Specialization Courses

1) The Arts in American Culture

Except for the HIS courses below, all courses in this track are in the Humanities.

AAS 229  Pause: The Politics of Race, Gender, and Sexuality in Hip Hop
AH 103  Ways of Seeing: Art of the Americas
AH 213  Race and Gender in Popular Film
AH 214  Beyond the Boundaries: Folk, Outside, & the Visionary Arts
AH 237  Modern Architecture and Frank Lloyd Wright
AH 255  Arts in American Culture
AH 256  Vernacular Architecture in the USA
AH 259  Women, Cloth and Culture
AH 264  Films of the 1930s
AH 266  African-American Visual Culture
AH 274  Cultural History of American Architecture
AH 276  Gender and Representation in Native American Art
AH 280  Native American Art and Religion
AH 281  Art and the City
AH 284  Modern Architecture and Urbanism: LA Modern
AH 368  Art of the Colonial Encounter
AH 385  The Visual Culture of Heritage and Identity

ENG 116  Intro to African-American Literature
ENG 221  American Renaissance
ENG 225  American Romantics
ENG 226  American Realists
ENG 227  American Moderns
ENG 228  African-American Drama
ENG 230  Studies in American Literature
ENG 234  Modern Fiction
ENG 243  Major Authors: Toni Morrison
ENG 244  Contemporary American Memoir
ENG 250  Race in American Fiction
ENG 259  Popular Film Genres: The Gangster Film
ENG 264  Studies in a Director: The Films of Alfred Hitchcock
ENG 265  Issues in Film
ENG 286  Presidential Rhetoric
ENG 380  African-American Literature & the Archive
ENG 380  American Detectives: Hammett, Chandler, Macdonald

Upper-level courses in American literature

FMS 213  Race and Gender in Popular Film
FMS 222  Art and the City: New York in the 1970s
(Continuation of Arts in American Culture track)

HIS 262  American Culture to 1876 (S) [prior to fall 2013 HIS 251]
HIS 267  Music-Made America (S) [prior to fall 2013 HIS 298]
HIS 302W The Power of Print (S) [prior to fall 2013 HIS 313W]
HIS 363W American Culture in the Great Depression & World War II (S)
[prior to fall 2013 HIS 337W]
HIS 368W American Culture at Mid-Twentieth Century (S)
HIS 371W Topics in Twentieth-Century American Culture (S)
[prior to fall 2013 HIS 382W]
HIS 372W Topics in 20th Century US History (S)
[prior to fall 2013 HIS 383W]

MUR 122 History of Jazz
MUR 123 Music of Black Americans
MUR 125 History of Rock
MUR 127 The Blues
MUR 132 Starmakers: Inside the Publicity Machine
MUR 133 Musical Theater Workshop
MUR 135 Sondheim and the Modern Musical Theater
MUR 145 High Voltage: Heavy Metal Music and Its History
MUR 203 Susan B. Anthony and Her World
MUR 233 Advanced Musical Theater Workshop

REL 151 The Blues
REL 170 Religion & Hip Hop Culture
REL 220 Jewish Women’s Writing

SP 262G Colonial Latin American Literature
SP 287 Latin American Film
SP 287A Mexican Film

2) Identity and the American Nation

AAS 229 Pause: The Politics of Race, Gender, and Sexuality in Hip Hop
AH 214 Beyond the Boundaries: Folk, Outside & Visionary Arts
AH 246 Representing African Americans in the African Imagination
AH 259 Women, Cloth, and Culture
AH 260 Cultural Tourism
AH 276 Gender and Representation in Native American Art

ENG 243 Major Authors: Toni Morrison
ENG 244 Contemporary American Memoir
ENG 250 Race in American Fiction

REL 151 The Blues
REL 153 Islam in America
REL 155 Religion in America
(Continuation of *Identity and the American Nation* track)

REL 157  African-American Religious History
REL 159  Interfaith Engagement
REL 161  New Religious Movements
REL 167W Speaking Stones
REL 168  Material Life of Religion
REL 170  Religion & Hip Hop Culture
REL 178  Religion and American Foodways
REL 214  Imagining the Jew
REL 216  Jews and Multiculturalism in America
REL 220  Jewish Women’s Writing
REL 236  Catholicism in American Life
REL 238  Native American Art and Religion

SP 206  Spanish American Cultures
SP 282  U.S. Latinos/Latinas
SP 287  Latin American Film
SP 287A Mexican Film

