

MINOR IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES


Units required for Minor: 21

Program Description

The minor in Latin American Studies (LAS) provides students with coursework that explores the historical, social, cultural, political, and transnational/transoceanic conditions of Latin American societies as well as the ways in which these factors have shaped historical and contemporary Latino/a/x identities. The curriculum includes courses from a variety of disciplinary perspectives and allows students to specialize in particular topical and/or thematic areas of interest.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Units
Required Upper Division Courses (6 Units)		
HIST 138A	Colonial Latin America	3
HIST 138B	Modern and Contemporary Latin America	3
Elective Courses (15 Units) ^{1,2}		
<i>Arts & Literature</i>		
Select two of the following:		6
ART 111	Latin American and Latino Art History 	
HIST 137B	Latin American History in Film 	
MUSC 119C	World Music: Latin America	
SPAN 100	Introduction to the Study of Hispanic Literature	
SPAN 113	Latin American Literature, Beginnings to Modernism	
SPAN 114	Latin American Literature, Modernism to Present	
SPAN 134	The Short Story in Latin America	
SPAN 153	Civilization and Culture of Mexico	
<i>Society</i>		
Select three of the following:		9
ANTH 121	Archaeology of Mexico	
ANTH 122	The Evolution of Early Mesoamerican States	
ANTH 143	Culture and Society in Mexico	
ANTH 145	Peoples and Cultures of Latin America	
ETHN 30	Introduction to Chicano/Latino Studies	
ETHN 131	La Raza Studies 	
ETHN 132	La Mujer Chicana	
ETHN 136	US Mexican Border Relations	
ETHN 137	Race and Ethnicity in Latin America and Caribbean	
ETHN 141	Politics of the African Diaspora 	
POLS 141	Politics of the African Diaspora 	
POLS 147	Latin American Government and Politics	
HIST 135A	History Of Mexico To 1910	
HIST 135B	Revolutionary and Modern Mexico	
HIST 137A	Latin American Revolutions in the Twentieth Century 	
HIST 178	Mexican-American History 	
HIST 181	Anarchists and Revolutionaries: Transnational Radicalism in America	

HIST 192F	Seminar in Recent Interpretations of Latin American History
SOC 118	Chicano Community 
SOC 122	Immigration Studies
SOC 164	Sociology of Globalization
SPAN 151	Civilization and Culture of Hispanic America
SPAN 152	Civilization and Culture of Spain
Total Units	21

- ¹ Students must take at least one course from three difference disciplines.
- ² No more than four courses from any one discipline count for the LAS minor.