AMERICAN INDIAN STUDIES (AMER IND)

AMER IND 100 — INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN INDIAN STUDIES
3 credits.
Focus is history, social organization, political experience, artistic
expression of North American Indians, using methods and materials from
a number of disciplines as an introduction to the interdisciplinary field.
Requisites: Open to Fr
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies
requirement
Breadth - Social Science
Level - Elementary
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2017

AMER IND/ENGL 172 — LITERATURES OF NATIVE AMERICA
3 credits.
Introduction to the oral and written literatures of the peoples of native
North America. An engagement with texts across historical periods, tribal
groups, and regions to examine forms such as oratory, sermon, testimony,
autobiography, and contemporary poetry and novels.
Requisites: Open to Freshmen
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies
requirement
Breadth - Literature. Counts toward the Humanities req
Level - Elementary
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2017

AMER IND 199 — DIRECTED STUDY
1-3 credits.
Independent study for freshmen and sophomores in collaboration with a
faculty member.
Requisites: Open to Fr and So only; cons inst
Course Designation: Level - Elementary
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Summer 2017

AMER IND/ENGL 246 — LITERATURE BY AMERICAN INDIAN WOMEN
3 credits.
Presents a broad range of literatures from diverse Native traditions
and eras, to provide students with a basic knowledge of major issues
affecting and best-known texts by American Indian women authors.
Requisites: Open to Freshmen
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies
requirement
Breadth - Literature. Counts toward the Humanities req
Level - Elementary
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2012

AMER IND 250 — INDIANS OF WISCONSIN
3 credits.
Introduces students to the various American Indian Nations within
Wisconsin’s borders with an emphasis on their history, culture, and
sovereignty. Examines individual tribes and bands as well as common
issues that affect tribal and non-tribal people in Wisconsin.
Requisites: Open to all undergraduates
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies
requirement
Breadth - Social Science
Level - Elementary
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2015

AMER IND/ENGL 274 — INDIGENOUS LITERATURE OF THE GREAT
LAKES
3 credits.
A study of the literature and cultural expression of peoples indigenous
to the Great Lakes of North America. Close critical examination of formal
aesthetics, literary history, and contemporary issues in oral tradition,
autobiography, drama, poetry, novel, and film.
Requisites: Open to Freshmen
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies
requirement
Breadth - Literature. Counts toward the Humanities req
Level - Elementary
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2009

AMER IND/ENGL 275 — AMERICAN INDIAN ORAL LITERATURES
3 credits.
A study of American Indian oral literature including literature from
Wisconsin tribes or from other regions such as Southwest or Great
Plains. This course emphasizes Native American storytellers. Open to
Freshmen
Requisites: 6 credits of introductory literature or consent of instructor.
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies
requirement
Breadth - Literature. Counts toward the Humanities req
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2011

AMER IND 301 — FIRST SEMESTER OJIBWE
3 credits.
Introduction to the Ojibwe language, spoken and written, with emphasis
on oral tradition and extensive study of grammar.
Requisites: Open to Fr
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies
requirement
Breadth - Humanities
Frng Lang - 1st semester language course
Level - Elementary
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2016
AMER IND 302 — SECOND SEMESTER OJIBWE
3 credits.

Continuation of Ojibwe language study, with an emphasis on traditional winter cycle myths. Open to Fr

Requisites: AMER IND 301.

Course Designation: Breadth - Humanities
Frng Lang - 2nd semester language course
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2017

AMER IND/ANTHRO 314 — INDIANS OF NORTH AMERICA
3 credits.

Description and analysis of native cultures, and the role of environmental and historical factors in North America.

Requisites: So st or cons inst

Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Social Science
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2016

AMER IND 320 — NATIVE PEOPLES OF THE SOUTHWEST
3 credits.

Overview of Indian Peoples and cultures of the “Southwest” from historic times to present, including discussion of contemporary issues impacting tribes in the southwestern United States.

Requisites: Open to all undergraduates

Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2015

AMER IND 325 — AMERICAN INDIANS IN FILM
3 credits.

