ETHNIC STUDIES

Description
Ethnic Studies involves the exploration and examination of factors that bear on the lives and experiences, both past and present, of ethnically diverse peoples. The Institute for Ethnic Studies is interdisciplinary and intercollegiate, and focuses on the experiences of individuals and groups who are African, African-American, Latino/a, Latin American, or Native origin of descent both in the United States and elsewhere.

Within the Institute, a major and a minor can be taken in Ethnic Studies (described below). Program-specific minors are also available in African Studies, African-American Studies (see listing for African and African-American Studies), U.S. Latina/Latino Studies (see Latino and Latin American Studies), and Native American Studies (see separate catalog listing); both a major and a minor are available in Latin American Studies (see Latino and Latin American Studies).

Program Assessment. To assist in evaluating the program’s effectiveness, each major will be asked to do the following before graduating:

1. submit a copy of a research paper, honors thesis, or other major project completed during the senior year;
2. participate in an exit interview or complete an exit survey.

Results of participation in these assessment activities will not affect a student’s grades or graduation.

Admission
College Admission
The entrance requirements for the College of Arts and Sciences are the same as the UNL General Admission Requirements. Students who are admitted through the Admission by Review process may have certain conditions attached to their enrollment at UNL. These conditions are explained under “Removal of Deficiencies.”

In addition to these requirements, the College of Arts and Sciences strongly recommends a third and fourth year of one foreign language in high school. Four years of high school coursework in the same language will fulfill the College of Arts and Sciences’ language requirement. It will also allow students to continue language study at a more advanced level at UNL, and provide more opportunity to study abroad.

Advising
Academic and Career Advising
The Academic and Career Advising Center in 107 Oldfather is a centrally located and easily accessed resource for students in all majors in the College of Arts and Sciences. The professional academic advisors and career coaches offer 1-1 meetings on a walk-in and appointment basis weekdays. Advisors will provide assistance choosing majors and minors, understanding degree requirements and academic policies, completing paperwork, meeting deadlines, adding/dropping courses, and planning for graduation. In addition, career coaches can help students identify career options related to their interests and connect them with experiences like internships, research, and more that will prepare them for those career options. These specially trained advisors and coaches also serve as first point of contact in the College for all incoming freshmen and transfer students during New Student Enrollment.

Students in the College who have declared a major will be assigned an academic advisor who is their first point of contact for a variety of questions. Academic advisors help students be successful in adjusting to UNL overall as well as making progress toward degree completion. The assigned advisor may be located within the department of their primary major, or in the Advising Center. Students can identify their assigned advisor in MyRED on the academics tab. In addition, faculty advisors are experts in their discipline, including advanced coursework and requirements, opportunities for research, student organizations, and considering graduate school in the discipline. Students who have declared a pre-health or pre-law area of interest will also work with advisors in the Exploratory and Pre-Professional Advising Center (Explore Center) in 127 Love Library South, who are specially trained to guide students preparing to enter a professional school.

For complete and current information on advisors for majors, minors, or pre-professional areas, contact the Arts and Sciences Academic and Career Advising Center, 107 Oldfather Hall, 402-472-4190, http://cas.unl.edu/advising.

College Degree Requirements
College Distribution Requirements
Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science (16 hours + Language)
The College of Arts and Sciences distribution requirements are designed to ensure a breadth of courses within the liberal arts degree. By engaging in study in several different areas within the College, students develop the ability to learn in a variety of ways and apply their knowledge from a variety of perspectives. All requirements are in addition to University ACE requirements.

- A student may not use a single course to satisfy both an ACE outcome and a College distribution requirement.
- A student may not use a single course to satisfy more than one College Distribution Requirement.
- A student may not use a course from their primary major to satisfy the Breadth Requirement (F), but may apply an ancillary requirement of the primary major or a course from their second major toward this requirement.
- Independent study, directed readings, or internship courses cannot be used to satisfy a College Distribution Requirement.
- Cross-listed courses from interdisciplinary programs will be applied in the same area as courses from the home/cross-listed department.

