

LIBERAL STUDIES COURSE CATALOG

Bolded courses are sometimes offered online.

1. Seminar in Liberal Studies

LIBST 201 Seminar in Liberal Studies

2. Capstone in Liberal Studies

LIBST 400 Capstone in Liberal Studies
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3. Writing Skills

ANTHROPL 420 Anthropological Theory

BIOLOGY 200 Writing in Biology

COMM 241 Electronic Media Copywriting

COMM 246 Electronic Media Newswriting and Production
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ENGLISH 111 Grammar Review for Formal Writing (1 unit)
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ENGLISH 230 Foundations of Professional Writing and Editing

ENGLISH 271 Critical Writing in the Field of English
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ENGLISH 330 Manuscript Editing

ENGLISH 370 Advanced Composition

ENGLISH 372 Technical and Scientific Writing

ENGLISH 378 Prose Stylistics

ENGLISH 379 Rhetoric for Writers

JOURNLSM 241 Electronic Media Copywriting

JOURNLSM 243 Mass Media Writing

POLISCI 302 Writing in Political Science
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POLISCI 418 Legal Research and Writing
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SOCIOLGY 420 Anthropological Theory

4. Intellectual and Practical Skills

a. Analytical and Research Skills

BIOLOGY 303 Planning and Presenting Biological Research
COMM 344 Argument
COMM 345 Persuasion
ECON 245 Business Statistics
GEOGRPY 290 Spatial Analysis
GEOGRPY 450 Advanced Methods in Physical Geography
GEOGRPY 480 Applied Research Methods
HISTORY 200 Historical Analysis
HISTORY 255 Critical Issues
MATH 230 Introductory Statistics
MATH 231 Understanding Probability and Statistics
MATH 243 Short Calculus for Business and the Social Sciences
MATH 250 Applied Calculus Survey for Business and the Social Sciences
MATH 253 Calculus and Analytic Geometry I
PHILSPHY 121 Truth and the Media
PHILSPHY 251 Logic
POLISCI 301 Political Science Research Methods
PSYCH 215 Basic Statistical Methods
PSYCH 216 Research Methods
SOCIOLOGY 476 Methods of Social Research

b. Creative Expression Skills

Any ARTSTDIO course (except ARTSTDIO 180: Introduction to Advertising Design)
ACINDP 151 Introduction to Multimedia Aesthetics
DANCE 141 Contemporary Dance Technique I
DANCE 145 Ballet I
DANCE 155 Tap Dance I
DANCE 243 Improvisation/Sound
DANCE 244 Contemporary Dance Techniques II
DANCE 255 Tap Dance II
DANCE 330 Performance Art

ENGLISH 274 Creative Writing
ENGLISH 332 Writing for the Web
ENGLISH 373 Poetry Writing
ENGLISH 375 Fiction Writing
ENGLISH 376 Screenwriting
ENGLISH 377 Introduction to Playwriting
ENGLISH 472 Nature Writing
ENGLISH 479 Creative Nonfiction
MAGD 210 Visual Design for Digital Media
MAGD 220 Drawing for Digital Media
MUSED 111 Fundamentals of Music
MUSC 161 University Bands
MUSC 162 University Orchestra
MUSC 164 Jazz Bands
MUSC 169 Marching Band
MUSC 171 Concert Choir
MUSC 269 Instrumental Ensemble
MUSC 279 Vocal Ensemble
PHILSPHY 271 Introduction to Aesthetics
THEATRE 110 Introduction to the Theatre
THEATRE 120 Introduction to Acting
THEATRE 200 Theatre Activities
THEATRE 201 through THEATRE 209 Practicum

c. *Oral Communication Skills*

COMM 228 Interpersonal Communication
COMM 234 Electronic Media Announcing
COMM 240 Public Speaking
COMM 242 Small Group Communication
COMM 244 Communication and Interviewing
COMM 322 Listening Behavior
COMM 326 Communication and Gender
COMM 328 Communication Conflict Resolution
COMM 340 Speech Writing
COMM 424 Cross Cultural Communication

d. *Computer Skills*

COMPSCI 162 Computer Applications
COMPSCI 171 Introduction to Programming
COMPSCI 181 Introduction to Database and the Web
ITBE 221 Information Technology Infrastructure
ITBE 280 Introduction to Information Systems
ITBE 285 Business Web Application Design
MCS 214 Information Technology Concepts and Practice
MCS 220 Concepts of Programming

e. *Foreign Language Skills*

Any 3 rd semester language course or 1 st semester course in a second language

5. *Personal and Social Responsibility*

INTRAUNV 246 Business Ethics
PHILSPHY 245 Contemporary Moral Issues
PHILSPHY 247 Bioethics
PHILSPHY 248 Environmental Ethics
PHILSPHY 261 Ethics
PHILSPHY 281 Social Philosophy

