSYC 124 Brain Plasticity 3
PSYCH 140 Introduction to Psycholinguistics 4
PSYCH 141 Cognitive Development 3
PSYCH 154 Judgment and Decision-Making 3
THINK 15 How Does Your Brain Work? 4

11. Natural Language

Linguistic Dynamics: Language Processing, Learning, Variation, and Change

Select one of the following:
LINGUIST 1 Introduction to Linguistics 4
LINGUIST 52N Spoken Sexuality: Language and the Social Construction of Sexuality 3
LINGUIST 61S Language Evolution and Change 2-3
LINGUIST 67S The Role of Language in Perception and Cognition 3
LINGUIST 140 Learning to Speak: An Introduction to Child Language Acquisition 4
LINGUIST 150 Language and Society 3-4
LINGUIST 152 Sociolinguistics and Pidgin Creole Studies 2-4
LINGUIST 156 Language and Gender 4
LINGUIST 157 Sociophonetics 1-4
LINGUIST 159 American Dialects 2-4
LINGUIST 160 Introduction to Language Change 2-4
PSYCH 140 Introduction to Psycholinguistics 4

LINGUIST 21N Linguistic Diversity and Universals: The Principles of Language Structure 3
LINGUIST 105 Phonetics 4

Select one of the following:
LINGUIST 110 Introduction to Phonology 4
LINGUIST 112 Seminar in Phonology: Stress, Tone, and Accent 4
LINGUIST 120 Introduction to Syntax 4
LINGUIST 121A The Syntax of English 4
LINGUIST 121B Crosslinguistic Syntax 4
LINGUIST 130A/230A Introduction to Semantics and Pragmatics 4
LINGUIST 130B Introduction to Lexical Semantics 3-4
LINGUIST 272 Structure of Finnish 2-4
LINGUIST 281 Computational Models of Linguistic Formalism 1-4

12. Computation and Cognition

A course applying core technical skills to cognition
NOTE: Students Concentrating in Artificial Intelligence must take CS 221 to fulfill this requirement. Students in other concentrations can select one of the following:
CS 131 Computer Vision: Foundations and Applications 3-4
CS 221 Artificial Intelligence: Principles and Techniques 3-4
CS 228 Probabilistic Graphical Models: Principles and Techniques 3-4
Advanced Small Seminar Requirement

An upper-division, limited-enrollment seminar drawing on material from other courses in the core. Courses listed under Symbolic Systems Program offerings with numbers from SYMSYS 200 through 209 are acceptable, as are other courses as listed in the Advanced Small Seminar section of the Symbolic Systems website. Total enrollment must not exceed 20 students for a course to be approved as fulfilling the Advanced Small Seminar Requirement. A course taken to fulfill this requirement can also be counted toward another requirement, as part of either the core or a student’s concentration, but not both.

Concentration Area

In addition to the core requirements listed above, the Symbolic Systems major requires each student to complete a concentration area consisting of five courses that are thematically related to each other. Students select concentrations from the list below or design others in consultation with their advisers. The concentration area is declared on Axess as a subplan; it appears on the transcript but not on the diploma.

See the Concentration Areas tab (p. 8) for lists of courses for each area.

- Artificial Intelligence (https://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduatesconcentrations/artificial-intelligence-ai-concentration)
- Computer Music (https://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduatesconcentrations/computer-music-cm-concentration)
- Learning (https://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduatesconcentrations/learning-concentration)
- Natural Language (https://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduatesconcentrations/natural-language-nl-concentration)
- Neurosciences (https://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduatesconcentrations/neurosciences-neuro-concentration)
- Philosophical Foundations (https://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduatesconcentrations/philosophical-foundations-concentration)

Note: A course may not count toward both a core and a concentration requirement, unless it is applied to the Advanced Small Seminar area within the core. A course that is applied to the Advanced Small Seminar requirement may also be counted toward a student’s concentration or toward another core requirement, if appropriate, but not to both.

Individually Designed Concentrations (IDCs)

Individually Designed Concentrations (IDCs) consist of five courses in a coherent subject area related to symbolic systems. This relationship may be established through inclusion in an IDC of two or more courses that connect the proposed concentration to the core, i.e. courses that (a) directly apply disciplines included in the core and (b) are related by topic or methodology to the other courses in the proposed concentration.