College Distribution Requirements
| CDR A - Written Communication | 3 |
| Select from courses approved for ACE outcome 1. |
| CDR B and BL - Natural, Physical, and Mathematical Sciences with Lab | 4 |
| Select from biochemistry, biological sciences, chemistry, computer science, geology, meteorology, mathematics, physics and statistics. Must include one lab in the natural or physical sciences. Lab courses may be selected from biochemistry, biological sciences, chemistry, geology, meteorology and physics. |
| Some courses from geography and anthropology may also be used to satisfy the lab requirement above. |
| CDR C - Humanities | 3 |
Grade Rules

Restrictions on C- and D Grades

The College will accept no more than 15 semester hours of C- and D grades from other domestic institutions except for UNO and UNK. All courses taken at UNO and UNK impact the UNL transcript. No transfer of C- and D grades can be applied toward requirements in a major or a minor. No UNL C- and D grades can be applied toward requirements in a major or a minor. International coursework (including education abroad) with a final grade equivalent to a C- or lower will not be validated by College of Arts and Sciences departments to be degree applicable.

Pass/No Pass Privilege

The College of Arts and Sciences adheres to the University regulations for the Pass/No Pass (P/N) privilege with the following additional regulations:

- Pass/No Pass hours can count toward fulfillment of University ACE requirements and college distribution requirements up to the 24-hour maximum.
- Most arts and sciences departments and programs do not allow courses graded Pass/No Pass to apply to the major or minor. Students should refer to the department's or program's section of the catalog for clarification. By college rule, departments can allow up to 6 hours of Pass/No Pass in the major or minor.
- Departments may specify that certain courses of theirs can be taken only on a P/N basis.
- The college will permit no more than a total of 24 semester hours of P/N grades to be applied toward degree requirements. This total includes all Pass grades earned at UNL and other U.S. schools. NOTE: This 24-hour limit is more restrictive than the University regulation.

Grading Appeals

A student who feels that he/she has been unfairly graded must ordinarily take the following sequential steps in a timely manner, usually by initiating the appeal in the semester following the awarding of the grade:

1. Talk with the instructor concerned. Most problems are resolved at this point.
2. Talk to the instructor's department chairperson.
3. Take the case to the Grading Appeal Committee of the department concerned. The Committee should be contacted through the department chairperson.
4. Take the case to the College Grading Appeals Committee by contacting the Dean's Office, 1223 Oldfather Hall.

Course Level Requirements

Courses Numbered at the 300 or 400 Level

Thirty (30) of the 120 semester hours of credit must be in courses numbered at the 300 or 400 level. Of those 30 hours, 15 hours (1/2) must be completed in residence at UNL.

Residency Requirement

Students must complete at least 30 of the 120 total hours for their degree at UNL. Students must complete at least 1/2 of their major coursework including 6 hours at the 300 or 400 level in their major, and 15 of the 30 hours required at the 300 or 400 level in residence. Credit earned during education abroad may be used toward the residency requirement only if students register through UNL.
ACE Requirements

Consistent with the mission and values of the University, ACE is based on a shared set of four institutional objectives and ten student learning outcomes. The ACE program was approved by faculty in all eight undergraduate colleges and endorsed by the Faculty Senate, the student government, and the Academic Planning Committee in January 2008 for implementation in the fall 2009. ACE aligns with current national initiatives in general education.

To meet the ACE Program requirement, a student will complete a minimum of 3 credit hours for each of the ten ACE Student Learning Outcomes (a total of 30 ACE credit hours). See the ACE website at: http://ace.unl.edu for the most current information and the most recently certified courses.

Catalog to Use

Students must fulfill the requirements stated in the catalog for the academic year in which they are first admitted to and enrolled as a degree-seeking student at UNL. In consultation with advisors, a student may choose to follow a subsequent catalog for any academic year in which they are admitted to and enrolled as a degree-seeking student at UNL in the College of Arts and Sciences. Students must complete all degree requirements from a single catalog year. Beginning in 1990-1991 the catalog which a student follows for degree requirements may not be more than 10 years old at the time of graduation.

Learning Outcomes

Graduates of ethnic studies will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of U.S. and/or transnational ethnic history.
2. Demonstrate an understanding of U.S. and/or transnational culture and civilization.
3. Demonstrate an understanding of U.S. and/or transnational concerns with race, ethnicity, diversity.
4. Demonstrate an understanding of U.S. and/or transnational concerns with immigration.
5. Use and analyze library and other research resources.
6. Think critically about disciplinary and interdisciplinary issues.
7. Recognize logical fallacies.

Major Requirements

Thirty-three (33) hours, with no more than half taken within one particular discipline (e.g., history, English). At least 12 credit hours must be taken at the 300 level or above, and at least 6 hours must be taken at the 400 level. Students must select and complete one of four emphasis areas: Multi-Ethnic, African and African-American Studies, Latino and Latin American Studies, or Native American Studies.

