### UNIVERSITY CORE AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

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#### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

- Minimum residence hours required: 30.0
- Minimum hours needed to graduate: 120.0

### PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (51.0 total hours)

- **Doctrinal Foundation**
- **The Individual and Society**
- **Skills**
- **Arts, Letters, and Sciences**
- **Core Enrichment: Electives**
- **Graduation Requirements**: 2

#### Complete the following required courses:

- **Doctrinal Foundation**
- **The Individual and Society**
- **Skills**
- **Arts, Letters, and Sciences**
- **Core Enrichment: Electives**
- **Graduation Requirements**: 2

#### Complete the following required American Studies core courses:

- **Doctrinal Foundation**
- **The Individual and Society**
- **Skills**
- **Arts, Letters, and Sciences**
- **Core Enrichment: Electives**
- **Graduation Requirements**: 2

**Core Enrichment: Electives**

- Religion Electives
- Open Electives

**Graduation Requirements**

- Minimum residence hours required: 30.0
- Minimum hours needed to graduate: 120.0

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*THESE CLASSES FILL BOTH UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (12.0 hours overlap)*

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BA in AMERICAN STUDIES (570120)
2012–2013

Suggested Sequence of Courses:

FIRST YEAR
1st Semester
- First-year Writing 3.0
- or A Htg 100
- Econ 110 (FWSpSu) 3.0

2nd Semester
- A Htg 100
- or First-year Writing (3.0)
- PlSc 110 (FWSpSu) 3.0
- Rel A 122 (FWSpSu) 2.0

Total Hours 15.0

SECOND YEAR
3rd Semester
- Am St 303 3.0
- Biological Science 3.0
- Civilization 1 3.0
- IrHum 261 (FSp) 3.0

4th Semester
- Am St 304 3.0
- Civilization 2 3.0
- IrHum 262 (W) 3.0

Total Hours 17.0

THIRD YEAR
5th Semester
- Advanced Written & Oral Communication 3.0
- American Studies elective (FWSpSu) 3.0
- Religion elective (FWSpSu) 2.0

6th Semester
- American Studies elective (FWSpSu) 3.0
- American Studies elective (FWSpSu) 3.0
- General electives 2.0

Total Hours 15.0

FOURTH YEAR
7th Semester
- Languages of Learning 3–4.0
- American Studies elective (FWSpSu) 3.0
- General electives 8.0

8th Semester
- Am St 490 3.0
- American Studies elective (FWSpSu) 3.0
- General electives 8.0

Total Hours 17.0

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THE DISCIPLINE:
The American Studies major examines the sweep of American experience, society, culture, and civilization from a variety of view points--literature, history, gender, humanities, regions, politics, ethnic groups, geography, art, economics, religion, and folklore--based on courses designed to examine the American experience from a variety of viewpoints. Majors are encouraged to develop particular skills in writing, literary criticism; historical research; and social, political, and economic analysis. The program provides not only rich interdisciplinary experience but also exposure to a variety of excellent scholars and teachers.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:
On graduation, American Studies students are usually qualified to enter graduate and professional schools (for law, MBA, MPA, PhD), government or community service, teaching, or advanced graduate studies in the liberal arts, including American studies, American civilization, American culture, American history, and American literature.

For more information on careers in your major, please refer to From Major to Career, a publication which is located in all college advisement centers.

Note: Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.