A critical examination of the portrayal of the American Indian in film, including documentaries and films made by Native filmmakers.

Requisites: AMER IND 100, COM ARTS 350 or cons inst

Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2014

AMER IND/ANTHRO 353 — INDIANS OF THE WESTERN GREAT LAKES
3 credits.

Description and analysis of Indian cultures in the area around the western Great Lakes, with special emphasis on traditional cultures of the Indians in Wisconsin.

Requisites: ANTHRO 100, 104 or cons inst

Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Social Science
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2012

AMER IND/ANTHRO 354 — ARCHAEOLOGY OF WISCONSIN
3 credits.

Introduces students to the archaeological evidence for the diverse Native American cultures of Wisconsin over the past 12,000 years.

Requisites: Jr st or cons inst

Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Social Science
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2011

AMER IND/ANTHRO 355 — ARCHAEOLOGY OF EASTERN NORTH AMERICA
3 credits.

Reviews the archaeological evidence pertaining to native North American lifeways of the eastern woodlands of North America from the earliest arrival of humans more than 12,000 years ago through sustained contact with Europeans.

Requisites: Jr st, ANTHRO 102 or 112, or cons inst

Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Social Science
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2009
AMER IND/ART HIST 359 — AMERICAN INDIAN ART HISTORY: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES
3 credits.
A thematic introduction to contemporary (1960 - present) Native North American art drawing from historic (pre and post-contact) precedents. Topics are generated from the conceptual themes of contact, conflict, exchange, appropriation and re-appropriation of American Indian imagery, materials, and ideas.
Requisites: Open to Fr
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Humanities
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2013

AMER IND/LINGUIS 371 — SURVEY OF NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN LANGUAGES
3 credits.
Overview of native languages of North America, including topics such as history, distribution, diversity, government policy, language endangerment, elaboration of cultural domains, language and worldview, speech styles, language structure (phonology, morphology, grammatical categories), performance (narrative, song), writing systems.
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Humanities
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2016

AMER IND 401 — OJIBWE LANGUAGE III
3 credits.
Represents the third semester of the Ojibwe language, focusing on word structure and conversational skills.
Requisites: AMER IND 302
Course Designation: Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: No

AMER IND/ANTHRO/FOLKLORE 431 — AMERICAN INDIAN FOLKLORE
3 credits.
An introduction to the genres of American Indian Folklore. Special attention is given to creation stories, trickster tales, and the relationship between folklore and historical memory.
Requisites: Jr st one of the following: ANTHRO/AMER IND 314 or 344; FOLKLORE 100 or 230 or 320; or cons inst
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2015

AMER IND/ANTHRO/FOLKLORE/GEN&WS 437 — AMERICAN INDIAN WOMEN
3 credits.
Examines and interprets the roles of American Indian women in traditional societies, and in contemporary North America.
Requisites: 1 crse in Amer Ind St, ANTHRO/AMER IND 314 or Women St 223, 101, or 102
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Humanities
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2015

AMER IND/LSC 444 — NATIVE AMERICAN ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES AND THE MEDIA
3 credits.
Explores public understanding and media coverage of Native American environmental issues including treaty rights, air and water quality, land-into-trust, and sacred sites. Analysis of organizational and structural constraints of media coverage relating to issues of sovereignty and intergovernmental relationships.
Requisites: Sophomore standing
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Either Humanities or Social Science
Level - Intermediate
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Summer 2017

AMER IND 450 — ISSUES IN AMERICAN INDIAN STUDIES
3 credits.
Content varies depending on instructor. Special focus on American Indian thought and perspectives on subjects in the arts and sciences.
Requisites: Consent of instructor
Course Designation: Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
Breadth - Social Science
L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Repeatable for Credit: Yes, unlimited number of completions
Last Taught: Spring 2017
AMER IND/ENGL 467 — CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN INDIAN LITERATURE SINCE 1953
3 credits.
A study of American Indian literary and cultural expression since 1953, the year of federal “termination” of Native nations and their subsequent revival. Close critical examination of historical and contemporary themes in autobiography, drama, poetry, and novel. Students who have taken English 650 prior to fall 2014 may not enroll in this course.
**Requisites:** English 172 or consent of instructor
**Course Designation:** Breadth - Literature. Counts toward the Humanities req
**Level:** Advanced
**L&S Credit:** Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
**Repeatable for Credit:** No
**Last Taught:** Fall 2010