Core Requirements

Required Courses

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Specific Major Requirements

Methods Courses

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Comparative Courses

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Emphasis Area Requirements

Select one of the following emphasis areas: Multi-ethnic Studies, African and African-American Studies, Latino and Latin American Studies, or Native American Studies.
### Multi-Ethnic Studies Emphasis
Select 6 hours from each of the following three lists—African and African-American Studies, Latino and Latin American Studies, and Native American Studies.

Credit Hours Subtotal: 18

### African and African-American Studies Emphasis
Select 18 hours from the following:

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### Native American Studies

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- ANTH 232: Introduction to Archaeology
- ANTH 419: Art and Anthropology of Native North Americans
- ANTH 433: North American Archaeology
- ANTH 434: Introduction to Great Plains Archaeology
- ETHN 201: Introduction to Native American Studies
- ETHN 237: Ancient Mesoamerica
- ETHN 241: Native American History
- ETHN 245N / ENGL 245N: Introduction to Native American Literature
- ETHN 342 / HIST 342: History of Plains Indians
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- ETHN 352 / ANTH 352: Indigenous Peoples of the Great Plains
- ETHN 358 / HIST 358 / WMNS 358: Native American Women
- ETHN 445N / ENGL 445N: Topics in Native American Literature
- ETHN 451 / ANTH 451: Peoples in North America
- ETHN 464 / HIST 464: Native American History: Selected Topics
- ETHN 477 / HIST 477: Indigenous Peoples of the World

**Credit Hours Subtotal:** 18

### Individualized Courses of Instruction

A total of 9 hours of individualized coursework may count toward the major, but no more than 6 hours of one particular course will count toward the major. This includes ETHN 297, ETHN 299, ETHN 399H, ETHN 497, ETHN 499.

### Minor Requirement

Students must also complete a Plan A minor from a discipline other than Ethnic Studies or one of its component programs.

### Additional Major Requirements

#### Restriction


### Grade Rules

**C- and D Grades**

A grade of C or above is required for all courses in the major and minor.

**Pass/No Pass**

No course taken Pass/No Pass will be counted toward the major or the minor.

### Requirements for Minor Offered by Department

Eighteen (18) hours from the following courses with a minimum of 6 hours in courses numbered 300 and above (other courses may be used with the approval of the faculty advisor):

Select 18 hours of the following:

- ETHN 100: Introduction to Ethnic Studies
- ETHN 113 / HIST 113: History of Hip Hop
- ETHN 150 / HIST 150: African Culture and Civilization
- ETHN 171 / HIST 171: History of Latin America
- ETHN 200: Introduction to African American Studies
- ETHN 201: Introduction to Native American Studies
- ETHN 202: Introduction to Latina and/or Latino Studies
- ETHN 203: Introduction to Africa
- ETHN 212 / ANTH 212: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
- ETHN 217 / SOCI 217: Sociology of Race and Ethnicity
- ETHN 238 / POLS 238: Blacks and the American Political System
- ETHN 241 / HIST 241: Native American History
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ETHN 100 Introduction to Ethnic Studies  
**Prerequisites:** Freshman or Sophomore standing required.  
**Description:** Introduction to the interdisciplinary study of American Indians, African Americans, Latinas/os and other racial and ethnic groups in the United States.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Max credits per semester:** 3  
**Max credits per degree:** 3  
**Format:** LEC  
**ACE:** ACE 8 Civic/Ethics/Stewardship ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 113 History of Hip Hop  
**Crosslisted with:** HIST 113  
**Description:** A chronological and thematic survey of the history of Hip Hop and major debates in Hip-Hop studies. Topics addressed include the elements of Hip-Hop culture, including deejaying, emceeing, sampling, dancing, beatboxing, rapping, graffiti art, fashion, as well as issues of race, politics, gender, sexual orientation, class, commercialism, capitalism, cultural appropriation, and authenticity.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Max credits per semester:** 3  
**Max credits per degree:** 3  
**Format:** LEC  
**ACE:** ACE 8 Civic/Ethics/Stewardship ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 200 Introduction to African American Studies  
**Description:** Origins, nature, scope, and relevance of research, theory, and social, political, and cultural institutions in African American Studies.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Max credits per semester:** 3  
**Max credits per degree:** 3  
**Format:** LEC  
**Prerequisite for:** ETHN 446  
**ACE:** ACE 8 Civic/Ethics/Stewardship ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 201 Introduction to Native American Studies  
**Description:** Origins, traditions, culture, spirituality and current issues of North America's indigenous populations. Diversity of tribal experiences and issues relevant for Native Nations both present and past.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Max credits per semester:** 3  
**Max credits per degree:** 3  
**Format:** LEC  
**ACE:** ACE 9 Global/Diversity ACE 8 Civic/Ethics/Stewardship

