The 4+1 partnership with the Harriman Institute allows Barnard students to complete their Barnard undergraduate degree as well as a Masters in Russian, Eurasian, and Eastern European Studies in five years.

This curriculum allows for multidisciplinary study of the region through the lenses of political science, international relations, modern history, sociology, and others.

Students may choose to take a trans-regional approach, or focus their studies on a specific country within Russia, Eurasia and Eastern Europe (the former Soviet Union, Eastern Europe and the Balkans).

Applicants should have some prior language training and must exhibit proficiency equivalent to three years of an East European or a Eurasian language in order to graduate.

The Accelerated 4+1 Pathways allow students to combine an undergraduate liberal arts education at Barnard with a master’s degree at one of the world’s preeminent research universities. Application fees and GRE requirements are waived for Barnard students. Students admitted to the Accelerated 4+1 Pathways have access to Beyond Barnard advising and special events hosted for their cohorts. Questions can be directed to beyondbarnard@barnard.edu.
Harriman Institute Russian, Eurasian, & East European Studies

Application Close: 04/22/2021
Required GPA: 3.5

Number of CU credits taken in **year four**: 9–12
**Total** number of CU credits required: **30**

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**What questions do students ask of BB, Faculty, and CU partners?**

**Beyond Barnard**
- How does the pathway fit with your academic interests and career goals?
- What are the application requirements and timeline?
- Application support, including soliciting recommendations & reviewing your resume and personal statement

**Barnard Faculty Advisors**
- Review your academic progress – how will you finish your requirements at Barnard?
- Discuss majors, minors, and other academic goals as they relate to 4+1
- How will you complete Harriman requirements in years 4 and 5?

**Columbia Advisors**
- Questions about application logistics
- What kinds of career resources and support does Harriman offer its students?
- Questions about whether your research interest fits into the scope of the Harriman Institute

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