

Undergraduate Course Listing: Fall 2023

Course	Course Title	Professor	Date	Instruction Mode	Time	Course Notes
APY 311-R	Cuba Culture, History and Society	Jorge Ulloa Hung	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	The course focuses on characterizing and analyzing the origins of the diverse cultural practices, traditions, and imaginaries that distinguish the communities of contemporary Cuban society.
APY 392-O	Sex and Culture	Ann Brittain	TuTh	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	A cross-cultural examination of sex roles and sexuality; gender identity, division of labor, functions of marriage, sexual practices, reproductive control, and political relationships between the sexes.
APY 397-J	Violence and Ritual	Louis Herns Marcelin	MoWe	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	Various theories of ritual and violence with reference to ethnographically-based topics. It will explore the role of symbols, rituals and ideologies in shaping and

						contesting power within nations and other political communities.
APY 419-R	Politics of the Past	Pamela Geller	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	The intersection of archaeology, politics, capitalism, and discrimination to consider the presentation, misconstrual, revision, and reclamation of the past. Lecturing will be kept to a minimum, as the bulk of the class will be devoted to discussion and debate.
BPH 310-FG	Global Health	TBA	MoWe	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	Introduction to the concepts of global health and the critical links between public health and social and economic development. Determinants of health and patterns of disease and health outcomes across the global are critically examined.
ECO 371-T	Latin America, the Caribbean, and the Global Economy	Michael Connolly	TuTh	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	An analysis of the historical and projected economic growth of major Latin American and Caribbean countries, with emphasis on the post World War II period.
ECO 371-V	Latin America, the Caribbean, and the Global Economy	Michael Connolly	TuTh	Online	8:05pm-9:20pm	An analysis of the historical and projected economic growth of major Latin

						American and Caribbean countries, with emphasis on the post World War II period.
ECO 445-D	Global Economics: Trade and Currencies	Maria Lorca Susino	MWF	In Person	11:15am-12:05pm	In this course, students are exposed to two fundamental topics which are primordial to the understanding of any economic, political and/or social circumstance in any given country at any given time: (1) The evolution and meaning of the business cycle and capitalism, and (2) The effect of international trade and currencies.
ECS 310-BC	Sustainable Living	Theresa Pinto	MoWe	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	Sustainable Living explores ways of living that can be sustained for thousands of years, without further damage to earth, ocean and atmosphere
ECS 324-R	You & Your Microbiome	Kathleen McAuiliffe	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	Recent advances in immunology, genetic manipulation and the microbiome; consequences on emerging notions of personalized health and medications; the creation of tailored therapies against cancer; implications for cost

						of healthcare and politics of medicine.
ECS 357-7D	Global Food: A Hands-On Approach	Richard Weisskoff	Friday	In Person	11:15am-2:00pm	Application of principles of permaculture via designing and creating a small "global farm" on campus to grow perennial food crops which are unique to the South Florida environment. We learn by doing, cultivating plants that hold the solution to world hunger problems.
GEG 266-1T	Metropolitan Miami	Han Li	Tuesday	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	This course provides interdisciplinary perspectives on the urbanization of South Florida and on Miami's urban milieu. The course uses the case of Metropolitan Miami to introduce and illustrate a range of basic concepts in urban studies.
GEG 331-S	Sustainable Development	Jose Maria Cardoso da Silva	TuTh	In Person	3:30pm-4:45pm	The concepts of sustainable development, its origins, and the global conventions associated with it. We use indicators of human well-being, governance, environmental conservation, social inclusion, and economic prosperity to evaluate how countries are

						making their development trajectories more sustainable.
GEG 341-P	Population, Health, and Environment	Justin Stoler	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	Global human population dynamics and implications for environmental sustainability; topics include population growth and structure, mortality and fertility patterns, migration, urbanization, aging, and household composition.
GEG 520-5T	Sustainable Cities	Richard Grant	Thursday	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	The emerging field of urban sustainability from an interdisciplinary perspective, by providing major theories and methodologies in sustainable urbanism, especially in terms of urban resilience, economic inequality, urban ecology, and environmental justice.
GHS 312-4D	People, Plagues, and Pandemics	TBA	Wednesday	In Person	11:15am-2:00pm	The history of pandemics shows that we have not learned from history. Is there a lesson in this recurring failure? Would we even realize it if there was? After the Ebola outbreak, epidemiologists expressed the important lessons that we failed to learn from previous

						outbreaks of disease. Many others have taken note of how plagues of swine flu and the like failed to generate more funding for epidemic/pandemic preparedness and response, and declared that government officials overlooked lessons from hypothetical pandemic exercises
HAI 201-K	Intermediate Haitian Creole I	Cherol Marcelin	MoWe	In Person	6:35pm-7:50pm	Basic listening, speaking, reading and writing skills developed in Elementary Haitian Creole 102. Continued development of communicative abilities and introduction to the cultural practices, family values, and social and environmental issues of Haiti. Include both oral and written components.

