

# BLACK STUDIES MINOR

## Requirements for a Minor in Black Studies

The minor in black studies consists of a minimum of 18 credit hours (consisting of at least six courses). A minor must include both core courses in Group I (BLST 201/SOCI 225 and BLST 422), one course in the Humanities chosen from Group II (includes fine arts, history, literature, or religion), one course in the Social Sciences from Group III (includes political science, psychology, and sociology), and two or more approved elective courses. In addition to these courses students may request permission from the Black Studies Council to substitute appropriate Honors courses, travel courses, internships, independent study, or related courses toward the requirements for the minor.

An additional 2 courses from Group II, Group III, special topics courses, courses completed through study abroad, and 400-level BLST courses.

**Total Hours** **18**

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Group I (Core Requirement)</b>		
BLST 201/ SOCI 225	Introduction to Black Studies	3
BLST 422	Seminar in Black Studies	3
<b>Group II (Humanities)</b>		
Select one of the following:		3
ARTH 226	African American Art	
ARTH 227	African and Oceanic Art	
ENGL 255	Introduction to African-American Literature	
ENGL 272	Modern African Literature	
FILM 260	Algerian Cinema	
FILM 275	Cinemas of Francophone Africa	
FLET 248	African and Middle East Literature and Film	
FREN 284	Culture and Society of Martinique	
FREN 378	Francophone Cinema from Africa	
FREN 447	Francophone Literature	
FREN 448	African and Middle East Literature and Film	
HIST 210	African-American History since 1865	
HIST 215	The Sixties	
HIST 332	The Problem of Slavery	
HIST 338	The Black Novel as History	
HIST 339	Women of the Black Freedom Movement	
RELS 227	Islam	
RELS 275	Liberation Theology	
RELS 282	African-American Religion	
<b>Group III (Social Science)</b>		
Select one of the following:		3
COMM 332	Intercultural Communication	
COMM 362	Media Diversity	
PSCI 334	African Politics	
PSYC 162	African American Psychology	
PSYC 175	Psychology of Prejudice and Stereotyping	
SOCI 247	Social Inequality	
SOCI 330	Peoples of Africa	
SOCI 342	Race and Ethnic Relations	
<b>Group IV (Electives)</b>		
Select two of the following:		6