ETHN 202 Introduction to Latina and/or Latino Studies  
**Description:** Origins, traditions, culture, and current issues of Latina and/or Latino populations in the United States.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Max credits per semester:** 3  
**Max credits per degree:** 3  
**Format:** LEC  
**ACE:** ACE 9 Global/Diversity
ETHN 203 Introduction to Africa
Description: Introduction to the geography, history, society, economy, politics, and arts of Africa. Explores connections between the United States and Africa.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 212 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
Crosslisted with: ANTH 212
Description: Introduction to ethnology and its subfields. Standard topics, problems, and theories considered in ethnology, social anthropology, culture and personality, and applied anthropology.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 6 Social Science

ETHN 217 Sociology of Race and Ethnicity
Crosslisted with: SOCI 217
Description: Overview of sociological theories and research on the experiences of different racial, religious, and ethnic groups. Concepts of race and ethnicity, including their social construction. Historical and contemporary racial and ethnic relations and patterns of inequality. Intersections of race, social institutions, and social policies.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 6 Social Science ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 237 Ancient Mesoamerica
Crosslisted with: ANTH 237, LAMS 237
Description: Ancient civilizations of Mexico and Central America including the Ancient Maya, Aztecs, and Toltecs. Anthropological theories and methods dealing with archaeological data about urbanism, architecture, art, human-environment interaction, etc. in ancient Mesoamerica.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 6 Social Science ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 238 Blacks and the American Political System
Crosslisted with: POLS 238
Description: Role of the Blacks in the American political system, with emphasis on strategies used to gain political power and influence decision makers; problems faced in the southern and urban political settings.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity ACE 6 Social Science

ETHN 241 Native American History
Crosslisted with: HIST 241
Description: History of Native peoples of North America, focusing on peoples of the region that became the United States. Surveys major themes and issues in Native American history from origins to the present day. Includes tribal cultures and politics; responses to and interactions with Europeans and Euroamericans; land loss and the degradation of Native Americans' natural resource bases; “pan-Indian” movements; cultural persistence and revitalization; and tribal economies in the twentieth century.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 244 African American Literature since 1865
Crosslisted with: ENGL 244
Description: Representative African American works written since 1865, of various genres, studied in their social and historical contexts.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 5 Humanities ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: Literary and Cultural Studies

ETHN 244A Introduction to African Literature
Crosslisted with: ENGL 244A
Description: Representative literary works by African writers, mainly in the English language, but with a sampling of works translated from other languages, from the twentieth century, and presented in their social, historical and social contexts.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 5 Humanities ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: Literary and Cultural Studies

ETHN 244E African American Literature before 1865
Crosslisted with: ENGL 244E
Description: Representative early African American works of various genres, studied in their social and historical contexts, from the oral tradition to the Civil War.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Literary and Cultural Studies

ETHN 245A Introduction to Asian American Literature
Crosslisted with: ENGL 245A
Description: Introduction to Asian American literature and relevant historical and cultural background.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 5 Humanities ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: Literary and Cultural Studies
ETHN 245N Introduction to Native American Literature
Crosslisted with: ENGL 245N
Description: Introduction to literature by Native Americans covering early and recent periods.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 5 Humanities ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: Literary and Cultural Studies

ETHN 246 African American History: African Origins to 1877
Crosslisted with: HIST 246
Description: African American history from African origins to 1877. The experience of free black people in both the North and South. The role of black people in the Revolution and the Civil War. Emancipation and Reconstruction and the Compromise of 1877.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 247 African American History: After 1877
Crosslisted with: HIST 247
Description: African American history from the end of the Reconstruction period through the present. Social, cultural, economic and political history, the Jim Crow era in the South, African American experience in the urban North and West, the Civil Rights Movement, and the post-Civil Rights era.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 271 Colonial Latin America
Crosslisted with: HIST 271, LAMS 271
Description: Survey of Spanish and Portuguese America that stresses the European background, indigenous peoples, colonial institutions, church, race, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, and the struggle for independence. Focus on the history of power and culture in order to understand colonial Latin America. Pre-1800 content.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Pre-1800 History

