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American Studies Minor Total Credits: 18

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The American Studies minor offers students the opportunity to take an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the culture and history of the United States.

Eighteen (18) credits: 3 credits in HIST or POLI; and 3 credits in English literature or American Art History. The remaining 12 credits may be chosen from among a list of designated courses in the departments of: art, economics, English, history, Jewish history, music, political science, or sociology.

The six (6) total courses required for the minor must be drawn from three or more departments.

History & Political Science

At least one Course (3 credits) from the following:

HIST 1201; 1202	Survey of United States History
HIST 2225	Social Movements in Am. Hist.
POLI 1101	Introduction to American Politics
POLI 2430	American Political Thought

Literature & Art History

At least one Course (3 credits) from the following:

ENGL 2006; 2007	American Literature Survey
ENGL 2510	American Literature and Culture
ARTS 1613	American Art
ARTS 1630	American Architecture

4 Electives (12 credits)

Below is a **sample list** of courses which may apply toward the minor. Courses toward the minor are so indicated in the "Notes" column in each semester's course schedule.

ARTS	1630	American Architecture
ARTS	1635H	The New York Skyscraper
Econ	2201	Labor Economics
ENGL	2520	Literature and Culture of the Roaring Twenties
ENGL	2720	American Short Story
ENGL	2779	American Literary Nonfiction
ENGL	3922	Major Authors: Cather and Wharton
HIST	2231	History of New York City
HIST	2237	African American History
JUDS	4934	Topics: Jewish Ideas and American Democracy
POLI	1101	Introduction to American politics
POLI	2175	Race and Religion in American Politics
SOCI	1746	Ethnic Groups in the US