Course selection is to be made in consultation with the student’s adviser and is subject to approval by the adviser, the Associate Director, and the Director. For examples of IDCs completed by past SSP students, consult the list of alumni and apply the filter “Individually Designed Concentration”.

Approval of an IDC must take place no less than two full quarters before a student plans to graduate, e.g. prior to the first day of Winter Quarter of the senior year if a student intends to graduate in June of that year. Failure to obtain approval by the required date will necessitate either completing the requirements for one of the suggested concentrations, or delaying graduation to the end of the second full quarter following approval of an IDC.

To get a proposed IDC approved, send an email message to symsys-directors at lists.stanford.edu, cc’d to your prospective concentration adviser, stating that the adviser has approved your proposal, and giving a title, one-paragraph description, and course plan for your proposed concentration.

Undergraduate Research

The program encourages all SSP majors to gain experience in directed research by participating in faculty research projects or by pursuing independent study. In addition to the Symbolic Systems Honors Program (see below), the following avenues are offered.

Summer Internships: students work on SSP-related faculty research projects. Application procedures are announced in the Winter Quarter for SSP majors.

Research Assistantships: other opportunities to work on faculty research projects are typically announced to SSP majors as they arise during the academic year.

Independent Study: under faculty supervision. For course credit, students should enroll in SYMSYS 196 Independent Study.

Contact SSP for more information on any of these possibilities, or see the Symbolic Systems (http://symsys.stanford.edu) web site. In addition, see the Undergraduate Advising and Research (https://undergrad.stanford.edu/opportunities/research.html) web site for information on UAR grants and scholarships supporting student research projects at all levels.

Honors Program

Seniors in SSP may apply for admission to the Symbolic Systems honors program prior to the beginning of their final year of study. Students who are accepted into the honors program can graduate with honors by completing an honors thesis under the supervision of a faculty member.
Course credit for the honors project may be obtained by registering for SYMSYS 190 Senior Honors Tutorial any quarter while a student is working on an honors project. SYMSYS 191 Senior Honors Seminar, is recommended for honors students during the senior year. Contact SSP or visit the program’s web site for more information on the honors program, including deadlines and policies.

**Minor in Symbolic Systems**

Students may minor in Symbolic Systems by completing either Option 1 or Option 2. For additional information see the Symbolic Systems minors web site (http://symsys.stanford.edu/viewing/htmldocument/13635).

**Option 1**

One course in each of the following core areas (please note that several of these courses have prerequisites):

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\[1\] SYMSYS 1 Minds and Machines (formerly SYMSYS 100) may not be counted for both areas ‘a’ and ‘d’.

**Option 2**

SYMSYS 1 Minds and Machines (formerly SYMSYS 100), plus an interdisciplinary SSP concentration listed on the SSP (http://symsys.stanford.edu/viewing/htmldocument/16190) web site. To qualify, the selection of courses used for the minor must be interdisciplinary; it must either include courses from at least three departments, or include more than one course from each of two departments.

**Coterminal Master's Degrees in Symbolic Systems**

The Symbolic Systems M.S. Program admits a handful of coterminal students each year. Coterminal students usually complete the program in one academic year.

The GRE is not required for coterm applicants.

Many SSP majors also complete coterminal M.S. or M.A. degrees in affiliated departments. In addition to the Symbolic Systems M.S. program, the Department of Philosophy offers a Special Program in Symbolic Systems track for interdisciplinary graduate level work leading to the Master of Arts in Philosophy (http://www.stanford.edu/dept/registrar/bulletin/6567.htm).

**University Coterminal Requirements**

Coterminal master’s degree candidates are expected to complete all master’s degree requirements as described in this bulletin. University requirements for the coterminal master’s degree are described in the “Coterminal Master’s Program (http://exploredegrees.stanford.edu/cotermdegrees)” section. University requirements for the master’s degree are described in the “Graduate Degrees (http://exploredegrees.stanford.edu/graduatedegrees/#masterstext)” section of this bulletin.

After accepting admission to this coterminal master’s degree program, students may request transfer of courses from the undergraduate to the graduate career to satisfy requirements for the master’s degree. Transfer of courses to the graduate career requires review and approval of both the undergraduate and graduate programs on a case by case basis.

In this master’s program, courses taken during or after the first quarter of the sophomore year are eligible for consideration for transfer to the graduate career; the timing of the first graduate quarter is not a factor.

