

Latin American and Caribbean Studies Spring 2019 Course List



Core Courses

JSIS 201 MAKING OF 21ST CENT

(I&S)

15540	A	5	MWF	1230-120	CDH	109	Migdal, Joel S
15541	AA	QZ	TTh	830-920	MEB	243	
15542	AB	QZ	TTh	830-920	DEN	111	
15543	AC	QZ	TTh	930-1020	SMI	305	
15544	AD	QZ	TTh	230-320	BLD	392	
15545	AE	QZ	TTh	1030-1120	THO	331	
15546	AF	QZ	TTh	1230-120	MEB	250	
15547	AG	QZ	TTh	1230-220	MEB	234	
15548	AH	QZ	TTh	1230-120	MEB	245	

Provides a historical understanding of the twentieth century and major global issues today. Focuses on interdisciplinary social science theories, methods, and information relating to global processes and on developing analytical and writing skills to engage complex questions of causation and effects of global events and forces.

JSIS 478 SPEC TOPICS GLOBAL

(I&S)

[15572](#) G 5 F 1030-220 [MGH](#) 234

Patrick, Christie and Jonathan, Warren

PENDING DESCRIPTION

AES 498 AES SPECIAL TOPICS**(I&S)**

[10168](#) A 5 MW 130-320 [RAI](#) 121 Pinedo-Turnovsky, Carolyn

SPECIAL TOPICS: UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANT COMMUNITIES

The politics of migration, citizenship and race are the focal point for this course. In these times, the migrant crisis and others compel us to understand their productive forces and that they are crises of identity and power. This class examines sociologically the concepts of undocumented, citizen, and the structuring of il/legality as they are situated in axes of power, specifically in racialized and gendered contexts. Working with primary and secondary sources, we will learn about experiences across diverse communities, i.e., UndocuLatino, UndocuBlack, UndocuAsian and Pacific Islander, and UndocuQueer. Institutional outcomes in migration, law, labor, carceral spaces, education, and health are areas in social life that may be examined in course materials.

Latin American History Courses

HSTLAC 384 LATIN AMER RELATONS**(I&S)**

[21399](#) A 5 MW 930-1120 [MEB](#) 248 Freije, Vanessa

Inter-American relations, focusing on the United States' diplomatic and military responses to the problems of Latin America since 1776. Intra-Latin American relations and regional organizations (e.g., the Organization of American States).

Contemporary Latin America Courses

CHSTU 256 CHICANA ISSUES**(I&S)**

[12252](#) A 5 MW 1230-220 [CDH](#) 101 Salas, Elizabeth

Contemporary issues in the Chicana movement since the 1940s. Issues range from feminism and Chicana political, educational, and social organizations, to work, family, health, and the arts.

JSIS 202 CULTURAL INTERACTNS**(I&S)**

[15552](#) A 5 MWF 130-220 [GWN](#) 301 Lucero, Jose A

[15553](#) AA QZ TTh 430-520P [CHL](#) 105

[15554](#) AB QZ TTh 830-920 [CHL](#) 105

[15555](#) AC QZ TTh 930-1020 [FSH](#) 109

[15556](#) AD QZ TTh 130-220 [CMU](#) 243

[15557](#) AE QZ TTh 1030-1120 [THO](#) 231

[15558](#) AF QZ TTh 1130-1220 [MEB](#) 245
[15559](#) AG QZ TTh 530-620P [CHL](#) 105
[15560](#) AH QZ TTh 1230-120 [CHL](#) 105
[15561](#) AI QZ TTh 1230-120 [CLK](#) 316
[15562](#) AJ QZ TTh 1030-1120 [SWS](#) 026
[15563](#) AK QZ TTh 430-520P [MGH](#) 228

Cultural interaction among societies and civilizations, particularly Western and non-Western. Intellectual, cultural, social, and artistic aspects; historical factors.

