

# DIGITAL HUMANITIES AND SOCIETIES, MASTER OF ARTS

A two-year program focusing on the study of digital technologies and their effect on aspects of human culture, with an emphasis on digital methods and trends and practices in digital culture.

The MA in Digital Humanities and Societies is a two-year program that allows participants to study the Middle East's digital culture from a scholarly and digital research perspective.

For more information, click here (<https://www.hbku.edu.qa/en/chss/ma-digital-humanities-societies/>).

## Requirements

Minimum hours required to complete program 39 CH

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Core Courses</b>		
DHS 621	Approaches to Digital Humanities	3
DHS 622	Digital Communication and Media	3
DHS 623	Methods in Digital Humanities	3
ME 611	History, Politics and Cultures of the Middle East	3
ME 613	Social, Economic and Development Theory	3
SS 612	Research Methods	3
Subtotal		18
<b>Elective Courses</b>		
Select three of the following:		9
DHS 651	Emerging Technologies and Applications	
DHS 652	Digital Publishing and Design	
DHS 654	Civil Society and Digital Activism	
DHS 655	Exploring Digital Heritage Methods	
DHS 656	Introduction to Human Language Technologies	
DHS 657	Coding for Humanities	
DHS 658	Digital Resources in the Humanities	
DHS 659	Digital Innovation and Transformation	
DHS 660	Digital Disinformation and Propaganda in the Middle East and North Africa	
DHS 661	Digital Writing	
SS 600	Thinking and Practicing Interdisciplinarity in the Humanities and the Social Sciences	
TSD 628	Terminology	
WSD 653	Gender and Digital Cultures	
WSD 662	Women and Gender in the Literature and Cinema of the Middle East and North Africa	
Subtotal		9
<b>Internship or Project</b>		
DHS 691	Internship	3
or DHS 669	Independent Research Project	
Subtotal		3
<b>Thesis</b>		
DHS 695	Master's Thesis Hours	0-6
Subtotal		9
<b>Non-Course Requirements</b>		
699	Thesis Defense	
<b>Total</b>		<b>39</b>

## Study Plan

Course	Title	Hours
<b>First Year</b>		
<b>First Semester</b>		
DHS 623	Methods in Digital Humanities	3
ME 611	History, Politics and Cultures of the Middle East	3
SS 612	Research Methods	3
<b>Semester Hours</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
DHS 621	Approaches to Digital Humanities	3
DHS 622	Digital Communication and Media	3
ME 613	Social, Economic and Development Theory	3
<b>Semester Hours</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Second Year</b>		
<b>First Semester</b>		
DHS 669 or DHS 691	Independent Research Project or Internship	3
DHS 695	Master's Thesis Hours	3
Elective 1		3
Elective 2		3
<b>Semester Hours</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
DHS 695	Master's Thesis Hours	6
Elective 3		3
<b>Semester Hours</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>39</b>