No courses taken prior to the first quarter of the sophomore year may be used to meet master’s degree requirements.

Course transfers are not possible after the bachelor’s degree has been conferred.

The University requires that the graduate adviser be assigned in the student’s first graduate quarter even though the undergraduate career may still be open. The University also requires that the Master’s Degree Program Proposal be completed by the student and approved by the department by the end of the student’s first graduate quarter.
Master of Science in Symbolic Systems

The University’s basic requirements for the M.S. degree are discussed in the "Graduate Degrees" section of this bulletin.

The M.S. degree in Symbolic Systems is designed to be completed in the equivalent of one academic year by coterminal students or returning students who already have a B.S. degree in Symbolic Systems, and in two years or less by other students depending upon level of preparation. Admission is competitive, providing a limited number of students with the opportunity to pursue course and project work in consultation with a faculty adviser who is affiliated with the Symbolic Systems Program. The faculty adviser may impose requirements beyond those described here.

Admission to the program as a coterminal student is subject to the policies and deadlines described in the "Coterminal Bachelor's and Master's Degrees" section of this bulletin. Applicants to the M.S. program are reviewed each Winter Quarter. Information on deadlines, procedures for applying, and degree requirements are available from the program's student services coordinator in the Linguistics Department office (460-127E) and at the Symbolic Systems web site. Note, the GRE is required for external applicants.

Symbolic Systems also offers a Joint Degree with Law School (M.S./J.D.).

Director of Graduate Studies: Michael C. Frank

Degree Requirements

A candidate for the M.S. degree in Symbolic Systems must complete a program of 45 units. All courses must be 100-level and above. At least 36 of these must be graded units, passed with an average grade of 3.0 (B) or better, and any course taken as part of the 45 unit program must be taken for a letter grade unless the course is offered S/NC only. None of the 45 units to be counted toward the M.S. degree may include units counted toward an undergraduate degree at Stanford or elsewhere. Course requirements are waived only if evidence is provided that similar or more advanced courses have been taken, either at Stanford or another institution. Courses that are waived rather than taken may not be counted toward the M.S. degree. For additional information, see the Symbolic Systems web site.

Each candidate for the M.S. degree must fulfill the following requirements:

1. Submission to the Symbolic Systems Program office and approval of the following pre-project research documents:
   a. Project Area Statement, endorsed with a commitment from a student’s prospective project adviser no later than May 1 of the academic year prior to the expected graduation year; and
   b. Qualifying Research Paper due no later than the end of the Summer Quarter prior to the expected graduation year.

2. Completion of a coherent plan of study, to be approved by the Graduate Studies Director in consultation with the student’s adviser and designed to support a student’s project. An initial plan of study should be delineated on the Program Proposal Form prior to the end of the student’s first quarter of study, as required by the University. The final version of the Program Proposal, which should specify all the courses the student has taken and proposes as fulfillment of the unit requirements for the degree, is due by the end of Finals Week in the quarter prior to the student’s expected graduation quarter (i.e. end of Winter Quarter for a student graduating in the Spring). The plan of study must include courses taken for 3 units or more each that are more advanced than the Symbolic Systems undergraduate core in four main skill areas: formal, empirical, computational, and philosophical; and in at least three of the following departments:

   a) Formal: a course in logic and computational theory beyond the level of PHIL 151 Metalogic. The courses below have been approved. Other courses may be approved if appropriate.
   - PHIL 252 Computability and Logic
   - PHIL 254 Modal Logic
   - PHIL 356C Logic and Artificial Intelligence
   - PHIL 357 Research Seminar on Logic and Cognition
   - CS 154 Introduction to Automata and Complexity Theory
   - CS 157 Computational Logic
   - CS 261 Optimization and Algorithmic Paradigms

   b) Empirical: a course drawing on experimental or observational data or methods, beyond the level of PSYCH 55, LINGUIST 120 or 130A. The courses below are examples of those that have been approved. Other courses may be approved if appropriate.
   - CS 224N Natural Language Processing with Deep Learning
   - CS 224U Natural Language Understanding
   - CS 229 Machine Learning
   - LINGUIST 230B Advanced Semantics
   - NBIO 206 The Nervous System
   - NBIO 258 Information and Signaling Mechanisms in Neurons and Circuits
   - PSYCH 204 Computation and Cognition: The Probabilistic Approach
   - PSYCH 204A Human Neuroimaging Methods
   - PSYCH 209 Neural Network Models of Cognition
   - PSYCH 251 Experimental Methods
   - PSYCH 252 Statistical Methods for Behavioral and Social Sciences
   - STATS 200 Introduction to Statistical Inference
   - SYMSYS 245 Cognition in Interaction Design