PAX 200 Introduction to Peace and Justice Studies
POLISCI 463 Peace Studies: Conflict Resolution and Crises Management
RACEETH 380 Race, Ethnicity, and Social Justice
RACEETH 393 Racial and Ethnic Inequality
RELIGST 302 Religious Ethics
SOCWORK 380 Race, Ethnicity, and Social Justice
SOCIOLOGY 351 Social Stratification and Social Inequality
SOCIOLOGY 393 Racial and Ethnic Inequality
WOMENST 455 Issues and Topics in Women's and Gender Studies
WOMENST 464 Women in International Development

6. *Knowledge of Human Cultures*

a. *Western European and North American Cultural Heritages*

AFRIAMR 345 African-American Literature, 1800 to the Present
AFRIAMR 397 Current Issues in Black Studies: Humanities
ARTHIST 111 Art Appreciation [two units]
ARTHIST 201 Survey of Western Art—Ancient to Medieval
ARTHIST 202 Survey of Western Art--Renaissance to Present
ARTHIST 203 Introduction to Modern and Contemporary Art
ARTHIST 305 History of Women in Art
ARTHIST 311 History of Greek and Roman Art
ARTHIST 312 Medieval Art in the West
ARTHIST 313 History of Italian Renaissance Art
ARTHIST 314 History of Northern Renaissance Art
ARTHIST 315 History of Baroque Art
ARTHIST 316 History of Nineteenth Century Art
ARTHIST 317 Modern Architecture
ARTHIST 318 History of 20th Century Art to 1945
ARTHIST 319 Concepts in Art since 1945
CHICANO 200 Chicano Literature to 1980
CHICANO 201 Contemporary Chicano Literature
CHICANO 330 Chicano and Latino American Thought
ECON 404 History of Economic Thought
ENGLISH 200 Chicano Literature to 1980

ENGLISH 201 Contemporary Chicano Literature
ENGLISH 202 Introduction to U.S. Latino Literature
ENGLISH 206 British Literature Survey I
ENGLISH 216 British Literature Survey II
ENGLISH 226 American Literature Survey I
ENGLISH 236 American Literature Survey II
ENGLISH 251 Classical Myth and Legend as Sources for Literature
ENGLISH 252 The Bible as Literature
ENGLISH 263 The Contemporary Novel
ENGLISH 264 Women in Literature: A Feminist Re-Evaluation
ENGLISH 265 Multicultural Literature
ENGLISH 321 Ancient Western Literature
ENGLISH 322 Modern Western Literature
ENGLISH 341 The American Renaissance
ENGLISH 342 American Realism and Naturalism
ENGLISH 345 African-American Literature, 1880 to the Present
ENGLISH 346 Survey of Modern Drama
ENGLISH 347 British Modernism
ENGLISH 348 American Modernism
ENGLISH 360 Post-War British Literature
ENGLISH 363 American Literature in the Post-Modern Age
ENGLISH 368 American Minority Women Writers
ENGLISH 369 Multicultural Drama of the United States
ENGLISH 401 The Heroic Age
ENGLISH 402 Renaissance and Reformation
ENGLISH 404 Shakespeare
ENGLISH 405 Shakespeare
ENGLISH 412 Revolution and Restoration
ENGLISH 414 Enlightenment and Empire
ENGLISH 416 The Age of Romanticism
ENGLISH 420 Victorian and Edwardian Literature
ENGLISH 460 Major Authors
ENGLISH 463 19th Century Women Writers
ENGLISH 464 Twentieth Century Women Writers
FRENCH 340 Contemporary French Civilization
FRENCH 350 French Civilization
FRENCH 451 Survey of French Literature

