

Latin American Studies Undergraduate Course Listing: Spring 2025

Course	Course Title	Professor	Date	Instruction Mode	Time	Course Notes
AMS 301-R	Topics in American Studies	Gabriel Das Chagas Alves Pereira Souza	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	Content varies by semester.
APY 202-CD	Principles of Cultural Anthropology	David Forrest	MoWed	In Person	10:10am-11:25am	Cultural anthropology, including such topics as economics, politics, kinship and families, health systems, religion, and personality.
APY 204-F	Principles of Linguistic Anthropology	Caleb Everett	MoWedFri	In Person	12:20pm - 1:10pm	Human linguistic principles of phonology, morphology, and grammar to construct a framework for understanding the operation of language in cultural context. The functions of human language in structuring ideological, economic, and political realms.
APY 301-Q	World Prehistory:: From Caves to Quinoa	Jorge Hung	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	The global prehistoric record, with emphasis on the development of social complexity and ancient states.
APY 385-S	Caribbean Cultures	Jorge Hung	TuTh	In Person	3:30pm-4:45pm	Caribbean societies, including ethnic diversity, production and exchange, domestic organization, and belief systems.
BPH 419-1D	Contemporary Health Issues in South Florida	Perrino	Mo	In Person	1:15pm-2:00pm	This course will provide students with an in-depth look at public health topics relevant to communities in South Florida. Emphasis will be placed on the social, cultural, and policy issues that impact the health of vulnerable populations in our community. Interdisciplinary researcher knowledge and practice from the University of Miami and other relevant institutions will be highlighted.
BPR 419-10	Contemporary Realth Issues III South Florida	relillo	INIO	III Feisoii	1. 13piii-2.00piii	the results of unless the populations in four common results of the population of th
						foreign investment, international trade and regional integration, monetary and fiscal policies, exchange rates, financial stability, corruption, and development strategies and planning within the context
ECO 371-HI	Latin America, the Caribbean, and the Global Economy	Connolly	MoWe	in person	3:35pm-4:50pm	of Latin America and the Caribbean. 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. This course analyzes industrialization,
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ECO 371-K	Latin America, the Caribbean, and the Global Economy	Connolly	MoWe	In Person	6:35pm-7:50pm	of Latin America and the Caribbean.
ECS 372-1G ECS 372-7D	Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy	Richard Weisskoff Habashi and Berkowitz	Mo Fri	In Person In Person	2:30pm-5:15pm 11:15am-2:00pm	Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule. Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
ECS 377-4G	Topics in Environmental Economics and Development	Weisskoff	We	In Person	2:30pm-5:15pm	Content varies by semester and is indicated in perenineses (clinwing course number and title in class screedus. Content varies by semester and is indicated in perenineses (cliowing course number and title lin class screedus.
GEG 235-5T	Wine, Environment & Society	Stoler	Th	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	Explores regional differences in wine production, consumption, economics, culture, politics, and globalization, while cultivating basic wine literacy.
						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. Although most of our discussion adopts a global perspective, the research
GEG 331-S	Sustainable Development	Cardoso da Silva	TuTh	In Person	3:30pm-4:45pm	incusion, and economic prospent to evaluate non-continue and intensity user user approximate non-continue and intensity of the conducted by students is focused on the challenges for implementing sustainable development policies in tropical and sub-tropical countries.
GEG 366-1T	Cities in Time and Space	Grant	TuTh	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	Interdisciplinary perspectives on the city, urbanity, and urbanization through a series of wide-ranging historical-geographical contexts. Field excursions are incorporated into the course.
						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
						lower, involvers, some confinemental reliefs a shocking lack or perspective about the origins and evolution or tress enterest. His course looks at the social and cultural impact of global consumables (ranging how consumer societies emerged across the world. Spanning an arc from the eighteenth century to the present, the course looks at the social and cultural impact of global consumables (ranging
						from food to automobiles) in the Americas, Europe, Asia, and other regions. The readings and lectures consider the social, ethical, and environmental problems associated with the rise of global
HIS 229-O	Consumer Society: A Global History	Elena	Tu	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	consumption. On the surface this is a class about surfing. But to understand surfing is to study the history of Hawai'i. This course examines the history of Hawai'i and of the sport which Hawai'i ans developed and
						on the surface this is a class about stiming, but to indensities an uning is to study the instituty of nawait. This course text extends and have it instituty or nawait and or the sport which related in the course traces the early history of ancient Hawait, when navegating migrants traveled between Polynesia and Hawait until they cased contact. Traditional Hawait was
						governed by complex social and ritual systems, bound by the concept of kapu, or taboo. The class analyzes the process by which Hawai'i went from being a united kingdom to missionary outpost
						and target of pineapple plantations; to a U.S. territory which specifically disenfranchised native Hawai'ans; to the near suppression of surfing. The resulting Hawai'an Renaissance reshaped images of Hawai' and surfing and surfing found willing converts in California. Other topics include the history of surfing styles and competition; comparative surf breaks and shore cultures; California
	Hawai'i and the Pacific World: or, how Surfing Colonized California and the					or traver and some group and suring plan suring plan suring and suring plan suring and suring plan sur
HIS 272-Q	World	Nesvig	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	traders; tuna and canning industry; fishermen.
