The Classical Civilization major is a designated capstone major. Undergraduate students take a capstone seminar in which they are expected to:

- demonstrate, within the context of a specialized topic in classical studies, specific skills and expertise acquired in earlier coursework, including research, analysis, and writing.

- identify and analyze appropriate ancient sources, material evidence and/or other forms of primary documents appropriate to the study of classical antiquity and its reception.

- acquire a working knowledge of scholarly discourse relative to a specialized topic.

- conceive and execute a project that identifies and engages with a specialized topic.

- engage with a community of scholars, presenting one’s own work to peers and to further the work of others through discussion and critique.