FRENCH 452 Survey of French Literature
FRENCH 481 French Classics
FRENCH 482 Contemporary French Literature
GERMAN 350 German Civilization
GERMAN 451 Survey of German Literature
GERMAN 452 Survey of German Literature
HISTORY 154 Western Civilization
HISTORY 155 History of Modern Europe
HISTORY 351 Rebellion and Revolution in England, 1066-1688
HISTORY 352 Society and Culture in Modern Britain, 1753-Present
HISTORY 353 Ancient History
HISTORY 354 Medieval Europe
HISTORY 355 Early Modern Europe, 1300-1600
HISTORY 363 From Goddesses to Witches: Women in Premodern European History
HISTORY 367 History of Capitalism in the West
HISTORY 375 The Age of European Revolutions, 1789-1848
HISTORY 377 History of Twentieth Century Europe
HISTORY 422 Great Trials in History
MUSC 140 Intro. to Classical Music
MUSC 143 Survey of American Jazz
MUSC 240 Survey of African American Music
MUSC 245 Music History I
MUSC 246 Music History II
MUSC 247 Music History III
MUSC 345 Women in Music
PHILSPHY 341 Classical Philosophy
PHILSPHY 342 Modern Philosophy
PHILSPHY 346 19th Century Philosophy
PHILSPHY 347 20th Century Philosophy
PHILSPHY 364 Existentialism
POLISCI 247 Issues and Crises in American Politics
POLISCI 250 Introduction to Political Theory
POLISCI 317 The American Legislative Process
POLISCI 318 The American Presidency
POLISCI 319 American Political Parties and Elections
POLISCI 411 Modern Political Thought
POLISCI 412 Contemporary Political Thought

POLISCI 420 American Political Thought
RACEETH 202 Introduction to U.S. Latino Literature
RACEETH 368 American Minority Women Writers
RELIGST 212 Intro. to Western Religions
RELIGST 252 The Bible as Literature
RELIGST 301 Critical Issues in Modern Religion
RELIGST 351 Religion in American Culture
RELIGST 365 Perspectives on Death and Dying
SOCIOLOGY 473 Social Theory: Classical and Contemporary Perspectives
SPANISH 350 Spanish Civilization
SPANISH 360 Spanish American Civilization
SPANISH 451/452 Survey of Spanish Literature
SPANISH 453/454 Survey of Spanish American Literature
SPANISH 481 Spanish Classics
SPANISH 484 Women Writers of Spain and the Americas
THEATRE 346 Survey of Modern Drama
THEATRE 369 Multicultural Drama
THEATRE 454 Period Decor and Scenic Styles
THEATRE 471 Theatre History to 1550
THEATRE 472 Theatre History 1550-1830
THEATRE 478 Contemporary Drama
WOMENST 250 Women in American Culture
WOMENST 345 Women in Music
WOMENST 380 Gender and the Law

b. Society and Identity

AFRIAMR 100 Introduction to Black Culture
AFRIAMR 141 Modern Black American History
AFRIAMR 261 African-American Politics
AFRIAMR 270 The African-American Community
AFRIAMR 320 History of Black Migration in the U.S.
AFRIAMR 392 African American Families
AFRIAMR 396 Current Issues in Black Studies: Social Sciences
AMERIND 102 Introduction to American Indian Studies
AMERIND 305 Native North America Today
ANTHROPL 218 Cultural Anthropology

ANTHROPL 220 Tombs, Temples & Buried Treasure
ANTHROPL 302 Culture, Medicine and Health
ANTHROPL 305 Native North America Today
ANTHROPL 316 Pharmaceuticals, Culture and Society
ANTHROPL 367 Archaeology of Women
CHICANO 310 History of Chicanos in the U.S.
CHICANO 320 Politics of the Chicano
COMM 305 History of Mass Communication
COMM 326 Communication and Gender
GEOGRPY 230 Human Geography
GEOGRPY 245 Gender and Geography
GEOGRPY 333 Geography of Religion
GEOGRPY 340 Economic Geography
GEOGRPY 344 Urban Geography
GEOGRPY 430 Geography of Race and Ethnicity in the United States
HISTORY 102 Introduction to American Indian Studies
HISTORY 141 Modern Black American History
HISTORY 300 American Colonial History to 1763
HISTORY 301 Revolution and Confederation, 1763-1789
HISTORY 304 The Age of Civil War and Reconstruction, 1850-1877
HISTORY 305 Industrial America, 1877-1919
HISTORY 306 America in Prosperity, Depression and WWII, 1919-1945
HISTORY 307 Recent America, 1945 to the Present
HISTORY 310 History of Chicanos in the U.S.
HISTORY 313 Women in American History I: 1600-1875
HISTORY 314 Women in American History II: 1875 to the Present
HISTORY 317 American Social History 1865-Present
HISTORY 322 United States Foreign Policy and Empire
HISTORY 324 American Indian History
HISTORY 362 American Business History
HISTORY 390 American Military History
HISTORY 403 History of the American West
HISTORY 415 History of Social Welfare in the United States
HISTORY 425 History of American Indian Law and Policy
PHILSPHY 381 Philosophy of Gender and Race

