

**American Studies Major
Curriculum/Advising Guide
OSU-Cascades: 2011-12 catalog year**

Student Name: _____

COCC ID: _____

OSU ID: _____

ONID: _____

Working toward your AMS degree consists of the Major requirements, Bacc Core requirements, CLA Core Requirements, BA or BS requirements. The following document has info on each of the above.

OSU Graduation Requirements:

- 180—total number of credits required to graduate from OSU
- 60—number of upper division credits required
- 124—maximum number of credits which can be transferred from a community college
- 45 of last 75 credits must be OSU credits
- Maintain a 2.0 or better university and 2.3 major GPA

Important Notes:

IMPORTANT: No course may be used to meet more than one requirement. Minor courses are the only exception. They can be used for core requirements and minor.

- Not all the courses listed are offered each term. Check current schedule for availability.
- It is the student's responsibility to make certain that all prerequisites are met or instructor permission is granted for courses that require one or both of these conditions.
- It is the responsibility of the student to continuously audit his/her program for successful completion of requirements.

Advising Notes:

Disclaimer: All is subject to change; students should check degree progress with My Degree Audit and OSU catalog. Catalog year is based on when you are admitted to OSU and declare your major.

University Baccalaureate Core Requirements

** Note: More options through OSU online, E-campus**

<http://ecampus.oregonstate.edu/>

Skills	Credits	Course Options
Writing I	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> WR 121
Writing II	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> WR 122, 123, 214, 225, 227, 230, 240, 241, 242, 243
Speech	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> SP 111, 115, 218, 219
Mathematics	4	<u>COCC Course:</u> MTH 105, (or higher, no double counting with BS Math requirement)
Fitness	3	<u>COCC Course:</u> HHP 295

Perspectives (24)

No more than two courses from any one department

Biological Science	4	<u>COCC Courses:</u> BI 101, 102, 103, 106, 211, 212, 213, 214, 234; BOT 203; FOR 208
Physical Science	4	<u>COCC Courses:</u> CH 104, 105, 106, 221, 222, 223; FOR 208; G 201, 202, 203; GS 104, 105, 106, 107, 108; PH 201, 202, 203, 211, 212, 213
One additional course in either a biological or physical science	4	From above lists
Literature & the Arts	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> ARH 201, 202, 203, 206, 207; ENG 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 201, 202, 204, 205, 206, 253, 254, 255; FA 101, 257; HUM 210, 211, 212, 230, 240, 256; MUS 201, 202, 203, 205, 261, 262, 263; TA 200
Cultural Diversity	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> ANTH 226, 231, 232, 233, 283; ARH 207; GEOG 107, 202; HST 104, 105, 106, 207, 218, 258, 259, 290, 291, 292; HUM 210, 211, 212, 213, 230, 240 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ENG 360
Social Processes & Institutions	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> ANTH 103; ECON 201, 202; GEOG 106; HHP 231; HST 101, 102, 103; PS 201, 204, 205; PSY 201, 202; SOC 201, 206
Western Culture	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> ARH 201, 202, 203, 206; EC 215; ENG 107, 108, 109, 201, 202, 204, 205, 253, 254, 255; FA 257; GEOG 201; HST 101, 102, 103, 201, 202; PHL 170, 201, 202; PS 206

Difference, Power and Discrimination	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> HST 201, 202, 225; SOC 212, 215 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> PS 363, 425, SOC 312
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Synthesis (6) Both synthesis courses may not be taken in the same department.

Science, Technology & Society	3	<u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ART 367; CSS 335, CSS 395; FW 350; GEO 305; PS 370; WS 340
Contemporary Global Issues	3	<u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ENG 416; FOR 365; GEO 308; HDFS 447; NR 350