AMER IND/ANTHRO/BOTANY 474 — ETHNOBOTANY
3-4 credits.
Study of the interactions between human cultures and plants. Topics include: traditional resource management and agriculture; crop domestication, evolution, and conservation; archaeobotany; indigenous knowledge; folk taxonomy; plants in symbolism and religion; dietary patterns; phytochemistry; global movement of plants and peoples. g., BOTANY/BIOLOGY 130, BIOLOGY/BOTANY/ZOOLOGY 151) or cons inst
**Requisites:** A five credit course in botany or biology (e.
**Course Designation:** Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
**Breadth:** Either Biological Science or Social Science
**Level:** Intermediate
**L&S Credit:** Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
**Repeatable for Credit:** No
**Last Taught:** Summer 2017

AMER IND/HISTORY 490 — AMERICAN INDIAN HISTORY
3-4 credits.
**Requisites:** Jr st or cons inst
**Course Designation:** Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
**Breadth:** Social Science
**Level:** Intermediate
**L&S Credit:** Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
**Repeatable for Credit:** No
**Last Taught:** Summer 2017

AMER IND/HDFS 522 — AMERICAN INDIAN FAMILIES
3 credits.
Interdisciplinary examination of American Indian families in historical and contemporary contexts. Emphasizes the changing experience and structure of Native families in response to changing political, economic, social, and cultural pressures and policies over the past 200 years and contemporary challenges.
**Requisites:** Junior standing
**Course Designation:** Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
**Breadth:** Social Science
**Level:** Advanced
**L&S Credit:** Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
**Repeatable for Credit:** No
**Last Taught:** Spring 2014

AMER IND/C&E SOC/SOC 578 — POVERTY AND PLACE
3 credits.
The allocation of economic and social rewards in the United States; emphasis on persistently poor regions and communities; analysis of selected minority groups and their poverty statuses; poverty programs and their consequences for structural and cultural changes.
**Requisites:** Intro Soc course (SOC/C&E SOC 140, 181, 210, or 211)
**Course Designation:** Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
**Breadth:** Social Science
**Level:** Advanced
**L&S Credit:** Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
**Repeatable for Credit:** No
**Last Taught:** Fall 2016

AMER IND/SOC WORK 658 — AMERICAN INDIAN AFFAIRS
2-3 credits.
Contemporary concerns and conditions of American Indians examined in historical, cultural and legal perspective.
**Requisites:** Jr st
**Course Designation:** Ethnic St - Counts toward Ethnic Studies requirement
**Breadth:** Social Science
**Level:** Advanced
**L&S Credit:** Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
**Repeatable for Credit:** No
**Last Taught:** Fall 2012

AMER IND 699 — DIRECTED STUDY
1-3 credits.
Independent study for junior, senior and graduate students in collaboration with a faculty member.
**Requisites:** Jr, Sr or Grad st, and cons inst
**Course Designation:** L&S Credit - Counts as Liberal Arts and Science credit in L&S
**Repeatable for Credit:** Yes, unlimited number of completions
**Last Taught:** Summer 2017
AMER IND/HISTORY 941 — INDIANS AND EMPIRES
3 credits.

Examining the centuries of imperial competition in Native America, this seminar explores recent developments in early American Indian history.

Requisites: Cons inst
Course Designation: Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Fall 2016

AMER IND/HISTORY 942 — AMERICAN INDIAN HISTORY, 1800-PRESENT
3 credits.

A readings course on American Indian resistance, adaptation, and revival during the U.S. National period.

Requisites: Cons inst
Course Designation: Grad 50% - Counts toward 50% graduate coursework requirement
Repeatable for Credit: No
Last Taught: Spring 2009