PHILSPHY 390 Feminist Philosophy
POLISCI 217 Ethnic Politics
POLISCI 240 Law and Society
POLISCI 261 African-American Politics
POLISCI 266 Asian Americans in U.S. Politics
POLISCI 280 Politics of Urban Inequality
POLISCI 315 Women and American Politics
POLISCI 356 Political Sociology
POLISCI 357 Public Opinion and Political Behavior
POLISCI 412 Contemporary Political Thought
POLISCI 419 The Judicial Process
POLISCI 430 Formation of Public Policy
POLISCI 446 Politics of the Metropolis
POLISCI 457 American Foreign Policy
PSYCH 202 Psychology of Women
PSYCH 304 Psychology of Personality
PSYCH 325 Cross-Cultural Psychology
PSYCH 331 Psychology of Childhood
PSYCH 332 Psychology of Adolescence
PSYCH 345 Abnormal Psychology
PSYCH 351 Cognitive Psychology
PSYCH 355 Social Psychology
RACEETH 217 Ethnic Politics
RACEETH 280 Politics of Racial Inequality
RACEETH 285 Asian Americans
RELIGST 330 Women and Religion
RELIGST 333 Geography of Religion
RELIGST 353 Sociology of Religion
SOCWORK 311 Human Behavior and the Social Environment
SOCWORK 351 Introduction to Social Gerontology
SOCIOLOGY 250 Social Problems
SOCIOLOGY 265 Race and Ethnic Relations
SOCIOLOGY 270 The African-American Community
SOCIOLOGY 285 Asian Americans
SOCIOLOGY 302 Culture, Medicine and Health
SOCIOLOGY 315 Sociology of Disability
SOCIOLOGY 321 Sociology of Natural Disasters

SOCIOLGY 337 Sociology of News and the Mass Media
SOCIOLGY 340 Social Movements and Collective Behavior
SOCIOLGY 342 Sociology of Family and Work
SOCIOLGY 345 Sociology of Gender
SOCIOLGY 352 Urban Sociology
SOCIOLGY 353 Sociology of Religion
SOCIOLGY 355 Social Psychology
SOCIOLGY 356 Political Sociology
SOCIOLGY 370 Juvenile Delinquency
SOCIOLGR 379 Women and Crime
SOCIOLGY 380 Organizations and Society
SOCIOLGY 392 African American Families
SPANISH 483 Contemporary Spanish American Narrative
WOMENST 100 Introduction to Women's Studies
WOMENST 240 Women and Work
WOMENST 245 Gender and Geography
WOMENST 280 Feminist Theories
WOMENST 303 Women's Voices/Women's Lives
WOMENST 320 Lesbian Studies
WOMENST 350 Stages and Transitions in Women's Lives
WOMENST 370 Women: Race and Ethnicity

c. Global Studies

AFRIAMR 365 Black Political and Social Thought
AFRIAMR 461 Government and Politics of Africa
ANTHROPL 310 Women and the Shaping of Latin American Culture
ANTHROPL 334 Women and Men in Cross-Cultural Perspective
ANTHROPL 350 Contemporary Japanese Society
ANTHROPL 365 Mayas, Aztecs and Incas: Pre-Columbian Civilization
ASIANSTD 210 Introduction to Asian Studies
ASIANSTD 333 Japanese Literature
ASIANSTD 350 Contemporary Japanese Society
ASIANSTD 361 Geography of South and Southeast Asia
ASIANSTD 364 Geography of East Asia
ASIANSTD 460 Government and Politics of Asia
ASIANSTD 472 Government and Politics of China