Liberal Arts Core & BA/BS Requirements

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Fine Arts	3	<u>COCC courses:</u> ART 101 115, 116, 117, 131, 132, 133, 161, 162, 163, 181, 182, 183, 191; MUS 101, 201, 202, 203, 205; TA 141, 142, 143, 200, 207; WR 240, 241, 242, 243 <u>OSU-CC on site courses:</u> ART 331, 382, 415
Humanities	3	<u>COCC courses:</u> ARH 201, 202, 203; ENG 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 201, 202, 204, 205, 221, 253, 254, 260, 265; HST 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 201, 202, 204, 207, 218, 225, 236, 242, 258, 259, 270, 290, 291, 292; PHL 201, 202, 203; PS 206 <u>OSU-CC on site courses:</u> ENG Any course except ENG 199, 200, 401, 402, 403, 405, 406, 407, 410; PHL 440; SPAN 331, 336, 337
Non-Western Culture	3	<u>COCC courses:</u> ART 207; GEOG 202; HST 290, 291, 292; HUM 210, 211, 213, 240, 256 <u>OSU-CC on site courses:</u> ART 465; ENG 360, 458; WS 480
Social Sciences	3	<u>A COCC courses:</u> ANTH 102, 103; ECON 201, 202; GEOG 106, 107, 190, 201, 202, 290; HST 101, 102, 103, 201, 202; PS 201, 203, 204, 205, 206; PSY 201, 202, 214, 215, 216, 219; SOC 201, 206 <u>OSU-CC on site courses:</u> COMM 318, 321, 322, 326, 412, 416, 418, 422, 425, 426, 427; PS 321, 322, 323, 363, 365, 424, 425, 429, 469
One additional course from one of the above areas	3	

CLA B.A./B.S. REQUIREMENTS

B.A. Language			Second year proficiency at the college level with C- grade or better. (sample SPAN 203)
B.S. 15 hours in science, computer science and quantitative studies	15		<p>The CLA B.S. degree requirement is a 15-credit block of science, computer science and quantitative studies as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Computer Science (3-4 credits), and 2. Any course from the College of Science except math or statistics (3-4 credits), and 3. One of the following (8 - 12 credits): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Any 8 credits of departmentally approved ST courses, 4 credits of which must be at the 300-level or above (8 credits) B. <u>COCC Courses:</u> MTH 111 and 243 (8 credits) C. Any 8 credits of MTH courses at the 200 level or above (not including MTH 211, 212 unless student is pre-ed theme) D. <u>COCC Courses:</u> MTH 241 or 251, and ST 351 (8 credits). <p>Courses used to satisfy the B.S. requirements may not also be used to satisfy baccalaureate core requirements. Many departments require specific courses to satisfy this set of requirements, consult your academic adviser for details.</p>

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Date					
Hours (180 total)					
Hours (60 upper division)					

American Studies – Major Requirements

Lower Division (COCC) - 20 credits

Required Sequences:

ENG 253 and 254 - Survey of American Literature

HST 201 and 202 – History of the United States

Choose 1 course from the following list:

ARH 207 – Native American Art History

HST 203 History of the United States (OSU online)

HST 204 - History of the Civil War

HST 207 - History of the American West

HST 218 - Native American History

HST 225 - US Women's History

HST 242 - History of the Pacific NW

HST 258 - Colonial Latin American History

HST 259 - Modern Latin American History

HUM 212 - Culture and Literature of the Americas

HUM 230 - Immigrant Experience American Literature

HUM 240 - Native American Literature and Culture

HUM 256 - Introduction to African American Literature

HUM 262 - Popular Culture: The American West

WS 101M - Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies

WS 102 - Introduction to Women Studies: Humanities

PS 201 - Introduction to US Government and Politics

PS 203 - State/Local Government

Upper Division - 32 credits

Required:

AMS 311 - Topics in American Studies

ENG/ART 386, 387, and 388 – A Cultural History of American Art and Literature

Choose 4 courses from the following lists:

ART 462 – Directions and Issues in Contemporary Art

ART 465 - Native American Art

COMM 326 – Intercultural Communication

COMM 412 – Topics in Speech Communication

COMM 416 – Ethnography of Communication

COMM 427 - Cultural Codes of Communication: Native American Codes of Place

ENG 317 – The American Novel: Beginning to Chopin

ENG 318 – The American Novel: Modernist Period

ENG 319 – The American Novel: Post WWII to Present

ENG 360 - Native American Literature

ENG 362 - Women's Voices in American Literature

ENG 470 –Studies in Poetry

ENG 482 – Studies in American Literature, Culture, and Environment

ENG 485^ - Studies in American Literature

PS 321, 322, 323 - American Constitutional Law

PS 363 – Gender and Race in American Political Thought

PS 375 – The Civil Rights Movement and Policies

PS 429 – Topics in Judicial Politics

E-campus History Courses:

HST 362 – Women in United States History (ecampus)

HST 468 – History of the American West (ecampus)

HST 469 –History of the Pacific Northwest (ecampus)

HST 475 - Civil War & Reconstruction (ecampus)

HST 477 - Progressive & New Deal Eras (ecampus)

HST 481 – Environmental History of the United States (ecampus)

There are additional ART, COMM, ENG, HST, and PS courses that may be considered for part of the upper division curriculum. Any changes to this curriculum must be approved by the director of American Studies, Neil Browne.