WST 105  Sex and Power

ANT 245  American Culture
ANT 276  Gender and Representation

HIS 280/280W Archaeology of Early America [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 269*]
HIS 305W Maritime History of the Atlantic World [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 316W*]
HIS 375W When New York was the Wild West [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 344W*]

HIS 169  Introduction to African-American Studies [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 110*]
HIS 170  African-American History I [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 165*]
HIS 171  African-American History II [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 166*]
HIS 268  History of the American South [*prior to fall 2013 course divided into HIS 253 and HIS 254*]
HIS 269  The Civil War [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 249*]
HIS 273  Lincoln, Douglass, and Black Freedom [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 247*]
HIS 274  History of Race in America [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 258*]
HIS 364  The Black Family in Slavery and Freedom [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 340W*]
HIS 372W Topics in 20th Century US History [*prior to fall 2013 HIS 383W*]

PSC 121  Democracy in America
PSC 209  Interest Groups in America
PSC 224  African-American Politics
PSC 225  Race and Political Representation
PSC 226  Black Political Leadership
(Continuation of Identity and the American Nation track)

PSC 228 Race & Ethnic Politics
PSC 237 Domestic Social Policy
PSC 241 Urban Change and City Politics

3) American Thought and Institutions

Except for ENG 286, PHL 221, NAV 250, and the REL courses below, all of the following courses are in the Social Sciences.

ENG 286 Presidential Rhetoric (H)

PHL 221 Philosophical Foundations of American Revolution (H)

HIS 160 United States History to 1865 [prior to fall 2013 HIS 120]
HIS 161 United States History Since 1865
HIS 162 Early America, 1600-1800 [prior to fall 2013 HIS 145]
HIS 164 Democratic America [prior to fall 2013 HIS 146]
HIS 165 Industrial America [prior to fall 2013 HIS 147]
HIS 166 Recent America [prior to fall 2013 HIS 148]
HIS 174 American Military History [prior to fall 2013 HIS 173]
HIS 244 China-U.S. Relations [prior to fall 2013 HIS 280]
HIS 247 The Korean War
HIS 260 American Thought I [prior to fall 2013 HIS 267]
HIS 261 American Thought II [prior to fall 2013 HIS 268]
HIS 265 Women and Work in the Americas [prior to fall 2013 HIS 270]
HIS 269 The Civil War [prior to fall 2013 HIS 249]
HIS 270 Progressive America [prior to fall 2013 HIS 260]
HIS 271 America and the “Good War” [prior to fall 2013 HIS 265]
HIS 278 Seward Family’s Civil War [prior to fall 2013 HIS 219]
HIS 279 Seward Family in Peace and War

HIS 301W Modernity and Modernism [prior to fall 2013 HIS 308W]
HIS 362W American Thought [prior to fall 2013 HIS 335W]
HIS 365W Topics in Early American History [prior to fall 2013 HIS 377W]
HIS 367W Topics in Revolutionary America [prior to fall 2013 HIS 378W]
HIS 368W American Culture at Mid-Twentieth Century
HIS 372W Topics in 20th Century US History [prior to fall 2013 HIS 383W]
HIS 373W American Health Policy & Politics [prior to fall 2013 HIS 305W]
HIS 374W American Social Thought [prior to fall 2013 HIS 332W]
HIS 375W Benjamin Franklin’s America

NAV 250 Seapower and Maritime Affairs

PSC 103 Great Debates in American Democracy
PSC 105 Introduction to American Politics
PSC 121 Democracy in America
PSC 194 Rochester Politics and Places

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(Continuation of *American Thought and Institutions* track)

PSC 209 Interest Groups in America
PSC 210 Development of the American Party System
PSC 212 Supreme Court in U. S. History
PSC 213 The U. S. Congress
PSC 215 American Elections
PSC 216 Legislative Politics
PSC 218 Emergence of the Modern Congress
PSC 222 The Presidency
PSC 223 Constitutional Structure and Rights
PSC 224 African-American Politics
PSC 225 Race and Political Representation
PSC 226 Black Political Leadership
PSC 228 Race & Ethnic Politics
PSC 234 Law and Politics in the U.S.
PSC 237 Domestic Social Policy
PSC 240 Criminal Procedure & Constitutional Principles
PSC 241 Urban Change and City Politics
PSC 246 Environmental Law & Policy
PSC 249 Sports and the American City
PSC 275 American Foreign Policy
PSC 291 First Amendment and Religion in America

REL 155 Religion in America (H)
REL 161 New Religious Movements (H)