ASIANSTD 480 Government and Politics of Japan
ASIANSTD 488 Topics in Japanese Studies
ECON 359 Comparative Economic Systems
ECON 360 The World Economy
ECON 401 International Economics
ECON 406 International Finance and Banking
ECON 431 Economics of Globalization
ENGLISH 323 Asian Literatures
ENGLISH 324 Post-Colonial Literatures
ENGLISH 333 Japanese Literature
GEOGRPY 332 Political Geography
GEOGRPY 340 Economic Geography
GEOGRPY 346 Globalization and the City
GEOGRPY 361 Geography of South and Southeast Asia
GEOGRPY 362 Geography of Europe
GEOGRPY 363 Geography of South America
GEOGRPY 364 Geography of East Asia
GEOGRPY 365 Geography of Middle America
GEOGRPY 368 Geography of Russia and the Newly Independent States
HISTORY 130 The East Asian Tradition
HISTORY 131 East Asia since 1800
HISTORY 135 Introduction to Islamic Civilization
HISTORY 150 Atlantic History
HISTORY 326 Global Women's History Since 1800
HISTORY 336 Empires and Invasions in the Pre-Modern Middle East
HISTORY 337 Modernization in the Middle East
HISTORY 338 Arab-Israeli Conflict, 1900-Present
HISTORY 340 Introduction to African History
HISTORY 342 Conquest and Colonialism in Latin America
HISTORY 343 Modern Latin America
HISTORY 346 History of Mexico
HISTORY 347 Revolutionary Change in Latin America
HISTORY 371 History of Russia to 1815
HISTORY 372 History of Russia since 1815
HISTORY 376 Rise and Fall of the French Overseas Empire
HISTORY 385 Modern China

HISTORY 386 Modern Japan
HISTORY 394 The U.S. at War in Vietnam
INTRNAR 260 Introduction to Latin American Studies
INTRNAR 348 International Organizations
INTRNAR 488 Topics in International Studies
MUSC 241 Survey of Latin American Music
POLISCI 255 Introduction to Comparative Politics
POLISCI 340 Politics of Development
POLISCI 348 International Organizations
POLISCI 350 International Law
POLISCI 351 International Relations
POLISCI 352 Comparative Governments— Europe
POLISCI 365 Black Political & Social Thought
POLISCI 456 Government and Politics of Latin America
POLISCI 460 Government and Politics of Asia
POLISCI 461 Government and Politics of Africa
POLISCI 464 Women in International Relations
POLISCI 471 Government and Politics in the Middle East
POLISCI 472 Government and Politics in China
POLISCI 480 Government and Politics of Japan
RACEETH 150 Atlantic History
RELIGST 135 Introduction to Islamic Civilizations
RELIGST 211 Introduction to Eastern Religions
RELIGST 303 Eastern Religious Thought
RELIGST 304 Contemporary Islamic Thought and Practice
RELIGST 388 The Holocaust: Germany & the Extermination of the Jews
SOCIOLGY 350 Contemporary Japanese Society
SOCIOLGY 362 Population Studies
SOCIOLGY 373 Sociology of Terrorism
SOCIOLGY 385 Sociology of Globalization
SOCIOLGY 388 The Holocaust: Germany & the Extermination of the Jews
SOCIOLGY 391 Race and Ethnicity in Comparative Perspective
Any 491 Travel Study Abroad course approved by advisor
WOMENST 310 Women and the Shaping of Latin American Culture
WOMENST 334 Women and Men in Cross-Cultural Perspective
WOMENST 464 Women in International Relations

7. *Knowledge of the Physical and Natural World*

ANTHROPL 225 Human Evolution: Intro. to Biological Anthropology
Any ASTRONOMY course not used for General Education credit
ASTRONMY 114 Descriptive Astronomy
Any course BIOLOGY not used for General Education credit
Any course CHEMISTRY not used for General Education credit
CHEM 150 Science and Technology in Society
ECON 471 Natural Resources and Environmental Economics
GEOGRPY 120 Introduction to Weather and Climate
GEOGRPY 210 Physical Geography
GEOGRPY 252 Human Environmental Problems
GEOGRPY 300 Soil Science
GEOGRPY 310 Geomorphology (Landforms)
GEOGRPY 320 Meteorology and Climate
GEOGRPY 323 Water Resources
GEOGRPY 330 Biogeography
GEOGRPY 352 Geohazards
GEOGRPY 420 Human and Climate Interactions
GEOGRPY 423 Rivers and Floods
GEOGRPY 452 Cultural Ecology and Sustainable Development
Any GEOGRPY course not used for General Education credit
GEOLOGY 204 Earth and Life History
GEOLOGY 300 Principles of Oceanography
GEOLOGY 307 Dinosaurs
HISTORY 165 From Newton to the Nuclear Age: History of Western Science since 1600
HISTORY 190 North American Environmental History
HISTORY 365 Women, Science and Society
PHILSPHY 291 Philosophy of the Natural and Social Sciences
Any PHYSICS course not used for General Education Credit
PSYCH 301 Physiological Psychology
PSYCH 305 Psychology of Perception
SOCIOLGY 319 Sociology of Environmental Studies
WOMENST 365 Women, Science and Society