HIS 162-P	History of Modern Latin America	Eduardo Elena	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	A survey of the national period in Latin American history, emphasizing the political and social issues in the transition from colonialism to nationhood.
HIS 228-O	Holy War and Toleration in Western Religious Traditions	Hugh Thomas	TuTh	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	An exploration of concepts of Holy War and Just War and of traditions of tolerance and intolerance in Judaism, Christianity, and Islam, from ancient times to the present.
HIS 229-R	Consumer Society: A Global History	Eduardo Elena	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	In the United States we are surrounded today with a seemingly limitless variety of consumer goods, and we are offered constant reminders of the increasingly globalized nature of modern life. Too often, however, such commentary reflects a shocking lack of perspective about the origins and evolution of these trends.

						This course encourages a deeper understanding by exploring the history of how consumer societies emerged across the world.
HIS 303-P	Latinx History	Michael Bustamante	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	History of Latinx/Hispanic peoples, cultures, and communities in the United States, from the mid-nineteenth century to the present. Paying attention to interrelated trajectories of social/economic exclusion, immigration policy, and contested identity formation, this course maps the heterogeneous mosaic of Latin American diasporas in the United States.
HIS 353-R	History of Cuba	Michael Bustamante	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	The development of the Cuban nation, from the late-nineteenth century to the present. This course pays particular attention to the Revolution (leading up to and after 1959) as a contested historical process and experience. In addition to historical scholarship, students will engage a range of primary source materials, including visual art, literature,

						and film.
HIS 396-Q	Special Topics: European Topics	Joaquin Roy	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	Content varies by semester and is indicated parenthetically following course title in class schedules.
INS 322-7A	Economics of Development and the Environment	Richard Weisskoff	Friday	In Person	8:00am-10:45am	Structural changes that accompany economic growth that impact the environment and sustainable development.
INS 357-7D	Global Food: A Hands-On Approach	Richard Weisskoff	Friday	In Person	11:15am-2:00pm	Application of principles of permaculture via designing and creating a small "global farm" on campus to grow perennial food crops which are unique to the South Florida environment. We learn by doing, cultivating plants that hold the solution to world hunger problems.
INS 533-O	Transnational Social Movements	Vendulka Kubalkova	TuTh	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	Focuses on global civic activism and contentious politics, with particular attention to transnational non-state actors - NGOs, social movements, environmental protection, and the emergence of a global civil society.

INS 569-QEP	Global Issues and Film Making: A Trans-disciplinary Approach	Dina Moulioukova, Ali Habashi	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	Global issues and filmmaking studied via a transdisciplinary approach. Topical focus varies among health, foreign aid, human security, international development, and global urbanization.
INS 599-4J	Special Topics: Activism	Calla Hummel	Wednesday	In Person		Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
LAS 101-Q	Introduction to Latin American and Caribbean Studies	John Twichell	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	Course will focus on culture, economy, geography, history, politics, and society of Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as on the ways in which scholars have studied the region. LAS101 replaces LAS201.
LAS 301-P	Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies: Latinx History	Michael Bustamante	TuTh	In Person		Topics vary, Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic (e.g.: revolutions, new social movements, women's rights, Latin Americanism, testimonio, culture industries,etc.) or regional/national (e.g.: Andean Studies, Southern Cone Studies, Caribbean Studies, Mexican Studies,

						etc.).
LAS 330-K	Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Religions: Caribbean Religions	Eziaku Nwokocha	MoWe	In Person	6:35pm-7:50pm	Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (eg: Liberation Theology, Latin American and Latino Religions, Caribbean Religions.)
LAS 350-R	Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture: Cuba Culture and Society	Jorge Ulloa Hung	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture.
LAS 494-01	Independent Study in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	John Twichell	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	Independent study leading to a thesis, original piece of research, or creative project on a Latin American or Caribbean subject.
LAS 495-01	Senior Honors Thesis I	John Twichell	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	This course pairs students with a faculty mentor to set and guide a research agenda in preparation for writing the senior honors thesis. Students will study advanced topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, according to faculty interests.
LAS 496-01	Senior Honors Thesis II	John Twichell	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	This course pairs students with a faculty mentor to guide the writing process for the senior honors thesis.

