

# AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES APPROVED COURSE LIST

Fall 2021 (as of March 15, 2021)

□ *This list reflects approved courses for students on the curriculum beginning Fall 2018. Students on the curriculum in place prior to Fall 2018 have a separate course list.*

□ ST = Special Topics (Maximum credit amounts vary. Check Undergraduate Bulletin)

□ It is your responsibility to verify course location, prerequisites, and requirement designations via course search and/or <http://liberalstudiescourses.fsu.edu/care/LS-courses/course-display.php>

□ Some courses may have major restrictions or other reserve caps limiting enrollment. It is recommended that you contact the instructor of the course or the department (i.e. if the course prefix is "REL" then the department is Religion) to request enrollment permission.

## CORE COURSE REQUIREMENT:

❖ *Core course requirement: Students majoring in African-American Studies are to complete 15 credit hours of core courses with the following course breakdown:*

➤ *The following 3 required core courses:*

- *AFA 2000: Introduction to the African American Experience (3)*
- *AFA 3101: Theory of African American Studies (3)*
- *AFA 3930: ST Research Methods and Scholarly Writing in Africana Studies (3)*

➤ *1 of the following required core courses:*

- *AFA 3330: Black Families in America (3) or*
- *AFA 4240: African Diaspora (3)*

➤ *1 of the following required core courses:*

- *AFA 3930: ST Senior Capstone Thesis (3) or*
- *AFA 4940: African American Studies Internship (3)*

AFA 2000 Introduction to the African-American Experience

AFA 3330 Black Families in America

AFA 4240 African Diaspora

## AFRICAN/AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY COURSE REQUIREMENT:

❖ *History requirement: Students majoring in African-American Studies are to complete 6 credit hours of African and/or African-American history courses*

AMH 2097 Nationality, Race, and Ethnicity in the United States

AMH 3930-3 ST: Racial Violence

AMH 4571 Black America to 1877

## SPECIALITY REQUIREMENT:

*Specialty requirement: Students majoring in African-American Studies must complete 9 credit hours of coursework from one of the following three specialty areas below:*

(1) *Social Sciences*

(2) *Literature and Arts*

(3) *History, Religion, and Philosophy*

### 1. Social Sciences Specialty

#### *Political Economy and the Black Community*

AFA 3930-1 ST: African Americans in the US Political Economy [cross-listed with ECP 3143]

ECP 3143 Afro-Americans in the American Political Economy [cross-listed with AFA 3930-1]

AFA 3330 Black Families in America

AFA 3930-2 ST: Economics of the Caribbean

#### *Culture, Institutions, and Policy*

SOP 3782 Psychology of the African-American  
SYD 4700 Race and Minority Group Relations

#### *Race and Justice*

CCJ 3673 Social Reality of Black Males  
CCJ 4662 Minorities, Crime, and Social Policy

### 2. Literature and Arts Specialty

AML 2600 Introduction to African-American Literature

AML 3682 American Multi-Ethnic Literature

AML 4604 The African-American Literary Tradition

MUH 4801 History of Jazz I (1890-1950)

THE 4433 Gender, Race and Performance

### 3. History, Religion, and Philosophy Specialty

AMH 2097 Nationality, Race, and Ethnicity in the United States

AMH 4571 Black America to 1877

AMH 3930-3 ST: Racial Violence

REL 3128-1 ST: African-American Religion

REL 3152 Religion, Race, and Ethnicity

REL 3370 Religion in Africa

## **SUPPLEMENTARY COURSE**

### **REQUIREMENT:**

*Supplementary course requirement: All African-American Studies majors must complete 6 credit hours of supplementary coursework. However, the supplementary course list you should use depends on your specialty area.*

- ❖ *If you chose the Social Sciences Specialty area, you must complete 6 credit hours under either of the following:*
  - *I. African-American Studies Supplementary Courses*
  - *II. Social Sciences Supplementary Courses*
- ❖ *If you chose the Literature and Arts Specialty OR the History, Religion, and Philosophy Specialty, you must complete 6 credit hours under either of the following:*
  - *I. African-American Studies Supplementary Courses*
  - *III. Humanities Supplementary Courses*

### **I. African-American Studies Supplementary Courses**

AFA 3930-1	ST: African Americans in the US Political Economy [cross-listed with ECP 3143]
AFA 3930-2	ST: Economics of the Caribbean
AFA 3330	Black Families in America
AFA 4240	African Diaspora

### **II. Social Sciences Supplementary Courses**

#### **Criminology**

CCJ 3673	Social Reality of Black Males
CCJ 4662	Minorities, Crime, and Social Policy

#### **Economics**

ECP 3143	Afro-Americans in the American Political Economy [cross-listed with AFA 3930-1]
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#### **Political Science**

POS 4624	The Supreme Court, Civil Liberties, and Public Policy
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#### **Psychology**

SOP 3782	Psychology of the African-American
SOP 4722	Prejudice and Stereotyping

#### **Sociology**

SYD 4700	Race and Minority Group Relations
IDS 3430	Sociology of Hip Hop Culture

### **Urban and Regional Planning**

URP 5445	Climate Change and Community Resilience*
URP 5743	Neighborhood Planning*

*\*Note: This is a graduate course. Special permission is required. More information and instructions can be found at [https://registrar.fsu.edu/forms/grad\\_course\\_request.pdf](https://registrar.fsu.edu/forms/grad_course_request.pdf)*

### **III. Humanities Supplementary Courses**

#### **Dance**

DAA 1500	Jazz Dance I – Nonmajors; ST: Jazz Dance 1
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#### **History**

AMH 2097	Nationality, Race, and Ethnicity in the United States
AMH 3930	ST: Racial Violence
AMH 4571	Black America to 1877

#### **Literature**

AML 2600	Introduction to African-American Literature
AML 3682	American Multi-Ethnic Literature
AML 4604	The African-American Literary Tradition
LIT 4329	African American Folklore

#### **Music**

MUH 4801	History of Jazz I (1890-1950)
MUN 2800	ST: World Music Ensemble: FSU Gospel Choir
MUN 4803	ST: World Music Ensemble: FSU Gospel Choir

#### **Religion**

REL 3128-1	ST: African-American Religion
REL 3152	Religion, Race, and Ethnicity
REL 3370	Religion in Africa

#### **Theatre**

THE 4433	Gender, Race and Performance
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#### **Philosophy**

PHM 2121	Philosophy of Race, Class and Gender
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