ETHN 272 Modern Latin America
Crosslisted with: HIST 272, LAMS 272
Description: Survey of the trajectory of the Latin American nation since independence that stresses political, economic, and social problems. Focus on history of power and culture in order to understand Latin America today.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Lat Am, Asian, Middle East Hist

ETHN 277 Latin American Politics
Crosslisted with: POLS 277, LAMS 277
Description: Constitutional and political development of selected Latin American countries; contemporary problems and institutions. Latin America in world affairs with special reference to the inter-American relations and the United States.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: International Relations & Compar

ETHN 279 Independent Study in Ethnic Studies
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing.
Description: Non-classroom experience that has relevance to Ethnic Studies.
Credit Hours: 1-12
Min credits per semester: 1
Max credits per semester: 12
Max credits per degree: 12
Format: IND

ETHN 297 Experiential Learning in Ethnic Studies I
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing.
Description: Research or readings.
Credit Hours: 1-12
Min credits per semester: 1
Max credits per semester: 12
Max credits per degree: 12
Format: IND

ETHN 310 Psychology of Immigration
Crosslisted with: PSYC 310
Prerequisites: PSYC 181.
Description: Examines psychological theory and research on the topic of immigration. Includes the impact of immigration on individual development (e.g., socialization, identity formation, acculturation) and family functioning (e.g., intergenerational relations, gender roles), especially as exemplified by the experiences of Latinos from diverse national backgrounds.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ETHN 311 Intercultural Communication
Crosslisted with: COMM 311
Description: Exploration of culture as a dimension of all communicative activity. Communication between cultural groups in a variety of contexts, e.g. interpersonal relationships, groups, organizations, politics, and international relations.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 2 Communication Competence ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 330 Multicultural Education
Crosslisted with: TEAC 330
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing.
Description: Role of minority group status in American society. Ethnic minority group cultures, the existence of subcultures within the mainstream of society, women in the social setting, and their relationship to the American education process. Analytic methods of study.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 333 Immigration and Politics
Crosslisted with: POLS 333
Description: Immigration as a multifaceted sociopolitical phenomenon. The history of different waves of immigration to the United States. Emphasis on the diversity within every immigrant group, as well as differences and similarities regarding their acculturation process. Public attitudes towards immigration in historical perspective. The American political system's capacity to incorporate newcomers into civic life.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity

ETHN 340 Rights & Wrongs in American Legal History
Crosslisted with: HIST 340, HIST 840
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing
Description: Analysis of fundamental debates and dilemmas over the attainment and distribution of rights and obligations in American legal history from colonial times to the present.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 341 Rethinking the American West
Crosslisted with: HIST 351, HIST 851
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing
Description: Analysis of major events and trends in the history of the American West, including: competing claims to rights and resources; debates over development; overlapping federal, state, and tribal legal jurisdictions; racial/ethnic and gendered interactions; and/or historical roots of contemporary Western concerns.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
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Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 342 History of Plains Indians
Crosslisted with: HIST 342
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing
Description: In-depth study of the history and culture of Native Americans of the Great Plains from earliest times through the twentieth century, stressing the history of migration, religion, diplomacy, politics, and society. All Indian nations of the Great Plains considered.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC

ETHN 344 Ethnicity and Film
Crosslisted with: ENGL 344
Description: Construction of ethnic identities in film and TV and the impact of such images on American culture. May be repeated once for credit with a different topic.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Literary and Cultural Studies

ETHN 344B Black Women Authors
Crosslisted with: ENGL 344B, WMNS 344B
Description: Representative works by Black women, composed in various genres, studied in their social and historical contexts. May not be offered every year.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 5 Humanities ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: Literary and Cultural Studies