						How did a country that was supposedly so prosperous and advanced become a land of perennial crisis? Countless observers have posed variations on this question in seeking to make sense of the "Arcentine riddle". This class will provide students with an introduction to the fascinating history of Arcentina. We will reject gat explanations of the "riddle" to examine instead the array of cultural.
HIS 356-Q	History of Argentina's Civilization, Barbarism, and Power	Elena	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	political, and economic forces that have shaped Argentine society.
HIS 551-1D	Studies in Latin American History	Bustamante	Mo	In Person	11:15pm-2:00pm	Selected topics in Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
INS 310-5T	Advanced Topics in INS Culture, Civilizations, and Religion in International Relations	Kubalkova Kubalkova	Th Tu	In Person In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm 5:05pm-7:50pm	Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule. International Relations (IR) theories have traditionally neglected ideational factors such as identify, religion, and culture: unlike states, they were "non-territorial"
INS 385-R	Latin American Topics	Twichell	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	international relations (included in the control of
						The role, function, and impact on states of international governmental and non-governmental organizations in critical areas like peace and security, human rights, economic development, and
INS 563-4K	International Organizations	Gomez Mera	We	In Person	6:35pm-9:20pm	environmental degradation. Tocics varv. 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.:
LAS 301-HI	Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	Moise	MoWe	In Person	3:35pm-4:50pm	Tupics vary, miscuspinary rocus may be mematic (e.g., evolucions, new social movements, women's rights, cann Amenicanism, restimonio, cardie industries, etc.) or regionarinational (e.g., Andean Studies, Southern Cone Studies, Caribbean Studies, Mexican Studies, etc.)
						(The Brazillan Short Story), conducted entirely in Portuguese, surveys the development of arguably the most important and innovative literary genres in contemporary Brazil. Combining significant
LAS301-J	Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	Butterman	MoWe	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	readings, songs based on and inspired by short stories, films, and documentaries featuring interviews with writers studied this semester, the course treats the (d)evolution of the short story from 1890 to the present. One of the central aims of this writing-intensive class is to further develop critical writing and reading skills for both non-native and heritage speakers.
	interdisciplinary Topics in Eath American and Cambbean Studies	Dutterman		1111 613011		Topics vary, Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic (e.g.: revolutions, new social movements, women's fights, Latin Americanism, testimonio, culture industries,etc.) or regional/national (e.g.:
LAS 301-Q1	Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	Diaz Balsera and Schmader	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	Andean Studies, Southern Cone Studies, Caribbean Studies, Mexican Studies, etc.)
LAS 301-T	Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	Moreno	TuTh	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	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 320-QES	Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Environment		TuTh	In Person	3:30pm-4:45pm	Topics vary, Interdisciplinary focus on policies and impact on globalization on the environment.
LAS 350-Q	Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture	Cohen	TuTh	In Person	12:30pm-1:45pm	Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture.
LAS 360-R	Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics	Saavedra and Arce	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	Topics Vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (eg: democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society.)
						This course draws from the political science subdiscipline of comparative politics and the interdisciplinary fields of international studies and Latin American studies to analyze and evaluate the quality of democracy within the broader region of the Caribbean and Latin America. In its approach, the course examines the competing influence of current problems of
						democratic governance in the Caribbean and Latin America, including corruption, exclusion, inequality, poverty, as well as more recent drifts toward dealignment, illiberalism, the
LAS 385-R LAS 494-01	Politics and Society in Latin America and the Caribbean Independent Study in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	Twichell Twichell	TuTh TBA	In Person In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm TBA	proliferation of organized crime, and forced migration. A survey of contending theoretical perspectives informs comparative analysis.
