AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES (AFAM)

AFAM 1113 Introduction to Africana Studies (DH)
Description: The course will examine the history and development of Africana Studies as an academic discipline and will provide a comprehensive overview of the field employing a broad interdisciplinary approach. A range of topics will be covered including history, art, literature, language, dance, music, religion, sociology, and geography throughout the African Diaspora.
Credit hours: 3
Contact hours: Lecture: 3 Contact: 3
Levels: Undergraduate
Schedule types: Lecture
Department/School: Dean of Arts & Science
General Education and other Course Attributes: Diversity, Humanities

AFAM 3753 African American Arts and Culture (DH)
Description: An exploration of the history, practice, and significance of African-American arts and culture. Topics might include black visual, literacy, filmic, musical, and street arts, artists, and movements. Approaches may be comparative or transnational. Same course as AMST 3753.
Credit hours: 3
Contact hours: Lecture: 3 Contact: 3
Levels: Undergraduate
Schedule types: Lecture
Department/School: Dean of Arts & Science
General Education and other Course Attributes: Diversity, Humanities

AFAM 3950 Special Topics in Africana Studies
Description: Particular topics to illustrate the use of interdisciplinary methods in Africana Studies. Topics might include social issues, art and culture, popular culture, class, transnational or comparative approaches, gender, economics.
Credit hours: 3
Contact hours: Lecture: 3 Contact: 3
Levels: Undergraduate
Schedule types: Lecture
Department/School: Dean of Arts & Science

AFAM 4543 Race Theory
Prerequisites: 3 hours upper-division AFAM or permission of instructor.
Description: In-depth study of theories of race and racism from an interdisciplinary Africana Studies perspective, utilizing Africana Studies methodologies.
Credit hours: 3
Contact hours: Lecture: 3 Contact: 3
Levels: Undergraduate
Schedule types: Lecture
Department/School: Dean of Arts & Science

AFAM 4980 Research in Africana Studies
Prerequisites: 1 upper-level course eligible for African Studies minor.
Description: For students interested in pursuing either a research or a directed reading project. Project will be student-initiated and student-designed with faculty mentor input and guidance.
Credit hours: 1-3
Contact hours: Contact: 1-3 Other: 1-3
Levels: Undergraduate
Schedule types: Independent Study
Department/School: Dean of Arts & Science

AFAM 5990 Directed Readings in Africana Studies
Prerequisites: Permission of instructor.
Description: Specialized readings or independent study in Africana Studies. Offered for variable credit, 1-3 credit hours, maximum of 6 credit hours.
Credit hours: 1-3
Contact hours: Contact: 1-3 Other: 1-3
Levels: Graduate
Schedule types: Independent Study
Department/School: Dean of Arts & Science