Interdisciplinary Seminars

JSIS A 323 U.S. LAT AM RELATNS (I&S)

[15630](#) A 5 MW 930-1120 [MEB](#) 248 Freije, Vanessa

Surveys the political, economic, and social dimensions and consequences of United States relations with Latin America during the twentieth century. Topics include empire, immigration, cultural production, covert operations, revolution and counter-insurgency, student movements, human rights, and the war on drugs.

JSIS A 492 LATAM SEM – Borderlands & Violence (I&S)

[15647](#) A 5 Th 1230-320 [SAV](#) 140 Lucero, Jose A

Although borderlands are by no means unique sites of violence, they are nevertheless important fault lines along which the friction of globalization has become especially severe. This course pays particular attention to Mexico's northern border with the United States and southern border with Central America, but situates this view within a broad global frame. Even though borderlands are frequently located at the peripheries of empires and nations, students will explore a number of domains related to borderland concerns: the borders of nation- states; borders of race, gender, sexuality, species, and multiple forms of social difference; the borders of citizenship and law; borders of popular culture; and the longstanding and subjugated borderlands of Indigenous peoples.

Latin American Electives

C LIT 321 LIT OF AMERICAS (VLPA)

[11697](#) A 5 MW 1230-220 [MEB](#) 103 Kaup, Monika

Emphasizes connections between twentieth century literature of the United States and Canada and current literature of Latin America. Emphasizes that, despite obvious differences, much is shared in terms of culture and national sensibility across the two continents.

CHSTU 498 SPCL TOPICS CH STU (I&S)

[12256](#) A 5 TTh 1030-1220 [CMU](#) 226 Mendez, Alina Ramirez

Interdisciplinary course concentrating on one or more aspects of the Chicano experience.

GEOG 310 IMMIGRANT AMERICA (I&S,DIV)

[14758](#) A 5 MW 130-320 [JHN](#) 175 Ellis, Mark

U.S. immigration trends and policies from a geographic perspective. Topics include where immigrants come from, where they settle in the United States (and why they settle in those particular places), these locations, immigrant employment enclaves, effects of U.S. immigration policy on immigrant settlement and employment patterns, unauthorized immigration, citizenship, and barriers to immigrant social and economic mobility in the United States.

GWSS 390 INTERMEDIATE TOPICS (I&S)

[14858](#) A 5 TTh 130-320 [CDH](#) 110B Yulee, Jiwoon

FEMINIST SOCIAL REPRODUCTION THEORY AND RADICAL POLITICS OF CARE:
THE CLASS WILL READ MAJOR WORKS OF FEMINIST SOCIAL REPRODUCTION. IT WILL ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO DEVELOP THEIR OWN CRITICAL UNDERSTANDING OF CURRENT NEOLIBERAL CONDITIONS OF LIFE AND SLOW DEATH THAT ARE SUSTAINED BY INTERSECTING SYSTEMS OF POWER AND THE EVOLVING MATERIAL AND DISCURSIVE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE GLOBAL NORTH AND SOUTH. REVIEWING THE MAJOR SITES OF REPRODUCTIVE STRUGGLES AROUND THE WORLD, THE COURSE WILL COLLECTIVELY EXPLORE ALTERNATIVE FORMS OF RADICAL RESISTANCE AGAINST THE NEOLIBERAL WAYS OF LIFE.

Language Courses

PORT 201 INTERMEDIATE PORT (VLPA)

[18778](#) A 5 MTWThF 930-1020 [RAI](#) 107

[18779](#) B 5 MTWThF 1130-1220 [RAI](#) 107 Viana Da Silva, Eduardo

Modern texts, compositions, conversation, and a systematic review of grammar. First in a sequence of three.

PORT 301 ADVANCED PORT

(VLPA)

18780 A 5 MTWThF 1030-1120 RAI 107 Viana Da Silva, Eduardo

Emphasizes oral skills while continuing to refine reading comprehension and written expression. Aims to develop abilities to successfully deal with comprehension and production of oral texts of an academic and professional nature. Not a conversation course.