   c) Computational: a course involving programming beyond the level of CS 107. The courses below have been approved. Other courses may be approved if appropriate.
   - CS 108 Object-Oriented Systems Design
   - CS 110 Principles of Computer Systems
   - CS 124 From Languages to Information
   - CS 142 Web Applications
   - CS 143 Compilers
   - CS 145 Data Management and Data Systems
   - CS 148 Introduction to Computer Graphics and Imaging
   - CS 210A Software Project Experience with Corporate Partners
   - CS 221 Artificial Intelligence: Principles and Techniques
   - CS 224N Natural Language Processing with Deep Learning
   - CS 224W Machine Learning with Graphs
   - CS 246 Mining Massive Data Sets

   d) Philosophical: a course in the area of Philosophy of Mind/Language/Science/Epistemology or Metaphysics at the 200 level or above, certified by the instructor as worthy of graduate credit. The courses below are examples of those that have been approved. Other courses may be approved if appropriate.
   - PHIL 264 Central Topics in the Philosophy of Science: Theory and Evidence
   - PHIL 267D Philosophy of Neuroscience
   - PHIL 281 Philosophy of Language
   - PHIL 281C Slurs and derogatory language
• PHIL 283 Self-knowledge and Metacognition
• PHIL 286 Philosophy of Mind
• PHIL 286A Self-fashioning
• PHIL 327 Scientific Philosophy: From Kant to Kuhn and Beyond
• PHIL 348 Evolution of Signalling
• PHIL 359 Topics in Logic, Information and Agency
• PHIL 377 Social Agency

3. Completion of three quarters of SYMSYS 291 Master’s Program Seminar.

4. Completion of a substantial project appropriate to the program plan, represented by the M.S. Thesis, the last of the the M.S research documents (http://symsys.stanford.edu/viewing/htmldocument/13678). The project normally takes three quarters, and work on the project may account for up to 15 units of a student’s program. The thesis must be read and approved for the master’s degree in Symbolic Systems by two qualified readers approved by the program, at least one of whom must be a member of the academic council. A copy of the thesis must be submitted (in both print and electronic forms) to the Associate Director of Symbolic Systems, with the print version including the signatures of each reader indicating approval of the thesis for the degree of Master of Science, no later than 12 noon on the day of the University Dissertation/Thesis Submission Deadline (https://studentaffairs.stanford.edu/registrar/students/dissertation-thesis) for the quarter of a student’s graduation.

Graduate Advising Expectations

The Symbolic Systems Program is committed to providing academic advising in support of graduate student scholarly and professional development. When most effective, this advising relationship entails collaborative and sustained engagement by both the adviser and the advisee. As a best practice, advising expectations should be periodically discussed and reviewed to ensure mutual understanding. Both the adviser and the advisee are expected to maintain professionalism and integrity.

Faculty advisers guide students in key areas such as selecting courses, designing and conducting research, developing of teaching pedagogy, navigating policies and degree requirements, and exploring academic opportunities and professional pathways.

Graduate students are active contributors to the advising relationship, proactively seeking academic and professional guidance and taking responsibility for informing themselves of policies and degree requirements for their graduate program. Students are expected to meet regularly with their advisers and to keep them informed about their academic progress. Each student and their adviser should mutually agree on the frequency of these meetings when the advising relation begins and reassess their frequency at the start of every quarter.

For a statement of University policy on graduate advising, see the "Graduate Advising (http://exploredegrees.stanford.edu/graduatedegrees/#advisingandcredentialstext)" section of this bulletin.

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Concentration Areas

In addition to the Core, SSP majors choose an area of concentration. For undergraduates, a concentration comprises an approved list of 5 courses of 3 or more units each.

The following are lists of courses in each concentration. Each concentration listed below has a link to detailed requirements on the Symbolic Systems website.

Applied Logic (https://symsys.stanford.edu/undergraduatesconcentrations/applied-logic-al-concentration)

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Note: PHIL 359 counts only if taken for 3 or more units, in accordance with the policy for all core courses.

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