AFRICAN AND AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES MINOR

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The African and African American Studies minor offers the student the opportunity to study, in-depth, the historical and social experiences and cultural contributions of Africans and people of African descent in a global perspective. It also provides a critical perspective on race in American society. An interdisciplinary program concentrating mainly in the humanities, the curriculum of the African and African American Studies minor offers students the opportunity to customize their course work by exploring a range of subjects in various disciplines. Students must complete 21 units for the minor.

Requirements

Code

The minor in African and African American Studies requires 21 units. To fulfill the requirements for the minor in African and African American Studies, students must take one required course. Students should choose the remaining 18 units from a list of elective courses approved by the advisory committee.

Units

Title

| Required Course | | |
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| AFST 201 | MAIN THEMES IN AFRICAN AND AFRICAN- AMERICAN STUDIES | 3 |
| Electives | | |
| Select six of the following from at least three different disciplines (four must be upper-level courses): | | 18 |
| AFST 411 | TOPICS IN AFRICAN AND AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES | |
| ANTH 329 | THE ANTHROPOLOGY OF AFRICA | |
| ARTH 335 | AFRICAN-AMERICAN ART | |
| COMM 382 | AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNICATION | |
| EMF 210 | AFRICAN-AMERICAN CINEMA | |
| ENGL 233 | SURVEY OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN LITERATURE | |
| or ENGL 234 | MAJOR WRITERS IN AFRICAN-AMERICAN LITERATURE | |
| ENGL 336 | POST-COLONIAL LITERATURE | |
| ENGL 347 | CITIES IN WORLD LITERATURE WRITTEN IN ENGLISH | |
| ENGL 348 | LITERATURE OF THE AFRICAN DIASPORA | |
| ENGL 477 | TOPICS IN BLACK AMERICAN LITERATURE | |
| FMST 311 | AFRICAN AMERICAN FAMILIES | |
| GEOG 431 | GEOGRAPHY OF AFRICA | |
| HIST 135 | HISTORY OF AFRICA TO 1900 | |
| HIST 136 | AFRICA SINCE 1900 | |
| HIST 328 | THE MAKING OF COLONIAL AFRICA (C. 1884-1994) | |
| HIST 329 | HISTORY OF SOUTH AFRICA | |
| HIST 381 | AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY TO THE MID-19TH CENTURY | |

| HIST 382 | AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY FROM THE MID-19TH CENTURY |
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| KNES 470 | SELECTED TOPICS IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION |
| MUSC 123 | JAZZ HISTORY FOR NON-MAJORS |
| or MUSC 125 | HONORS HISTORY OF JAZZ FOR NON-MAJORS |
| MUSC 204 | HIP-HOP MUSIC AND CULTURE |
| PHIL 204 | RACE, CLASS AND GENDER |
| PHIL 251 | AFRICAN AMERICAN PHILOSOPHY |
| PHIL 270 | PHILOSOPHICAL PERSPECTIVES |
| PHIL 327 | AFRICAN PHILOSOPHY |
| POSC 343 | AFRICAN-AMERICAN POLITICS |
| POSC 344 | RACE AND AMERICAN POLITICS |
| POSC 410 | POLITICS OF THE MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA |
| PSYC 432 | CROSS-CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY |
| PSYC 441 | PSYCHOLOGY OF THE BLACK EXPERIENCE |
| SOCI 241 | BLACKS IN AMERICA:MYTHS AND REALITY |
| SOCI 243 | SOCIOLOGY OF RACE, CLASS AND GENDER |
| SOCI 341 | CLASS, STATUS AND POWER |
| SOCI 343 | SOCIOLOGY OF RACE AND ETHNICITY |
| SOCI 370 | TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY |
| THEA 303 | CULTURAL DIVERSITY IN CONTEMPORARY THEATRE |
| or THEA 304 | HONORS CULTURAL DIVERSITY IN CONTEMPORARY THEATRE |
| WMST 370 | TOPICS IN WOMEN'S STUDIES |
| WMST 388 | GENDER AND RELIGION IN THE AFRICAN DIASPORA |
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Total Units 21