						Students will study advanced topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, according to faculty interests.
LAS 505-02	Internship in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	John Twichell	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	On-site experience in business, governmental organization, or non-profit organization dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean.
LAS 506-02	Civic Engagement in Latin America	John Twichell	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	On site experience in a civic engagement project in Latin America or the Caribbean.
LAS 560-4K	Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics: International Political Economy	Maria Gomez-Mera	Wednesday	In Person	6:35pm-9:20pm	Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society), but will address Latin American and Caribbean politics.
LAS 580-Q	Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean History: European Topics		TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional, but will address the history of political, social and economic development in Latin America and the Caribbean.
POL 317-P	Race and Ethnic Politics in the U.S.	Matthew Nelsen	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	This course explores race, ethnicity, and politics in the

						United States. In particular, the course aims to demonstrate that no comprehensive account of American politics can sidestep the centrality of racial and ethnic identity.
POL 367-P	The Historical Roots of American Imperialism	John Twichell	TuTh	In Person		Examines the assertive and exploitative aspects of U.S. foreign policy.
POL 566-4J	Activism	Calla Hummel	Wednesday	In Person		Explores what activism is, the history and developments of activism around the world, and which activists strategies work best. Assignments will send students into the community to participate in local politics, work with local organizations, and engage in activism.
POL 592-4K	International Political Economy	Maria Gomez-Mera	Wednesday	In Person	6:25pm-9:20pm	Application of principles of permaculture via designing and creating a small "global farm" on campus to grow perennial food crops which are unique to the South Florida environment. We learn by doing, cultivating plants that hold the solution to world hunger problems.
POL 598-Q	Special Topics in	Joaquin Roy	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	A seminar in Comparative

	Comparative Politics: European Topics					Politics; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
POR 322-J	Topics in Luso-Brazilian Cultures: Contemporary Brazilian Theater	Steven Butterman, Marcia Fanti Negri	MoWe	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	Cultural issues in the Portuguese-speaking world. Topics include media, religion, language in society, popular and mass culture, the arts, immigration, social movements, race, ethnicity, and gender. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
REL 330-K	Caribbean Religion	Eziaku Nwokocha	MoWe	In Person	6:35pm-7:50pm	Caribbean Religion with an emphasis on African Diaspora and Creole religions. The religious traditions we will cover include: Rastafarianism, Regla de Ocha (Santeria), Voodoo, Espiritismo, Regla de Palo, and Obeah.
SOC 386-GH	U.S. Immigration	Margarita Rodriguez	MoWe	In Person	3:35pm-4:50pm	The major sociological debates in the field of immigration with an emphasis

						on recent immigrants to the U.S.
SOC 345-DE	Population and Society	Justin Stoler	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	Demographic analysis of fertility, mortality, sex-age structure, migration, urbanization and population control.
SPA 302-J	The Culture of Spain	Elena Grau-Lleveria	MoWe	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	Historical survey of the arts, science, letters, and political and social institutions in Spain.
SPA 303-R	The Culture of Spanish America	Bridget Arce	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	Historical survey of the arts, letters, science, and political and social institutions in Spanish-speaking Americas.
SPA 322-R	Cultural Topics: Latin America & The Environment	Tracy Devine Guzman	TuTh	In Person		Issues related to the cultures in the Spanish-speaking world. Topics may include film, journalism, religion, language in society, popular and mass culture, visual arts, immigration, slavery, mestizaje. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
SPA 446-E	Cultural Debates: Public Speaking on Societal Issues: Immigration and Exile (Multifocal Perspectives); Latinxs in	Catalina Quesada-Gomez	MWF	In Person	12:20pm-1:10pm	Intensive training in public speaking in Spanish for academic or professional settings. In-class debates and presentations based on readings about controversies

South Florida			or critical issues within the
			Spanish-speaking world.