ETHN 344D Caribbean Literature
Crosslisted with: ENGL 344D
Description: History and multi-generic variety of Caribbean literature written in English.
Credit Hours: 3
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<td>Survey of the architectural traditions of the African continent, from pre-historic times to the present day. Buildings-famous and typical-theories, and approaches that are appropriate to the specific cultural environments.</td>
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<td>Survey of Mexican-Americans in the United States emphasizing the Spanish-Mexican borderlands frontier, Mexican-American culture, the Anglo-American conquest, and the cultural conflict and fusion since the treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo.</td>
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ETHN 358 Native American Women
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Description: History of the indigenous women of North America. Gender roles and kinship organization, women's work and economic activities, political and diplomatic roles, and everyday lives and relationships. Analysis of change over time and the effects of colonization and dominant society's imposition of patriarchy. Famous indigenous women such as: Pocahontas, Sacagawea, Nancy Ward, and Winona LaDuke. Contemporary issues.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 362 Peoples and Cultures of Africa
Crosslisted with: ANTH 362
Prerequisites: 3 hrs ANTH.
Description: Introduction to the ethnological complexity and cultural diversity of the native ways of life based on the ethnographies of several differing peoples in relation to the areal cultural patterns in contrasting geographical regions. Relations to other portions of the world in culture history and colonial relations.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Cultural Anthropology

ETHN 366 African Americans and the Politics of Race: From the New Deal to the New Right
Crosslisted with: HIST 366
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing
Description: Survey and analysis of the struggle of African Americans and their allies to topple white supremacy and gain access to the political process. The role race played in American politics from the New Deal through the Emergence of the New Right.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 370 Colonial Mexico
Crosslisted with: HIST 370
Prerequisites: Sophomore, junior, or senior standing.
Notes: HIST/ETHN 370 is a pre-1800 course.
Description: From the preconquest (thirteenth century) to independence (1821). The foundation and development of political, social, economic, and religious patterns.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Pre-1800 History Lat Am,Asian,Middle East Hist

ETHN 371 Modern Mexico
Crosslisted with: HIST 371
Prerequisites: Sophomore, junior, or senior standing.
Description: Social, economic, and political development of Mexico from 1821 to the present. The Revolution of 1910 and its background and aftermath.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Latin America and Global Relations

ETHN 373 Latin America and Global Relations
Crosslisted with: HIST 373, LAMS 373
Prerequisites: Junior standing
Description: Analysis of the role of the Latin American nations in world affairs, emphasizing intellectual, economic, and diplomatic relations with the United States and Europe. Understanding of the position and problems of Latin America in the present world.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Latin America and Global Relations

ETHN 374 History of Brazil
Crosslisted with: HIST 374, LAMS 374
Prerequisites: Sophomore standing
Description: History of Brazil from 1500 to the present, emphasizing political institutions, economic cycles, social structure, and religious and cultural patterns.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Latin America and Global Relations

ETHN 375 Conflict and Development in Africa
Crosslisted with: POLS 375
Description: Uses knowledge, theories, methods, and historical perspectives appropriate to the social sciences to understand the causes of conflict and development in Africa. Pays attention to the diversity of conflict and development-related experiences on the continent.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity ACE 6 Social Science
Groups: Human Rights and Security

ETHN 380 Geography of Africa
Crosslisted with: GEOG 380, NRES 380
Description: Overview of the major physical and human landscapes in Africa. Prominent past and current events will be placed into a spatial context in an attempt to develop insight into the interrelationships that exist among people, cultures, countries, economies, and the environment, not only within Africa, but between Africa and the rest of the world.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ACE: ACE 9 Global/Diversity
Groups: Regional Geography
ETHN 385 African Liberation in the African Diaspora  
Crosslisted with: HIST 385  
Description: Examines the experiences of people of African descent on the continent and in the Diasporas of Europe, The Caribbean, and the United States.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC  
Groups: Lat Am, Asian, Middle East Hist

ETHN 398 Special Topics  
Notes: Any prerequisites will be published before the registration period.  
Description: This course will be used for a variety of different topics.  
Credit Hours: 1-4  
Min credits per semester: 1  
Max credits per semester: 4  
Max credits per degree: 4  
Format: LEC

ETHN 399H Honors Course  
Prerequisites: Permission.  
Notes: Cannot be taken "Pass/No Pass".  
Credit Hours: 1-6  
Min credits per semester: 1  
Max credits per semester: 6  
Max credits per degree: 6  
Format: IND

ETHN 400 Senior Seminar  
Prerequisites: Junior standing; ETHN major or minor.  
Description: Integration, synthesis, and exposure to current research and scholarship within the discipline of Ethnic Studies.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC  
ACE: ACE 10 Integrated Product

ETHN 425 Psychology of Racism  
Crosslisted with: PSYC 425, PSYC 825  
Prerequisites: PSYC 350.  
Description: Major terms and issues in psychology that pertain to race and racism in the United States. General principles of the psychology of racism that are universal. Psychology of the major racial minority groups in the United States examined through their unique cultures, histories, traditions, and collective identities. Research methods for the psychology of racism reviewed as a basis for interpreting research results.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC

ETHN 445 Ethnic Literature  
Crosslisted with: ENGL 445, ENGL 845  
Prerequisites: Junior standing  
Description: Works of writers with connections to one or more American ethnic communities, seen in their historical, intellectual, and cultural context. Survey of ethnic literature.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC

ETHN 445B Topics in African American Literature  
Crosslisted with: ENGL 445B, ENGL 845B  
Prerequisites: Junior standing  
Description: The study of a particular topic in African American poetry, fiction, and/or non-fiction prose.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC

ETHN 445K Topics in African Literature  
Crosslisted with: ENGL 445K, ENGL 845K  
Prerequisites: Junior standing  
Description: Topics in African poetry, fiction, and/or non-fiction prose. Critical theory and cultural criticism.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC

ETHN 445N Topics in Native American Literature  
Crosslisted with: ENGL 445N, ENGL 845N  
Prerequisites: Junior standing  
Description: Topics in Native American poetry, fiction, and/or non-fiction prose. Critical theory and cultural criticism.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC

ETHN 446 Black Social Movements  
Prerequisites: ETHN 200.  
Description: Mass or popular black movements. Human rights and their political, cultural, and intellectual impact, historical continuity, and organization.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC

ETHN 448 Family Diversity  
Crosslisted with: SOCI 448, SOCI 848, ETHN 848  
Prerequisites: 9 hours of SOCI, or Senior standing.  
Description: Analyzes diversity in family structure and family choices. Includes: rural families, gay/lesbian families, Native American families, African American families, Latino families, working class and working poor families and cohabitation.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC

ETHN 451 Contemporary Issues of Indigenous Peoples in North America  
Crosslisted with: ANTH 451, ANTH 851  
Prerequisites: ANTH 351 or 352.  
Description: Political, economic, and social issues concerning indigenous peoples in North America.  
Credit Hours: 3  
Max credits per semester: 3  
Max credits per degree: 3  
Format: LEC  
ACE: ACE 10 Integrated Product  
Groups: Cultural Anthropology
ETHN 454 Physical Health Disparities
Crosslisted with: SOCI 454, SOCI 854
Prerequisites: 9 hours of SOCI, or Senior standing.
Description: Contribution of social inequality to health outcomes; intersection of individual and social factors through which racial, economic, and gender differences in health emerge.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC

ETHN 459 Women and Gender in African Societies
Crosslisted with: HIST 459, HIST 859, WMNS 459, WMNS 859
Description: Explores how the contemporary women's movement has emerged within Africa and its relationship to social change.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 460 The Civil Rights Movement
Crosslisted with: HIST 460, HIST 860
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Description: Survey and analysis of the origins, contours, activities, ideas, movement centers, personalities, and legacies of the Civil Rights and Black Power movements in the U.S. A. from the 1950's through the 1970's. The roles of the African-American masses, college and high school students, and women. The points of conflict and cooperation between African-American and mainstream American society.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Lat Am,Asian,Middle East Hist

ETHN 463 Indigenous Peoples of Latin America
Crosslisted with: HIST 463, HIST 863, LAMS 463
Description: Includes Indian politics, ideologies about Latin American indigenous peoples, global issues, and inter-ethnic relationships in Latin America.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 464 Native American History; Selected Topics
Crosslisted with: HIST 464, HIST 864
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Description: Issues in Native American History. Topics may include: Native Americans and the environment; Native Americans in the 19th or 20th century; Native Americans and federal Indian policy; Native Americans and gender; and Native Americans of regions other than the Great Plains.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 474 African Americans in the Jazz Age
Crosslisted with: HIST 474, HIST 874
Prerequisites: Junior or senior standing.
Notes: A basic understanding of United States history is recommended.
Description: Race relations and African American experience from the 1910s through WW II. Jim Crow, the Great Migration, WW I, “The New Negro,” Harlem Renaissance, jazz/blues/gospel music, political radicalism, the Great Depression, and WW II.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: United States or Canadian Hist

ETHN 474A Gender and Sexuality in Latin America
Crosslisted with: HIST 474A, WMNS 474A, HIST 874A, WMNS 874A
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Description: Experience of femininity and masculinity compared according to time and place, revealing the intimate connections with nation, modernity, race, and ethnicity.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Lat Am,Asian,Middle East Hist

