

Africana Studies Minor Guide 2025-26

REQUIREMENTS

Students seeking a minor in Africana Studies are required to complete a minimum of 20 credit hours.

CORE COURSES (10+ credits)

All minors will be required to complete three core courses for a total of nine credit hours in addition to the practicum (1 to 6 credits):

- ___ **AAA 200** - Understanding Africa (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 201** - Introduction to African American Studies (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 302** - African Diaspora (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 490** – Practicum: Career-Service in Community Building (1 to 6 credits)

ELECTIVE COURSES (5+ credits)

Plus a minimum of two electives (5+ credits) from the following:

- ___ **AAA 231** - Early African American Literature (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 232** - Modern African American Literature (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 300** - U.S. - Africa Relations (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 319** - African Politics (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 333** - Study Abroad - Africana Studies (1 to 6 credits)
- ___ **AAA 337** - Contemporary Black Literature (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 340** - African American Culture and Social Thought (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 343** - Black Feminist Thought (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 352** - Black Women's Culture and Communities (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 357** - The Black Diaspora and the Meaning of Sports, 1800 to the Present (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 380** - Special Topics in Africana Studies (3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 399** - Independent Readings (1 to 3 credits)
- ___ **AAA 499** - Independent Study and Research (1 to 4 credits)
- ___ **ARA 202** – Intermediate Arabic II: Language and Culture (3 credits)
- ___ **FRE 202** – Intermediate French II: Language and Culture (3 credits)
- ___ **GPY 327** - Place, Race and Ethnicity (3 credits)
- ___ **GPY 351** - Geography of Africa (3 credits)
- ___ **INT 320** - Voices of the Civil Rights Movement in the United States (3 credits)
- ___ **HST 314** - African American History (3 credits)
- ___ **HST 316** - U.S. Civil Rights Movement History (3 credits)
- ___ **HST 335** - Africa Before 1870 (3 credits)
- ___ **HST 336** - Africa After 1870 (3 credits)
- ___ **HST 372** - From Slavery to Freedom (3 credits)
- ___ **SOC 333** - Sociology of the Civil Rights Movement (3 credits)
- ___ **SOC 313** - Race and Ethnicity (3 credits)