**Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (MALS)** 

**Program Path:** 

**IDS Type:** Unrestricted IDS

**Program Type:** Foundational IDS Program

**Description:** Oakland University's Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (MALS) degree program is a highly challenging, interdisciplinary exploration of the liberal arts, for post-baccalaureate students wishing to broaden their education through rigorous study outside traditional areas of specialization. MALS students are strongly motivated individuals who help to shape their own course of study though the unique combinations of core and elective courses they choose. Through the MALS program students take advantage of opportunities to present their research in professional and community settings. The program is designed for students who wish to pursue graduate study on a part-time basis to balance professional and personal responsibilities. (From website.)

## **Program Structure:**

**Admission Requirements:** Application, Official Undergraduate Transcripts, Statement of Purpose (3 pages or less), (2) Letters of Recommendation

**Credit Hours:** 36 credits

**Required Coursework:** 4 credits, One Core course

**Individually Selected Coursework:** 28 credits, Two Seminars and Five Electives

Exit Courses & Work: 4 credits, Final Project

**Established Department(s) of Focus:** Open

**Program Statistics:** 

Faculty: No IDS specific faculty information available

**Students:** Resident students only; program designed for part-time students

**Program History:** No information available

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