ETHN 474B Race in Modern Latin America
Crosslisted with: HIST 474B, HIST 874B
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Description: The experience of race and ethnicity in the 20th and 21st centuries compared according to time and place, revealing the intimate connections with nation and modernity.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Lat Am,Asian,Middle East Hist

ETHN 477 Indigenous Peoples of the World
Crosslisted with: HIST 477, HIST 877
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Lat Am,Asian,Middle East Hist

ETHN 481 Minority Groups
Crosslisted with: SOCI 481, SOCI 881, ETHN 881
Prerequisites: 9 hours of SOCI, or Senior standing.
Description: Systematic examination of racial, ethnic, and other minority groups. History and present status of such groups, the origins of prejudice and discrimination, and the application of social science knowledge toward the elimination of minority group problems.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
ETHN 486 History of South Africa
Crosslisted with: HIST 486, HIST 886
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Description: Survey of the history of South Africa from the Stone Age to the evolution of the political, economic, legal and social framework of apartheid, and the recent efforts to achieve political accommodation.
Credit Hours: 3
Max credits per semester: 3
Max credits per degree: 3
Format: LEC
Groups: Lat Am, Asian, Middle EastHist

ETHN 497 Experiential Learning in Ethnic Studies II
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Description: Non-classroom experience that has relevance to Ethnic Studies.
Credit Hours: 1-12
Min credits per semester: 1
Max credits per semester: 12
Max credits per degree: 12
Format: IND

ETHN 498 Special Topics
Prerequisites: Permission.
Credit Hours: 1-4
Min credits per semester: 1
Max credits per semester: 4
Max credits per degree: 4
Format: LEC

ETHN 499 Independent Study in Ethnic Studies
Prerequisites: Junior standing.
Description: Ethnic Studies research or readings.
Credit Hours: 1-12
Min credits per semester: 1
Max credits per semester: 12
Max credits per degree: 12
Format: IND

PLEASE NOTE
This document represents a sample 4-year plan for degree completion with this major. Actual course selection and sequence may vary and should be discussed individually with your college or department academic advisor. Advisors also can help you plan other experiences to enrich your undergraduate education such as internships, education abroad, undergraduate research, learning communities, and service learning and community-based learning.

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Career Information
The following represents a sample of the internships, jobs and graduate school programs that current students and recent graduates have reported.

Transferable Skills
• Advocate for marginalized or underrepresented groups
• Contextualize political, social, and historical events
• Defend and discuss complex issues from multiple angles
• Develop a strong awareness of self and others
• Examine and address social problems, and implement creative solutions
• Analyze and interpret difficult texts
• Communicate clearly using different forms of writing to and for a variety of different audiences
• Examine problems from multiple perspectives
• Gain global perspective and high levels of intercultural awareness
• Perform analysis of social and cultural issues

Jobs of Recent Graduates
• Correctional Officer, Nebraska State Penitentiary - Lincoln NE
• Training Specialist, Election Systems and Software - Omaha NE
• Primary Education Teacher Trainer, Peace Corps - International
• Pharmacy Technician, Walgreens - Lincoln NE
• Professional Development Lead, Lincoln Financial Group - Omaha NE
• Public Health Coordinator, West Central District Health - North Platte NE
• Recruiting, University of Nebraska-Lincoln - Lincoln NE
• Loan Advisor/Collector, Nelnet - Lincoln NE
• Legislative Page to the Unicameral, Nebraska State Legislature - Lincoln NE
• Bilingual Education Teacher, Teach for America - Kansas City MO
• Account Manager, Omaha Marketing Solutions - Omaha NE
• Total & Permanent Liability Advisor, Nelnet - Lincoln NE
• Coordinator for Fitness & Wellness, University of Northern Colorado - Greeley CO

Internships
• Teacher Assistant Volunteer, Family Service Lincoln - Lincoln NE

Graduate & Professional Schools
• Juris Doctorate, Arizona State University - Phoenix AZ
• Master’s Degree, Social Work, Ohio State University - Columbus OH
• Master’s Degree, International Business, University of Oregon - Eugene OR
• Master’s Degree, Business Administration, University of Nebraska-Lincoln - Lincoln NE
• Master’s Degree, Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln - Lincoln NE
• Ph.D., Family Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln - Lincoln NE
• Master’s Degree, Public Health, University of Arizona - Tucson AZ