LAS 494-01	independent Study in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	Iwichell	IBA	in Person	IBA	Independent study leading to a thesis, original piece of research, or creative project on a Latin American or Caribbean subject. 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
LAS 495-01	Senior Honors Thesis I	Twichell	TBA	In Person	TBA	American and Caribbean Studies, according to faculty interests.
LAS 496-01	Senior Honors Thesis II	Twichell	TBA	In Person	TBA	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 496-01 LAS 502-U	Research Design in Latin American Studies	Hung	TuTh	In Person	6:35pm-7:50pm	according to faculty interests. Interdisciplinary research methods and skills in Latin American and Caribbean studies.
LAS 505-01	Internship in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	Twichell	TBA	In Person	TBA	On-site experience in business, governmental organization, or non-profit organization dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean.
LAS 506-01	Civic Engagement in Latin America	Twichell	TBA	In Person	TBA	On site experience in a civic engagement project in Latin America or the Caribbean.
MCY 333-R	Introduction to Cuban Music	Quevedo	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	A survey of Cuban Music from the early European settlement to the present. Course addresses African and Caribbean influences and the amalgamation into new national styles, as well as current musical activity on the island and in expatriate communities.
MCY 554-S	Music Cultures of the World	TBA	TuTh	In Person	3:30pm-4:45pm	A study of music culture of the region including the music of folk societies, p opular artists, and classical musicians. Open to non-majors.
MLL 325-R	World Cinema	Sawafta	TuTh	In Person	2:00pm-3:15pm	World cinema in a comparative perspective - national or international film movements and directors - based upon narrative film analysis. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
						Native American tribes are an important part of the contemporary American political system. This is true at the national, state, and local level. Taking a historical perspective, interactions between tribes and settler governments also shaped many of the governing institutions in the United States. This class explores the power of Native tribes and the changing
						interactions between tribes and settler governments also snaped many of the governing institutions in the united states. Inits class explores the power of wattvertness and the changing relationship with federal and state governments. Issues and concepts covered include colonization, exomind evelopment, resource and environment, tribal sovereignty, assimilation, or an experiment of the control
POL 326-5T	Native American Politics	Orr	Tu	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	stereotypes, and American political development.
POR 364-I	The Brazilian Short Story	Butterman	MnWe	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	The Brazillan short story since 1890. Conducted in Portuguese. POR minors must complete all written assignments in Portuguese. Others may opt to write in English, Portuguese, or Soanish. Fulfillis Humanities literature requirement.
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REL 232-P	A Global History of Christianity	Kling	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	cultural contexts.
SOC 335-P	LGBTQ Communities	Johnson	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	Gender, race, age and class differences in the experiences of gays and lesbians. A life-span perspective guides the course after the presentation of some background of biological, psychological, and sociological theories pertaining to homosexuality.
30C 335-P	tobiqcommunities	Johnson	luin	III Person	11:00am-12:15pm	psychological, and sociological theories per taining to nomosexuality.
						The nature and dynamics of race and ethnic relations with particular emphasis on racial and ethnic groups in the United States. We examine basic concepts and major theories in the
SOC 387-O	Race and Ethnic Relations	Braddock	TuTh	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	analysis of race and ethnic relations, racial and ethnic inequality, past and recent immigration experiences, and the historical and current status of specific racial and ethnic groups.
SOC 387-O SPA 303-GH	Race and Ethnic Relations The Cultures of Spanish America	Braddock Matusiak	TuTh MoWe	In Person In Person	9:30am-10:45am 2:30pm-3:45pm	Students will also be engaged in a variety of exercises designed to develop critical assessment and analytical skills for examining and understanding issues related to race and ethnicity. Historical survey of the arts, letters, science, and political and social institutions in Spanish-speaking Americas.
SPA 303-P	The Cultures of Spanish America	Arce	TuTh	In Person	11:00am-12:15pm	Historical survey of the arts, letters, science, and political and social institutions in Spanish-speaking Americas.
SPA 422-J	Topics in Hispanic Linguistics	Lynch	MoWe	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	Special topics in the study of Hispanic linguistics. Possibilities include phonetics/phonology, pragmatics/discourse analysis, sociolinguistics, sociocultural theory, bilingualism.
SPA 501-O	Capstone	Devine-Guzman	TuTh	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	Course with a broad-based topic designed to integrate all the high-level linguistic, critical and analytical skills with the body of knowledge acquired during the course of study towards the major. Topics vary. Open only to undergraduates completing their Spanish major. To be taken in the last semester of the major.
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