LATIN AMERICAN AND LATINX STUDIES MINOR

The minor in Latin American and Latinx Studies offers an interdisciplinary approach that allows students to develop a better appreciation for and understanding of multifaceted aspects central to contemporary and past Latin American societies and/or to Latinx communities in the U.S., such as their histories, literatures, and cultural knowledge; identity, Latinidad, and Diaspora; systems of power and privilege; the Arts – visual, performing, and/or alternative manifestations – as mechanisms to express identity, ideology, or resistance; and socio-political processes, among other topics. Due to its nature, the Minor in Latin American and Latinx Studies also provides new opportunities for service learning and community engagement. Courses are to be taught in English unless noted otherwise (18 credits).

1-2 content courses from SP or LA (LA courses will be offered in English unless otherwise noted) (3-6 credits)

Code	Title	Credits
LA-150	Introduction to Latinx Cultures in the US	3
LA-350	Immigration, Dreamers, and Latinx Youth Issues	3
LA-355	Latin American Fiction	3
LA-360	Survey of Latin American Cinema	3
SP-293	Health and the Latino Community	3
SP-332	Cultures of Latin America	3
SP-333	Hispanic Presence in US	3
SP-346	Latin American Theater	3
SP-347	Latin American Colonial Literature	3
SP-349	Spanish-American Literature	3
SP-401	Advanced Study: Special Topics ¹	3

Two Spanish language courses or satisfied via CLEP (6 credits)

Code	Title	Credits
SP-101	Beginning Spanish I	3
SP-102	Beginning Spanish II	3
SP-210	Intermediate Spanish I	3
SP-211	Intermediate Spanish II	3
SP-321	Advanced Spanish Composition I	3
SP-323	Advanced Spanish Conversation Through Film	3
SP-390	Spanish for Native Speakers	3

2-3 electives from other departments or taken abroad (with prior approval) (6-9 credits)

Code	Title	Credits
HI-213	Colonial Latin America	3
HI-214	Modern Latin America	3
HI-226	Latin American History Through Film	3
HI-230	Nicaragua, the US and the World	3
HI-247	Central America and the Caribbean	3
HI-267	US-Latin American Relations	3
HI-333	Women in Latin America	3
PO-222	Latin American Politics	3

SO-228	Latina-Latino Experiences in the U.S. and the World	3
SO-307	Puerto Rican Diaspora	3

The same SP courses for the Latin American and Latinx Studies minor cannot be applied to a student's Spanish major or Spanish minor. Students must take at least one course with substantial content on Latin America and at least one course with substantial content on Latinx Studies. Other courses may be approved in prior consultation with the student's advisor for the Latin American and Latinx Studies minor.

¹SP-401: "Special Topics" courses must have Latin American and/or Latinx content to be applied towards the minor. Students should receive pre-approval from their SP advisors during the advising period.