

AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES (AFR)

AFR110 / Introduction to African-American Studies

3 Credits / 3.0 Periods for Lecture

Introduction to the study of the African-American experience. Interdisciplinary approach includes historical underpinnings; population and cultural characteristics; social, economic, and political issues; and implications for the future. Prerequisites: None.

Fulfills: Cultural Diversity in the US [C]-in combo; Cultural Diversity in the United States [C]

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AFR202 / Ethnic Relations in the United States

3 Credits / 3.0 Periods for Lecture

Basic concepts and processes, including historic overview, of inter-ethnic relations in the United States: culture, race, ethnicity, ethnocentrism, prejudice, discrimination, racism, assimilation, acculturation, and individual and group responses to inter-ethnic contact. Cultural knowledge and intercultural communication skills and perspectives as fundamental tools for successful management of social relations in a multicultural world. Prerequisites: None.

Crosslisted: CCS202, ASB202

Fulfills: Cultural Diversity in the US [C]-in combo; Cultural Diversity in the United States [C]; Historical Awareness [H]; Historical Awareness [H]-in combo; Social-Behavioral Sciences [SB]; Social-Behavioral Sciences [SB]-in combo

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AFR203 / African-American History: The Slavery Experience

3 Credits / 3.0 Periods for Lecture

History and cultural heritage of African-Americans, including arrival in the Americas, chattel slavery experience, emancipation, and participation in the American Civil War. Presented from an Afro-centric perspective.

Prerequisites: A grade of C or better in AFR110 or permission of Instructor.

Fulfills: Social-Behavioral Sciences [SB]; Social-Behavioral Sciences [SB]-in combo; Historical Awareness [H]; Historical Awareness [H]-in combo

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AFR204 / African-American History 1865 to Present

3 Credits / 3.0 Periods for Lecture

The multifaceted history and cultural heritage of African-American communities since the Civil War, presented within the broader context of U.S. history. This course explores the social, economic, political, and cultural history of African-American communities, including the historical and cultural impacts of slavery and discrimination, and the collective struggle for freedom, equality, and self-determination throughout U.S. history. Prerequisites: None.

Crosslisted: HIS204

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